

HERE IS CHANCE TO HELP BRIGHT 13-YEAR-OLD-BOY

He is a boy of 13 who passes the mental test of a boy of 15. Shall he go to the reform school? Or shall he have the shelter of a real home? Shall he have the friendship of a man who loves boys? Shall he have the touch of a real mother?

Other boys, and some girls, have been known to sign their fathers' names to an excuse for tardiness or absence from school. This boy of 13 forged a name to a check under the persuasion of a man who doubtless should have been horsewhipped. His parents are disconsolate. When he went to stay with his father a stepmother made it a place to be shunned. The boy is the victim of a situation well calculated to pave the way for a path leading to punishment.

The facts are vouched for by W. D. DeVarny of the telephone company, who wants to find a real home, preferably in the country, for the boy. He wants to save him from going to the reform school and from having the stain of that incarceration indelibly upon his future. DeVarny would take the boy himself, but he has five adopted children, all of them doing well, and in the past he has set upon the road to success about 20 friendless little folks. "Without taking this exceptional opportunity to do a good turn to the papers before I have talked to 15 or 20 persons," said DeVarny. "They have expounded their theories upon the proper care of boys and children in general, but they haven't put their faith into action. I haven't taken the boy. I want some one to do so who can substitute home for reform school and save this fine boy. I will be glad to give further information to anyone who calls at my home, No. 285 East 12th street north, or who telephones me at East 6831 or at the telephone company."

Oregon Veterans Of Foreign Wars to Meet at Corvallis

The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the department of Oregon, comprising local posts in almost all the towns of the state will hold its first annual encampment at Corvallis Friday and Saturday of this week. Captain James S. Gay Jr., a member of Portland post No. 4 and department commander of Oregon will call the convention to order. Corvallis post No. 840 will have charge of the entertainment of the delegates and veterans.

Among those who will address the convention are Governor Olcott, Adjutant General White, Mayor N. R. Moore of Corvallis, President Lemon of the Oregon Agricultural college, and Colonel Moses, commandant of the military department at Oregon Agricultural college. Business sessions will be held Friday and Saturday, the election of officers

being held Saturday morning. Besides the banquets and smokers that appear on the program the military order of the Cootie will stage an imitation for all newly elected members. The veterans have obtained a special railroad rate to Corvallis, and Portland post No. 81 will send 12 delegates. The officers of the State association are: James S. Gay Jr., Portland department commander; W. J. Chamberlain, Corvallis, senior vice commander; J. Harold Heyfield, Eugene, junior vice commander; Roy K. Knox, Portland, department adjutant; S. J. Hyatt, Portland, department quartermaster.

AUTO OVERTURNS, TWO ARE INJURED

Roseburg, May 25.—Victor D. Lavitte and Harry Gordon, business men of Redding, Cal., were seriously injured about noon Wednesday when their automobile overturned between Riddle and Myrtle Creek. They had taken a short detour road which was not in good condition and although they are unable to give an explanation of the accident it is thought a wheel gave way. The men were thrown in opposite directions, about 25 feet from the car and knocked unconscious. Passing motorists found them and brought them to Roseburg.

Lavitte is not seriously injured, but it is believed Gordon's injuries will prove fatal. He suffered a fracture of the skull. Both men are members of the Elks lodge of Redding and Lavitte also is a Shriner. They were enroute to Portland.

Six Strings Now Entered in Pony Express Contest

The Dalles, May 25.—Six strings of horses have been entered for the Pony-Express between The Dalles and Canyon-City, the feature event of the Canyon-City gold discovery anniversary celebration which is to be started here June 8.

The sixth entry was P. Kenneth Murray of Dayville, Grant county, Miss Lorena Trickey of Shaniko, world's champion woman buckaroo, who took first place four times at Pendleton and won three out of four women's relay races at the roundup, also has promised to enter the competition, if some one will provide her with horses. Miss Trickey's string is in Wyoming, and she cannot get the mounts here in time for the race, she said. A prize of \$1000 in gold dust is offered the winner.

Northwest Leads in Readjustment, Says San Francisco Man

Rapid improvement in business conditions on the Pacific coast was pre-

dicted Wednesday by Tracy E. Bibbins of San Francisco, president of the Pacific States Electric company, who is here on an extended business trip through the Northwestern states. Bibbins was formerly engaged in business in Portland and was associated with the local branch

of the General Electric company from 1889 to 1895. "While I do not agree with the optimism expressed by some observers, it is safe to look forward to an increase in purchasing power, applied to merchandise in general and to building ma-

terials and supplies in particular. "Reports which I have received from the Northwest indicate that this section is holding its own in building activities. The Northwestern states have led the rest of the Pacific coast territory in liquidating readjustment costs and

should therefore return to normal conditions more quickly than other coast sections. One of the most important questions before the company today is that of the rapid development of interest in radio. President Bibbins averred. Mrs. Bibbins accompanied her husband

on the Northwestern trip and they will be at the Benson hotel during the balance of the week. RESULTS IN WHEELER Complete official returns from Wheeler county show the following vote for Republican candidates for county commis-

tioner: Ben Ironmonger 350, Mike Dukack 341, Sheriff, C. A. Johnson 481, R. F. Hankins 202, John M. Burton 50, L. H. Wilkins 22. Funny no one has thought to blame short skirts or bobbed hair for the coast strike.—Buffalo Express.

The Thrifty Citizen Who Caught the Plugged Nickel



MR. BROWN had swallowed his lunch and had paid his bill. Cautiously he counted his change. "Here!" he said, sharply, "Take back this plugged nickel and give me a good one!"

Mr. Brown walked proudly out. They couldn't fool old Brown.

But old Brown had fooled himself.

Brown's day was heavy and dull. He lacked "pep." There was a mid-afternoon drowsy spell when he needed to be awake—the direct and natural result of heavy, starchy breakfasts and lunches, taken on faith and without question as to value—just because the food looked and tasted like food.

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Slug-I-Cide for slugs, 12 oz. can 15c or 2 for 25c

Spray Pumps—45c and 60c

Stationery
Autocrat pound paper, 90 sheets, cream shade—a fine linen paper. Regular 75c. 48c
25 envelopes to match above paper 20c

WIRELESS SUPPLIES

Radio Sets—Head Phones
Supplies and Equipment
Head Receivers, \$4.50-\$8.50

CANDY

Fig Apple Candy, lb. 29c
Assorted Chocolates, lb. 29c
Salted Peanuts, lb. 18c
Jelly Beans, lb. 18c

Toilet Specials

35c Dr. Peck's Py-zo-sis Tooth Paste, special 19c
25c Anti-Pyo 14c
25c Keep Clean Tooth Paste, special 14c
25c Kolynos 19c
25c Lazell's Talcum Powder, assorted odors 15c
Downypink Powder Puffs, priced at 10c. 15c. 20c
Colgate's Big Bath Soap, priced now at 3 for 25c
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