

Church of Christ, Ann-street.

A social tea meeting, followed by a public meeting, was held by the members of the Ann-street Church of Christ on Wednesday to mark the second anniversary of Pastor and Mrs. Rankine's connection with the church. Mr. S. Gale presided over the public meeting. The secretary, Mr. W. Weisner, gave a report, which disclosed a most satisfactory condition of affairs. The treasurer (Mr. Gale) submitted a financial statement, and said that never before during his long association with the church had the finances been in such a healthy condition. Pastor Davis, of the church at Albion, congratulated the Ann-street Church on the continuation of the services of a man so capable of promulgating the idea of the Church of Christ. Pastor Burns (Hawthorne) also spoke. Pastor Rankine (who is also president of the Associated Churches of Christ in Queensland) thanked the members for their loyal cooperation with Mrs. Rankine and himself. At the close of the meeting a baptismal service was held, the candidates being two young men and a young woman.