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XXXVII.
May suppress
disorderly re-
tailers, &c.

XXVI. **And be it enacted,** That if any retailer shall keep a disorderly house, upon complaint made thereof to any county court on the western shore, they may suppress such retailer; and, during the recess of the court, upon complaint made to any two of the justices of any county court on the said shore, or upon their own observation of such disorderly house, it shall be lawful for them to suspend such retailer till the next county court, who may hear and finally determine on the conduct of such retailer, and either entirely suppress or permit the continuation of such retailer; and if any retailer, suspended as aforesaid, shall presume, during such suspension, to retail, he shall forfeit forty shillings current money for every such offence.

Sealed mea-
sures only to
be used, &c.

XXVII. **And be it enacted,** That every licensed retailer shall sell only by sealed measures, (except bottled cider, perry and strong beer, of the produce of this state,) and every retailer, who shall neglect to keep a sealed gallon, quart, and pint measure, or who shall refuse or neglect to sell by the same, shall forfeit and pay twenty shillings current money for every refusal or neglect, to the party grieved; and it shall be lawful for any justice or constable, on complaint, to enter into the house of any retailer, and there call for and inspect the measures used by such retailer.

Merchants,
&c. not to sell
less than ten
gallons, &c.

XXVIII. **And be it enacted,** That any thing in this act shall not prohibit any merchant, or person keeping store for the sale of merchandise, to sell any wine, rum, brandy, whisky, or other distilled spirituous liquors, not less than ten gallons, so that such liquor, nor any part thereof, be not drank in the house or store, or prohibit any person, his agent, clerk, or other manager, to sell or supply any such liquor, not less than one pint at the same time, to tradesmen, labourers, or others, hired or employed by such person, or his agent, clerk, or other manager.

Retailers not
to sell on Sun-
days, &c.

XXIX. **And be it enacted,** That it shall not be lawful for any retailer to sell or barter any such spirituous liquor, between the hours of eleven o'clock of every Saturday night, and five o'clock of the Monday morning thereafter, under the penalty of forty shillings current money for every such offence.

Licences may
be granted at
any court, &c.

XXX. **And be it enacted,** That any person, not having before had a licence to retail may, at any other court other than August court, have licence granted, if the county court shall approve, to continue no longer than the August court following, when it shall determine, and may be renewed; for taking which licence the retailer shall pay in proportion to the time between his obtaining such licence and the court aforesaid.

Retailers to
enter into re-
cognizance,
&c.

XXXI. **And be it enacted,** That every person applying for licence to retail shall, at the time of granting the same, enter into recognizance to the state, in the sum of one hundred pounds current money, with two sufficient securities, conditioned, that if the person obtaining such licence shall well and truly observe, perform and keep, the several matters and things required by this act, and in every respect conform thereto, then the said recognizance to be void, otherwise of force.

Persons not to
sell liquor at
horse races
without li-
cences, &c.

XXXII. **And be it enacted,** That no person shall sell or barter any wine, rum, brandy, whisky, or other distilled spirituous liquors, strong beer or cider, on the western shore, at any horse-race, without a licence for that purpose obtained, under the penalty of twenty pounds for every offence; and any person desirous to obtain licence for the selling such liquors at any horse-race, may apply to any justice of the peace, and if he approves of such person, he may direct the clerk of the county to grant licence to such person to sell any such liquors at the horse-race specified in such licence, and on obtaining such licence there shall be paid to the clerk the sum of twenty shillings current money, to be by him paid to the sheriff of the county, and two shillings and six-pence to the clerk for his trouble, and the clerk shall, annually, on or before the first day of October, transmit a list of all such licences granted in his county to the treasurer of the western shore, and the sheriff shall pay all money by him received to the said