



Collection Name:

Temperance Movement papers, 1841-1962

Collection Number:

P0594

Extent:

2.6 cubic feet 6 archives boxes and 1 half archives)

Abstract:

Articles, reports, songs, stories, and pamphlets concerning the temperance movement among Norwegian Americans. There are reports from organizations in Alberta, Canada, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin, and articles by Waldemar Ager, Adolf Bredesen, Carl E. Carlson, Theodor H. Dahl, Knut Gjerset, Paul M. Glasoe, and Gjermund Hoyme.

Box	Folder	Description
1	1	Journals, 1909-1916 Includes: journals published by Eidsvold Lodge, Brooklyn: "Norge: v. 5, Nos. 1-9 (Jan.-Sept. 1909); "Folkets ven" (Sept. 1912 (dupl. of library set); "Progress" (Jan.-Feb. 1916)
1	2	"Lyngblomsten," 1911
1	3	"Afholds-Bladet" (Chicago), 1882 May, 1884 March, 1885 April-1888 May
1	4	Afholdsreformen, 1849
1	5-6	v.1, Nos. 28-37 (Sept. 14-Dec. 28, 1911). "Templar-Bladet" (Milwaukee/Calumet), 1891, 1901-1902 v. 1, no. 6 (Oct. 1900); v. 2, nos. 3-5, 7-9 (Jan. -March, May-July 1901); v. 3, nos. 3-5 (Jan.-March 1902); "Templer-Bladet (Chicago) v. 4, no. 11 (Oct. 1891-Aug. 1891)
1	7	"Fram," 1911
2	1	Stavanger Totalavholdsforening: Festskrift, 1909 Photocopy.
2-3		Includes publications from Scandinavian countries and U.S. publications with no Scandinavian-American connection Titles such as: "The Saloon Must Go" (Chicago, 1909); "College Education in Alcohol Problems," by Raymond E. Mendenhall (Washington, D.C., n.d.); "John Barleycron, Esquire," by John Nuveen, Jr., (Chicago Literary club, 1942); "John Barleycorn, Public Enemy Number 1," by Roy L. Smith (Los Angeles, 1934); "Alcohol Science and Society," by Harry S. Warner (lecture delivered at Yale Univ., summer session, 1944); "Alcohol Reaction



- at Yale," by Ernest Gordon (1946); "Alcohol and Tobacco in Relation to Race Deterioration," by Anthony Zeleny (1940); "Our Constitution and the Liquor Traffic," by Asa G. Briggs (1933); "A Summary of 'Religion and Drink,'" by Rev. E.A. Wasson (n.d.); and "Catechism for Little Water-Drinkers," by Julia Colman (1896)
- 3 3 "Tredivaarskrigen mod Drikkeondet, 1922
Owned by O.E. Rølvaag.
- 3 4 "Det Fjerde Aarmode..." 1891
- 4 Reports of Organizations, 1879-1916
Includes: Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League. Constitution, 1916. 3 p., mimeographed. Nationale Afholdsforbund. Reports of the 1-9,11-13th meetings (1907-14,1916-18) Illinois Norske Goodtemplars historie med jubileums adressebog og kalender, 1879-1909. 109 p., Festskrift vid Illinois Skandinaviska Storloge, 1907-1927.48p. Minnesota Total Afholdsselskab. Reports of the 8-18,20-34th meetings (1893-1903, 1905-1919). (9th is bound with the Wisconsin reports below). Festskrift utgivet av Minnesota Skandinaviske Storloge: Report of the 12th meeting, 1902; Tillægsglove, 1914; Minneskrift 1891-1911; "1891-1941: in commemoration of the 50th anniversa Minneapolis: Festskrift (1906-1916) in anledning loge "St. Olav" North Dakota Total-Afholdsselskab. Konstitution (1897) and reports of the 5,9, 11-13 and 22nd meetings (1901,1905,1907-09,1918) Pacific Kystens Total Afholds-Forbund. Report of the 1910 meeting Syd Dakota Scandinavian Totalafholdsselskab. Konstitution (1897) and reports of 5-9th meetings (1898-1902) Information about Norrøna Lodge no.11, Geneva, Illinois, Central States Regional Council: 1986. 44 p. Wisconsin Totalafholdsselskab. Konstitution og bilove, and reports of the 4-12,14-17th meetings (1891-99,1901-1905) (The 4-5th reports are in the Trtinsdal scrapbook in box 3; the 9th report was published with the 10th report of the Minnesota society.) Coon Prairie Afholdsforenings 20 aars fest, 1906. 16 p. Typescript notes (2 p.) about temperance societies, speakers and publications (by O. M. Norlie?) Manuscript history (2 p.) of the Minnesota society by O. Lokensgaard. Added: Minnesota Totalafholdsselskab aarvog (1917, Wanamingo, Minn.)
- 5 Assorted documents and photographs, 1896-1991
Manuscript record (8 p.) of donated publications. Pamphlets and clippings , including constitutions and handbooks of the Goodtemplars (1 folder), Photographs of leaders in temperance movement, group photos and pictures of individual leaders and



