

from the assessment books of each county in regard to licenses and assessments. This information was furnished to the Commission on cards, now a part of the permanent records of this office, and steps were then taken by this Commission to correct the mistakes and omissions heretofore existing. The result of the work in this line is shown in tabulated form:

REPORT OF TRADERS' LICENSES FOR YEAR ENDING  
SEPTEMBER 30, 1915

County	No. of licensees not assessed	No. of licensees under-assessed	No. of non-assessed licensees that should be assessed	No. having no license	Amt. of increase in license fees for 1915	Increased assessments on stocks in trade
Allegany .....	88	49	38	None	\$122.00	\$51,728.00
Anne Arundel ....	218	8	18	None	99.00	42,417.00
Baltimore County..	636	25	16	94	1,730.00	202,004.00
Baltimore City ...	1600	40	600	300	14,419.00	240,000.00
Calvert .....	14	5	1	7	44.00	7,380.00
Caroline .....	40	23	7	None	100.00	22,950.00
Carroll .....	60	25	5	None	119.25	15,025.00
Cecil .....	97	11	9	None	226.00	20,600.00
Charles .....	26	5	4	None	297.00	7,034.00
Dorchester .....	44	17	22	3	282.09	63,450.00
Frederick .....	101	25	84	None	1,393.94	52,315.00
Garrett .....	73	8	7	None	42.00	45,330.00
Harford .....	27	70	19	3	92.00	17,800.00
Howard .....	45	9	8	None	108.00	7,125.00
Kent .....	28	24	8	None	103.50	9,090.00
Montgomery .....	39	35	7	5	51.00	59,120.00
Prince George's ..	193	5	12	None	518.68	180,390.00
Queen Anne's ....	42	18	7	None	219.00	13,447.00
St Mary's .....	34	1	31	None	179.50	7,625.00
Somerset .....	38	17	9	None	40.00	15,090.00
Talbot .....	35	13	22	None	145.25	24,650.00
Washington .....	100	78	10	None	130.00	10,275.00
Wicomico .....	130	24	17	None	385.50	34,995.00
Worcester .....	138	4	22	None	242.00	6,850.00
Total .....	3846	539	983	412	\$21,088.71	\$1,157,690.00

At the request of some of the clerks of courts a form of application was prepared, for use by all applicants for traders' licenses, which was suitable either if the person appeared in person before the clerk of the court or before a proper officer in any part of the county remote from the county seat. The following is a copy of the form: