

KELLY WILL QUIT RETAIL BUSINESS

VETERAN SHOE MERCHANT ABOUT TO LEAVE
DENISON.

WILL MOVE TO SIOUX CITY SOON

As Selling All His Retail Stocks and Will En-
gage in Wholesaling—A Remark-
able Career.

T. J. Kelly, the veteran shoe merchant, announces that he is about to retire from the shoe business not only in Denison, but in other Iowa cities where the name of Kelly has stood for shoes for so long a time; that his store building here, his handsome new home and his cosy Wall Lake cottage are for sale. He further states that after closing out his affairs he will take a rest of six months and then embark in the whole-sale shoe business in Sioux City.

Perhaps no announcement could have caused a greater surprise in Denison business circles. After twenty-two years of successful business life here Mr. Kelly had been regarded as as much of a fixture as Main street or Broadway. There is universal regret that he is to leave Denison. He has always stood not only for individual push and energy but for public spiritedness and willingness to put his shoulder to the wheel to further any plan which he deemed for the interest of the city.

Mr. Kelly has had his ups and downs in business life. He is fond of telling stories of when he was on the ragged edge of nothing, and the story of the way he wrestled success from seemingly unavoidable failure is full of inspiration to the young man.

Mr. Kelly serves also as an example of sobriety. We never knew him to swear and we never knew him to take a drink. This and his love for out door sports, hunting, fishing, base ball and all else that give strength and vigor and prolong the youth of men, have given him after twenty-two years of active business as his own employer, the alertness and the abounding health of a man of twenty-five. For years he has been the veteran ball player of western Iowa. His name is known wherever the great American game has been played by amateurs in all this half of the state.

It has only been a few years since he branched out from Denison. Wherever there was a decrepit shoe store that for some reason could not make a living, Tom Kelly bought it and it immediately became a thing

of new life. The most successful of these stores he kept, the others, after he had resuscitated them, he sold at a good profit.

Thus it has transpired that while "Kelly" has had a half dozen shoe stores for the last five or six years, he has during that time owned perhaps a score.

The last few years Denison has seen too little of Mr. Kelly; he was in Creston, Marengo, Clarinda, Jefferson or at some other of his establishments. At the same time the central work was carried on here. He could tell from his Denison office every Monday night just how many pairs of shoes he had in any one or all of his stores, just what sizes and just how the demand was running in different styles.

He wrote the advertisements for all his stores and he is today and has been for some time, one of the most effectively busy men Denison has ever known. It seems queer that in the midst of it all he should find time for base ball and for occasional days at the lake, but he did and they were as the breath of life to him. In Mrs. Kelly he has had a most excellent helper. Day after day she has taken charge of the Denison store and for a long time it was the fact that he had such competent hands in which to leave the home store that enabled him to reach out and engage in the brilliant campaign of shoe store speculation which has netted him a handsome fortune.

For if the truth is told Mr. Kelly does not have to engage in business any more unless he wants to. He could sit down and spend the rest of his days hunting, fishing and attending league games and still not run out of spending money. But the truth is he is too active, too young, too full of electricity to go out of business yet a while.

Mr. Kelly will prove a distinct addition to the wholesale business life of Sioux City. He knows the retail business from "A" to "izzard," he is thoroughly posted on all that pertains to the manufacture and wholesaling of shoes and he has some connections with the giants of the shoe trade of the United States which cannot but be of vast advantage to him. Just now Mr. Kelly is busy with closing out sales at all of his retail stores. Four of these he has already disposed of after the stock shall be reduced to a certain amount.

We understand that Ralph Norris is planning to buy the Denison stock. He has had charge of the store during Mr. Kelly's frequent absences during the past few years, and he has been an apt pupil of the most successful retail shoe dealer in Iowa. He is a splendid young man and he has a host of friends in Denison. If the deal goes through we predict that

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DENISON CATTLE WIN CHAMPIONSHIPS

THE McHENRY HERD GAINS SWEEPING VICTORY AT CHICAGO.

