

proceed to value such slave, as a slave for life or a term of years, as the case may be, and enter the same on the proceedings of said court, and such value shall be assessed by the County Commissioners or Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, as the case may be, and collected with the county or city assessments, and paid to the owner of such slave, his, her or their agent or attorney.

TREASON.

The Act of 1862, ch 235, repeals section 202, and enacts the following as a substitute:

10. If any person shall levy war against this State, or shall adhere to the enemies thereof, whether foreign or domestic, giving them aid or comfort, within this State, or elsewhere, and shall be thereof convicted, on confession in open court or on the testimony of two witnesses, both of them to the same overt act, he shall suffer death, or be sentenced to confinement in the penitentiary, for not less than six nor more than twenty years, at the discretion of the court.

Sub-Sec. 2. If any person shall provide or procure money, goods or other property or effects (other than munitions of war) to be used in the levying of war against this State, or in giving aid or comfort to the enemies of this State, within this State or elsewhere, and be convicted thereof, he shall be sentenced to imprisonment in the common jail of the county or city wherever he may be convicted for a term not exceeding six months, or to a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, at the discretion of the court; and if the property or effects, so provided or procured, consist in part or in the whole of munitions of war, the person so providing or procuring such munitions of war shall, on conviction thereof, be sentenced to confinement in the penitentiary for a term not less than six months or more than two years, or to a fine not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars, at the discretion of the court; and in any and every case the money, goods, property or effects, so provided or procured, shall be forfeited to the use of the State.

Sub-Sec. 3. *And whereas*, experience has shown that evil-minded persons are disposed to commit the offences specified in