

they have been acquainted with the petitioner or petitioners for one year preceding said application for said license, and that they have good reason to believe and do believe, that all the statements contained in said petition are true, and that they therefore pray that the prayer of said petitioner be granted and the license issued as prayed for. If after the notice provided for in this act, there be no remonstrance filed with said clerk against the issuing of any license prayed for as aforesaid, said clerk shall issue such license upon said petitioner filing with said clerk a bond as hereinafter provided and praying to said clerk for such license to do and carry on such business in the corporate limits of the city of Cumberland the sum of seventy-five dollars; provided however, that if there be any remonstrance against the issuing of such license to any one petitioner therefor, the Circuit Court for Allegany County shall fix a day as early as practicable, when petitions and remonstrances shall be heard, and said court shall, in its discretion, whenever in its opinion the petitioner or petitioners is or are unfit persons to be granted such license, direct the said clerk not to issue the same; but if said court shall determine that such licenses shall be issued then the clerk shall issue the same, provided, that no license under this act shall be issued to any applicant therefor until the license fee hereinbefore provided for shall have been paid, and the bond herein required shall have been filed and approved and the said clerk is hereby required and directed from the moneys received for such licenses to do or carry on such business in the city of Cumberland to pay first to the State the amount now received by it for such licenses in said city of Cumberland and the excess over and above the sum now charged by the State for such licenses in said city shall be by said clerks paid into the treasury of the city of Cumberland to be used by the corporate authorities of said city as in their discretion they may deem proper.

Remonstrance.

SEC. 175 D. No licenses to sell spirituous or fermented liquors within the corporate limits of the city of Cumberland shall be granted to any other person or persons than such as are citizens of the United States of temperate habits and good moral character, who have complied with the requirements of this act, and no person having a saloon license shall sell in greater quantities than a pint at one time, nor shall any one having a wholesale or traders' license sell in less quantity than a pint at any one time; and no license shall be issued for a longer period than one year; if issued for a shorter period the licensee shall pay for every month for which the license so issued is to run, one-twelfth of the annual charge for such license, and all the licenses

Who to have license.