- 48Q. The said Liquor Control Board is hereby vested with all the rights, powers, authority and duties now vested in the County Commissioners of Harford County, conferred by Sections 421A to 421M, inclusive, of Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Harford County", sub-title "Liquor and Intoxicating Drinks", and as part of their duties shall issue and revoke licenses thereunder in the same manner as the same are now issued and revoked by the County Commissioners of Harford County, with the additional authority and direction to revoke and refuse to re-issue a license to a licensee on whose premises liquor containing more than four-teen percentum (14%) of alcohol by volume has been found. The attorney for the County Commissioners of Harford County shall also be attorney for the Liquor Control Board.
- Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the provisions of Section 414 to 421, inclusive, of Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Harford County", subtitle "Liquor and Intoxicating Drinks", and Sections 352 to 380, inclusive, of said Article, sub-title "Havre de Grace", are repealed insofar as the same are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act.
- SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That if any section or provision of this Act shall be held invalid or inconsistent with the other provisions thereof, such invalidity or inconsistency shall not affect the other sections or provisions thereof.
- SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the business, health and safety, and having been passed by yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.
- Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That the Town Commissioners of Aberdeen and Bel Air shall call a Special Election to be held on the same day and during the same hours as the General Election is held in November, 1940, but said Election shall be held in a separate place from where the General Election is held and shall be conducted under the same law, from the same voting lists, in the same manner and by the same persons as Elections are now conducted in the Towns of Aberdeen and Bel Air for the election of Town Commissioners. The Ballots for said Election shall be provided as Ballots are now provided for said Town Elections and shall have printed on them: "Shall there be a Dispensary in the Town of Bel Air or Aberdeen (as the case may be)?" after which shall be printed on