



A COMPLETE SUCCESS.

Wednesday Evening's Concert the Best Given for Some Time.

The entertainment given at the club last Wednesday night far outstrips anything in that line given at the club rooms for a long time. The house was crowded to the doors, it being almost impossible to find seats for even the performers.

The Dwight Orchestra was present and opened the evening's programme with an overture—"Bon Voyage."

This was followed with a solo—"Then You'll Remember Me," by Mr. McCormick. Very nicely rendered.

An instrumental trio—two mandolins and guitar—at once found favor with the audience and another was vigorously demanded.

Mr. Fielder then recited "Shamus O'Brien" in very good Irish and with his usual good style.

A trio—"Sweet and Low"—by Misses Huey, Barr and Winkler, was well rendered. The ladies have excellent voices and the harmony so necessary to a good trio or quartette was not lacking.

Next on the programme was a recitation by Miss Laura Sinclair, after which the Dwight Orchestra played "Leader March" and a recess was taken in order to give the members an opportunity to take a drink.

Part second opened with a solo—"Katydid"—by Miss Huey. The selection pleased the audience and she was awarded an encore but did not respond.

After a recitation—"The Polish Boy"—by Miss Stella Baker, and solo—"Calvary"—by Horace Shepard (the former well rendered) the mandolins and guitar were again brought forth and put to good use. An encore was given and responded to.

Rev. Mr. Campbell, of Chicago, gave a whistling song: "The Mocking Bird," which captured the audience at once. He is a splendid whistler, and a pianist of no mean ability.

Mr. Fielder recited another selection, and Mr. H. W. Birt sang "Once" in a very creditable manner. The evening's programme closed with "Selicia Waltzes" by the Dwight Orchestra.

Although the programme was quite lengthy, every number was good and was highly appreciated by all present. If future entertainments prove to be as good as this one, the club need not fear for good amusement and plenty of it. The entertainment committee is composed of Kirkland, Farley and Brewster, to whose efforts the success of Wednesday evening's programme is largely due.

Mr. McPherson's Experience. Among the departures from Dwight this week was that of Mr. C. J. McPherson of Chicago. He gave us a bit of his experience during his talk to the club Thursday morning, and added a short rule which he had followed and noticed that it was generally followed by most all drinking men.

"I have, in my travels, tasted the distilled happiness of the Alleghenies, the pine top of Arkansas, the moonshine bourbon of Kentucky, the Mountain Dew of Tennessee, and the iron-clad of New Jersey, and I find they are each similar in their effects. A night out with the boys; a swelled head in the morning. Then comes the necessity for what is known as:

- 1.—A 'bracer.'
2.—Another, to hold the first in position.
3.—Another; this one for company.
4.—Another; well, for instance.
5.—Another; to make a quorum.

"After this last one the 'swallows homeward fly' so rapidly that all further calculation is simply impossible." Mr. McPherson claims that this rule, closely followed, will invariably land the best of men at Dwight.

Sketches of Our Present Officers. Mr. Chas. Stewart, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is our presiding chairman. Mr. Stewart is a large man of about 47 years, and don't look like he had ever touched a drop in his life. He is engaged in the marble and granite monumental business at his home in Iowa.

He served four years in the army as private soldier and received an honorable discharge. Mr. Stewart is a quite prominent man in his state, and is making an excellent presiding officer, having inaugurated several good moves for the betterment of the club.

Mr. Joseph T. Wilson, our vice-chairman, was born in Kentucky in 1852. He came to Missouri in 1872 and was admitted to the bar in 1875. He was elected states' attorney and served as such for four years. He was a mem-

ber of the legislature in 1885, and in 1888 a delegate to the Democratic National Convention at St. Louis. He was nominated for state senator in the same year, but declined the nomination. Mr. Wilson was married in 1877 to a daughter of Geo. W. Kenrick, and he resides at present with his family at Charleston, Mo. He has been actively engaged in the practice of his profession since his admittance to the bar, and is a worthy and influential citizen of his state.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Picked Up at the Club Rooms and Various Parts of the City.

The only graduating speeches heard Saturday were those of a trio of M.D.'s, namely: Drs. Crawford, Fenton, and Reeder.

A postage stamp vender has been placed in the club room by Harry Lawrence. This will save endless annoyance to the assistant secretary.

Remember the STAR AND HERALD is only \$1.25 per year, and that it will tell you all the happenings in the club after you are home again. Try it a year.

