

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Dec. 6, 1908.

By REV. S. H. DOYLE. Topic—Commending our society.—VI. By consistent living.—Jan. 11, 10—18. Consecration meeting.

Profession without possession is a fashion in religion as well as in every other relation in life. The man who professes to be a Christian and whose life is inconsistent does intolerable harm both to himself and to others. He harms himself, for if the counterfeit is of any value to him the reality would be of much greater value, and when it comes to religion God's grace is free and accessible to all, and it is even easier to be a true Christian than a false professor of religion. The inconsistent Christian also harms others.

There is perhaps no greater stumbling block in the way of unsaved men who really want to be saved than the inconsistencies of the many who profess to be Christians. It should not be so, but nevertheless it is. Who would judge a physician by a patient who only pretended to take his medicine, but really did not do so? Who would judge a lawyer by a client who only pretended to follow the counsel he had given? Why should men, then, judge Christianity on a different basis? Look at the Christ, who was sinless! Behold the multitudes of Christians who in spite of all the temptations of life do possess the Christ spirit and live a consistent Christian life!

After all, though, consistent Christian living is invaluable. It is invaluable to ourselves. If we do not live up to what we confess, it is absolute proof that our confession is false. If consciously and knowingly we engage in a sinful life, we must know in our own hearts that we have only the form and not the power of religion. But what is the form without the reality? What is the shadow without the substance? For our own sakes let us examine ourselves and see if by a changed life we can prove that our hearts have been really changed by the power of the Holy Ghost.

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Our Missions to the Young. Christian Endeavor has a mission, a many sided mission, to the young people of America and of the world. One prominent feature in that mission is its educational value.

Secretary Hubbell in the Ohio Endeavor gives the following account of an Endeavorer that "gingered up." A short time since a young person named Davis took charge of the Steuben Congregational church.

And they can't do so optimistically that they have secured forty new members, twenty-five of them young men. In the lives of some a radical transformation has taken place. The faithful pastor is rewarded by an active society of fifty, and they are after twenty-five more members.

Gives Edge. The pledge gives edge to Endeavoring.—Christian Endeavor World.

Mutual Benefit Column.

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE". Its Motto: "Helpful and Hopeful."

The purposes of this column are succinctly stated in the title and motto—it is for the mutual benefit, and aims to be helpful and hopeful. Being for the common good, it is for the common use—a public servant, a purveyor of information and suggestion, a medium for the interchange of ideas.

The gathering place. Life changes all our thoughts of heaven. At first we think of streets of gold, Of gates of pearl and dazzling light. Of shining robes and robes of white.

Dear Mutuals: Thanksgiving evening I spent, as it were, several hours with you all, for I found it necessary to assort, remove and dispose of some of the many letters with which my desk was crowded.

Among many others which will be preserved, I came to those written me by Ego and Flossie, and two or three kind holiday greetings from Mrs. Day, and in her memory, in association with others of our number who have gone from us, I have placed a poem selected by Aunt Emma at the head of this week's column.

"Kind words can never die." These words have been repeating themselves over and over in my mind since I read of the death of our dear Mrs. Day, and are a most fitting reminder of our last meeting, yes, and parting, and the kind words she said to me when we were all together at our M. B. picnic, and will remain with me and be a pleasant memory.

Dear Aunt Madge: How anxiously we have all watched for news of dear Day. This morning, as I opened the paper I told the sad story that she had joined those of our ranks on the other shore. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved husband and son.

We are much pleased to hear from you, Grandma G., and we all appreciate your letters. I have long thought of writing to our beloved column, but for various causes put it off.

\$100 Reward, \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity.

Advertisements.



This woman says that sick women should not fail to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she did. Mrs. A. Gregory, of 2355 Lawrence St., Denver, Col., writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN. For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ailments, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness or nervous prostration.

A WEEK'S THOUGHT—CALENDAR. "Give Me One Good Thought a Day." Monday. Many of God's people wonder why they are poor, but they should look at things from God's standpoint.

Country Breakfasts. A busy country woman felt that a great drawback to entertaining was the breakfast problem. She disliked to call her guests to breakfast at the bleak hour of six or six-thirty.

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Poley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturally and you do not have to take purgatives continuously. G. A. PARCER.

Among the Grangers.

