

court, the said commissioners may thereafter grant a final discharge as aforesaid, or otherwise proceed to every effect, as if such report and return had not been made; and shall make a report and return of such further proceedings and the papers relating thereto to Baltimore county court: *And provided also*, that nothing herein contained, shall be construed to interfere with, or in any wise alter or affect the provisions of the act passed at December session, of the year eighteen hundred and twenty-nine, chapter two hundred and eight; and that when by reason of allegations being filed against the debtor in due time, before the day of final appearance, he shall fail to become entitled to a final discharge, the commissioners shall report and return the proceedings and papers in the case, to Baltimore county court accordingly.

In the 7th section, relating to payment of services of the commissioners, after the word 'commissioners,' insert 'or by the said clerk of said commissioners.'

The said bill was then read the second time, passed with the proposed amendments, and returned to the senate.

Mr. Teackle submitted the following message, which was read, assented to, and with the bill therein mentioned, sent to the senate;

By the House of Delegates,
March 14th, 1832.

Gentlemen of the Senate.

We return to you the bill, entitled, An act relating to free negroes and slaves, and request that your honorable body will reconsider the same, and recede from your 6th and 7th amendments.

The operation of those amendments would directly effect a radical change in the license system—injurious to the revenue, and extremely inconvenient and vexatious to the numerous persons affected by it in the several counties of this state.

By Order, G. G. Brewer, Clk.

Mr. Hood submitted the following resolutions:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Governor instruct the Adjutant General, to give notice in such papers in this state, as he may think most likely to convey general information, to all officers holding militia commissions; to report themselves to his department, on or before the 1st day of November next.

Resolved, That the Adjutant General strike from his records the names of all such officers as do not report, according to the above resolution, and report his proceedings