

LAST DAY FOR SALOONS

IOWA TO PASS QUIETLY INTO DRY COLUMN WITH DAWN OF NEW YEAR.

ONLY SCANT SUPPLIES REMAIN TO BE SOLD

Selections to be Permitted to Dispose of Fixtures During Next Two Weeks

Des Moines, Dec. 31.—More than five hundred saloons in Iowa are today conducting their "closing out" sales, preparatory to shutting their doors for the last time, unless some unforeseen act of the courts permits them to re-open.

According to information reaching here only scant supplies of liquors are held in the saloons of the various cities and towns of the state today. Most all "superfluities" "wet" goods, were shipped out of Iowa more than a week ago, according to reports to the attorney general's office.

Supply Law at Seem. No drunken orgies or last hour rushes are expected to mark the closing hours in any of the wet cities. At Boone the supply of liquor in the saloons has run out and the saloons will be out of the question.

The saloon will not pass from Iowa, however, without a fight for its existence. Already it has been assured that the saloons at Davenport will attempt to open for business Jan. 3, the earliest possible date for opening after the repeal of the liquor law becomes effective.

Attorney General George Cosson is preparing to enforce the prohibitory regulations drastically. He and his assistant, C. A. Robbins, will go to Des Moines on Monday to begin the fight against the saloons there. They expect the strongest resistance at that point.

Mr. Cosson has announced that saloon keepers opening their places for business will be arrested immediately. That will be the first step toward the enforcement of the prohibitory regulations. An injunction will also be sought against the owners of the property on which the offending saloon is located.

Several Suits Filed in Story County Court at Nevada. Nevada, Dec. 31.—A half dozen divorce cases have been filed within the past day or so for the January term of the district court.

Beulah Jones, who married Fred E. Jones at Boone on June 17 of this year, says that within two months he deserted her. She asks \$100 temporary alimony and \$1,000 permanent alimony. They live at Ames.

Beulah Payton asks a divorce and alimony from Frank W. Payton whom she married in Des Moines in May, 1914, and with whom she has lived with since except at short intervals. She asks the court for a decree of divorce, the custody of the child Berice, aged 5 years; \$100 temporary alimony and \$2,000 permanent alimony.

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especially enthusiastic crowds are expected from Union, Adley and Buckeye. The proposition is now before the people to gravel the 175 miles of roads within the next three years instead of spreading the work over a fifteen year period.

SCHEDULE ELEVEN GAMES. Grinnell Five to Meet But One Team Special to Times-Republican.

Grinnell, Dec. 31.—The members of the Grinnell basketball squad have been already shown gratifying speed, and they are not lacking in the old-time fight that has always characterized the wearers of the Scarlet and Black.

The schedule as far as completed follows: Jan. 7—Iowa Wesleyan at Grinnell. Jan. 15—Des Moines College at Grinnell. Jan. 21—Ames at Ames.

CRESTON SHOPS BUILD ENGINE. Burlington Machinists in Great Glee Over the Success of Efforts. Creston, Dec. 31.—Burlington shopmen of the Creston division are justly proud of the result of the maiden trip of locomotive No. 383, constructed in the local shops.

"BOBBIE" IS ILL-FATED. Iowa Falls Lad Divides Time Between Hospital and Quarantined Home. Special to Times-Republican.

Iowa Falls, Dec. 31.—That life is just one thing after another is proving particularly true in the case of "Bobbie" Welden, the second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welden, of this city.

BURGLARY AT ONTARIO. Coats, Shoes and Other Merchandise Taken From Hutchinson Store. Special to Times-Republican.

LeMars Man to Fight Payment of \$15,000 Breach of Promise Judgment. Special to Times-Republican.

Nebraska, Dec. 31.—The breach of promise case of Margaret Morgan against F. J. Muench, of LeMars, has been appealed to the supreme court. The lower court awarded damages to the plaintiff of \$15,000 and the defendant appealed.

Brief News of Traer. Special to Times-Republican. Traer, Dec. 31.—Mrs. John Everts, of Windsor, Mo., is here for a fortnight's stay with relatives.

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ONCE CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENCY

Passing of Unique Character at Davenport Reunites Self Announced Candidate for Presidency of United States in 1908 - Was Inspiring Battle to Escape Asylum.

Davenport, Dec. 31.—After being spared the humiliation of the insane ward and being allowed to go to his basement rooms to die, the death of a pauper, George DeVaney, one of the well known Davenport characters, died at 929 Grand avenue, the victim of pneumonia. He was 52 years old.

Insane commissioners could see in the distance the coming of the grim reaper when DeVaney was on trial to prove his sanity. It was a bitter fight, one of which a more robust man should be proud.

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WHAT CAUSES COLDS? This question is asked every day. A cold is really a fever, not always caused by the weather but often due to disordered blood or lack of important food-elements.

Thomas Jarvis, of Coon Valley township, has purchased of E. M. Young his 81-acre farm in Cedar township for a consideration of \$155 per acre.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Miller of this city celebrated their golden wedding here Wednesday and all their sons and daughters were home for the happy occasion.

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