Duty of sheriff and clerk.

bitters shall be sold in the tenth election district will be submitted to the voters of said district on the seventeenth day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight; and the said sheriff shall, under like penalty, receive from the clerk of the circuit court for Prince George's county the poll-list or lists of registered voters of the tenth election district of said county now in said clerk's office; and said clerk is hereby directed to deliver the same and place the same in the hands of the judges of election already appointed, or appointed in the meantime by the county commissioners of said county, at least two days Manner of before said election, and the polls shall be opened at the usual place of voting in said district, or such place within said district, as may be designated by the county commissioners of said county, at eight o'clock A. M., and be closed at six o'clock P. M., when said ballots shall be

SEC. 6. And be it enacted, That nothing herein

voting.

counted publicly.

Legal con- contained shall be construed to prevent the comstruction. pounding of liquors in a prescription by a pharmacist or druggist, upon a written and bona fide prescription of a regular practicing physician of medicine, whose name shall be signed thereto. and such prescription shall be filed and numbered in regular order, and no prescription shall serve for more than one purchase; no physician shall give any such prescription unless the person is actually sick, and in the opinion of such physician actually requires the same; and any Penalties for physician who shall, under any other circumstances, give such a prescription, shall be liable to the penalties prescribed by section third of this act; but nothing in this section shall be construed to authorize any pharmacist or druggist to sell or barter any alcoholic bitters as a beverage; and any pharmacist or druggist so selling or bartering within said district shall be liable to the penalties prescribed in said section three of this act.

whom paid.

violation.

Sec. 7. And be it enacted. That one-half of Fines-to all fines imposed by this act shall be paid to the informer, and one-half to the board of school commissioners of said county for the use of the public schools; and in case fines be imposed by