MAKES A PHENOMINAL RECORD

Judges of International Stock Show Award
Every Grand Champion Prize to Denison's
Wonderful Herd.

At the International Live Stock Exposition held at Chicago last week Mr. W. A. McHenry's herd of Aberdeen Angus cattle made a phenomenal record, having been awarded every Grand Champion prize. Glenfoi Thick-set 2d was made Senior Champion Bull; Quality Prince, Junior Champion Bull; Barbara McHenry 24th, Senior Champion Cow and Pride McHenry 73d, Junior Champion Cow.

He was also awarded First Premium on Aged Herd and First on Young Herd and First premium on four animals, the get of one sire.

The cow class was the strongest ever shown. Fourteen matrons appeared and when finally placed the "last one looked most awfully good."

In the two year old cow class fifteen black beauties stood for honors but Mr. McHenry's Barbara 24th was quickly placed at the head of the long line. She has been champion at every show this year and her almost perfect form makes her a winner in any ring.

In the Senior yearling class good ones were numerous and honors more even but Blackbird McHenry and Pride McHenry 72d were good enough to be placed second and third. In the Junior yearling heifer class Pride McHenry was placed first and later was given the Junior Championship but her final triumph was when she was placed Grand Champion female any age, defeating Barbara McHenry 24th never before defeated.

Thus Mr. McHenry has the sole distinction of being the owner of the only herd of cattle of any breed which has ever won all of the Grand Champion awards at any International Exposition.

SPECIAL PUBLISHER'S NOTE.

In order to insure the best possible circulation for our advertisers the Review of Dec. 22nd will close its forms promptly at noon. This will insure its reaching every subscriber in the county on Thursday.

Advertisers and correspondents will please take notice and send copy early.

A Christmas box of Havana cigars at Schlumberger's Pharmacy for \$1.00.

CHURCH WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE

DISTRICT JUDGE WRITES THAT HE WILL
NOT SEEK RENOMINATION

GIVES NO REASON FOR ACTION

Neither Does He Say That He Will Not Accept
If Judge Powers Adheres to his Decision
There Will be Two Vacancies.

Hon. Z. A. Church has written the Review that he will not be a candidate for renomination as District Judge. This comes as an entire surprise both to the politicians and to the bar of the district. The letter, which explains itself is as follows:

Carroll, Iowa, Dec. 6, 1909.
Editor of Denison Review,
Denison, Iowa.

Dear Sir: Will you please publish to the people of Crawford county that I shall not be a candidate for the office of District Judge at the nominating convention for the year 1910. I think it but due to the people of your county, who have ever treated me kindly, to announce this early my decision in the matter, thus giving them ample time to decide upon some one to take said place.

Thanking you for courtesies extended during my official career, I am,
Very truly yours,
Z. A. CHURCH.

It will be noted that while Judge Church says he "will not be a candidate at the nominating convention," he does not say that he would not accept the nomination if offered him. Just what this implies we do not know but it is only justice to him to presume that he is wholly disingenuous in his letter and that he wishes to be eliminated from consideration for the Judgeship. Judge Church has been a popular judge and has had a long and honorable career. As usual when any one man has held office for a lengthy period the ambitious ones of his home county have grumbled that they did not have a chance, but beyond this chronic complaint we have heard nothing which would indicate that Judge Church could not be re-nominated had he chosen to be a candidate.

When first nominated Judge Powers of Carroll declared that he wished to serve but one term. He said nothing however, which would bind him not to change his mind and we do not know his present attitude as to renomination.

This would leave the field clear for two new candidates with all sorts of combinations possible, a situation which will appeal to every politician in the district.

In this county, Hon. P. E. C. Lally, has frequently been mentioned for a place on the bench. That he is eminently qualified goes without saying, as his career is one of the most marked and brilliant of any in western Iowa. Whether Mr. Lally would feel that he could afford to resign a practice which must be much more lucrative than the Judgeship, is to be doubted however.

Judge Church says nothing of his future plans, but we understand that his monies, invested in lands, have brought him good returns and that he is able to retire to enjoy that rest and pleasure which many years of faithful labor have vouchsafed.

