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editorially speaking

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?

One of the best ways to boost the home town is to patronize the home stores. Every dollar that is spent outside of Central Point means a loss to the community.

Progressive stores are a sign of a live town. The merchants are willing to do all in their power to help the community, but the people of the community must help them by trading at home.

Get the foolish idea out of your head that you can buy cheaper elsewhere. Just remember that the guarantee of the home town merchant is worth a great deal, especially if anything goes wrong with the article purchased.

High class goods are sold about the same price everywhere, and going out of town to make the purchase will not save you a nickel.

Let the people patronize the stores of the community and let the merchants get back of the home town and do their part by bringing about a better feeling and help make their home town a better and bigger place.

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Book Briefs

From Central Point Public Library

Avis Van Hoy

Pathway to the Stars
By Harnett Kane

This is another novel by this author which is based on the life story of a person who actually lived.

John McDonogh came to the roaring, fast growing town of New Orleans full of ambition and ideas for making money. As he became more successful he made the mistake of asking Micaela Almonster to be his wife, and was told that he was not good enough to become a member of such an outstanding family. Bitter and deeply humiliated, he swears that some day he will be more prominent and successful than they have even been.

For years he thinks only of buying more and more property, and made many enemies and very few friends. Then he meets Susan Johnson, and for the first time in years he forgets Micaela, and his ambitions for Susan is all he ever dreamed a woman could be. Things weren't to be as he want-

ed them, for after a quarrel, she enters a convent and becomes a nun, and once again John has only his ambitions.

His works in educating and freeing his slaves, and helping to raise and educate three young orphans occupy his time in a few years. Thru one of these children he again sees Susan after many years, and after talking to her he decides that he should begin to do something good with all his wealth, and begins to make plans and arrangements for the use of his money and property.

People called him a miser because he spent so little on himself, but after his death, the entire town found why he had, denied himself so much and the way he found to help people with his fortune, is still honored in New Orleans, where once each year children, regardless of color or religion, place flowers on the statue of this man.

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CENTRAL POINT

New Money Order Forms Now In Use At Local Postoffice

New money order forms, which may be secured without filling out an application blank, are now in use at Central Point postoffice. Postmaster George Evans reported yesterday.

Postal clerks, when selling the new money order forms, will write the amount in spaces provided on the new form and then rubber stamp a maximum limit on the form. The rubber stamp will be in multiples of \$10 to prevent alteration if the forms are lost.

Under the new system, it will be the responsibility of the purchaser to complete the form by writing in the name of the payee and his own name and address.

Until the payee's name has been written on the form, the new money order is just like cash.

All first and second class post-offices are using the new money-order forms.

THIRD GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shieler of Central Point became grandparents for the third time Sunday when their grandson, Creighton Bradley, was born at Sacred Heart hospital in Eugene. The lad, who weighed eight pounds and 13 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ken Degerman. Mr. and Mrs. Shieler left Tuesday evening for Eugene where they will visit until the weekend.

Gold Hill Gardeners Hold First Meeting

By Adah Jones

GOLD HILL—The first meeting, since June, of the Gold Hill Garden club was held last Friday at the home of Mrs. Geo. Smith on Sardine creek.

A pot luck luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour. The business meeting under the direction of Mrs. Lester Parker, president, took care of routine business and reviewed the committees that were appointed at the June meeting.

The district meeting being held at Butte Falls, Sept. 29 was discussed and a number stated they planned to attend. Twelve members were present and two visitors. The visitors, Mrs. Bill Meir and Mrs. Skov, both became members.

The October meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Otto Jones on Oct. 21. Mrs. Jones lives on Pacific highway north.

Lady Lions to Hold Dinner Meetings

Dinner meetings will be held in the future by members of Central Point Lions Auxiliary, according to a vote taken at the last meeting held September 20.

Members voted to hold meetings at Phelps Mill Cafe. The next meeting will be at 6:45 p.m. on October 4.

A rummage sale is planned for the month of December. The pro-

ceeds will be used for Christmas baskets the club distributes to needy families.

This business meeting was held at the home of Mr. Wendell Pantner, club president. Wives of members of the Lions Club, who do not belong to the auxiliary, are cordially invited to attend.

AT WENZEL HOME

Weekend guests at the F. C. "Phil" Wenzel home in Central Point were Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Olson of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dykeman and children, Sandra and Steven; and Mr. and Mrs. Les McManus and son, Tim, all of Klamath Falls. Wenzel is associated with Weisfield's in Medford.

HOME, RANCH TRADED

The Lewis Birkland home on Old Stage road and the T. O. Price 130-acre ranch up Ramsey Canyon were traded in a real estate deal handled through the M & M Agency by William Standridge. The former Birkland home, owned by Price, has since been sold to L. W. Oswalt of Seattle who has taken possession. Price has moved to Gold Hill.

MUSIC INTERVIEWS

Parents of all fifth and sixth graders who took the music aptitude test at Central Point grade school will be interviewed at 7 p.m. Tuesday, October 4, by Harry Meyers, school band director. The interviews will be held in the music building.

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