

Are You A Resident of Nevada?

Stop And Figure It Out Yourself

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CARSON, Feb. 11. (U.P.)—Nevada's residential requirements, long since in a muddle, became even more so when the legislature adopted the Henderson bill providing that a pauper is not a Nevada pauper until he or she has lived in the state three years.

That brings us down to this peculiar situation.

1—Six weeks is sufficient to establish citizenship for divorce purposes.

2—Six months are required for voting or the obtaining of a residential fishing or hunting license.

3—One year to go crazy. That is if a person becomes insane after living here less than a year the

state where that person formerly resided is held responsible.

4—Three years to become a Nevada pauper.

5—One minute for the obtaining of a marriage license.

Which brings to mind the puzzle: When is a resident not a resident?

The new pauper law resulted primarily from conditions at Las Vegas where many persons have congregated in the hope of working on Hoover dam. Most of these persons are properly residents of other states, Clark county contends. In any event, caring for them would overwhelm the county. Therefore, the pauper bill introduced by Senator Henderson, Las Vegas, lawyer.