

# Winning the Child's Will

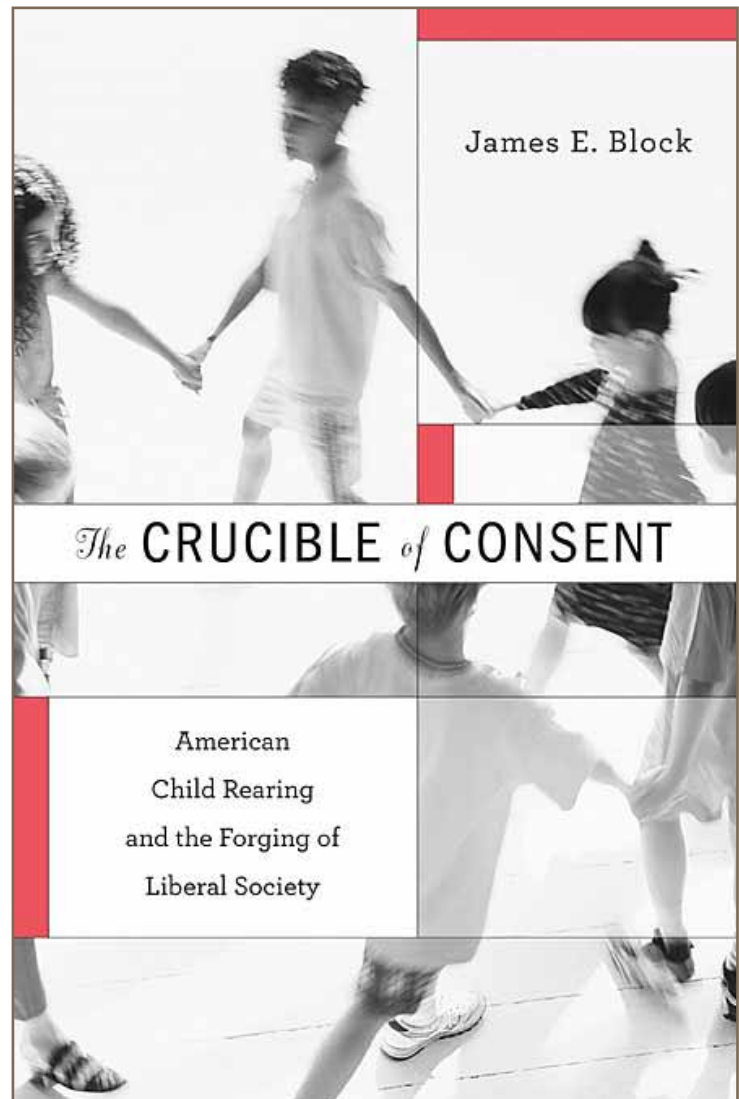
Shaping the Consenting Citizen for Liberal Society  
in the United States, 1800-2000

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A democratic government requires the consent of its citizens. But how is that consent formed? Why should free people submit to any rule? Pursuing this question to its source, Block will argue that the explanation is to be found in the nursery and the classroom.

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