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THE undersigned, Attorneys at Law and Solicitors in Chancery, have, this 3rd day of July, 1866, formed a copartnership in the practice of their profession, under the name and style of Combs & Downs. They will practice in the county of St. Mary's and the adjoining counties, and in the Court of Appeals.

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ROBERT C COMBS,
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July 5, 1866—1y

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June 6, 1872—tf.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW,

LEONARDTOWN,

Jan 26, 1871—tf. MD.

JAS H. WILSON,

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BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT,

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Law passed at the January Session, 1860, of the General Assembly of Maryland.

Traders' Licenses—The amount to be paid by traders for license (the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath) is as follows: If the applicant's stock in trade does not exceed

	$ 1,000		$	12
Over	1,000 & not over	$1,500		15
"	1,500 "	2,500		18
"	2,500 "	4,000		22
"	4,000 "	6,000		30
"	6,000 "	8,000		40
"	8,000 "	10,000		50
"	10,000 "	15,000		65
"	15,000 "	20,000		80
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"	30,000 "	40,000		125
"	40,000 "			150

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The applicant must either take oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand, at the principal season of sale; or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace, when the person wanting the license applies through an agent. If the latter course be adopted, the following form will be deemed a sufficient compliance with the act:

St. Mary's county, to wit:

On this——day of——1873, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said county, personally appeared ——, and declared that he intends to apply for a trader's license, under the 2nd section of the act of January Session, 1858, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for St Mary's county, and made oath that the amount of the stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (*or by the concern in which he is engaged*, in case it be a partnership,) at the principal season of sale, (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade, *that the amount of the stock of goods which he expects to keep, &c.,*) does not (or will not) exceed $——

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If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which the Justice resides.

Persons may sell salt to cure fish in March, April or May without license.—Venders of cakes and venders of beer and cider, (lager beer excepted,) are not required to pay license.

License to Ordinaries and Tavern Keepers.—[illegible] licenses to ordinaries and tavern or Eating House keepers, will authorize the person obtaining the same, to sell spirituous or fermented liquors or lager beer, in quantities less than a pint, upon the payment of $50. With Clerk's and Sheriff's fees, added.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock in trade is not over $500 pay a license of $6 only; but if over that amount, they are required to pay the same license as other persons—oath to be taken as to amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

The Clerk shall not issue license to any person to sell spirituous or fermented liquors from whom the Grand Jury has recommended a license to be withheld, or to a person whose license has been suppressed by the Court, without the special order of the Court.

The 86th section of the Code, which required an applicant for license to open oyster and eating houses, to procure the recommendation of two neighboring freeholders, and also to make oath before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of his county, &c., as to the annual value of his house, is repealed.

The above licenses to retailers and oyster and eating houses go into effect the 1st of May.

By An Act of the General Assembly of Maryland it was enacted that "when any person, or body politic or corporate, shall propose to sell or barter anything mentioned in the preceding section, except spirituous or fermented liquors, he shall apply to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which he may reside, or if he resides in the city of Baltimore, to the Court of Common Pleas, for a license therefor; but no license to trade, or to sell spirituous or fermented liquors shall be issued by any Clerk of any Court to a feme covert, or to any person under the age of twenty-one, without the special order of the Judge of the Court, but no Judge shall give such special order to issue license to sell spirituous or fermented liquors unless upon the recommendation of at least ten respectable freeholders, residents of the wards or district wherein the place of sale may be; and whenever any license shall be issued to a feme covert or minor, the said feme covert or minor shall be responsible for all contracts made in the prosecution of their business under such license, and shall be liable to be sued therefor in any Court of this State; and the said feme covert may be sued or indicted and prosecuted in case of a violation by her of the License Laws of this State, or in case she should keep a disorderly house, as if she was a feme sole; and if judgment be obtained against her on any contract, execution shall or may issue in the ordinary way to effect her separate estate; Provided, however, that such responsibility shall in no manner affect or impair the responsibility of the husband or parent under the existing laws, and that this act shall take effect on the thirtieth day of April.

ADDITIONAL LAWS RELATING TO LICENSES.

Any person, or company of stage players, ventriloquists, slight hand performers, rope dancers, tumblers and wire dancers, shall, previously to exhibiting or performing for a reward, in any county in this State, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for such county, thirty dollars for one year, or one dollar for each exhibition, at his or their option.

Every person, or company of circus riders or equestrian performers, who shall exhibit for a reward in any county in this State, shall pay to the said Clerk the sum of thirty dollars for a license thereof for one year.

Every person or company who shall exhibit for a reward any animal or animals, or natural or artificial curiosities, of any kind, (except models of useful inventions,) shall pay to the said Clerk the sum of [illegible] dollars, for a license therefor [illegible] contain a list of persons, [illegible] or other [illegible] on or other vehicle the sum of $100; with two horses or other beast of burden and wagon or other vehicle the sum of $150.

"Twenty-two." No such license shall be granted to any other than a white person or to any hawker or pedler in the name or style of a partnership or company; and but one person shall act under any such license.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect on the day of its passage.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the following sections be and the same is hereby added to the fifty-sixth article of the Code of Public General Laws, to follow the second section thereof.

Any license may be obtained by partnerships or firms, as well as by individuals; but in all cases, the names or the partner of any firm shall be set forth in full in the license, and no license shall protect any person pretending to act under the same, unless he is named therein or is entitled as a representative, or assigned under the provisions herein-after contained in this article, and the Clerk issuing the license, shall enter upon the record of licenses, the full names of and the members of a co-partnership to whom such license is issued.

Sec 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect on the thirtieth day of April.

Sec. 1. And it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the following Section be added to Article Fifty-six of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled "Licenses."

Sec. And be it enacted, Any trader who has taken out license to sell goods, chattels, wares, merchandise, spirituous, fermented liquors or lager beer, in this State, shall have the privilege to sell out said license to any party purchasing his stock of goods and purchasing or renting his place of business, and the party so purchasing may continue to sell under the license of his predecessor in business until the expiration of said license.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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