

WET GOODS DEALERS

Seventy-two of Them Make Applications for Licenses to Continue Business.

A Number of Old Dispensers and Several Strangers Are Looking for Locations.

A Few of the Changes That Will Be Made—Some Firms Will Retire.

It now begins to look as if more saloons would be licensed this year than there were last year, when seventy-nine annual permits to sell the ardent were disposed of by the city. So far City Clerk Hadden has received seventy-two applications for licenses. According to law these applications must be advertised two weeks before the license is granted. The old licenses expire July 1 and those who fail to make application in time, for the two weeks advance advertisement will be closed then. The only applicants for new places are Quinn & Foley, who will open a saloon in the building opposite the chamber of commerce, now occupied by a restaurant, and Fritz Schumann, who will occupy the new building on East Third street next to where the Turner hall stood.

At least two old saloons will close July 1. They are the Midway house place, now in the hands of Theodore Tierker, receiver, and John Nygard's old place at 115 Garfield avenue. Those now engaged in the business who have so far failed to apply for licenses are Thomas Timlin, Jay Anderson, C. W. Leviston, George Clendenning, Joseph Clendenning and Caverley & Atkinson. It is said the latter firm is going out of the business. George Clendenning is looking for a location, and so is his brother Joseph, whose place opposite the Spalding will soon be torn down to be replaced by the new Miller theater building. Jay Anderson is going to retire from the business and devote his whole time to the Clyde Iron works. His place will probably be purchased by Paddy Doran or Sam Healey.

There are at least half a dozen new comers who are looking for locations and will go into the business as soon as they find them. Those who have already applied for licenses are:

C. D. Campbell, James Sullivan, John Mullen, R. C. Kennedy, W. M. Carlson, Otto Meier, John Haller, Edgar Brown, Butchart & McKinney, Chas. Larson, P. Gabrielson, A. D. King, Ole Olson, John Schultz, Peterson & Co., Gettings & McDermott, Henry F. Miller, Matt Amundson, Joseph Brude, Joseph Burns, Duff & Zien, Turcotte & Carpenter, Boyle Bros., Hoppe & Ignasiak, D. O'Connell, Hogan & Tongway, Oscar Fler, V. Herggren, Smith & Butchart, James Belmont, Charles A. Beattie, Jacob Stubbler, Levasseur & Gourdeau, Louis Wolfrom, Charles Johansen, Herman Zerbel, Gottlieb Krause, J. A. Butchart & Co., Marshall & Ignasiak, John A. Anderson, Albert C. C. Miller, John Lundin, T. C. Connors, A. J. Heard, Lundberg & Jernberg, Charles Musolf, Sansted Bros., Heller & Lueb, Farrell & McArthur, John M. Caplis, Thomas Cullyford, E. F. Emerson, Angus Oestrich, John Tunlin, Nelander & Nelson, Campbell & Steele, John T. Cullen, M. Engstrom, August F. Stahlbusch, John P. Lundquist, Andrew Marshall, Thomas Denton, Henry Savage, Levine Bros., John Hendrickson, W. A. Wagner, A. Fitzer & Co., Julius Kessler & Co., Wm. F. Lawrence.