Newly Elected Lodge Officers.

This is the open season for the election of lodge officers and the Pythians have elected. The election was last Monday evening and the new officers have been ordered to prepare a Christmas tree for their fellow members for the evening of December 27th. Every member present is to bring a present for some one present so everybody present will get a present so it is best to be present. See. The officers are:

- C. C.—A. C. Green.
- V. C.—John Kott.
- Prelate—W. H. Gibson.
- M. of W.—W. R. Kirkup.
- K. of R. and S.—B. G. Lyman.
- M. of F.—James Armstrong.
- M. of E.—G. L. Caswell.
- M. at A.—Roy Mote.
- I. G.—R. A. Norris.
- O. G.—A. C. Lyman.

Trustees, Messrs. Kuehnle, Boynton and Healey.

The Redmen elected a brand new set of chiefs last Thursday. They are as follows:

- Sachem—P. J. Klinker.
- Senior Sagamore—W. A. Cramer.
- Junior Sagamore—John O'Hare.
- Chief of Records—T. A. Harvey.
- Collector of Wampum—Gail Richardson.
- Keeper of Wampum—W. H. Gibson.

Prophet—W. E. Kahler.

The other officers of the order are appointive.

For Sale.

One Registered Duroc Jersey Boar, two years old, also some spring boars, all eligible to register. If in need of any of the above come or write at once. J. J. McCormick, Vail, Iowa. Phone 47. 49-1

Don't suffer with that headache any longer but see Dr. Weber, the Oculist, Thursday, Dec. 23, at Hotel Denison. Examination free.

Come in and see our line of Christmas post cards. Our penny cards are fine. The Racket Store.

Mr. Wm. Paulson of South Dakota entered Denison college this week.

THE FATHERS FOR THE BOYS

DENISON FATHERS AROUSING TO THE INTERESTS OF THEIR SONS

STRONG ADDRESS BY MR. SIMS.

Fathers and Business Men Should Set Good
Example. The Homes Made Interesting.
Steps for a Y. M. C. A.

As a result of the meeting on Tuesday evening of the Committee of One Hundred made up of men interested in the moral welfare of Denison, it is most probable that an organization will be formed. The meeting listened to a most practical talk from Mr. Sims. The burden of his talk, however, was not Y. M. C. A. but the duty of fathers to set the right example in the home before the boys; the demand that the business men use such methods as will show the young men that business and right living are not along different lines. It is indeed an awful situation that the standards of the mother, that the boys should be honest and unselfish have to be set at naught when they enter a business career if success comes to them in many lines. Mr. Sims, insisted that the fathers should keep in touch with the boys, be their companions and confidants. The home should be made the most interesting spot in the world for the boys and be a place where other boys should be welcomed. The need of something to take the place of the saloon and the pool hall for boys to congregate in was brought forward and with this end in view a committee composed of Messrs. Sims, C. D. Miller, Jacob Wiess, C. L. Voss and Dr. Wright was selected to report within a week at a called meeting. A gymnasium under the management of the committee seems certain to follow. Some have suggested fitting up the McKim hall first floor and basement, others renting another building. Talks encouraging the present movement were made by Messrs. VanNess, Chas. K. Meyers, Sears McHenry and Pastors LaReau, DePree and Senseney. A result of the meeting was considerable talk among the fathers as to how they were bringing up their boys. The mothers have started meetings where they consider their duty to the children and it would be a good idea for a series of "father's" meetings to be held. They would be well attended and important.

Dr. Earnest Wray Oneal, Denison Lecture Course, Dec. 14. Seats on sale Monday, the 13th, at 8 o'clock Opera House box office.

FANCY COMBS FOR GIFTS,
Back Combs, fancy designs, gold or rhinestone inlaid, 75c values. 50c
Back Combs, heavy gold designs inlaid, set with rhinestones, pretty patterns, worth \$1.50. 95c

The BOYS Store,
MAIN ST. DENISON.

GIFTS, JEWELRY for less than you expected to pay. Including Ingersoll Watches for women, Boys and Men, Brooches, Neck Chains, Rings, Fobs, Cuff Links, Clocks, Scarf Pins, Hat Pins and Belt or Sash Pins, Large variety at popular prices.

