

THE ORDER OF DEACONESSES

Its Objects in Connection with Methodist Episcopal Church Work.

The Rev. W. R. Halstead's Estimate of This and Other Acts of the Conference—Captain Ritter Denies Certain Reports.

Rev. W. R. Halstead, presiding elder of the Indianapolis district, Indiana Conference, has returned from the General Conference at New York, to which he was a delegate.

At least, "it will be fraught with the most important results if wisely administered. It opens lines of usefulness in the church for women who have talent, grace and capacity for the work."

"What is the nature of the work that is expected of them?" the reporter asked.

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ON THEIR WAY TO ST. LOUIS

All Western Trains Going Out with Cars Loaded with Democratic Delegates.

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AN ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

The Dudley Company's Arrangements for an Early Beginning of Work to That End.

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INCIDENTS OF INTEREST.

Minor Happenings and Ideas Found in the General Run of Gossip on the Street.

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