This column is devoted to the Grange, especially to the granges of Hancock county. The column is open to all grangers for the discussion of topics of general interest, and for reports of grange meetings.

DATES. Friday, Dec. 11—Meeting of Hancock Pomona grange with Arbustus grange, Surry.

MOUNTAIN VIEW, WEST EDEN. The regular meeting of Mountain View grange was held Friday evening, Nov. 27, with eighty-two patrons present.

FENOBECOT. Fenobecot grange met Friday evening, Nov. 27, Past Master B. H. Cushman filling the chair in the absence of W. M. Leach.

HARVEST HOME, WEST ELLSWORTH. Harvest Home grange held an interesting meeting Nov. 28, with thirty in attendance; one visitor from Alamoosook grange.

ARBUTUS, SURRY. Arbutus grange met Friday evening with a good attendance, with visitors from Edgington, Franklin and Queen City granges.

MARIAMVILLE. Mariaville grange met Saturday evening, Nov. 28, with thirty-two members and four visitors. One candidate was instructed in the first and second degrees.

SKIDOWICK. Children's night was observed by Sedgwick grange Nov. 27, with a good attendance. After usual business, the lecturer presented the following interesting Thanksgiving program.

Next Friday evening is the annual election of officers, and a large attendance is earnestly desired.

Allen and Dorothy Cole; recitation, Harold Staples; recitation; Leman McPheters; song by all. After the program home-made candies and corn balls were served and a social time was enjoyed.

MARSAQUA, SOUTH BLUEHILL. The regular meeting of Marsapaqua grange was held Nov. 26, with about twenty-five present. At recess supper was served.

EAST BLUEHILL. East Bluehill grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening, Nov. 28. There were thirty-eight members and one visitor present.

GREENWOOD, EASTBROOK. Greenwood grange met Nov. 28, with all officers present except treasurer and Ceres. The first and second degrees were worked on two candidates.

JOHN DORRITT, SULLIVAN. At the last regular meeting of John Dorritt grange, Nov. 27, fifty-five members were present, and several visitors.

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BITTERY TO CARIBOU. Patents have granted to Maine inventors as follows: C. W. Dennis, Augusta, automobile; W. D. Snowman, Ashland, mud-guard.

John Hovey Gibson, one of the best-known lumbermen of the Kennebec valley, died Sunday at his home in Fairfield, Mr. Gibson had been engaged in lumber operations nearly all his life.

The short winter course in dairying and general agriculture will be given by the college of agriculture of the University of Maine during the four weeks from January 5 to 23. Tuition is free.

The official vote of Maine at the recent presidential election was as follows: Republican, 66,987; democrat, 35,403; socialist, 1,768; prohibition, 1,487; independent, 700. Taft's plurality was 31,584.

Harry Nadeau, of Old Town, was run over and instantly killed by an electric car in that city Friday night. Nadeau came suddenly out of a dark alley into Main street and stepped in front of the car, which was going at moderate speed. He leaves a widow and five children.

There was a dance at Bayview hall Thanksgiving night. It was well attended. Miss Mildred Coffin, who has been employed at Northeast Harbor since April, is at home for the winter.

Miss Mildred Rice, of Birch Harbor, and Thurlow Young, of this place, were married Wednesday evening, Nov. 25. Rev. E. S. Drew, of Winter Harbor, preached in the Methodist church here Sunday, in exchange with the pastor, Mr. Keyes.



For Lame Back

An aching back is instantly relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment.

This liniment takes the place of massage and is better than sticky plasters. It penetrates—without rubbing—through the skin and muscular tissue right to the bone, quickens the blood, relieves congestion, and gives permanent as well as temporary relief.

Sloan's Liniment

has no equal as a remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, or any pain or stiffness in the muscles or joints. Price 25c., 50c., and \$1.00. Dr. Earl S. Sloan, Boston, Mass., U. S. A.

Sloan's book on horses, cattle, sheep and poultry sent free.

Advertisement for Gold Medal Flour, Washburn-Crosby's. Text: "What Else Please? WASHBURN-CROSBY'S GOLD MEDAL FLOUR. Nothing Else Thank You Just GOLD MEDAL FLOUR." Includes an illustration of a young man.

The Ellsworth American. A LOCAL AND POLITICAL JOURNAL. PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON AT ELLSWORTH, MAINE.

