

Act, shall prove to the satisfaction of the Justice of the Peace, that the said stock did not go at large from negligence or want of care on his part, and that due diligence was used to prevent it, the owner shall have return of the property on paying all expenses of keeping, and all costs whatever incurred, and one dollar for taking up each of said stock."

"Section 3. And be it enacted, That said Justice of the Peace shall be fully authorized to make sale of such stock if not returned as aforesaid, and out of all monies arising from such sale made under the execution of this Act, he shall pay to the party taking up, (if a constable or police officer,) and impounding said stock, one dollar for his services therein, and also all other expenses incurred, and the remainder to the owner or owners, who may establish claim to said property, and in the event of no such claimant appearing within thirty days thereafter, then the balance aforesaid shall be paid into the school fund for Baltimore county."

Pending the consideration of said bill and amendments.

On motion by Mr. Cooper,

Said bill was referred to Messrs. Cooper, Freeman and Gorman.

On motion by Mr. Gorman,

The Senate at 10.20 P. M., adjourned.

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SATURDAY, March 25, 1876.

Senate met at 11 A. M.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Amos,

Present at the roll call the following Senators:

Messrs. President, Aydelotte, Bannon, Brewer, Cooper, Duke, Dennis, Freeman, Ford, Getty, Gorman, Knight, Lawrence, Lloyd, McCulloh, Stevens, Steiner, Suit, Walsh—21.

Proceedings of Thursday's Session read and approved.

Mr. Walsh, from Committee on Finance, reported favorably,

Senate bill entitled an Act to repeal and re-enact Sections 2, 3, 8 and 15, of the Acts of 1874, chapter 233, entitled an Act to establish the Maryland House of Correction, and to add additional Sections thereto.

Which was read the first time.