

in other valuable articles for the use of such carriage, or the conveyance of any person or persons or baggage therein than is allowed by this act, or who shall refuse or omit when required to inform any person using such carriage, or applying for the use of it, of the true number of such carriage, or the correct amount of the rate of fare authorized to be charged for the use of it, or who shall wilfully mislead and misconvey or insult by abusive or indecent and opprobrious language, any passenger whom he shall have, or shall have had in his care for conveyance in the carriage of which he is the driver, shall for every such offence incur such penalty, not exceeding twenty dollars, as shall be adjudged by the mayor of the said city, or any alderman or justice of the peace therein, before whom complaint shall be made by or on behalf of the party injured.

Penalty.
Other offences enumerated
Penalty.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That all penalties which shall be incurred under this act, or for the breach of any of its provisions, may be recovered by warrant issued in the name of the state, in the same manner, and before the same persons, as usual debts within the said city are recoverable, with the right of appeal to Baltimore city court, on the trial of which appeal, the party of whom the penalty is claimed, shall be entitled to a jury trial, but there shall be no stay of execution on any judgment appealed from, unless the party appealing shall give bond with security, approved by the officer rendering such judgment, and conditioned that the party appealing shall prosecute the appeal with effect, and obey, perform and pay such judgment as shall be rendered by Baltimore city court on the trial of the said appeal, and all penalties which shall be recovered for the breach of any provision of this act, shall be and they are hereby appropriated one-half to the use of the two dispensaries in the city of Baltimore, to be equally divided between them, and the other half to the use of the informer, whose name shall be endorsed on the warrant issued for the recovery of each respective penalty.

Penalties recoverable

Case of appeal.

Bond required.

Proceeds appropriated.

EXTRACT FROM THE REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS UNDER THE PRECEDING LAW.

The undersigned appointed by the mayor, commissioners under the third section of the act of the general assembly, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, to fix and determine the rates of fare, hire or compensation for the use of hackney carriages within the city of Baltimore, for transportation of passengers and baggage, and of either, having taken the oath prescribed by said act, a certificate whereof is hereto annexed, proceeded to the discharge of the duty required of them by your appointment. * * * * *

It has been thought useful to separate the different kinds of hackney coaching, and fix a rate of fare for each, instead of making a general charge and measuring the amount of the fare,