Going to the Dogs. My grandpa notes the world's worn dog, And says we're going to the dogs; His grandpa, in his house of dogs; Swore things were going to the dogs; His dad, among the Flemish dogs; Vowed things were going to the dogs; The cave man, in his queer skin dogs; Said things were going to the dogs; But this is what I wish to state— The dogs have had an awful wait.

POLITICAL TRICKS. Why Maryland Sends a Split Delegation to Electoral College. Tammany, in its palmy days of irregularity, could not begin to perform the tricks of politicallegerdemain that are pulled off in Maryland, where the contest of wits between the republicans and democrats for supremacy never ceases.

Arundel there was a loss of 1,227 out of a total registered vote of 9,252. In Calvert county one vote out of every three registered was not counted.

A WELL-KNOWN INSTITUTION. Established as a National Bank in 1857 with a capital of \$50,000. Changed to a Trust Company in 1887 with a capital of \$100,000 and a surplus of \$80,000 and total resources of over \$1,000,000. We are LARGER AND STRONGER than ever.

This week's edition of The American is 2,400 copies. Average for the year of 1907, 2,480. WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 2, 1908.

COUNTY GOSSIP. J. G. Dunham will succeed Sheriff-elect Forrest O. Silsby as postmaster at Amherst.

The solution of this problem lies in the making of the ballot. This is an art which the rural politicians of the eastern shore and southern Maryland have, by constant practice and study, brought to a high state of perfection.

Chairman Parra, of the republican state central committee, who has just come back from his home in Calvert county, says that with anything like a fair deal in the presidential election the republicans would have won out by anywhere from six to eight thousand.

UNION TRUST COMPANY, ELLSWORTH, ME. PROGRESSIVE BUSINESS Firms and Individuals desire the best Banking service, because they know the importance of promptness and efficiency. It is the earnest and constant endeavor of the Officers of this Bank to render to every patron the most satisfactory banking service.

Sheriff-Elect Silsby's Deputies. As the time approaches for the assumption of the duties of office by Sheriff-elect Forrest O. Silsby, interest naturally increases in the appointment of deputy sheriffs.

A Bar Harbor boy, William F. Newman, has been chosen captain of next year's Bowdoin college football team.

The bulwark in the law which has taken from the committee the authority to name the supervisors of elections and placed it for the entire state in the hands of the governor.

Under the circumstances we did remarkably well. In Somerset 600 ballots were thrown out, most of them for the same reason, and I understand similar tactics were employed in every Wilson-law county.

AMUSEMENT NOTES. BOSTON THEATRE. Of all the pleasing attributes to that master of stagings, David Belasco, none is of such interest as "The Heart of Maryland", which will be given at Boston theatre next week.

Our democratic friends, during the campaign, freely indulged in the prediction that in the event of the election of a republican sheriff the lid which had been held down reasonably close by a democratic sheriff would be lifted, and that the old order of things would prevail in Hancock county.

The Sunday closing movement in Bar Harbor has been accepted without serious protest by the storekeepers for the winter, at least. Whether an attempt will be made to have the stores closed Sundays next summer, is another question.

For election devices and trick ballots these rural politicians have an especial talent, and have their brethren in the cities "beaten to a frazzle."

"The democrats were instructed to take no chances, but to open only the top fold, mark it in the two upper boxes and then close it. The republicans, on the other hand, were obliged to open it entirely, hunt for the names and then get it back as best they could."

Legislative Notices. NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the inhabitants of the town of Ellsworth, Hancock county, Maine, to apply for such legislation in the seventy-fourth legislature of said State as will set off said town from Ellsworth county and make said town a part of Knox county.

That public sentiment in Hancock county, regardless of party, is overwhelmingly in favor of strict enforcement cannot be questioned. A republican sheriff was elected because the republican party was satisfied that it was not necessary to go out of its own ranks to find an enforcement sheriff, and that its candidate not only could but would enforce the law.

"A tragedy came near being enacted in the woods near here Wednesday," writes our West Franklin correspondent.

When election day rolled around and it was too late to stop the scheme, it was discovered that in the official ballots the Lincoln profile had been turned to the left, and as the negroes, following instructions, placed their marks where the nose pointed squarely at the democratic emblem, their ballots all counted for the democracy.

