

DISCOUNT.

When to be made by sheriffs—1715, ch. 46, sec. 11, 12,	33
In suits hereafter, on judgment, bond, or other writing sealed, the defendant having any claim against the plaintiff on judgment, bond, or other instrument under seal, or on note, agreement, assumpsit or account proved, shall be at liberty to file his account in bar, or plead discount to the plaintiff's claim—1785, ch. 46, sec. 7,	202
In all cases of suits on simple contract, the defendant may file an account in bar, or plead discount of any claim proved according to law, which may be of an equal or superior nature—1785, ch. 46, sec. 7,	202
See <i>Magistrates' Courts</i> .	

DISTRESS.

The fines for refusing to serve as constable to be levied by distress—1715, ch. 15, sec. 2, p. 8; 1752, ch. 7, sec. 2,	94
The sheriffs empowered to distrain for officers' fees—Nov. 1779, ch. 25, sec. 17,	155
Directions respecting writs of replevin for property taken by distress for public dues—1785, ch. 34, p. 195; 1786, ch. 12, p. 236; 1790, ch. 53,	264
See <i>Replevin</i> .	
Fees allowed to collectors of the county charge on their proceeding to the sale of any goods or chattels to enforce the payment thereof—1794, ch. 53, sec. 7,	310
Collectors to deliver or leave a particular account of assessments, before any personal property shall be distrained or sold—1800, ch. 85,	434
Not lawful to seize by distress any spinning wheel or loom, which shall be loaned or hired out to any person, for house rent due by such person—1813, ch. 135,	621
Costs of distress made by constables to be borne by tenant—1821, ch. 162,	769
All removals of personal property owned by tenants, and by them removed from the premises, when rent shall be due, or about to become due, if removed within thirty days before the rent will become due, to be considered a clandestine removal, and the property may be followed and distrained, if not sold to a bona fide purchaser without notice—1826, ch. 266,	919
In case of distress on produce for rent, right of replevin reserved to the tenant—1831, ch. 171, sec. 2,	1021
Where lands are rented for a portion of the crop, produce not to be sold so as to deprive the landlord of his share—1831, ch. 171, sec. 1,	1021
On failure of tenant to pay, landlord to distrain, &c. right to replevin reserved, &c. Manner of proceeding prescribed—1831, ch. 171, sec. 2,	1021
After the 4th of July, landlords entitled to distrain for rent, to make affidavit of the amount of money or quantity of produce due, &c.—1834, ch. 192, sec. 1,	1141