

solvent debtors shall be applicable to cases, on application to a justice of the peace of said district, when the party fined has been confined in jail for such a period as would entitle him to his discharge under said law from the county jail, if confined therein by a judgment of the Circuit Court, and said party not having been sooner discharged by order of the commissioners.

When applicable.

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Chapter 467.

AN ACT to forbid the sale or barter (as a beverage or drink in contradistinction to a medicine) of Cider or Medicated Bitters, producing intoxication, or other intoxicating liquors, in Talbot county, where the sale or barter of spirituous or fermented liquors is now unauthorized, and to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in Talbot county for medicinal purposes.

Where unlawful.

How construed.

Prescription filed and kept.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it shall be unlawful for any person to barter or sell any cider or medicated bitters, producing intoxication, or any other intoxicating liquors, within the limits of Talbot county, where now the sale or barter of spirituous or fermented liquors is unauthorized; provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the compounding or sale of cider, spirituous, fermented or intoxicating liquors by a regular pharmacist or druggist having a license for such business, upon the written *bona fide* prescription of a regular practicing physician, whose name in full shall be signed thereto, the date and the name of the person for whom the prescription is intended; and every such prescription shall be filed and kept for at least one year by such pharmacist or druggist, and no such prescription shall serve for more than one purchase; no physician shall make or sign any such prescription unless the same be requisite and necessary, and