

Question Drawer.

In the evening of Saturday a "Question Drawer" on "The Administration of Discipline," was conducted by the Rev. Joseph Hall and the President of Conference.

Sunday Services—Ordination.

At 9.30 a.m. the Conference Love-feast was opened, led by Rev. C. Ladner.

At 11 a.m., the ex-President, Rev. T. W. Hall, preached the Ordination sermon, at the close of which the President, assisted by the senior ministers, ordained D. D. Birks and J. D. P. Knox to the work of the ministry.

Communion Service.

At 7 p.m., the Rev. James Woodworth, Superintendent of Missions, preached the sermon, after which the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered, under the direction of the President.

Into Full Connection (Special).

On Monday, May 13th, in Special Ministerial Session, the following probationers who had completed their four years' probation and passed on the full course of study, and had answered satisfactorily the usual disciplinary questions, and had been previously ordained, were, on resolution of the Conference, received into full connection, viz., Elihu Manuel, W. J. Stone, William Hicks and S. S. Osterhout; and as W. L. Hall—received from another religious body—was given a standing of a probationer of four years, he also was received into full connection with the Conference, he having been previously ordained.

Sabbath School and Epworth League.

Bro. W. T. Cooksley occupied the chair.

The Rev. Dr. Reid led in prayer, after which Bro. Siddal addressed the meeting on Sunday School work; the Rev. J. P. Hicks, on Epworth League work, and Rev. S. J. Thompson, on work among the young.

Collection for Sunday School aid, \$8.05.

Educational Meeting.

The Conference Educational Meeting was held on Tuesday, May 14th, at 8 p.m., the Rev. C. Watson in the chair. After prayer by Rev. Jas. Calvert, Professor E. Odum gave a most effective address, pressing the claims of the Columbian Methodist College at this crisis of its existence. While subscriptions were solicited towards the purchasing fund of the College, the Rev. J. F. Betts endeavored to arouse a deeper interest in the college scheme. During the meeting, a telegram from Principal Whittington was received, giving assurance of the fact that Mr. H. A. Massey's \$10,000 is available, if the Conference raise \$5,000 immediately, and the balance needed in a reasonable time. Collection, \$15.95.

Visitors.

During the sessions of the Conference the following visitors were introduced and addressed the Conference: Rev. Professor Coulter, of Columbian Methodist College, and Rev. Dr. Campbell, Rev. Mr. Winchester, and Rev. Dr. Reid, pastors of city churches.