

the Sunday School department, and greater efforts are to be made on behalf of the young people.

The conqueror of Mt. Robson, Rev. G. K. B. Kinney, B.A., gave the Conference views of the new Alpine scenery opened up in the vicinity. Schemes to have a Methodist moving picture circuit throughout the Dominion were launched successfully. It was also arranged to secure the old Baptist Church in Vancouver as Methodist City headquarters, and for a social centre. This movement is a worthy one and is being managed by a company formed specially for the purpose until the Conference is ready to take the matter over.

Another feature of the Conference was the exposition of moving pictures taken in China, and showing life at some of the mission stations.

The report of Ryerson College recorded genuine progress as regards subscriptions; over \$200,000 of the \$400,000 to be raised having been subscribed. Apart from this a vote was taken in favor of endowing a chair the nucleus endowment fund of which was to be raised by ministers paying one-tenth of one year's salary.

Five probationers received ordination at this time.

Altogether the Conference proved a happy and harmonious gathering, and its work, as well as its personnel, reflected the rapid development and varied character of British Columbia.

There is always a beyond in life. We never reach the end. Peak rises above peak, and a summit is but the base of another. The infinite is the finite continued back and front, and it is not easy to say where the one ends and the other begins. The Beyond haunts us at every turn. It represents our highest joy—and our deepest despair. The pleasure of a longing is the measure of its pain. We are never satisfied with getting, because when we get all our heart's desire, by the time we receive it our hearts have grown too big to be satisfied there, and we have reached out after a larger hope.

—Hugh Black, D.D.

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