

# The Salvation Army Boys' and Girls' Industrial Home and Farm

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**THE HOME AND FARM  
CONSISTS OF**

710 ACRES  
ONE MAIN BUILDING  
FOURTEEN COTTAGES  
SCHOOL BUILDING  
PLAY GROUND  
BATH HOUSE AND  
NATATORIUM  
GYMNASIUM  
ACCOMMODATIONS FOR  
200 CHILDREN

LARGE HORSE STABLE  
MODERN DAIRY FOR  
45 COWS  
5,000 CHICKENS

MODERN HOSPITAL  
NURSERY COTTAGE

TRAINING GIVEN  
FOR BOYS  
IN

FARMING  
DAIRYING  
POULTRY RAISING  
MARKET GARDENING  
FRUIT RAISING

FOR GIRLS  
IN

COOKING  
LAUNDRY WORK  
SEWING AND  
HOUSEWORK

Gentlemen:

Some fifty acres of land in the Litton School District of Sonoma County being unclaimed or unused by the Indians for whom it was purchased has, for several years, been granted to the Salvation Army Boys' and Girls' Home as pasture or hay land. Now, a Mr. Bert Steele, an Indian, claims to have sanction of your department to use the entire fifty acres to settle upon. Is such the case?

I have explained to Mr. Steele that the present crop of oats and vetch was sown by us at considerable expense of time and money and that therefore we should be allowed to take this crop off before relinquishing the land. He is of different opinion, hence, my appeal to your judgment and for decision in the matter.

I would greatly appreciate a line at your early convenience.

Very respectfully yours,  
*R. H. Simpson*  
R. H. Simpson, Major <sup>ES.</sup>  
Superintendent

Who is Mr. Poygo?

