

The undersigned respectfully report, that the Joint Committee have had under consideration the subject referred to; they recommend that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost, and further recommend the passage of the bill with the following amendments.

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Sub-section 1, line 7, after the words "Number Eight," insert the words "Fairmount District Number Six, Crisfield District Number Seven, Dames' Quarter District Number Two, and Hungary Neck District Number Five."

Strike out sub-section 3, and insert the following in lieu thereof: "If at said election, as named in the preceding section, a majority of the votes in either of said election districts hereinbefore mentioned, shall be 'against license,' then the provisions of this Act shall continue in force in said district, and no license shall be granted therein to sell or otherwise dispose of any vinous, malt, spirituous or intoxicating liquors, as provided against in the first sub-section thereof, but if a majority of the votes of either of said districts shall be 'for license,' then license may be granted to sell spirituous liquors in the same manner as now allowed by law, but the vote in either of said districts shall not control in any manner the provisions of this Act in any other district herein mentioned, or in Somerset county, than that in which it is cast, but the said vote of either of said districts shall apply to and control only the district in which it is cast;" at the end of sub-section 4, add the words "cider, beer, or home-made wines."

Strike out all of sub-section 5.

Sub-section 6: Strike out and insert the following in lieu thereof: "All licenses granted after the passage of this Act in either of said districts hereinbefore mentioned, which may declare and decide by vote aforesaid 'against license,' shall cease and become void after the first day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-five; and the Comptroller of the Treasury shall refund to the holder or holders of said license, the proportionate of money for the residue of the year such license has to run, from the first day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-five."