

## HOLINESS AS A SPECIALTY.

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the grave, it would not appear unreasonable if the whole world should make a speciality of holiness.

No subject can have closer relation to God, or be dearer to His heart. If the great design of sending His Son was to make men completely holy, how can any Christian be wrong in his advocacy? If heaven cannot be entered without it, is it right to treat the subject lightly, or characterize its earnest advocates as cranks and disturbers of the peace.—*Inheritance Restored, by Hanly in Wesleyan Methodist.*

"The greatest talent I possess is my personal knowledge of Jesus Christ."



REV. F. L. STEVENS, OF EVERETT, MASS.  
Evangelist, who will be the chief speaker at Riverside Camp Meeting, August 8 to 17.

## BEGINNING THE DAY WITH GOD.

Every day should be commenced with God and upon the knees. He begins the day unwisely who leaves his chamber without a secret conference with his heavenly father. The true Christian goes to his closet both for his panoply and his "rations" for the day's march and its inevitable conflicts. As the oriental traveler sets out for the sultry journey by loading up his camel under the palm tree's shade, and by filling his flagons from the cool fountains that sparkle at its roots, so doth God's wayfarer draw his fresh supply from the unexhausted spring. Morning is the golden time for devotion. The mercies of the night provoke to thankfulness. The buoyant heart that is in love with God, makes his earlier flight, like the lark, toward the gates of heaven. Gratitude, faith, dependant trust, all prompt to early interviews with Him, who, never slumbering himself, waits on His throne for our morning orisons. We all remember Bunyan's beautiful description of his Pilgrim's lodging over night in the "Chamber of Peace," which locked toward the sunrising, and at daybreak he "awoke and sang." If stony Egyptian "Mammon" made music when the first rays kindled on his flinty brow, a devout heart should not be mute when God causes the outgoings of his mornings to rejoice. No pressure of business nor household duties should crowd out prayer.—Rev. T. L. Cuyler, D. D., in *Christian Witness*.

We are expecting a larger attendance at Beulah and Riverside Camp Meetings than ever before.

## TRUTHFUL SAYINGS.

(Rev. Joseph Harkness.)

It is remarkable how wet the rain is on Sunday mornings.

Many a prayer for a revival has been defeated by church entertainment.

If knowing and acting his part took one to heaven, the devil has been there a long while.

A cook stove in the basement never gives spiritual warmth to the church.

A millionaire in this world may be worse off than a beggar in the next.

Unbelief always sits in its own light and with its back to the truth.

The religion that costs you nothing, does nothing, and is worth the same.

When you live better than the minister preaches, then criticise his sermons.

When we pray, "Thy will be done," we must be ready for His appointment.

Only in a world where there is suffering could God prove that He is love.

"Slay utterly," was God's orders to Saul; he acted as if he knew best and was cast down.

Best to obey God and do it now at all cost; tomorrow it will be harder.

The devil fears more the testimony of last night's convert than a church steeple.

Truth never builds on sand no matter how much like rock it may look.

A lost opportunity never comes back just as good again.

The love that never speaks until it does so on a gravestone is the cold kind.

Gabriel never judges God's people by looking at their tombstones.

A lie is no less a lie because written on a gravestone.

Daniel kept a heart faithful to his prayer spot, and hence he beat the devil and hell and lions could not kill him; God had him in His special care.

The man who picks his own cross never gets the one God wants him to carry.

A preacher with a warm heart will not long have a cold church.

Conversion is not a change of my opinions about God, but of my heart towards him.

The self-made man is always tickled to tell how little he had to begin with.

Many a man sponges his preaching and pays full fare for his cigars.

