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27. If any person shall counterfeit the stamp of the Comptroller, or unlawfully use or steal the same, or unlawfully, falsely and corruptly, or with evil intent, affix it to any instrument of writing, or shall have in his possession or custody such counterfeit instrument, and shall wilfully conceal the same, knowing it to be falsely made or counterfeited, he shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to undergo a confinement in the penitentiary for a period not less than two nor more than ten years.

28. Every person who shall be convicted of having forged and counterfeited any gold or silver coin, which now is or hereafter shall be passing or in circulation within this State, or of having falsely uttered, paid, or tendered in payment, any such counterfeit and forged coin, knowing the same to be forged and counterfeited, or of having aided, abetted, or commanded the perpetration of either of the said crimes, shall be sentenced to the penitentiary for not less than two nor more than ten years.

29. Any person who shall, with a fraudulent intent, employ an artist to engrave or etch any plate in imitation of the note or notes of any established bank within this State, or of any bank which may hereafter be established within this State, or which is or may be established by law in any of the United States, or any person engaged in engraving or etching such plate, or any person in any manner engaged in striking impressions from such plate, or any person who shall affix to such note or notes fraudulent or forged signatures, or any person who shall, with fraudulent intent, be engaged in manufacturing of, or furnishing paper in imitation of any paper used for striking impressions of notes upon any established bank within this State, or any bank which may hereafter be established within this State, or which is or may be established by law in any of the United States, or any person who shall be in any manner concerned in the uttering, forging, or counterfeiting any note of any bank now existing within this State, or of any bank which may hereafter be established within this State, or any person who may pass within this State, forged or counterfeit note or notes, knowing them to be such, purporting to be the genuine notes of a bank regularly constituted within this State by the United States, or within any of them, or any person who