CAPE COD SHOALS. Boston Mariners Petition Congress to Investigate Plan for Channel. When the members of the Massachusetts delegation return to Congress the first Monday in December, they will take with them a petition from the Boston Marine society asking the government to investigate a plan to make safer the shoals outside Cape Cod, where so many mariners have gone to their death.

WHY SUFFER? Breathe Hyomei and Kill the Loathsome Cat-arrh Germs. Just as long as you have catarrh your nose will itch, your breath will be foul, you will hawk and spit, and you will do other disgusting things because you can't help yourself.

If it is true, as some of our democratic friends allege, that there is an element in the republican party in Hancock county opposed to strict enforcement—which we do not admit—that element was not the controlling factor in the election, and will utterly fail if it attempts to influence the sheriff-elect to swerve from his own and his party's pledges.

"It looks as if it were to be a hard winter on the outer coast and islands this year," says a Bar Harbor correspondent.

The marrow of the whole struggle between the two rival parties is the effort on one hand to befuddle the negro voters and the other to keep them from being befuddled.

It is not all shoal water, by any means, for there are places from twenty to fifty fathoms deep along the route, but there are other places that are only from six to ten feet, and it is upon these places that many a ship has been wrecked.

New Pictures and Songs AT THE "BIJOU" WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY. LEAN, THE FORSAKEN. A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A SUFFRAGETTE. PICKPOCKETS. HEAD OVER HEELS IN POLITICS. WANTED—A SON-IN-LAW ON TRIAL. ILLUSTRATED SONGS by Miss Mary Taylor. Admission, 10c

Naturally not all the candidates for deputies can be appointed, and Mr. Silsby has no easy task ahead of him, but that he will exercise good judgment in his selections those who know him best fully believe.

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But besides trick ballots, "fake" candidates are often used. Some complainant democrat is found who will be willing to run on an independent republican ticket, and the negro, who is told to put his mark wherever he sees the word "republican", to the learning of which one word he devotes night after night, will vote for both, and his ballot is accordingly thrown out.

There was a meeting of the Marine society this week and the plan was the main matter discussed. As showing how great is the interest in it it may be stated that every pilot, captain and mate that is compelled to use this route in going from and coming to Boston, has signed the petition.

ELECTRICAL WORK AND WIRING. Full Lines of ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES AND FIXTURES. Steam Laundry and Bath Rooms. "NO PAY, NO WAREHOUSE."

Yesterday Hon. John A. Peters retired from the office of judge of the Ellsworth municipal court, a position he has held for the past twelve years, having been appointed by Gov. Powers in 1896 to succeed Judge Dutton, who died in September of that year.

L. F. Giles, of Ellsworth, was hunting last week in the vicinity of "Junk Bottle" beach on township 14, and thought he would investigate that "bottomless pit" about which THE AMERICAN's West Franklin correspondent wrote a few weeks ago.

In the recent election the difficulties of the republican voter were increased still further by the ingenious method of foidling the ballot. The democrat was warned against unfolding the ballot.

The petition to the government is not one to construct the canal. "We are not ready for that," said Sec. Manson recently. "We want the government first to employ its experts to learn if the plan is feasible. It will not shorten the route, but it will make it safe."

Legal Notices. NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. WHEREAS Flora B. Crockett and Wilbur B. Crockett by their mortgage deed dated Aug. 28, 1897, and recorded in the Hancock registry of deeds, in book 412, page 259, conveyed to me the undersigned, all of their right, title and interest in and to a certain parcel of real estate situated in Dedham, State of Maine, bounded and described as follows:

Fourth-class postmasters have, by an executive order issued yesterday, been placed under the civil service. This action will be gratifying to the thousands of postmasters of this class, as by it they cease to be the prey of petty politics, and are placed in such an attitude towards the government on the one hand and the public on the other that retention in office depends wholly upon their own efficiency.

Mr. Giles stepped across it. The surface of the mire is about a foot below the surrounding heath, and for a foot or two back from the hole the bushes are cleared away as if the unfortunate animals, caught in the relentless mud, had eaten as far as they could reach, and then slowly starved to death.

The effectiveness of this scheme is proved by comparing the registered votes in the Wilson-law counties with the vote counted. No record was kept of the rejected votes, so the number of votes thrown out can only be estimated.

"It will not be necessary to dig out this whole nine miles, as a large part of the channel is deep enough. We propose a minimum depth of thirty-five feet, which will accommodate the largest vessels, and three-fourths of this is over that depth now. We simply want a straight course, which will do away with a great deal of the danger that is experienced now."

