

## LAWS OF MARYLAND.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the questions whether or not any person or persons, house, company, association or body corporate, as hereinafter described, may be licensed in Cecil county, of this State, by whom, or in which spirituous or fermented liquors, intoxicating drinks or cider, may be sold, or whether or not no license to sell the same in said county, shall be issued, shall be submitted to the qualified voters of said county, on Tuesday, the second day of November, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, at the election then to be held therein, and the Sheriff of said county shall, at least three weeks previous to said election, cause public notice to be given, of the submission of said question, by advertisements set up at the most public places within each election district of said county, and also by advertisements in two newspapers of general circulation therein; which said advertisements shall contain a copy of this act, and of the time and places of holding said election; and the cost of such advertisements and hand-bills, and the cost of said Sheriff, shall be paid by the County Commissioners of said county, but if, for any cause, said notice shall fail to be given, said failure shall not effect the validity of this act or operate to prevent its taking effect.

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SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That ballots cast at said election, on the question of license or no license, to be counted as deciding for or against the sale or gift of spirituous or fermented liquors, intoxicating drinks or cider, in said county, shall have printed or written on them the words, "For license," or, "Against license;" and the votes cast for license, and the votes cast against license, shall be carefully counted by the Judges of said Election in the respective districts of said county, and the number of votes for license and the number of votes against license, shall be certified by them; and the Return Judges of said Election, at their meeting after said election, shall cast up the whole vote for license and against license in

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