or in such other place or places, in said county, where prohibition may exist at the time of the passage of this act, whether the voters of said county shall declare at the election herein provided for against the sale of such liquors or not.

Not to interfere with prescriptions

Fine for violation.

Sec. 6. And be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the compounding or sale of any such liquors by a pharmacist or druggist who may or shall obtain license therefor under the license laws of the State, upon the written bona fide prescription of a regular practicing physician, whose name shall be signed thereto, and every such prescription shall be filed and kept by such pharmacist or druggist, and no prescription shall be filled but once; but no physician shall make or sign any such prescription unless the person for whom it is made is actually sick, or such liquors are absolutely required as a medicine; and any physician who, after said first day of May, (1880) eighteen hundred and eighty, shall make or sign any prescription for such liquors, except as aforesaid, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this act, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than fifty dollars for the first offence, nor less than one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars for each subsequent offence, said fine to be paid to Board of Public School Commissioners of Prince George's county, for the use of said public schools; nor shall anything herein be construed to prohibit a sale by such pharmacist or druggist in case of extreme illness, when delays may be dangerous to the patient.

Effective

SEC. 7. And be it enacted. That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 25, 1880.