

1. From and after the passage of this act it shall not be lawful for the clerks of the Circuit Courts of this State to issue any license for the sale of spirituous or fermented liquors or lager beer to any person or body politic in this State, unless such person or body politic shall have been recommended to said clerks by the Grand Jury, which shall have been in session at the term next preceding the first day of May in each and every year in the county where the applicant for such license shall reside; provided, however, that this act or any of its provisions shall not apply to Baltimore city, Baltimore, Prince George's, Allegany, Somerset, Carroll, Howard, Washington, Wicomico, St. Mary's, Dorchester, Anne Arundel, Frederick, Cecil, Garrett and Montgomery counties.

Shall not be lawful.

Recom'ended to said clerks.

Shall not apply.

2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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

In force

Approved April 1, 1878.

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CHAPTER 235.

AN ACT to authorize the Comptroller and Treasurer to adjust and settle the accounts of the State against the Chester River Steamboat Company.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Comptroller and Treasurer be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to adjust, compromise and settle the account of the State of Maryland against the Chester River Steamboat Company up to the first day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and to give to said company, in settlement, such credits as they may deem to be just and right.

Comptroller and Treasurer authorized to settle account