

conviction thereof, be fined not more than five hundred dollars, or be imprisoned not more than six months in jail or in the house of correction.

Conspiracy.

1884, ch. 266.

31. An agreement or combination by two or more persons, to do, or procure to be done, any act in contemplation or furtherance of a trade dispute between employers and workmen, shall not be indictable as a conspiracy, if such act, committed by one person, would not be punishable as an offence; nothing in this section shall affect the law relating to riot, unlawful assembly, breach of the peace, or any offence against any person or against property.

Counterfeiting and Forgery.

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 30, sec. 24. 1799, ch. 75. 1809, ch. 138, sec. 6.

32. Any person who shall falsely make, forge or counterfeit, or cause or procure to be falsely made, forged or counterfeited, or willingly aid or assist in falsely making, forging, altering or counterfeiting any deed, will, testament or codicil, bond, writing obligatory, bill of exchange, promissory note for the payment of money or property, endorsement or assignment of any bond, writing obligatory, bill of exchange, acquittance or receipt for money or property, or any acquittance or receipt either for money or property, with intention to defraud any person whomsoever, or shall utter or publish as true, any false, forged, altered or counterfeited deed, will, testament or codicil, bond, writing obligatory, bill of exchange, promissory note for the payment of money or property, or endorsement or assignment of any bond, writing obligatory, bill of exchange, promissory note, acquittance or receipt for money or property, shall be deemed a felon, and on being convicted thereof shall be sentenced to the penitentiary for not less than five nor more than ten years.

Bloomer v. State, 48 Md. 529. *Bishop v. State*, 55 Md. 141. *Hawthorne v. State*, 56 Md. 534. *Bell v. State*, 57 Md. 114. *Brashears v. State*, 58 Md. 565.

Ibid. sec. 25. 1809, ch. 138. sec. 8. 1821, chs. 150, 204. 1834, ch. 279, sec. 2.

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