

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That section seventeen of said article fifty-six, is hereby repealed and re-enacted so as to read as follows: Repealed and re-enacted

SEC. 17. If any individual co-partnership or firm shall use or exercise the business or occupation of a stock broker, or an exchange broker, or a bill broker, or a pawn broker, without having procured a license, as required by this act, he shall be subject to a penalty of five hundred dollars for each offence, one-half for the use of the State, and the other half to the informer. Penalty for failure

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage. In force

Approved, April 6th, 1874.

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CHAPTER 257.

AN ACT to refund to John W. Tyler, Henry F. Chelton, and Major Todd, the State's portion of certain fines remitted and certified by the Governor, after having been paid into the Treasury.

WHEREAS, His Excellency, the Governor, has remitted the State's portion of its fine imposed upon John W. Tyler by George E. Haddaway, Esq., a justice of the peace for Talbot county, and Preamble

WHEREAS, said portion of said fine has been paid into the Treasury, and could therefore only be refunded by act of Assembly, and Preamble.

WHEREAS, said State's portion of the said three fines, including the fines imposed by said George E. Haddaway upon Henry F. Chelton, on or about the ninth day of April, eighteen hundred and seventy-three; and also the State's portion of the fine imposed by said George E. Haddaway, on or about the twenty-seventh day of March, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, on said Major Todd, have all been paid into the Treasury of the State, and Preamble