We have received a letter from Mr. Chas. H. Hooley, of New Haven, Ct., in which he says he is not sorry for his little visit to Dwight. Good; they all feel that way.

Ex-Chairman Young sent an interesting letter to the club, which was read before the meeting Saturday morning. He is all right, he says, and feels better than he has for years.

Chas. S. Clark, city editor of the Milwaukee Evening Journal has just issued a work on the Keeley treatment and Dwight, entitled "The Perfect Keeley Cure." We received a copy of the book this week, but too late for comments in this issue.

The club's dog, "Jags" is making his headquarters for the present at the club room. He seems to prefer the warmth of the chimney corner to the cold and snow on the outside. An excellent photo was recently taken of him by the Dwight Art Co.

"The Governor" was produced at McVicker's theatre Tuesday afternoon for the benefit of the Chicago branch of the Bichloride of Gold club. The members turned out in large numbers and quite a sum was realized with which the club will prosecute its good work in the city.

In view of his efficient services on the reception committee, Mr. Rumsey was presented with a handsome, large calibre diamond (?) pin Tuesday morning by the rest of the committee. He gracefully acknowledged the compliment, but remarked that he thought the present would prove an elephant on his hands.

Mr. J. W. Resor, of Canton, made us a short call at our office Wednesday morning. He informed us that Canton has organized an auxiliary Bichloride of Gold Club with a membership of thirty. They will hold a fair on the 26th of this month, and Dr. Leslie E. Keeley has been invited to address them on the 29th. We wish the new club unlimited prosperity.

From ten to twelve of our citizens are now receiving medicine from Dwight. The result is remarkable. The medicine seems to have the desired effect in every instance. Habitual smokers and confirmed drunkards quit the habit and are happy. Not one of Dr. Keeley's Higginsville patients have so far relapsed. Three cheers for Keeley and his bichloride of gold!—Higginsville (Mo.) Advance.

A letter from Mr. R. S. Hillman, of Barclay, Ill., in which he kindly encloses \$1.25 for the STAR AND HERALD, says he is getting along nicely, and sincerely hopes and believes that every one who has been to Dwight feels the same. He is also of the decided opinion that if the Bichloride of Gold Club ever decide to have an official organ it should be the DWIGHT STAR AND HERALD. Thanks, Mr. H., but whether we are made the official organ or not, we can always be relied on to furnish the news of the club, and stand by the cause.

Mr. Horace Van Cleve, of Centralia, in a letter sending for some extra copies of the STAR AND HERALD of last week containing part of a recent letter read before the club, takes occasion to remark that he will soon "remunerate you (Zimmerman & Dustin) for one year's subscription to the greatest temperance journal in the country—except the DWIGHT STAR AND HERALD." Mr. Van C. was on his wedding tour at the time he wrote the letter, and said he was "HUSBANDING HIS RESOURCES" under present circumstances. You're on the list, Mr. Van Cleve.

An auxiliary Bichloride of Gold club has been organized at Kansas City, Mo., with the following officers: F. P. Clark, president; J. M. Gregory, vice-president; J. L. McCarroll, secretary, and W. G. Carroll, treasurer. The management of the club will be in the hands of a board of five directors, who are W. N. Allen, Danier Norgrove, W. L. Kendrick, Dr. Andrew Kelly and C. M. Crandall of Independence. At the time of organization, a committee was appointed to wait on Dr. Keeley and if possible secure him for a lecture at an early date. The club starts out with fifty charter members, and will undoubtedly become a most successful organization.

MOVEMENTS OF MEMBERS.

Prominent People Who Come and Go With Each Succeeding Day.

U. T. Boulden, of Philadelphia, Pa., departed for his home Monday.

Mr. Bristo of Chicago, left us Friday. He made a short talk to the club that morning.

E. J. Durfee, of Tiskelwa, Ill., a former graduate of the Keeley cure, arrived Monday with three men who will take treatment.

Mr. Howard Smith, a Bloomington graduate, was in town Thursday, on business connected with the club in his city and The Leslie E. Keeley Co.

Mr. Hanley Mansfield, an old graduate, came down from Chicago on business yesterday. He visited the club and talked to the boys Friday morning.

Mr. Julius Cronan, of Kewanee, Ill., a former graduate of the Keeley institute and a very pleasant gentleman, visited the club Tuesday. He brought a friend with him for treatment.

