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Public Local Laws.

Public Local Laws

For Talbot County,

PASSED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, AT THE JANUARY SESSION, 1882.

(OFFICIAL.)

AN ACT

To forbid the sale or barter (as a beverage or drink in contradistinction to a Medicine) of Cider, Medicated Bitters producing intoxication, or intoxicating liquors in Talbot County, where the sale or barter of spirituous or fermented liquors is now unauthorized. And to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in Talbot County for Medicinal purposes.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall be unlawful for any person to barter or sell any Cider or Medicated Bitters producing intoxication, or any other intoxicating liquers within the limits of Talbot County, where now the sale or barter of spirituous or fermented liquors is unauthorized; Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the compounding or sale of Cider, spirituous, fermented or intoxicating liquors by a regular pharmacist or druggist having a license for such business upon the written bona fide prescription of a regular physician whose name in full shall be signed thereto, the date and the name of the person for whom the prescription is intended and every such prescription shall be filed and kept for at least one year by such pharmacist or druggist, and no such prescription shall serve for more than one purchase. No physician shall make or sign any such prescription unless the same be requisite and necessary and such liquor required as a Medicine. Any one violating the provisions of this act shall on conviction be fined not less than Fifty Dollars nor more than Three Hundred Dollars for each and every offense and be committed until fine and costs are paid.

And provided further that this act shall not prevent the manufacture of Cider from fruit of any kind, by the grower of such fruit or the sale of the same in quantities over ten gallons.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY, That the aforegoing is a correct copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed January Session, 1882.

Approved May 3d, 1882.

JOSEPH B. SETH,
Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
J. M. MILLER,
Secretary of the Senate

A BILL

Entitled, An Act to extend the powers of the Bailiff of the town of St. Michaels in Talbot County.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Bailiff of the town of St. Michaels, in Talbot County, be authorized and empowered to act as a conservator of the peace in any part of said county; to execute all criminal process in any part of said county which may be directed to him by any Justice of the Peace or other officer of said county authorized to issue such process; and for such service aforesaid, shall receive such fees as the constables of the county now receive in such cases, payable by the County Commissioners.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates.
J. M. MILLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

A BILL

Entitled, An Act to authorize the Commissioners of Talbot County to open water courses through private property in said County to secure the proper drainage of the public roads therein.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That whenever any Supervisor or Contractor of the Public Roads in Talbot County shall find it necessary to open a water-course through private property in said County to secure the proper drainage of any Public Road therein, he shall forthwith so inform the County Commissioners of Talbot County, and if the owner or owners of said property consent to the opening of such water-course, or if such owner or owners and the said County Commissioners shall agree upon the value and price to be paid for the same, then such consent and agreement shall be entered on the Books of the said County Commissioners and such water-course shall be opened; but if they cannot agree and the said County Commissioners decide that the opening of such water-course is necessary to drain said road, they shall authorize said Supervisor or contractor to summon a jury of twelve men to value and condemn said water-course, deducting from their estimate the value, if any, that such water-course will be to the owner or owners of said property through which it shall pass, and as soon as the money for such water-course is tendered to the owner or owners of said private property, the said Supervisor or Contractor shall immediately cause such water-course to be opened.

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Examiner's Notice.

The undersigned having been appointed by the County Commissioners of Talbot county to lay down a new public road in Easton district, if in our judgment such road is a public necessity) running through the land of Dr. J. E. M. Chamberlaine down the line of the Town farm and connecting the Centreville and Hayland or Goldsborough's Neck roads, hereby give notice to all persons interested, that we will meet on the premises at the junction of Dr. Chamberlaine's farm and Goldsborough's Neck road, on Wednesday, June 7th, proximo, at 10 o'clock A. M., to execute said commission.

J. B. BENNETT,
JOHN CHILCUTT,
WILLIAM N. POWELL.

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Linseed Oil, Lead and Colors at bottom prices.

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it, while others do not.

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They Positively Cure.

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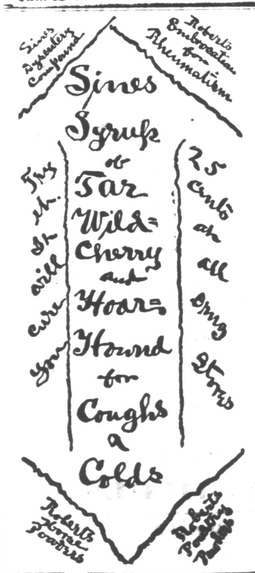

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Harness of all kinds, Collars, Bridles, Hames, Traces, Singletrees, Rope, Backbands, everything the farmer needs to put him in trim for the coming season. Call and see me. It will profit you.

