

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 73, sec. 25. 1845, ch. 83, sec. 3.

413. The directors may allow female convicts to bring with them into the penitentiary their infant children; and the directors shall have the power to bind such children as apprentices, as directed in this code in relation to other apprentices.

Ibid. sec. 26. 1837, ch. 320, sec. 28.

414. No person having any connection with the Maryland penitentiary shall receive from any convict therein, either by devise or otherwise, any property, real, personal or mixed; and any property so devised or bequeathed, shall, notwithstanding such devise or bequest, be divided among the legal heirs or distributees of such convict, according to the laws of this State.

Ibid. sec. 27. 1831, ch. 208, sec. 7. 1837, ch. 320, sec. 23.

415. Any money, bank notes or chattel property employed, used or attempted to be used or introduced within or about the buildings, yards or enclosure of the said penitentiary, for the purpose of rescuing or procuring the release of any convict confined in the said penitentiary, shall be forfeited thereby to the use of the State, and the directors shall take possession thereof and appropriate the same, by sale or otherwise, to the use of the penitentiary; and they may prosecute, in the name of the State, any suit that may be necessary for the recovery or forfeiture thereof.

Ibid. sec. 28. 1837, ch. 320, sec. 25

416. The following rules and regulations shall be observed at the said penitentiary, and the same may be altered or modified, and new ones adopted, as hereinafter provided.

Clerk.

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 73, sec. 29. 1837, ch. 320, sec. 25.

417. It shall be the duty of the clerk to keep the books of accounts, and of all the transactions of the institution, and record the minutes of the proceedings of the board of directors.

Ibid. sec. 30. 1837, ch. 320, sec. 25.

418. He shall present at the monthly meeting of the board a summary account of all the transactions of the institution, show-