

to said party or parties, and used by them in violating the law.

Also,

Amend by striking out all after "Enacted," in first line, third section, and substitute the following :

That the Sheriff, Constable or Military Officer who has made the arrest, shall forthwith bring the offender or offenders, before some Justice of the Peace of the county for a hearing, and said Justice of the Peace shall either give the case an immediate hearing, or at the instance of the party shall appoint some early day within the next five days thereafter to hear the case, the party charged giving such good and sufficient bail as said Justice shall require for his attendance, and on conviction of the offender or offenders the said Justice shall decree a forfeiture of the canoe, boat or vessel together with all the tackle and apparel, and order the same to be sold by the officer making the arrest, who shall sell the same on five days' notice, to the highest bidder, subject to an appeal to the Circuit Court for Calvert county, and after the payment of all the expenses attending the arrest and the prosecution of the suit, he shall retain one-fourth of the balance himself, distributing one-fourth among the parties assisting in making the arrest, and pay over the remaining one half to the School Fund of the county to be used in the repair of old, and the erection of new public school houses.

Which were severally read and adopted.

The sections as amended were then read and adopted.

Said bill was then read the second time.

On motion by Mr. Hyland,

Leave of absence was granted to the Senator from Calvert county for one week.

The House bill entitled a supplement to an Act entitled an Act to incorporate stockholders of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, passed at the November session, 1810, chapter 67,

Was read the third time and passed by yeas and nays, as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,
Biggs,
Browne,
Carroll,
Clarke,

Hyland,
Kimmel,
Malone,
Miller,
Parker,