

6/85BOYS MEND BIKES FREE

Start in a small way and who knows what you might become. Getting defective cycles into roadworthy condition, Tony Carlson has built up quite a connection at his Essex home. He's a member of the Hamford Junior Safety Committee; so is his partner, Peter Kane. Both of the enterprising young chaps are 14, and in the same class at school. In their Committee work they've learnt that most children's cycling accidents result from out-of-condition bikes. So without charge, except for new parts, they do whatever work is necessary.

Of course if any girl brings back her machine several times, she's probably trying to make a date, but this girl's only interested in a machine good enough to go with the Cycling Proficiency badge. Tony and Peter, future Lord Nuffields perhaps, say no job's too small. The thing to do is to send the customer away happy and satisfied.