

An old style donation party took place at the Methodist church last Friday evening when the members and friends united in giving their new pastor, Rev. J. G. Dingle and family, a rousing donation party. There were over fifty present and they came laden with good things of every description. After cordial greetings the friends took possession of the parsonage. An appropriate program of singing, speaking, music, etc., was rendered during which Rev. W. W. Hart, of the Congregational church, gave Mr. Dingle a most cordial and hearty welcome to our city. Breaking up at a late hour the party left glad, grateful hearts and a bountifully supplied larder at the parsonage. It certainly was a very enjoyable social affair and one greatly appreciated by Pastor Dingle and family.