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TEMPERANCE.

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ASKING IN EARNEST.

BY LYMAN WALL.

George R. Scott says in the Pioneer, September 8, under caption "Votes Wanted:"

"What is wanted to put down the liquor traffic, is the votes of the Christians of this country." * * * "If prayers alone could do it, there are thousands of good men and women in this country who ought to be ashamed of themselves for not praying the saloons out of existence."

Then he hits the nail on the head and drives it home and clinches it by saying that: "Prayers and exhortation are good in their places; but must be supplemented by votes recorded at the proper time."

And this reminds me of a story touching this point very forcibly—that you will please allow me to repeat by way of illustration.

A small boy, (an inmate of the poor-house) on account of his trustworthiness, was often sent outside of the institution on errands.

The little fellow, though, still retained dim recollections of a humble but happy home and loving parents, and occasionally in his rambles through the town, a yearning for a home other than the poor-house, such a home as memory faintly portrayed, would take possession of him; and the thought occurred to him that perhaps he might find such a home somewhere in the great city, or in the wide world beyond. And he wandered on and on into the suburbs, and finally into a grove near the road, where he stood nearly concealed, when a couple of ladies entered and commenced talking of a prayer-meeting they had just left. One of them said: "How earnestly and feelingly Brother C. prayed for the poor."

"Yes," said the other, "he always remembers the poor in his prayers and asks God's blessings on them."

The little orphan on hearing the conversation, sprang forward with delight and said: "What's that man's name, and where does he live? He's the man I'm looking for, and he must be looking for me!"

After the ladies had recovered from their fright, they pointed out a large house dimly seen through the trees and told the boy "Mr. C. lived over there."

The little boy in search of a home made such time down the road as only a bare-foot boy could, and on reaching the house sprang on the porch where Mr. C. sat in an upholstered easy chair reading, and said excitedly and eagerly, "I've come."

Mr. C. turned to the boy with a cold stare and said, "Yes, I see you have, and why did you come?" The boy related the conversation of the ladies in the grove, and said, "I knew right off that you wanted to give me a home, and I hurried right here, and I want to be your boy always, and not a poorhouse boy any longer."

Mr. C. replied with the same stern, hard look, "I did pray for the poor, and I always commend them to the care of God, but I did not expect such a personal application to my prayers as you make! I don't want any boy!"

The poor child's hopes were so unexpectedly crushed that he sank down on the floor and sobbed as if his heart would break.

Just then a colored woman who had stood inside the door and heard the conversation, came out, and putting her arms around the boy said, "Don't cry, sonny. It's all your mistake. Christian men are always asking God to do some things they never mean to try themselves. Don't you see, it's all because you don't understand their ways and meaning."

How many thousands of prayers are daily going up—or down—for the cause of temperance all over this land, from voters who never do anything practical toward the eradication of this great evil. Like Mr. C. they ask God to do what they never really thought of doing themselves. They pray for temperance 364 days, and on the 365th vote for men who will make and execute the laws in the interests of the traffic.

In one State last fall they voted for legislators who worked and voted for the Crotty bill, the Vedder bill, the Ives Pool bill, and the rest, all of them bills to legalize and perpetuate iniquity. All these high-license bills of every shade and degree are a delusion and a snare, and remind me of the words of advice and encouragement given by an Irish woman to her boy, who was having a shindy with one of his mates. Said she: "Kick sand in his eyes, Jimmy; kick sand in his eyes."

But let us go back to the story of Mr. C. who was really a good man. The words of Dinah sank deep into the heart of this prayerful Christian, and he asked himself the question, "Is it true that I am in the habit of asking God to do things I would not think of doing myself?" Turning to the boy he said: "Go into the house with Dinah and eat your supper and stay all night, and I will see what I can do for you in the morning."

Mr. C. realized that night that a heart and conscience harrowed with the scathing words of just rebuke, made downy pillows full of thorns, but through the saving influence of prayer and consultations with his wife he triumphed over selfishness. When morning dawned, bright and beautiful, he called the boy and told him he "might consider his house his home as long as he proved worthy of it," and he never had cause to regret it.

May all temperance Christians in the land who pray temperance and vote with the old parties ask themselves the same question that Mr. C. asked, viz: "Am I asking God to do what I do not try to do myself?"

Oh for more Dinahs to speak living words of truth that will lie on the hearts and consciences of Christian voters like coals of fire till they vote as they pray.

George Zeigler, of Dayton, O., on Saturday night last, stepped into a corner grocery, where Daniel Alexander agreed to pay for all the liquor Zeigler would drink. Zeigler drank twenty-two glasses of five-cent whisky, walked two hundred yards to his home, sat down and soon after died. Had that man taken ten grains of arsenic in the presence of that grocery man and as purchased from him, the latter would have been arrested

for something akin to murder, and all the others present would have been arrested as participants in the same. It was whisky, and there were too many lovers and vendors of whisky to make any law against its sale or use effective. That is the difference.

A drug clerk in Wichita, Kan., for 2,086 violations of the Prohibition law, was sentenced last week to over seven years' imprisonment and \$20,800 fine.

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Mr. W. F. Daley, Advertising Agent of the Brooklyn Elevated Railroad, writes: "Inflammatory rheumatism swelled my legs and arms to twice their natural size. I suffered excruciating pain. Your wonderful S. S. S. made a complete cure."

Major Sidney Herbert, editor of the Southern Cultivator and Live Farmer, Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I have fully tested the virtues of Swift's Specific, both as a rheumatism cure and a tonic. It has done even more than its proprietors claim for it."

Mr. Michael Long, Jr., with the St. Louis Bridge Lithographic Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, writes: "I suffered for two years with a terrible itching and painful sores on my neck, arms, hands and fingers. No physician could help me. S. S. S. relieved me perfectly and I feel like a new man."

Mrs. Amanda Ingie, of Gastonia, N. C., writes: "My baby, when four months old, developed scrofula. He had two severe risings and sores on the neck. I sent for a family physician, who pronounced it scrofula, and prescribed S. S. S. for it. I gave the baby S. S. S., and it soon got the disease under control. The sores are healed, and the baby is well and healthy. I know S. S. S. saved its life, and I told our doctor so. He is a regular physician, and prescribed S. S. S. for the baby as soon as he saw it had scrofula."

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