

CHAP. 266. perty so removed, shall be liable to be followed and distrained, in the same manner as if it were found on the premises rented and occupied by such tenant, within the time limited for distraining for rent due; *Provided*, that such property shall not have been sold to a *bona fide* purchaser without notice, or taken in execution.

Proviso

CHAP. CCLXVII.

Passed Mar 12 1827 An Additional Supplement to an Act relative to Licenses, passed at December session eighteen hundred and twenty-four, chapter one hundred and forty-eight.

Clerk, in recess of court, authorized to grant licenses, &c.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the county clerks shall, in the recess of court, grant licenses to retailers of spirituous liquors, for a term not less than twelve months from the date thereof, on their entering into a recognizance, with two securities, before a justice of the peace, that they will comply with the provisions of the several laws of this state relative to retailers of spirituous liquors.

CHAP. CCLXVIII.

Passed Mar 10 1827

An Act requiring the Commissioners of Lotteries to give Bond.

Commissioners to enter into bond

1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the present commissioners of lotteries, and those that may hereafter be appointed, shall annually, between the first and tenth days of April, each give bond to the state of Maryland, with two securities, to be approved by the judges of Baltimore city court, each bond to be in the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars, conditioned, that the said commissioners shall well and truly perform and discharge all the duties required of him, as a commissioner of lotteries, and that he, whilst such commissioner, will abstain from and avoid, all manner of concern or interest in the gain or losses of any lottery scheme, or be concerned in the purchase of any lottery ticket or tickets, or parts thereof, that he will faithfully pay over all monies which shall come into his hands, as a commissioner of lotteries, to the person or persons, bodies politic or corporate, who shall be entitled to receive the same, and will in all respects comply with the requisitions of the laws of this state, and such as may hereafter be enacted in relation to his duty as a commissioner of lotteries; and the said bonds shall be recorded among the records of Baltimore city court, by the clerk of said court, and an office copy thereof, under the hand of the clerk, and seal of the court, shall be, to all intents and purposes, as available evidence in any court of justice in this state, and elsewhere, as the original, if produced and legally proved; and the state of Maryland, and all bodies politic or corporate, or individuals who may be interested in the performance of the duties intended to be secured by the said bond, shall be at liberty to demand a copy of said bond, and to bring a suit thereon in the name of the state, for his, her or their use, and may recover thereon the full amount of debt or damages which he, she or they, may shew him, her or themselves, entitled to, or have sustained.

Seventeen-twentieths of tickets must be sold before lottery is drawn

2. *And be it enacted,* That the commissioners of lotteries shall not permit any state lottery to commence drawing until seventeen-twentieths of the tickets in said lottery have been first sold.