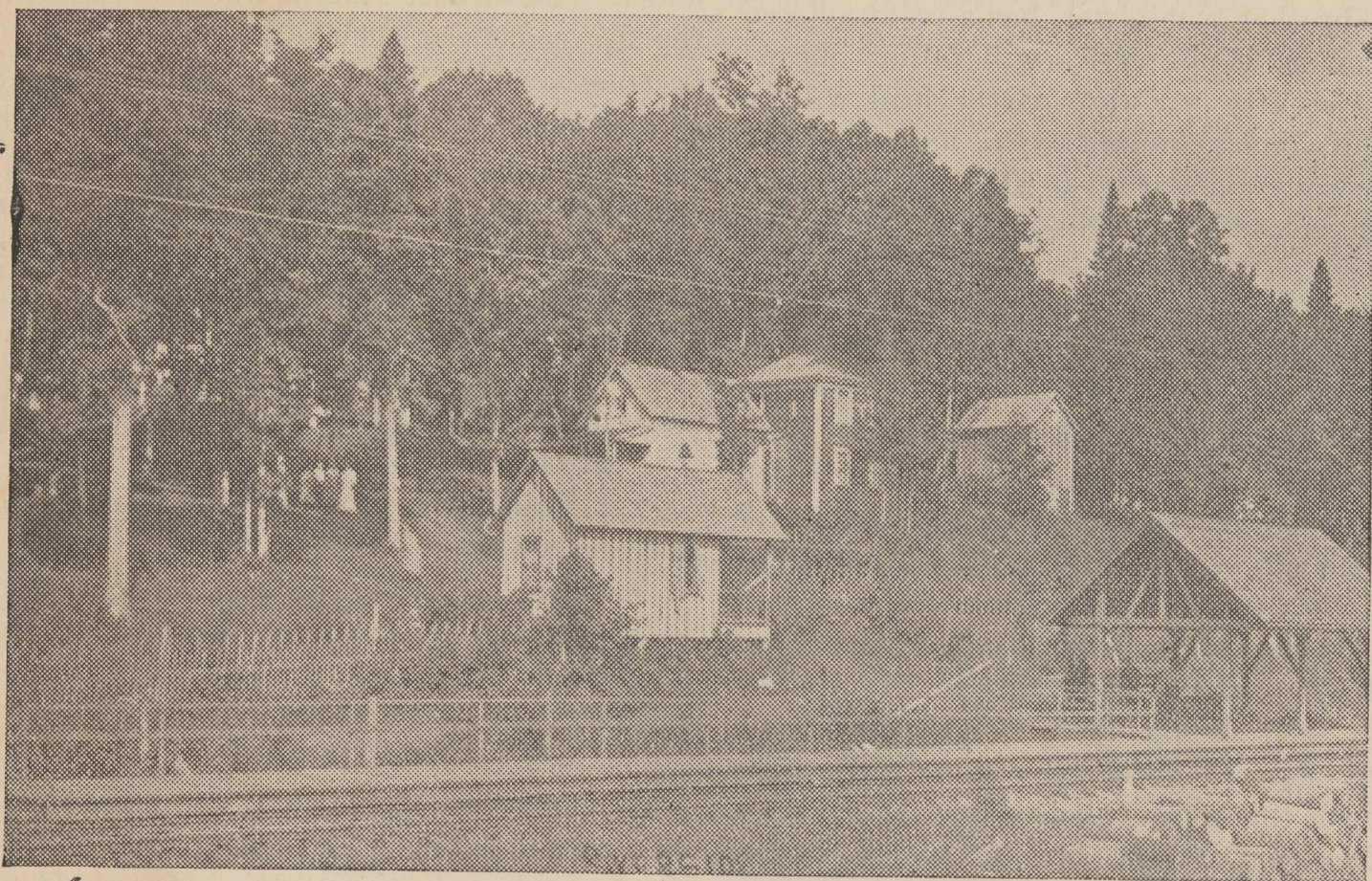
God's chance for you to-day may have come to your door in beggar's dress.

The Christianity not used daily in ordinary business soon withers away.

The real Christianity never waits on etiquette, it soon goes where it can help.

The crooked man walks himself the more he insists on others going straight.

—*Pentecost Herald.*



RIVERSIDE CAMP GROUND

## RIVERSIDE CAMP MEETING.

August 8-17.

This Camp Ground is situated near Robinson Station, on the Bangor & Aroostook Railway, amidst the beautiful farms of the great potato raising Aroostook County. About two miles from the base of Mars Hill.

A Large New Hotel is to be erected this Spring to accommodate the increasing crowds who attend this Camp Meeting.

Rev. F. L. Stevens, of Everett, Mass., has been engaged as Evangelist for the Riverside Camp Meeting.

Six Passenger Trains stop at the grounds daily.

The Hotel is to be built just to the left of the gate house.

Particulars of this meeting will be given later.

"However heavy his burden, and severe his duty, and trying his service, there is granted to the Christian from the divine source a help that makes his yoke easy and his burden light. The hand of God let down from Heaven, lifts every heavy load and bears every heavy burden for His ever-trusting child." The pure in heart alone have learned the secret of trusting God perfectly. Such trust draws the sweetness from the assurance: "My yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

"Failure is never an absolute word—always relative, and the only real failure is inside, not outside."