Mr. Watson, of Denver, Colo., a graduate of a short time ago, visited the club this week. He is much interested in the legal organization of the club, and is laboring faithfully for its best interests.

Mr. Doyle left us Wednesday. He made a good talk to the club that morning and gave them a short bit of his experience. He leaves a cured man, and has the best wishes of the club and all its members.

Mr. Watkins, of California was among those who talked to the club Thursday morning. He went home feeling 18 carats fine and will hold a small jubilee with his family when he arrives there.

Dr. Fenton, of Dallas, Texas, made his farewell address to the club Saturday. The doctor has been chairman of the amusement committee since he has been here, and has secured some very good entertainments for the amusement of the members.

Mr. Hancock, of Oil City, Pa., made a short talk to the club Sunday morning. Mr. Hancock has been a leading member of the club, and worked continually for its interests during his stay here. He has the best wishes of the club for his future prosperity.

Dr. Reeder, of Chicago, was among the graduates of Friday night. He made his good bye speech to the club Saturday morning and took his departure that afternoon. The doctor is a good fellow, and has worked faithfully for the interests of the club.

Mr. Michan, of St. Joseph, Mo., our genial lecturer who has entertained several audiences at the club, left us Tuesday morning. Mr. Michan starts on an extended tour immediately upon reaching home, and may perhaps visit Dwight during his travels.

Dr. Reese, of Warrensburg, Mo., made his farewell address to the club Wednesday morning. The doctor is quite an old gentleman, having almost reached his three-score-and-tenth year. His address was very good and was listened to with much attention by all.

A. J. Abbott, of Chicago, left us yesterday morning. Mr. Abbott has been a leading member of the club, and inaugurated the movement to secure the best periodicals and other good reading matter for the club. Our best wishes for his future success in life go with him.

Mr. McAllister, of Marshall, Mo., was a graduate of Friday night. Mr. Mc is quite a young man, and in his speech to the club Saturday morning, he said he had all of life before him. The prayer of his gray haired mother had been answered, and he would begin life anew and with a sober brain.

Dr. Crawford, of Buffalo, N. Y., left us Saturday. He made a good talk to the boys that morning and assured them that he was cured. Dr. Crawford's wife has been with him during his entire term at Dwight, and has been an interested listener and spectator at our morning meetings.

Mr. Bowen made his good-bye talk to the club Monday morning. He pleaded the usual failing—couldn't make a speech—but did manage to make a very creditable one before he sat down. He hopes he is permanently cured, and thanked the club and its membership for universal kindness to him while here.

Dr. Keeley's Bust.

We have just seen a statuette of Leslie E. Keeley, modelled by Mr. Herbert W. Birt, of London, England. Mr. Birt is a silver medalist, and is well known as a rising sculptor, whose fine work is attracting considerable attention in England. Mr. Birt has made arrangements with the Dwight Art Co. of this city to handle this work, and a limited number will be sold at extremely low prices. It is acknowledged to be the most suitable souvenir brought out of Dr. Leslie E. Keeley and his great Bichloride of Gold treatment. We take it upon ourselves to say that the Dwight Art Co. will take pleasure in showing it to all who may call. With such a work, we only hope they will be able to keep the supply equal to the demand, as such great care is required in their production, and all but absolutely perfect copies are rejected at once.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Amanda M. London, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Amanda M. London, late of the Village of Dwight in the County of Livingston and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Livingston County at the Court House in Pontiac, at the February Term, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this twenty-first day of December, A. D., 1891. JOHN D. EMPIRE, Executor.

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PROPOSALS FOR SEWER SYSTEM.

Sealed proposals will be received by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Dwight, Illinois, until 2 o'clock on the first day of February, 1892, for the construction of a Sewer System, according to Plans and Specifications now on file in the office of the Village Clerk. Proposals will be received for work as a whole, and every proposal must be accompanied with a certified check for the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, made payable to the Village Treasurer of Dwight, Illinois, as a guarantee of good faith. Said check to be returned to the bidder making it, when his proposal has been rejected, or when accepted and satisfactory bond deposited with the President and Board of Trustees. Each proposal must be sealed and marked "Proposal for Sewer System," and must be filed with the Village Clerk at his office in Dwight, Illinois, on or before the time stated above. The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals.

JOHN THOMPSON, President of the Village Board of Dwight. Attest: A. J. DOHERTY, Clerk.

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