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Poetry.

ADIEU.

These years are over, these few glad years blending
The sweets of loving with love's long good-byes;
A Dieu, a pleasant word, at last commending
To God's good keeping what we may not keep—
To that great love which we have held unending
Our wandring brothers and dear hearts sleep.
The last word whispered and the hand extending,
The last smile broken into tearful sighs,
The tears that live in many memories
Are love's last gift, and love is past our mending;
While slowly, slowly from the straining eyes
They all pass into the great wide deep.
So at the end our love surrenders you.
To God's good keeping for awhile—adieu.

—[London Society.

Select Story.

The Man That it Won't Do to Go a Projeckin' With Him.

The killing of McKissick created no little commotion throughout Cook Creek settlement. McKissick was Jim Gardner's man. The judge sent for the prosecuting attorney, and observed that this time Jim Gardner must go up, but when the case came to trial, the defence poured in unexpectedly strong. Six or seven witnesses testified that, though a dangerous man when roused, Gardner was peaceful and unaggressive; that his various killings had been in self-defence, and that if people would let him alone, he'd let them alone. As a last resort, the prosecution, seeing Billy Driver in the Court, and observing a dreadful scar upon his neck from a wound inflicted by the prisoner some years before, called him to the stand.

"Mr. Driver," said the State's Attorney, "do you know the prisoner at the bar?"

"What, Gar'ner, there?"

"Yes, sir, Gardner there."

"Oh, yes. I know Gar'ner."

"How long have you known him?"

"What, Jim Gar'ner?"

"Yes, sir, Jim Gardner."

"Well, Jedge—you see I disremember figures, but as man an' boy it's gwine on twenty years—mout be twenty-one, or it mout be nineteen and a half—thar or tharabouts."

"Where did you get that scar across your neck, Mr. Driver?"

"This 'ere scar, sir?"

"Yes, sir, that scar. Didn't it result from a wound inflicted by the prisoner at the bar, sir?"

"What, Gar'ner?"

"Yes, sir, Gardner."

"Oh, yes, that was Gar'ner. No doubt about that."

"Now, sir, tell jury just how it happened."

"Well, you see, me an' a parcel o' the boys was pitchin' dollars down to the cross-roads, and Jim Gar'ner he was lyin' on the grass, a-keepin' the score. After we'd run the pot up to fifteen dollars—it mout ha' been sixteen an' then ag'in it mout ha' been more'n fourteen, one o' the boys says, 'Let's go up to the grocery and git a drink.' We all 'lowed we'd go, an' jes' for devilment—not thinkin' there was any harm in it, you know—I ups an' knocks Jim Gar'ner's hat off, and says he, 'You cussed, cow legged, bandy-shanked, knock-kneed, web-footed, tangle-haired vermint, if you do that ag'in I'll cut your onery throat for you.' Well, we gets a drink and goes back to the cross-roads, an' in about a hour, or a hour and a half—it mout ha' been two hours—one o' the boys says ag'in, 'Let's go up to the grocery an' git a drink.' So we was gwine along to the grocery to git a drink, and jes' for devilment, you know—an' not thinkin' Gar'ner was in yearnest—I ups and knocks his hat off, an' the fust thing I know'd he whips out a knife and ducks it into my throat. I din't have no weapon nor nothin', so I 'lowed I'd better put a little daylight 'tween me an' Gar'ner, and I sorter slided off, like, he followin'; but, Lord! I know'd I had the bottom on' the hills, and that he couldn't ketch up with me. So every now and then I'd stop and let him git closer, jes' to devil him. Arter a while, however, he picks up a hay fork——"

"Stop, sir! Was the hay fork of wood or iron?"

"It mout ha' been o' wood, or it mout ha' been o' iron, or it mout ha' been steel—"

"How many teeth did it have?"

"Well, you see, when I see Jim Gar'ner pick up the hay fork, thinks I, I better put a little more day light between me an' him, and I disremember the number o' teeth—it mout ha' been two, an' then ag'in it mout ha' been four, may be five—I was in a bit of a hurry, an' I didn't exactly count 'em."

"Go on, sir!"

"I did go on, sir, an' presently we got in sight o' my house, an' my wife happened to be comin' out to cut some wood, and as I run past her to get out o' Gar'ner's way, she fetched him with the ax."

"Exactly, but for which he would have killed you."

"Who, Gar'ner?"

"Oh, in course—in course. It stands to reason. Ther warn't no other door for me to get out of, an' he woul' ha' been in that if my wife hadn't downed him with the ax."

"How far is it from the Cross Roads to your house, Mr. Driver?"

"Bout a mile, or a mile and a half, Jedge mout be two miles. I never measured it axactly."

