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#### "Be It Ever So Humble," Home Requires Some Kind of Music

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To quote an old, old adage, "Music makes the world go 'round." And that line has a great deal of truth in it. If the world was without music of any kind, what a dreary place it would be! The birds would flutter noiselessly through the air. Spring would lose much of its popularity.

Apply the same condition to a home. Father returns from his day's labors in the factory, the store or the office. The children are restless and want to roam the streets until late. The mother is tired because of her household duties and is eager to get the children to bed in order that she may have a few hours of peace before retiring. Harmony does not dwell beneath the roof of the little home. There is no centre of attraction.

Picture that home with a piano, a phonograph or other musical instruments as part of the household furniture. No, they are not luxuries. They are necessities, and very important in keeping the family circle intact.

#### Adds Charm to Home.

Father comes home, glad to be away from the office and its worries and looking forward with pleasure to participating in an evening's entertainment. Mother is in the same frame of mind. The children, too, will prefer to remain indoors.

And these winter evening "at homes" will prove beneficial if the right choice of music is made. Selection of only the best music will cause the little ones to acquire a taste for all that is good.

In some parts of England, it has been observed, even the children on the streets invariably choose to whistle selections from grand opera rather than "jazz" or rag-time.

Music also sharpens one's powers of imagination. Some of the most imaginative writers and composers have been bred in a country where music has been given a place of prominence in the lives of the inhabitants. In their countries the folk songs are just as important a subject for study as reading or writing. Even in this country, the Indians told of great things done by means of song. In all the heathen religions, too, music was the predominating feature. All religious ceremonies were attended by weird music and chants.

In this mile-a-minute 20th century the average person has been too busy making money to step aside from the onward march of business and enjoy a few of the things that are worth while. Appreciation of music has been left to the few.

#### Music Is Recuperative.

However, the reaction is setting in, and the nerves that have been strained almost to the breaking point, are demanding rest. Music is the logical soothing syrup. Music first began to recover its own when the war was on. The soldiers sought it, and the loved ones at home found that it helped to make them forget their mental wounds.

Musical instruments became fixtures in the home until today one is not regarded "in the swim" unless one has a piano, a phonograph or other instrument. The home is regarded as incomplete, in fact, the dwelling is not regarded as a home unless music is housed beneath its roof.

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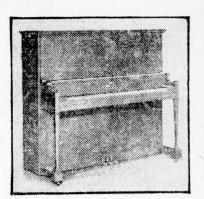
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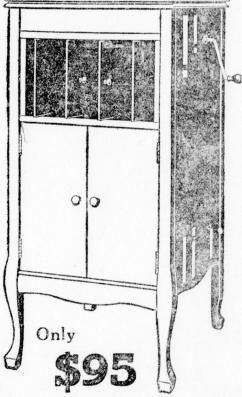
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