

TEMPERANCE DEPARTMENT.

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The meeting of the Temperance Reform Club, Sept. 17th, was well attended, and the interest manifested was encouraging to all friends of Temperance. Short addresses were delivered by several ladies and gentlemen.

For the Temperance Department. Still the ranks are filling up; we learn that about twenty of the young men of Princeton, who have heretofore visited the saloons, have formed a temperance society among themselves, and have signed articles to the effect that if any member enters a saloon for any purpose whatever he shall be liable to a fine of \$5, or 30 days imprisonment in the county jail. This society have framed a constitution, elected officers and gone to work in good earnest. Hurrah for the young men of Princeton! They see the need of earnest work and energetic measures in this matter; they see and realize the importance of something being done to check this great evil, and if they have not chosen the best course, certainly they have made a good move in the right direction, and they have our best wishes and hearty support.

ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN.—Remember that you are the architect of your own temple of fame; if you build one great and honorable, to you the merit and happiness belongs; if you rear an unsightly vice-haunted structure, to you the misery and shame belong. We must not attribute our success in life to blind fortune, nor our failure to bad luck, for our success largely depends upon our correct habits and good actions, and our misfortunes to ill-directed and selfish ones. Good character and good habits will assuallt of all the so-called bad luck that was ever dreamed of. While the aged pass off the stage of action, the youth must take their places. Are you preparing your mind to discharge the duties thus devolving upon you—faithfully to the community, and with honor to yourselves? Are you endowing your hearts with good principles, or on the contrary, spending your time reading that which tends to vitiate the principles of morality? Are you a frequenter of saloons? If you are one of those youths who in lawless riot of demented folly, wasting time and strength in pursuit of anything but enduring good, and casting your lot upon the altar of pleasure, and living for that alone, I beg you to pause as you have no time to waste. Evils are staring you in the face, your duty to yourselves and your friends requires you to meet them with a bold and manly defiance and stay their ruinous progress. It is yours to lend your influence to abolish the vices of the day. Yours to destroy intemperance, the vile demon which so sadly mars the morals of the community. In conclusion, let me entreat you by all you hold sacred and dear to shun evil associates; avoid as you would a deadly poison those vile haunts of iniquity. Set up the standard of right and press on without weariness or failures to a final success.

For the Temperance Department. Temperance is what we so much need in our land to-day. We need to teach and instill it in the minds of the youth of our land. I am glad that there are so many of the youth of Princeton signing the temperance pledge, and I hope that they may prove true to the oath that they have taken to abstain from all intoxicating liquors; am glad to see it carried on all through our beautiful state at the present time. And I hope the time may come when the ladies of this state shall have the privilege of voting against the sale of spirituous liquors that is destroying so many of our fair sons and daughters and ruining them both soul and body and destroying the peace of their families. I pray God that this temperance reform movement, that is doing so much good throughout the land, until King Alcohol shall be banished from our fair state, and that we may see those dens of vice and sin shut up entirely.

A FRIEND OF TEMPERANCE.

Eddie Kingsland has gone to reside with his brother, in Chester, Iowa.

Wanted 500 bushels of charcoal.

T. H. CALEY.

No, of course, paper, ink or type don't cost a cent; a printer lives on air and it costs him nothing for hash—of course it don't!

There will be a dance at the court house hall next Thursday evening, October 4th. Three pieces of music. A good time is expected. Don't fail to attend.

Another soul came into the world on Wednesday night; it is a boy, and Sam Miller, is happy.

Our merchants are all receiving large stocks of fall and winter goods; look out for new advertisements in next week's UNION.

Si Staples returned from Kentucky on Tuesday. Si seems to have withstood the effects of the Bourbon first-rate.

Mr. Alexander Deshaw has purchased an interest in the McFarlane threshing machine, their machine is doing lots of work in Greenbush.

William A. Quigley, former publisher of the Appeal, was in attendance at court as a witness in the pine land suits.

As usual, the American House was headquarters for most of the lawyers during court. A lawyer knows where he can get a square meal, you bet.

Married—At the residence of Mr. James Welch, in Princeton, Sept. 24, by the Rev. C. F. Kingsland, Mr. George Groff to Miss Mary J. Hathaway.

When you are in St. Cloud give the Minnesota House a trial; it has lately changed hands, and it is now one of the best hotels in the city of St. Cloud. For a square meal or a good bed and room go to the Minnesota House, St. Cloud.

All of the threshing machines in the neighborhood, with the exception of Barrett & Campbell's, have suspended operations for the season. All of the owners appear to be well satisfied with their fall's work.

Mr. O. B. Cravens, who has been visiting at his brother's for a couple of weeks past, left for his home in Pennsylvania, on Tuesday. Mr. Cravens is a pleasing sociable gentleman, and we wish he had prolonged his visit.

Judge McKelvy don't allow any nonsense in his court; his sharp reprimands to the spectators on Tuesday night convinced them that they were not at a cattle fair or in a kine court. We also noticed that the legal limbs kept within the bounds of decency.