"Now, Mr. Driver, will you tell the Court what sort of a man you consider the prisoner at the bar?"

"What, Gar'ner?"

"Yes, sir, Gardner?"

"I do no nothin' ag'in Gar'ner, sir."

"Don't you think him a desperate character, sir?"

"What, Gar'ner?"

"Yes, sir, Gardner."

"No, sir; I never heern Gar'ner so called."

"Why, you say he cut your throat almost from ear to ear, followed you with an iron or steel hay-fork for two miles, and was only prevented from taking your life by the interposition of your wife."

"What, Gar'ner?"

"Yes, sir, Gardner."

"I can't swear he didn't sir."

"Then, if you don't consider him a desperate character, what do you consider him?"

"Wh-t, Gar'ner?"

"Yes, sir, Gardner."

"Well, your honor, of course Gar'ner is a clever man—I've knowed of him gwine on to twenty years—mout be twenty-one, an' ag'in it mouth't be but nineteen an' a half—an' I should say that Gar'ner is a man that it won't do to go a projeckin' with him."

Farmers' Wives.

It is an evident fact that farmers' wives are afflicted with many diseases which are the result of everwork. They are constantly on one ceaseless routine of toil from daylight at morning until late at night. No change, no relaxation, no rest! Farmers should note this fact, and be forewarned before it is too late. It is astonishing what an amount of labor the wives of farmers perform. Many of them get up and have breakfast ready before their husbands are out of bed. Then it is work, work, work until near midnight, their minds during the time being constantly occupied with their duties, and with thinking of how the food is to be supplied, when the washing and ironing is to be done, when time can be spared to scrub the floor, how the children are to be clothed and kept tidy, and innumerable other things not necessary to mention, all of which combine to overwork and break down the strongest woman in the land. In no case is it safe to be continuously thinking upon any one thing, and in cases where the brain has been weakened by too great a strain upon it, thereby producing insanity, epilepsy, vertigo, hysterics, female weakness, general debility, and a multitude of other diseases, the remedy is first and a few bottles of Dr. S. A. Richmond & Co's Samaritan Nervine. It acts directly upon the nervous centres and invigorates and strengthens the whole system. Many ladies have refrained from using Samaritan Nervine on account of an existing prejudice against advertised medicines. Let us ask a question: Are you prejudiced against sewing machines because you have seen them advertised, or can you doubt the ingenuity and skill required in their invention? Again, would you refuse to insure your house because the company advertised that it had paid millions of dollars in losses and yet had a capital of several millions left? Do such advertisements shake your confidence and create prejudice? Then why refuse to credit the testimony of those who have found Samaritan Nervine to be all that is claimed for it in overcoming those ailments peculiar to your sex? The following statement speaks for itself:

Fairfield, Lenawee Co., Mich.,
April 25, 1881.

Dr. Richmond—Dear Sir: This is to certify that my wife had fits for thirty-five years. They would last her about one hour and sometimes longer. I happened to hear of your medicine, and sent for some of it. She had no more fits after she took the first dose. She is now permanently cured, and her health is a great deal better than it has been for twenty years or more. You are entirely at liberty to use her picture and this testimonial in any manner which you please, and may sign my name to it. We owe you this much at least for what you have done for her.

Yours truly,
HENRY CLARK.

Twenty Years a Sufferer.

R. V. PIERCE, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.: *Dear Sir*—Twenty years ago I was shipwrecked on the Atlantic Ocean, and the cold and exposure caused a large abscess to form on each leg, which kept continually discharging. After spending hundreds of dollars, with no benefit, I tried your "Golden Medical Discovery" and now, in less than three months after taking the first bottle, I am thankful to say I am completely cured, and for the first time in ten years can put my left heel to the ground. I am yours,

WILLIAM RYDER,
87 Jefferson St., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ex-Gov. Hendricks has written a letter to a friend in Washington in which he predicts the nomination and election to Congress of Mr. Wm. E English, a son of Hon. Wm. H. English, from the Indianapolis districts. Mr. Hendricks adds that the greatest interest in political results is appearing, and that the democrats of Indiana "are hopeful—almost confident."

Thousands of women bless the day on which Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription" was made known to them. In all those derangements causing backache, dragging down sensations, nervous and general debility, it is a sovereign remedy. Its soothing and healing properties render it of the utmost value to ladies suffering from "internal fever," congestion, inflammation, or ulceration. By druggists.

The first step toward making a man of your son is to teach him to earn what he spends; the next step is to teach him to save his earnings.

The original "Little Liver Pills" are Dr. Pierce's "Pleasant Purgative Pellets," and are extensively imitated. They cure sick and bilious headache. Private Government stamp with Dr. Pierce's signature and portrait mark the genuine. By druggists.

