

especially would eat as doth a canker. Keep your thoughts within your own breast, till you come to the person concerned.

7. Tell every one under your care what you think wrong in his conduct and temper, and that lovingly and plainly, as soon as may be ; else it will fester in your heart. Make all haste to cast the fire out of your bosom.

8. Avoid all affectation. A Preacher of the Gospel is the servant of all.

9. Be ashamed of nothing but sin.

10. Be punctual. Do every thing exactly at the time. And do not mend our rules, but keep them ; not for wrath, but conscience sake.

11. You have nothing to do but to save souls ; Therefore spend and be spent in this work ;—and go always not only to those that want you, but to those that want you most.

Observe ! It is not your business only to preach so many times, and to take care of this or that society ; but to save as many as you can—to bring as many sinners as you can to repentance ; and with all your power, to build them up in that holiness, without which they cannot see the Lord. And remember—a Methodist Preacher is to mind every point, great and small, in the Methodist Discipline ! Therefore, you will need to exercise all the sense and grace you have.

12. Act in all things not according to your own will, but as a son in the Gospel. As such,