

months; on or before the first day of July, if he desires a license for nine months; on or before the first day of October, if he desires a license for six months; on or before the first day of January, if he desires a license for three months; shall file an application in writing with the clerk of the Circuit Court for Baltimore County, in which he shall state: First, the name and residence of the applicant and how long he has resided there; second, that he is a citizen of the United States and has been for twelve months next preceding the filing of such application a bona fide resident of the State of Maryland, and for three months preceding the filing of such application a bona fide resident of Baltimore county; third, the place of birth of applicant, and if a naturalized citizen, when and where he was naturalized; fourth, the name and owner of the premises upon which the business licensed is to be carried on; fifth, that the applicant is not, or if the application is by a firm, that none of the applicants are in any manner pecuniarily interested in the profits of any business conducted at any other place in said county, where any spirituous or fermented liquors are sold or kept for sale; sixth, the kind of license desired, whether to sell in quantities not less than a pint and not to be drunk on the premises, or by the drink, and in quantities not more than a quart; seventh, the particular place where the business is to be conducted under the license sought, specifying the same by definite designation and description; eighth, that no person, except the applicant or applicants is in any manner pecuniarily interested in the business petitioned to be licensed, and that no other person shall in any manner pecuniarily interested therein during the continuance of the license asked for; ninth, that the applicants have not nor has any of them had a license for the sale of intoxicating or fermented or spirituous liquors in this State revoked, nor have they nor any of them been convicted of any felony within two years preceding the filing of said petition; and which said application shall be verified by the affidavit, made before the clerk of the court, to whom the application is made; and if any false statement is made in any part of said application, the applicant or applicants shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and upon indictment and conviction shall be punished accordingly, and any license issued upon such application shall be suppressed.

223. There shall be annexed to said application a certificate signed by at least ten reputable taxpayers, bona fide residents of the neighborhood in which the applicant proposes to conduct the business under the license applied for, in which the persons certifying shall each state his residence or place of business; that he is over thirty-one years of age; how long he has known