Advertisement for a woman's portrait: "I have been daily appointed administrator of the estate of EMMA B. SARGENT, late of GOULDSBORO. In the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately."

Stonington Liguors. A hearing was held Friday before Judge Spofford, of the Western Hancock municipal court, in the case of State vs. Intoxicating liquors, about eighty packages containing about 1,000 gallons in all. Decisions were rendered ordering 800 gallons confiscated, 100 gallons held on appeal and 100 gallons ordered delivered to the consignees.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Rev. W. F. Emery, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 6 - Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:45. Junior league at 3. Evening service at 7:30. Prayer meeting and bible study Tuesday evening at 7:30.

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The plan, which may have been thought of for years, was first brought before the society last May, and since then Mr. Manson and the other officers of the association, including Pres. Lyman H. Richards, have been interviewing masters of every kind of craft and have learned from them their experiences in trying to pass over the shoals in bad weather.

Advertisements for various businesses and services, including "GARDNER'S NEW PATENT PORTLAND CEMENT" and "H. G. ESTEY & CO., TYPE AND PRINTERS."

COUNTY NEWS.

CRANBERRY BLEBS. Mrs. Bertha Bracy is very ill. Lobsters are very scarce, and bring only 5 cents each.

OBITUARY. The death of Mrs. Lena Ladd Worcester, only daughter of Capt. Lewis E. Ladd, occurred at the home of her father Sunday morning, Nov. 22, after an illness of six months of consumption.

WEST TREMONT. Miss Evelyn Lunt spent last week with relatives at Southwest Harbor. Miss Rena Lunt left Monday for Medley, Mass., where she is employed every winter.

SWAN'S ISLAND. Miss Myra Herrick has returned from a visit of four weeks in Boston. Miss Lizzie Sprague's many friends are glad to hear she is gaining, and will soon be home.

WEST GOULDSBORO. Mrs. A. Hill and wife were in Bar Harbor Saturday. Mrs. Ed. Tracy, of Milbridge, is visiting E. S. Wood.

BAR HARBOR. John E. Clark, the well-known contractor is very ill at his home on Cottage street, and for the past few days his condition has been critical.

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LAKEWOOD.

Whitmore Garland, of Trenton, was here Saturday and Sunday. Howard Moore has returned to West Ellsworth to resume teaching.

GREEN LAKE. School closed Friday, with the usual closing exercises. Miss Emma Pitts and brother were at the Lake Saturday.

ATLANTIC. Miss Ruth Staples, who has been teaching at Gouldsboro, is home. Mrs. Susan Pinkham made a short visit to Rockland last week.

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THE DEATH OF ALBERT.

Man Who Murdered Policeman Jordan at Bangor Five Years Ago. William H. Albert, the negro who on March 7, 1903, shot and killed Patrick Henry Jordan of the Bangor police force, died Friday in the State prison at Thomaston, where he was serving a life sentence.

Albert was a strong and healthy man when he entered the prison, but he could not endure captivity, death coming after a long illness of abdominal phthisis. The murder of Patrolman Jordan caused much excitement in Bangor. It is still too vividly recalled to need any extended re-telling.

Albert, at the time of the murder, had been living in Ellsworth for a year or more with a white woman known as Myrtle Frost. They came here from Bar Harbor. Albert was a blacksmith.

George Triplett, aged seven years, son of Caina E. Triplett, of Bangor, was crushed beneath an electric car in Union square Tuesday forenoon, sustaining injuries from which he died in the Eastern Maine general hospital at eight o'clock last night. The boy ran across the street directly in front of the car.

Ellsworth Fort. 51d Nov 30, sch Melissa Trask, Newark, staves and heads, O J Trewoary. Ar Nov 29, sch Catherine, Boney, Gloucester.

DAHLQUIST-FRAZIER-At Bluehill, Nov 27, by Rev E L Olds, Miss Ina Margaret Dahlquist to Ivory Moulton Frazier, both of Trenton.

MARKS-LEACH-At Bluehill, Nov 25, by Rev W H Dunham, Miss Thilie Marks to Linwood E Leach, both of Bluehill.

PERKINS-MORRISON-At Ellsworth Falls, Nov 25, by Rev J D Prigmore, Miss Millie Perkins, of Bar Harbor, to Emery Morrison, of Mariaville.