The young rowdies who assemble at the church doors every Sunday evening, and howl, yell, slam doors and raise hell—generally, had better be a little careful, for if any of them are arrested—and some of them will get "snatched" sure if they do not behave themselves—it may cost you \$25—and in no case less than \$10—or from two weeks to thirty days in the county jail. Now this is the law and if any of you don't believe us, why just "try it on."

Upon motion of D. B. Searle that a committee be appointed to examine applicants for admission to the bar, Messrs. D. B. Searle, Charles D. Kerr and Oscar Taylor, were appointed such committee. Subsequently Henry F. Barker was duly examined in open court, and upon motion and recommendation of said committee, was admitted to practise as an attorney and counselor at law—to practice in all the courts of the state.

The court commenced on Tuesday and adjourned on Thursday morning; Judge McKelvy presided with his usual ease and dignity. The docket was light, and several of the most important cases were compromised or continued; two of the pine land cases were transferred to the U. S. Circuit Court. The array of legal talent was quite formidable. The new clerk, Mr. D. A. Caley, performed the duties of his office to the general satisfaction of both the court and members of the bar.

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We noticed the following legal luminaries from abroad, in attendance at our recent term of court: Col. Kerr, of St. Paul, the most popular lawyer in the north-eastern portion of the state, was employed on almost every case. The cheerful and sanguine Hammons, of Anoka, put in an appearance on Tuesday evening; Mr. Hammons is always a welcome visitor to Princeton. D. B. Searle, of St. Cloud, was employed in several fine land cases; he is also quite a favorite. Messrs. George P. Robinson, E. P. Wilson, Charles H. Woods, of Minneapolis; the smooth-talking gentlemanly Capt. Taylor, of St. Cloud; the mother-loving Charlie Wheaton, of Elk River; and the crusty Capt. Butterfield, of Anoka, graced our courtroom with their presence.

September Term District Court—The following are the Dispositions Made of the Several Cases.

Dennis E. Kenefect vs Benjamin Soule. Issue of fact, continued from last general term; Williams on & Ovit for plaintiff, A. P. Barker, for defendant. Dismissed; plaintiff failing to appear.

Alexander B. Shute vs A. P. Barker, Gilbert L. Sanford and Thomas H. Caley; issue of law and facts; C. D. Kerr and Lewis D. Dent for plaintiff, A. P. Barker for defendant. Dismissed without costs.

Caley & Neely vs Board of County Commissioners of Mille Lacs county; C. D. Kerr for plaintiff, J. A. Ross for defendant. By consent of both parties, ordered that judgment be rendered and entered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants for \$112 50, no costs to be taxed.

Collin Campoell vs Jones, Shatto & Co.; C. D. Kerr for plaintiff, N. T. Hauser for defendant. Appealed to the Supreme Court.

Charles Keith and H. B. Cowles vs Hayden Brothers; issue of fact; D. B. Searle and A. P. Barker for plaintiffs, Oscar Taylor for defendants. Briefs to be submitted and cause taken under advisement at chambers.

Joseph Tardy vs Soule & Son; Robinson & O'Neill for plaintiff, A. P. Barker for defendant. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$50; new trial granted by consent of both parties; case continued till next general term.

Pratt & Rines vs A. K. Trask; law and fact; C. D. Kerr and A. P. Barker for plaintiffs, for defendant. Jury trial waived by both parties; case argued in court; Weston Hammons, of Anoka, appointed referee to take oral testimony; case to be determined upon at chambers.

Houston & Co. vs P. M. Soule; M. Q. Butterfield for plaintiff, A. P. Barker for defendant. Verdict for plaintiffs in the sum of \$85 25.

I. S. Mudgett vs Henry F. Brown; law and fact; A. P. Barker for plaintiff, Bradley and Morrison for defendant. Settled.

Samuel Ross vs Abraham Orr; issue of fact; D. B. Searle and A. P. Barker for plaintiff, C. D. Kerr for defendant. On defendant's motion case continued till next general term of court.

Tidd, Fales & West vs Pratt & Rines; issue of law and fact; Woods & Merrill for plaintiffs, C. D. Kerr and A. P. Barker for defendants. Transferred to United States Circuit Court.

Tidd, Fales & West vs C. H. Chadbourne; issue of law and fact; Woods & Merrill for plaintiffs, C. D. Kerr and A. P. Barker for defendant. Transferred to U. S. Circuit Court.

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S. P. Hunt vs Isaiah Young; appeal from justice court, on questions of law alone, A. P. Barker for plaintiff, J. A. Ross for defendant. Argued, and taken under advisement by the court.

S. L. Staples as County Treasurer, in proceedings to enforce the collection of personal property taxes, vs S. N. Soule, George Smith, B. Soule, H. B. Twitchell, Owen Bracken and Murdoc Campbell; J. A. Ross for plaintiff. Settled.

George Bookoven vs Hugh Brown; A. P. Barker for plaintiff, J. A. Ross for defendant. Appeal from justice court. Judgment of lower court in favor of plaintiff affirmed with costs in both courts added.

The pine land cases in which D. D. Moore was plaintiff are in about the same condition as the other pine land suits.

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