He who courts and goes away, may live to see another day; but he who weds and courts girls still, may get in court against his will.

M. B. Roberts' Poultry Powder will cure the worst case of cholera or gapes. With M. B. Roberts' Poultry Powder you can increase the number of eggs 50 per cent. Sold everywhere at 25 cents per package.

"Never send a present hoping for one in return." Never. Get your present first, always, and send yours when you have time.

A true assistant to nature in restoring the system to perfect health, thus enabling it to resist disease, is Brown's Iron Bitters.

No more sick chickens. Save your poultry, and cure them of disease, by using Roberts' Poultry Powder. It has never failed to cure cholera and all diseases to which fowls are subject. Price 25 cents per package.

Useful Information.

A CHAPTER OF INTERESTING FACTS.

Envelopes were first used in 1848.

The first air pump was made in 1650.

The first pen was made in 1830.

Anæsthesia was first discovered in 1844.

The first balloon ascent was made in 1783.

The first lucifer match was made in 1769.

The first iron steamship was built in 1830.

Coaches were first used in England in 1839.

The first horse railroad was built in 1826-7.

The entire Hebrew Bible was printed in 1488.

The first steamboat plied the Hudson in 1807.

Omnibusses were introduced in New York in 1830.

Kerosene was first used for lighting purpose in 1862.

The first watches were made in Nuremburg in 1477.

The first newspaper advertisement appeared in 1662.

The first copper cent was coined in New Haven in 1687.

The first use of a locomotive in this country in 1829.

The first telescope was probably used in England in 1620.

The first saw makers anvil was brought to America in 1714.

The first almanac was printed by Geo. Von Purbach, in 1460.

The first chimneys were introduced into Rose into Padua in 1368.

The first printing press was introduced in the United States in 1620.

Glass window first introduced into England in the eighth century.

The first steam engine on this continent was brought from England in 1753.

The first complete sewing machine was patented by Elias Howe, Jr., in 1846

The first society for the promotion of Christian knowledge was organized in 1698.

The first Algebra originated with Diophantus, in either the fourth or the sixth century.

Glass was early discovered. Glass beads were found on mummies over 3,000 years old.

The first attempt to manufacture pins in this country was made soon after the war of 1812.

Organs are said to have been introduced into churches by Pope Vitalianus about A. D., 1780.

The first glass factory in the United States, of which we have definite knowledge, was built in 1780.

The first national bank in the United States was incorporated by Congress, December 31, 1783.

The first temperance society in this country was organized in Saratoga county, New York, in March, 1808.

The first machine for carding, roving and spinning cotton made in the United States was manufactured in 1786.

The first compass was used in France in 1140, though the Chinese are said to have employed the loadstone earlier.

The first society for the exclusive purpose of circulating the Bible was organized in 1805, under the name of British and Foreign Bible Society.

The first telegraph instrument was successfully operated by S. B. Morse, the inventor, in 1835, though the utility was not demonstrated to the world until 1844.

The first daily newspaper appeared in 1708 The first newspaper in the United States was published in Boston, September 25, 1690. The first religious newspaper, the *Record*, was established in 1815.—*Democratic Advocate.*

Surprised.

A good many years ago, an English clergyman travelling through this country, was struck by the beauty of a church which was nearly completed in one of our larger cities. Entering an open door, he observed a group of workmen in the chancel and addressed one who seemed to be directing the others.

"Bishop Blank resides here, I believe?"

"Yes"

The stranger knew this dignitary by reputation as one of the most eloquent and godly in the church, and asked curiously:

"Where is his place?"

"There," pointing to a plain brick dwelling across the street. The Englishman was perplexed, being used to the pomp of the lord bishops at home, who in their apron and lawn sleeves held an imposing place in the House of Peers.

"Ah—h! Now, this church? Very good, indeed. Pure style. Better than I hoped to see in America. Who designed this stone-work?"

"I did," modestly replied the man.

"The master-mason, eh? Who was your architect?"

"I was the architect, too," smiling.

"Indeed! Why, you are Jack of all trades. You will tell me you designed the windows next."

"I did."

"The Englishman was amused. He chatted with the workman awhile, finding him to be singularly modest and quiet in manner, but said at last, "I am going to pay my respects to the bishop. At what hour will I probably be admitted?"

"You will not find him at home now; I am the bishop."

Afterwards the Englishman in telling the story, said: "I learned to know, and reverence him well after that, and I never knew a man so lacking in self esteem. Whenever in the canticle I thank God for the holy and humble men of heart,' I think of the American bishop."—*Youth's Companion.*

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