their families. Donated by E. B. Ager (1991) who has supplied identification for many of the pictures. Includes pictures of a Cashton, Wis. society; officers of the Boston and Chicago societies; and individual/family pictures of Gustav Eide, B. B. Haugan, Knute Johnson, E. E. Lødbeck, Peter Myrvold, Chris Nordby, Olaf Refsdal, Andrew S. Sather, J. J. Skørdalsvold, O. S. Sneve, and F. L. Trønsdal. (31 photographs) added 1997: group photograph (on postcard): IOGT St. Olav losje no.59, 1907. Photocopies of newspaper articles. See NAHA Publication Papers (Lady with the pen), for pamphlet by Hartvig Johnsen, "Elise Tvede, en Norsk foregangskvinne i kampen mot alkoholen." Oslo, Det Norske Totalavholdsselskap, 1944. 16 p.

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| 6 | | The Spotlight, 1915-1958 |
| 7 | 1 | "Afholdssagens historie," 1876 |
| 7 | 2 | "Haandbog for Afholdsvener," 1888 |
| 7 | 3 | Songbooks, 1888-1904 |
| | | Afholds folkets flagsong by Hagbart Erickson and Rudolph Møller (Seattle); Sangbog for afholdsforeninger, by Theo. S. Reimestad, Wilhelm Pettersen, and H. Askeland (Minneapolis, 1890); Sangbog for afholdsforeninger (2d ed., 1901) by J. J. Skørdalsvold and Wm. Ager; Kamp-melodier: afholds og prohibitions-sanger (1892) by B. B. Haugan and Theo. Reimestad; Afholdssangeren...samlet og udgivet of afholdsvener i Nordvesten (4th ed., 1890); Minnesota Totalafholdsselskab sangbog, 1, 5 Fj 7 eds.; Sange til brug ved Afholdstevnerne i Syd Dakota (1902).Afholds-harpen, by Ole B. Olson (1898) Books: Afholdsfolkets festskrift 1914: "Reform"s jubilnumshefte. 26 p. 320 p. 198 p. Sneve, O. S. Sange og digte tilegnet afholdssagens venner. 3. rakke. Eau Claire, 1904. 133 p. Scrapbook of Fredrik L. Trønsdal. Includes 4-5th reports of the Wisconsin society as well as reports of the Minnesota and Wisconsin societies which are duplicated in the collection; Liquor laws of Wisconsin (1894) published by the I.O.G.T. of Wisconsin; Nogle of afholdsreformens banebrydere, by Sven Aarstad (Kristiania, 1890. 64 p.); and newspaper clippings on the temperance movement. Pamphlets by Israel Bergstrom, Adolph Bredesen, Carl E. Carlson, Theodor H. Dahl, Swen Ellingson, Knut Gjerset, Paul M. Glasoe, H. H. Hauseland, Gjermund Hoyme, Otto Lock, C. B. Oxnaes, Elias Rachie, Johan Selnes (manuscript), W. Sihler, L.A. Stenholt. Lars Stokke, Martin O. Sumstad, Bernt C. Swenson, Thorvild K. Thorvildson, Nils Ylvisaker and John Haugvalstad |
| 7 | 4 | Total Abstinence Congress record book, 1896-1900 |



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