

CHAPTER 424.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 423 of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland of the year 1914.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 423 of Article 27 of the Code of Public General Laws of the year 1914, be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

423. Every person who shall be convicted of the crime of receiving any stolen money, goods or chattels, knowing the same to be stolen, or of the crime of receiving any bond, bill obligatory, bill of exchange, promissory note for the payment of money, bank note, paper bill of credit, or certificate granted by or under the authority of this State, or the United States, or any of them, knowing the same to be stolen, shall restore such money, goods or chattels or things taken and received to the owner thereof, or make restitution to the value of the whole or such part thereof as shall not be restored, and shall be sentenced to undergo confinement in the penitentiary, or in the house of correction, or in jail, in the discretion of the court imposing sentence, for not more than ten years. And such receiver may be prosecuted and punished, although the principal offender or offenders shall not have been convicted, and although such receiver shall have received such money, goods or chattels or things from a person other than the person by whom such money, goods or chattels or things shall have been stolen.

Approved April 10th, 1918.

CHAPTER 425.

AN ACT for the prevention of graft.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That no person or corporation engaged in the business of building greenhouse structures, selling fertilizers, insecticides, coal, soil, flower pots, trees, shrubs, bulbs, plants, garden and farm implements, seeds or any other commodities, necessary for the formation and maintenance of public parks and grounds, cemeteries, baseball and athletic club grounds,