

on Sabbath next they be ordained by the imposition of hands to the office and work of the Christian Ministry.

That William G. Henderson shall be ordained at the same time, having been previously ordained as a Deacon, and received into full connexion with the M. E. Church.

And that Thomas A. Dorion shall be ordained for special purposes.

The resolution was adopted by a rising vote of the Conference.

The President of the Conference addressed the Candidates concerning the solemn and important duties and responsibilities of the office upon which they were entering.

The Conference adjourned at 10.15 p.m., the Rev. J. Elliott, D.D., pronouncing the benediction.

#### ORDINATION SERVICE.

The Ordination Service was held at the close of the Conference Love-feast, in the Sydenham Street Church, on Sabbath, May 31st, 1885, commencing at half-past ten o'clock.

The Rev. A. Carman, D.D., General Superintendent, preached an appropriate and able sermon, after which the Secretary of the Conference read the names of the Candidates who were to be ordained as follows:—Thomas A. Dorion, William G. Henderson, F. G. Lett, and William Somerville, and presented them to the General Superintendent for that purpose.

The General Superintendent, assisted by the President and several senior ministers, ordained them according to the form prescribed by the Discipline of the Church.

#### MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARY.

The Annual Conference Missionary Meeting was held in the Sydenham Street Methodist Church, Kingston, on Monday evening, June 1st, 1885, beginning at 7.30.

The President of the Conference, the Rev. L. Hooker, in the chair.

After singing the 708th hymn, the Rev. L. N. Beaudry offered prayer.

Addresses were delivered by the Revs. J. E. Lidstone, W. Blair, M.A., and W. Hansford.

The President presented to the meeting a document from the Kingston Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, commending this part of our missionary operations to the sympathy of the members of the Conference.

The meeting was closed at 10 p.m., the Rev. G. McRitchie pronouncing the benediction.