

## CHAPTER 162.

AN ACT to punish certain Breaches of Trust.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That if any president or director of any bank chartered by the laws of this state, shall fraudulently embezzle, secrete, or make way with, any money, goods, bill, bond, note, check, evidence of debt, or other valuable security or effects, belonging to such bank, every such offender, his adviser, procurer, aider or abettor, shall be deemed guilty of felony, and on conviction thereof shall be sentenced to imprisonment and labour in the penitentiary, for not less than five years nor more than fifteen years.

President or director of any chartered bank, embezzling, &c., to be deemed guilty of felony.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That if any cashier, servant, agent or clerk, or any person employed for the purpose or in the capacity of cashier, servant, agent or clerk, to any person or persons whomsoever, or to any body corporate or politic, shall by virtue of such employment, receive or take into his possession any money, goods, bill, note, bond, check, evidence of debt, or other valuable security or effects, for and in the name or on account of his employer or employers, and shall fraudulently embezzle, secrete, or make way with the same, or any part thereof, every such offender shall be deemed guilty of having feloniously stolen the same from his employer or employers, for whose use, or in whose name or names, or on whose account, the same was or were delivered to, or taken into the possession of such cashier, servant, clerk, or other person employed, although such money, goods, bill, bond, note, check, evidence of debt, or other valuable security or effects, was or were no otherwise received into the possession of such employer, than by the actual possession of his or their cashier, servant or clerk, or other person so employed, and every such offender, his adviser, aider, procurer or abettor, shall, on conviction thereof, be sentenced to imprisonment and labour in the penitentiary, for not less than five nor more than fifteen years, in the discretion of the court.

Punishment of any cashier, &c. for embezzling, &c.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the act, entitled, an act for the punishment of offences committed against banks by the officers thereof, passed at December session eighteen hundred and nineteen, chapter one hundred and forty-five, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Act repealed.

## CHAPTER 164.

AN ACT incorporating into one the several Acts relating to Constables Fees. Supplement, 1821, ch. 162.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That no constable, by reason or colour of his office, shall have, receive, or take of any person or persons, directly or indirectly, any greater fees which shall arise or become due by virtue of

Fees allowed.