WENTWORTH-HAVEY-At North Sullivian, Nov 21, by Rev C A Purdy, Miss Grace M Wentworth to Charles L Havey, both of North Sullivian.

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ANDERSON-At Lamoine, Nov 28, to Mr and Mrs Louis Anderson, a daughter. BABBITT-At Tremont, Nov 10, to Mr and Mrs Frank Babbidge, a son.

COLLINS-At Surry, Nov 25, to Mr and Mrs Ralph Collins, a daughter. DESTEPANIS-At Stonington, Nov 27, to Mr and Mrs Antonio Destefanis, a daughter. [Georgia.]

DOUGLASS-At Sedgwick, Nov 16, to Mr and Mrs James E Douglass, a son. HERRICK-At Brooklin, Nov 28, to Mr and Mrs Frank A Herrick, a daughter. [Ethel Annand.]

PERKINS-At Bucksport, Nov 22, to Mr and Mrs Fred Perkins, a son. STAPLES-At North Brooksville, Nov 23, to Mr and Mrs Norman P Staples, a son.

STINSON-At South Deer Isle, Nov 23, to Mr and Mrs Wallace E Stinson, a daughter. [Sadie Helen.] WHITE-At Orland, Nov 27, to Mr and Mrs George A White, a son.

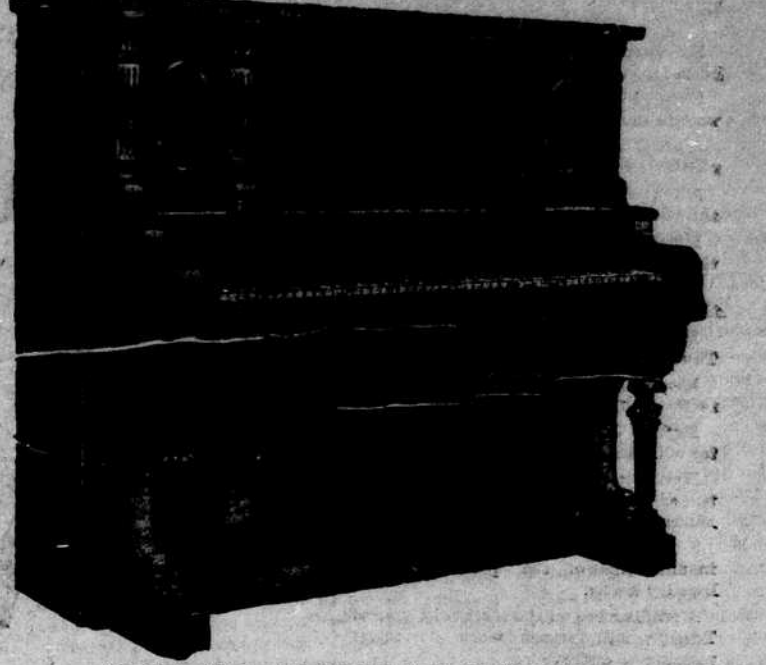
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Advertisements.

Now is the time to get busy in the PIANO CONTEST. Read the list of entries in the contest; there is surely some one in the list that you would like to help, and REMEMBER that we carry one of the best lines of Fur Coats, Overcoats, Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps and Shoes, to be found in the city, and the best part is that you can help your friend in the contest by trading with us.



Here is the list of entries and their standing in the contest: No. 1-Miss Annie Emery, Ellsworth. No. 2-Bayside Grange, Bayside. No. 3-Harvest Home Grange, West Ellsworth. No. 4-Arbutus Grange, Surry.

W. R. Parker Clothing Co., ELLSWORTH, MAINE. Make your Christmas purchases of us and give your friends a present of the coupons. We can give you a good assortment.

Commonwealth Hotel. Opposite State House, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS. Offers rooms with hot and cold water for \$1.00 per day and up, which includes free use of public shower baths.



A HOLIDAY AT HOME. naturally centers around the table where the home folks gather together for a good, old-fashioned Holiday Feast. In keeping with the spirit of such occasions is the quaint, plain, old-fashioned silver service known as La Fayette Silver.



Apples Wanted. We are netting \$2.50 a barrel for Number One Baldwins and Greenings and Spies. Prospects Good. Providence Brokerage Co., PROVIDENCE, R. I.

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