YOU CAN GIVE GLOVES.

Our gloves are all sold with the understanding that the recipient may exchange them for any other size or color wanted.

Women's Kid gloves, 2 clasp, new shades of tan, brown, gray, navy, green and white and black, \$1.35 value for \$1.00



Cape Gloves, made of heavy English leather, oak and tan shades, one large clasp, a popular street glove, \$1.25 quality, for \$1

Women's Mocha and Suede gloves, heavy fleece lining, \$1.35 quality for \$1

Children's kid and Mocha mittens, plain or fur tops, heavy fleece lined, 85 cent values, for 65c

Women's and Children's gloves, fancy wool or chamois lisle, 35 cent values for 23c

XMAS LEATHER GOODS

HANDBAGS, seal and walrus grain leather, large variety newest styles, single or side handle effects, 10 to 12 inch sizes, a better bag than is offered elsewhere at \$1.50, here 98c

REAL SEAL HAND BAGS, 12 inch size, broken bottom, leather lined, large purse, here, now 4.98

HAND BAGS of genuine goat seal, 11 inch frame, broken bottom style, extra deep, good values, this week 2.98



BLACK KERSEY COATS, cut full 54 inches long, made in the newest style, all sizes, \$14-50 value, special 10.75

\$15 and \$16 Tailor-made Dresses at \$8.95

Special sale of handsome dresses—finest panama suiting in black, blue and old rose, dresses that have retailed at \$15, \$15.50 and \$16.00, specially priced for this sale, at 8.95

Extraordinary Values In Xmas Handkerchiefs.

Newest Styles, Endless Variety, Prices that mean incalculable savings.

MEN'S FANCY SILK HANDKERCHIEFS assorted colored borders, handsome patterns, 50c values, specially priced at 25c

MEN'S SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, fancy worked initials, two grades, 75c and 50c

MEN'S INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, soft finish, large initial, each 10c

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, pure linen, one-quarter and one-half inch hems, 35c, 25c, 15c and 10c

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS plain white, hemstitched or colored borders, 3 packed in an Automobile, complete 15c

WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, 4 corners openworked, hemstitched or crossbar effects, 7 1/2 and 8c values, this week 5c

WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, Madeira embroidered, pretty open worked designs, 50c values, Special this week at 25c

WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, Swiss embroidered and lace trimmed in all the newest and prettiest designs and combinations, 75c values 50c

50c values 35c

35c values 25c

19c values 15c

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, finest quality Irish linen in a variety of plain embroidered initials, 6 handkerchiefs silk ribbon 1.50

PHOENIX KNITTED MUFFLERS, all sizes and colors, a popular Christmas item. 50c

Gifts of CHINA and GLASS

Sugar and Creamer, floral decorations, different shapes, \$1 values at 50c

Footed Nut Bowl, prettily decorated, large size, 50c value. 25c

Rich Bohemian glass water set at 1.75

Austrian China cake plate, pretty American beauty rose rich back ground, open handles, at 45c

Austrian China dinner sets, 100-piece artistic decoration \$16.95 values at 11.95



Give The Lady Stylish Clothes.

Elegant Sabeline Fur Sets, made of prime quality skins, rich dark brown large open rug muff, head and tail trimmed, shawl trimmed with heads and tails, skinner satin lined, \$15.75 value for 10

BLENDED BROOK MINK SETS, large shawl collar, double tabs, four points in back each ending with a head, large rug muff, head and tail trimmed, \$25.00 set for 19.75

BLENDED BROOK MINK STORM COLLAR extra choice blended skins, flat shawl and tab front, Skinner's satin lined 6.98

BLACK FRENCH LYNX SETS, glossy skins, extra quality, one of the richest styles this season, animal effect shawl over shoulders, wide tab front, head trimmed, muff, new large plain rug effect with drop head, \$13.00 set, Special this week 8.75

JAPANESE MINK MUFFS OR NECK PIECES, at 10.75