

1. Wyford, N. J.

Oct 8, 1894.

My darling Mama,

To-day Evangel-  
eline and Betsy de and Mary  
all went to Hackittstown to the  
"Christian Endeavor" convention  
which was held there. Aunt  
Mary went too, but on an  
earlier train and will be back  
later to-night. Uncle Joe and  
Aunt Clara went also.

The first address was by  
the Revd. E. B. England from  
Washington, N. J. He spoke  
on "Our Country, its blessings  
and its hindrances." His address  
was very interesting indeed. He  
spoke a good while.

The next address was by F. B.  
Everitt from Trenton, N. J. His  
subject was "The Good  
Citizen." He was witty and inter-  
esting.

They had a Pastor's home, the

subject of which was "Mission."  
One man said when he was  
in Anida last winter the  
fire men were going to have  
a parade and all the saloons  
were draped with flags and  
the saloon keepers thought  
they would get a good  
deal of custom. But the  
M. C. C. folk got ahead of  
them. At every street corner  
they put a barrel of ice water  
with a cup that would not  
be carried away. And in front  
of some private houses they put  
down or five new wash tubs  
filled with lemon and orange  
juice to serve it. Then  
they gave each man that  
walked in a lemon and  
some sugar to suck. They passed  
by three times & then after work  
they took it - some where they  
& told their that they wanted  
them to finish it etc.

The saloon keepers said that  
that was a very poor day for  
sales.

After the pastor's home there  
was a Junior rally with an  
address by Mrs. Alice May  
Sundeen. First a little girl  
recited a little piece and after  
her another little girl who was  
only three years old spoke and  
then sang the first verse of  
Rock of Ages. Then two little  
girls of about eight and nine  
years sang. They were beautiful.  
Then Mrs. Sedgwick  
spoke. Her subject was <sup>of</sup> the  
"Mind of Boy, and the  
Country needs." We were very  
much pleased with her &  
after the meeting we went and  
spoke to her. She is lovely &  
she said she had twin girls.  
After she spoke the Rev. Mr.  
Everitt spoke a few words to  
them. His sermon and then in

missed us.

When we went to the station  
and came home, I wish  
you could have been there  
yourself.

Please give my love to all.

Very lovingly yours,

I wrote this for grammar  
lesson. You won't mind will  
you if I don't write it over  
for you? Mary want to send  
her letter so I won't copy  
it.

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