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LOTS OF SLOT MACHINES

They Have Been Put Into Over Four Hundred Places.

BUT FOR A WORTHY CAUSE

They Are Innocent Looking Tin Boxes
Into Which Contributions Are
Dropped for the Allentown
Hospital

The box committee of the Allentown Hospital yesterday distributed about 400 boxes to stores, hotels, offices, manufactories, etc., all over the city. They are accompanied by a card stating the object the money is gathered for. They were well received and a number of boxes already bear some coin. When the committee, placed the box in the post office, a traveling man passed, and when he saw the object deposited a quarter. Another dropped in fifty cents. The committee directs that all who have not received boxes and desire any shall notify either W. D. Dwyer, R. S. Leisenring or John R. Gossler and they will be promptly served. It may be that some have been unintentionally missed.

It would not be a bad idea if the committee would make some efforts to get the little folks interested. How about having a hospital day for the schools? On such a day the little folks might deposit their contributions and thus help the fund considerably. Circles of various kinds might also hold entertainments, and thus contribute handsomely to this worthy project.

Made the Piret Contribution.

Charles Gangewer, employed at the water works, a brother to Harry M. Gangewer, had the honor to put in the first contribution in the hospital box on the bar at Theodore Doering's Gast Haus. Theodore doesn't believe in slot machines excepting those like the hospital box.