

of the punishments, except death, ordered to be inflicted for any of the offences mentioned in these articles; and the governor of this state shall have full power of pardoning or reprieving any person who may be sentenced to death by any court-martial, in virtue of these articles, and shall have full power and authority to pardon or mitigate any other punishment adjudged by any court-martial, when the person sentenced belongs to any corps acting in this or any other of the United States, and unconnected with the continental army; and every offender, convicted as aforesaid by any regimental court-martial, may be pardoned, or have his punishment mitigated by the colonel or officer commanding the regiment, troop or detachment.

ARTICLE 3. No person shall be sentenced to suffer death, except in the cases expressly mentioned in the foregoing articles; nor shall any corporal punishment be inflicted, except in the case expressly directed; nor shall any other punishment be inflicted at the discretion of a court-martial, except fine, not exceeding fifty pounds; imprisonment, not exceeding two months; service in some corps on duty, not exceeding four months; or the fine and service not exceeding as aforesaid, in the discretion of such court-martial.

## S E C T I O N X V I.

ARTICLE 1. The party tried by any general court-martial shall be entitled to a copy of the sentence and proceedings of such court-martial, upon demand thereof made by himself or by any other person or persons on his behalf, whether such sentence be approved or not.

ARTICLE 2. The commanding officers of each and every regiment, troop or detachment, is to appoint some suitable person belonging to such regiment, troop or detachment, to receive all such fines as may arise within the same, for any breach of any of the foregoing articles, and shall direct the same to be carefully and properly applied to the relief of such sick, wounded, or necessitous privates as belong to such corps; and such persons shall account with such officer for all fines received, and the application thereof.

ARTICLE 3. All crimes, not capital, and all disorders and neglects which officers and privates may be guilty of, to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, though not mentioned in the above articles of war, are to be taken cognizance of by a general or regimental court-martial, according to the nature and degree of the offence, and be punished, at their discretion, by fine, not exceeding ten pounds, or imprisonment, not exceeding four days.

II. And be it enacted, That the resolve of a convention, held at the city of Annapolis, on the seventh day of December, in the year seventeen hundred and seventy-five, and continued by adjournment till the eighteenth of January seventeen hundred and seventy-six, directing that any part of the militia in actual service, during the time of their actual service, should be subject to certain rules and regulations by the said convention made, be and is hereby repealed.

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