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CANNOT BE DONE

It may be matter for regret that men cannot be reformed, made good by legal enactment. It would be a far more expeditious and less expensive way. The few, the elect few might then frame a law and the supreme power in the state would then approve and publish it and, presto! all men are good. Men with a half-hearted purpose of reformation might join in a petition to "the powers that be," the powers which, St. Paul says, "are ordained of God,"—for the enactment of a law which would, in spite of their weak purpose, at once transform them, fit them for the kingdom of heaven.

Away back in their history men tried this plan but it was a failure. It has been tried again and again but has always ended in a failure. It is being tried in many places at present but evidences multiply that, as ever heretofore, it is a dismal failure.

The plan is man's plan, not nature's or God's if you will, and for that reason alone it must fail. The only successful way to reform men, to lift them up to higher levels of life, thought, purpose and action must be fitted to and directed upon the individuals.

It is slow, wearisome work, requiring the cooperation of the individuals. In truth a man's reformation must be largely his own work. Friends may sympathize with him because of his struggles and failures, but they can do little more. He may have to go, with aching limbs and bruised, bleeding feet along thorny paths, but he must go alone. It is Nature's decree that it must be so, and who shall say it is not better so? We do men wrong, weaken rather than awaken and develop their manhood when we have them hope for reform through the agency of legislative enactment.

But why should men, whether few or many, need moral renovation at all? May it not be that our whole system of training during childhood and youth is essentially wrong? It surpasses belief that children who are rightly trained should grow up to become men or women who must then be given a reformatory training to fit them for life and enable them to achieve its grand possibilities.

"Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it." This training or educational work must begin with the child in the cradle. Some of it, indeed, should be pre-natal. It must develop courage, charity, unselfishness, love of truth, horror of dissimulation, scorn for hypocrisy and ultimately manly or womanly independence, self-reliance and personal accountability for their actions. If these and kindred characteristics are developed in the child we shall have men who, in the day of trial or temptation, shall stand firmly and, with upraised head and flashing eyes say, "I will not! I am a man."

No law save that of early right training will produce men and women of whom it may be said they are made "a little lower than the angels."

UNFINISHED WORK.

When Corvallis voted for a "dry" town it was believed by many that a long stride had been taken toward protecting young men from the temptations to inebriety and immorality presented by the saloons. It was even asserted that old chronics

would have more than a fighting chance to brace up and become sober, useful citizens.

It is possible prohibition has been a help in both these directions, but it has not done the whole work. Before temptation is eliminated from the path of young men, before the chronic is saved from his long fixed habit something else must be done. As yet prohibition does not prohibit. No one charges that the law is not really and truly a prohibition law. No one believes the law is not honestly and faithfully enforced by those charged with its enforcement, yet it does not prohibit. If any doubt this let him put his observation glasses on and move around for a few days and evenings. He will probably see no liquor of any kind whatever, nor even see a single person going through the motions of drinking, but he can hardly fail to see young men, some of whom are beardless boys who certainly are yet minors, in a state of maudlin inebriety. He will also see old chronics "mellow and happy." It is quite certain that the most honest believer in prohibition who will do as suggested will admit that prohibition does not prohibit. What must be done? Shall the saloon be restored? Surely not. Can the law be more strictly enforced? We think not. Yet it remains that something more is necessary to reach the ends to which, it was alleged the law would carry us.

The law was set in operation in this city largely through the efforts of the churches here and it may well be assumed that they will not give over their efforts to accomplish the things which the majority of us hoped might be compassed by the prohibition law. Since it is evident the law must be supplemented by some other instrumentalities it is probably the churches may supply them. True, we have not learned that there is any effort making to that end, but as there are quite a dozen different sects in Corvallis all engaged more or less actively in the work of saving men it is a fair presumption that such efforts will be made.

Earnest, patient, persistent work may be required, but the good shepherd never ceases his efforts until the last wandering sheep is safe within the fold. So, brethren, because these wandering ones will not go to you to be saved, you must carry salvation to them.

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United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Oregon, July 15, 1907.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 1, 1896, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1897, Guy Davis, of Eugene, County of Lane, State of Oregon, filed in this office on January 17, 1907, his sworn statement No. 6,287 for the purchase of the Southwest 1/4 of Section No. 25 in Township No. 15 South, Range No. 9, West W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. W. Galkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Eugene, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 9th day of October, 1907.
He names as witnesses: Hal E. Wood, Marvin L. Hammitt and Austin E. Wood, all of Eugene, Oregon, and William L. Cryslar, of Springfield, Oregon.
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62-82 BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

STATEMENT OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Corvallis, County of Benton, State of Oregon,

Showing the amount standing to the credit of every depositor July 1, 1907, who has not made a deposit, or who has not withdrawn any part of his deposit, principal or interest, for a period of more than seven (7) years immediately prior to said date, with the name, last known place of residence or postoffice address of such depositor, and the fact of his death, if known.

NAME OF DEPOSITOR	RESIDENCE OR POST OFFICE ADDRESS	DEAD, IF FACT IS KNOWN TO SECY OR CASHIER	AMOUNT
Bankers' Mutual Relief Association	Portland, Oregon		\$ 19 50
Alpheus W. Scott	Last known at Portland, Oregon	Not known	11
John La Lane	Several years ago at Corvallis; now not known	Not known	141 16
A. G. Mulkey, Deceased Estate Not Closed	His widow, Florence Mulkey, admx., now lives at Portland, Oregon		20
Jacob V. Hower	Several years ago at Corvallis, Ore.; not known now	Not known	64 50
H. R. Clark, Trustee Cauthorn Hall	H. R. Clark died at Corvallis, Oregon	Cauthorn Hall is a department of the Agricultural College	9 65
Florence Jennings	One time at Corvallis, Oregon; now not known	Not known	40
George Maddux	One time at Corvallis, afterward moved to Arizona	Not known	80
B. W. Wilson, County Clerk	B. W. Wilson died at Corvallis	Themselves deceased think a County Clerk's check was drawn for \$100.00	5 62
J. R. Bryson, Assignee of Hamilton, Job & Co.	J. R. Bryson died some years ago. At the time he settled his assigneeship in the Circuit Court held at Benton County, Ore.; we understand the Court ordered said deposit placed here to pay certain several checks of said Assignee, which checks are in the possession of this bank for the payee thereof to call and get them. (Said checks are as follows: To Middlebrook & Chumaker, \$10.04; Corvallis Nursery Co., 69c; Elias Wiser, \$7.62)		19 50

STATE OF OREGON,)
County of Benton,)

I, George E. Lilly, being first duly sworn, depose and say upon oath, that I am the Cashier of The First National Bank of Corvallis, County of Benton, State of Oregon; that the foregoing statement is a full, true, correct and complete statement, showing the name, last known residence or postoffice address, fact of death, if known, and the amount to the credit of each depositor as required by the provisions of Chapter 148, of the General Laws of Oregon of 1907.

GEO. E. LILLY,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, A. D. 1907.
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