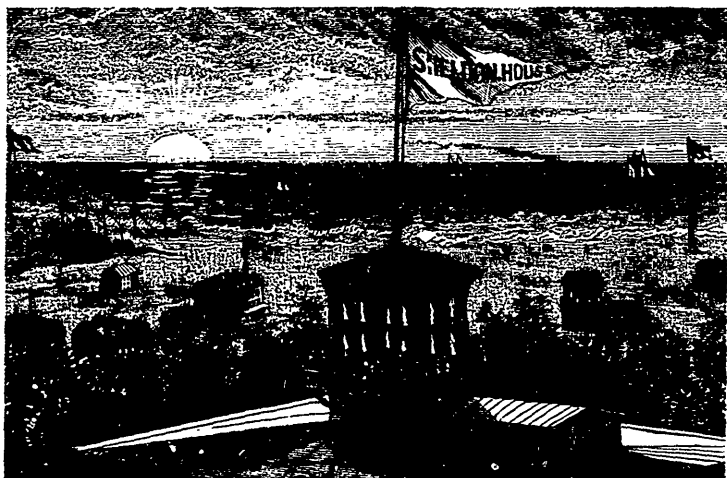


headed by Mrs. Inskip and Mr. Thornley, with several assistants from the Tabernacle. They came in singing, the whole congregation rising and joining them in the song, "Precious Jewels." When this juvenile company stood in a semi-circle around the altar, and were addressed, many older people wept in pure sympathetic joy, and in due time the procession filed out again, to allow the service to proceed. The last communicant having come and retired, Dr. Stokes proceeded to acknowledge his obligations to ministers, ushers, choir, reporters, etc.

A report was then submitted of the statistical results:—Number converted, 642; reclaimed, 190; sanctified, 350;



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specially helped, 8,400; total of those known to be savingly touched by the present meeting, 9,582. No figures, however, can more than approximate the wonderful results of a season at Ocean Grove, since thousands come and go; and in their homes and churches all over the land, from Maine to California, show the fruits of blessings realized on the ground. Eternity only will reveal the results. Let those who say Methodism is degenerating visit an Ocean Grove camp-meeting. Everything there has a true Methodist ring. The doctrines of a present salvation and holiness of heart are faithfully preached, and the attainment as earnestly enforced, as in the days of Wesley and Whitefield, Asbury and Summerfield.

The service closed under deep and widespread emotion, as