

Art. 28. That a well regulated Militia is the proper and natural defence of a free Government.

Art. 29. That Standing Armies are dangerous to liberty, and ought not to be raised, or kept up, without the consent of the Legislature.

Art. 30. That in all cases, and at all times, the military ought to be under strict subordination to, and control of, the civil power.

Art. 31. That no soldier shall, in time of peace, be quartered in any house, without the consent of the owner, nor in time of war, except in the manner prescribed by Law.

Art. 32. That no person except regular soldiers, marines, and mariners in the service of this State, or militia, when in actual service, ought, in any case, to be subject to, or punishable by Martial Law.

Art. 33. That the independency and uprightness of Judges are essential to the impartial administration of Justice, and a great security to the rights and liberties of the People: Wherefore, the Judges shall not be removed, except in the manner, and for the causes provided in this Constitution. No Judge shall hold any other office, civil or military or political trust, or employment of any kind, whatsoever, under the Constitution or Laws of this State, or of the United States, or any of them; or receive fees, or perquisites of any kind, for the discharge of his official duties.

Art. 34. That a long continuance in the Executive Departments of power or trust is dangerous to liberty; a rotation therefore, in those departments is one of the best securities of permanent freedom.

<sup>1</sup>Art. 35. That no person shall hold, at the same time, more than one office of profit, created by the Constitution or Laws of this State; nor shall any person in public trust receive any present from any foreign Prince or State, or from the United States, or any of them, without the approbation of this State. The position of Notary Public shall not be considered an office of profit within the meaning of this Article.

<sup>2</sup>Art. 36. That as it is the duty of every man to worship God in such manner as he thinks most acceptable to Him,

<sup>1</sup> Thus amended by Chapter 129, Acts of 1964, ratified November 8, 1964.

<sup>2</sup> See the effect of the cases of *Torcaso v. Watkins*, 367 U. S. 488 (1961); and *Schowgurow v. State*, 240 Md. 121 (1965) and the *Schowgurow* related cases on this Article 36. The section was thus amended by Chapter 558, Acts of 1970, ratified November 3, 1970.