

and doing business in this State, such amounts as may have been paid by them for licenses since May the first, eighteen hundred and seventy-three.

*Whereas*, By Act passed by the General Assembly of Maryland, at the January Session of eighteen hundred and seventy-two, chapter three hundred and eighty-eight, section thirty-six, the same "taxes, fines, penalties, deposits of money or securities, or other obligations or prohibitions are imposed upon all Insurance Companies of other States, doing business in the State of Maryland," as are imposed upon Insurance Companies incorporated under the laws of the State of Maryland, and transacting business in such other State; and—

*Whereas*, The laws of the State of Pennsylvania, imposing a license of five hundred dollars, and an additional tax of three per cent. upon all premiums, receipts, was so changed, (taking effect after the required date of renewal of all licenses within the State of Maryland,) as to require only payment of the three per cent. tax on all premiums received; therefore,

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Comptroller of the Treasury, be and he is hereby requested and directed to credit on all statements of premium receipts made by Insurance Companies, incorporated under the laws of Pennsylvania, and transacting business in this State, such amounts as may have been paid by each of said Insurance Companies for license since May the first, eighteen hundred and seventy-three; *provided, however*, that the charge to each of said Insurance Companies for the year to end May the first, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, shall not be less than the amount of license heretofore paid.

Which was read the first time.

The Senate bill entitled "An Act to repeal and re-enact with amendments section 811 of Article IV. of the Public Local Laws of the city of Baltimore, entitled 'Police,' and to repeal all Acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act,"

Being under consideration,

The question recurring upon the amendment submitted by Mr. Blake on the 11th inst., viz:

41st line, after the word "intoxication," add the words "or theft."

Which was adopted.

Mr. Davis submitted the following amendment:

Strike out the word "Intoxication," wherever it appears