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Minn. L. Rev. Editorial Board

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should do all in its power to encourage the writing and distribution of worthwhile articles which will be of interest to lawyers.

Your committee wishes to thank all of the lawyers who have assisted in conducting Legal Institutes and the other work of the committee.

Respectfully submitted,

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

To the MINNESOTA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION:

Your committee recommends:

Recommendation

Your committee recommends that the publication of the Bench and Bar be continued monthly in its present form.

Report

The BENCH AND BAR continues to be a valuable asset to the Minnesota State Bar Association. It keeps the members informed of the activities of the various committees and the reports of the officers of the association.

It has received wide distribution and a committee of the American Bar Association has recognized its value by referring to it as one of the outstanding journals of its kind in the country. We think it is important to keep in mind that the BENCH AND BAR is not intended to be a law journal but simply a news bulletin. The editorial committee has had the finest cooperation of the members and the officers of the association which has been very encouraging.

There were times, when on account of the labor conditions in the printing industry, we have had some difficulty in publishing it regularly but thus far we have not missed an issue. We must call attention to the present high cost of printing. This may some time in the near future become a problem which will handicap us in publishing the BENCH AND BAR. Costs have gone up considerably and it will be necessary for the committee to obtain additional advertising to cover added costs or we may have to cut down the size of the magazine. The committee would very much dislike taking any action to reduce the size of the same and hope that members will aid us in obtaining some advertising. We feel that the BENCH AND BAR is an excellent vehicle for law book companies, bonding companies and insurance companies in which to advertise as it makes contact with practically every lawyer in the State.

Your cooperation is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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