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NOTICE is hereby given to all persons and bodies corporate or politic, doing business in Kent county, and requiring a State license to obtain a license or renew the same on or before

THE FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT.

A failure on the part of persons now engaged in business to renew their license by the first day of May next, will subject them to a fine.

Clerk James T. Dixon will be ready to issue license on or before the first day of May next, at his office in the Court House.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of license laws:

If applicant's stock in trade

does not exceed	$ 1,000	$12 60
If over $1,000 not over	1,500	15 60
" 1,500 "	2,000	18 60
" 2,500 "	4,000	22 60
" 4,000 "	6,000	30 60
" 6,000 "	8,000	40 60
" 8,000 "	10,000	50 70
" 10,000 "	15,000	65 60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where is in engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at the principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting a license applies through an agent.

STALLIONS—Any owner and keeper of every Stallion or Jack shall before being permitted to stand or station such animal pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties of the State the highest sum that he intends to receive for the season for one mare and the receipts of the said clerk, with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for standing or stationing such a stallion or jack for one year from the date thereof, provided that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid by this section for such license be less than ten dollars, and that every stallion or jack, upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax.

Any owner or keeper standing or stationing any stallion or jack without a license shall forfeit and pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid in the last preceding section, one-half to the State and the other half to the informers.

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The Shakespearean Recital.

Arrangements have been completed for the appearance of Mrs. Hannibal A. Williams, of New York, the well-known interpreter of the plays of Shakespeare, in Chestertown on the evening of Thursday, April 15, in the Parish House of the Protestant Episcopal Church. The sweet pastoral comedy, "As You Like It," has been selected for interpretation This will be given entirely from memory, and the varied and various characters will be differentiated by appropriate changes of voice and facial expression. This will be Mrs. Williams' first appearance in Chestertown and judging from the cordiality with which the proposed recital has been received, a large audience will be in attendance.

After the fourth recital in Annapolis, President Thomas Fell, of Saint John's College, wrote under date of the 12th of January last: "An opportunity to renew our acquaintance with Mrs. Hannibal Williams, last evening, gave us a great deal of pleasure. We had several times before enjoyed hearing her recitals, but this one, Shakespeare's tragedy, Romeo and Juliet, gave evidence of the great advance she had made since her last visit here, both in artistic finish and in comprehensive grasp of her subject. She held the audience spell-bound, and I think every one will gain a fuller appreciation of the beauty and charm of the lay from her rendering of it."

A Fine Entertainment.

The Ladies Town Improvement Association are making preparations for a very elaborate entertainment and supper to be given in Stam's Hall, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, May 4, 5 and 6. "Bibi," a dramatic performance of rare beauty given by local talent under instruction from leaders from Harrisburg, Pa. and spectacular drills in which more than 100 children will take part, will be given two evenings. The last evening will be devoted to an elaborate supper, with ices, etc., on sale. This entertainment was recently given in Salisbury to a packed house, Mrs. John M. Toulson, formerly of this town, being one of the leading characters. Full particulars with a list of committees will be published next week, and it is only necessary to say now that if you care to witness a charming entertainment for a worthy cause, you had better save your money for May time.

It is unnecessary to lose any of the young chicks at this season. The regular use of Fairfields Blood Tonic for Poultry Only will purify their digestion and insure healthy and rapid growth. Results are guaranteed when directions are carefully followed.

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