

dates for racing in Harford county for the current year, but such dates so awarded shall not exceed sixty days in the aggregate, and the decision of the commission on the award of all such dates shall be final. No one corporation or association shall receive more than thirty racing days in any one year, divided into not more than two meetings, and no dates shall be awarded for any meeting to be held during the months of December, January, February and March of any year, nor shall more than one meeting be held on any one day of the year in Harford county.

7. Each applicant desiring to hold races on the day or days awarded by the commission shall before the issuance of any license, and on or before the first day of May following the allotment of such days, pay to the said commission a license fee as follows: \$10.00 for each day of any meeting for the conduct of running races, up to seven days, and \$200.00 a day for each additional day thereof, and \$10.00 for each day of any meeting for trotting or pacing horses. And the said applicant, excepting only regularly incorporated agricultural associations holding not more than two meetings in one year of not more than seven days duration, in addition to the license fee paid as aforesaid to said racing commission, shall pay to the treasurer of Harford county, Maryland, five per cent. of the gate receipts of any and all such authorized meetings, to be used and expended by the County Commissioners of Harford County aforesaid in the construction and maintenance of the public roads in Harford county, State of Maryland.

Any race meeting whereat four or more running races for horses shall be held on or advertised for one day shall be deemed to be a meeting for the conduct of running races under the terms thereof.

8. Upon the award of days to any applicant and upon payment of the license fee as above prescribed the commission shall issue a license for the holding of the meeting during the days awarded to such applicant and for which the license fee shall have been paid, which said license shall be for all purposes in substitution for that now required by law and shall contain a condition that all races or race meetings conducted thereunder shall be subject to all the rules, regulations and conditions from time to time prescribed by the commission and such license shall be revocable by the commission for any violation thereof or whenever the continuance of such license shall be deemed by the commission not conducive to the interest of legitimate racing. But if any license is refused or revoked said commission shall state publicly its reasons for so doing and cause an