said executor of William Stewart hath agreed to relinquish;

and whereas, it so appears, that all the debts of said Caleb Batson, have been paid and that no claims have been pre-

sented to the administrator de bonis non, although notice to

creditors has been published by him, agreeably to the order of said orphans court; and it also appears, that the said ad-

ministrator de bonis non, since the settlement of his aforesaid administration account and relinquishment of his aforesaid claim on said Batson's estate, has applied all the proceeds and avails of the industry of said negroes, to their support and maintenance, and that he is desirous of being relieved from the burthen of so employing and so supporting

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CHAPTER 233.

Passed March An act for the relief of the securities of Israel Mayberry, 7, 1842. late . Collector of the Taxes of Allegany County.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of M. C. Sprigg Maryland, That Michael C. Sprigg and others, securities authorised to of Israel Mayberry, late collector of Allegany county, for collect. the year eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to collect any and all

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them-therefore,

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the aforesaid Letty Batson, Adaline Batson, Daniel Batson, Caleb Batson, Duke Batson, William Batson, Brice Batson, Granville Batson, Thomas Batson, Galen Batson, Jim Buckanan, John Henry Buckanan, George Washington Buckanan and Lloyd Buckanan, be and they are hereby declared free; provided, that within twelve months from the passage of this act, they leave the State of Maryland and never return thereto.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the orphans court or in

county, be and they are hereby authorized in settling the fi-

nal account of said administrator de bonis non, to make an

allowance to him for the valuation and appraisement of said

negroes as charged to him; provided nevertheless, that he

shall be accountable for the estate, if any, of said Caleb Batson, that may have come into his hands since the settlement of his last administration account, after applying the said estate so far as may be necessary to satisfy any balance

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