

shall have resided or remained in the city or county of Baltimore, for sixty successive days immediately preceding his application, to apply for the benefit of the Insolvent laws, to the commissioners of Insolvent Debtors for the city and county of Baltimore, and under such application to be discharged, to every effect as if such applicant had resided two years in this State, immediately preceding his application. subject however, except as to length of residence, to all the conditions and regulations applicable to other cases of petitions to such commissioners for the benefit of the insolvent laws; *and provided, however,* that the said commissioners be satisfied that the applicant did not come into this State for the purpose of obtaining the benefit of the said Insolvent laws; and that it shall not appear to the commissioners, that the applicant has been guilty of fraudulent pretences, or representatives in contracting any of the debts for which he shall be liable at the time of his application; in which case he shall not on his said application, be entitled either to a personal or final discharge.

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On conditions

And provided

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to extend to Samuel Thompson, of the District of Columbia, now confined in the jail of Baltimore county.

Samuel Thompson  
excepted

## CHAPTER 385.

*An act for the benefit of Hugh Brown.*

Passed May 1836

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it shall and may be lawful, from and after the passage of this act, for Cecil county court to authorise Hugh Brown of said county, the master and owner of a slave for a term of years, named Ned, otherwise called Edward Foard, to sell the unexpired time of said slave to any person who will transport such slave beyond the limits of this State; *Provided,* that the said Hugh Brown, in all respects, conforms to the provisions of the act of Assembly of this State, passed at December session, eighteen hundred and

Authorised to sell  
Ned Ford beyond  
the State

Bond required