

indirectly, or any composition of which such liquors, or any of them, shall form the chief ingredient, except such as shall be compounded to be used as a medicine, within the limits of Dame's Quarter district and St. Peter's district of Somerset county; and any person violating the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction, shall be fined not less than twenty, nor more than fifty dollars, in the discretion of the court, for the first offence; and if convicted a second time, shall be fined not less than fifty, nor more than five hundred dollars, and be imprisoned for not less than ten nor more than thirty days, in the discretion of the court; and in every subsequent offence, the fine and imprisonment of the last preceding offence, both as to minimum and maximum, shall be doubled; one-half of which fines shall go to the informer, and the other half to the State

1874, ch. 425.

140. The provisions of the preceding section shall not be construed to apply to sales of liquors for strictly medical or mechanical purposes, cider, beer or home-made wines.

1876, ch. 158.

141. No malt, vinous, spirituous or intoxicating liquors, or any composition of which malt, spirituous, vinous or intoxicating liquors form the chief ingredient, shall be sold, directly or indirectly, or knowingly permitted to be sold, except such as shall be compounded to be used as a medicine, or for mechanical purposes, and except home-made wines, home-made cider and home-made beer, within the limits of Mount Vernon district of Somerset county, being election district number five of said county; and any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars, in the discretion of the court, for the first offence; and for a second offence, not less than fifty nor more than five hundred dollars, and shall be imprisoned, in addition to the fine imposed, not less than ten nor more than thirty days, in the discretion of the court; and for every subsequent offence, the fine and imprisonment affixed to the last preceding offence shall be doubled; and one-