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HIGHWAYS.

above such Mill, are not obliged to send their Taxables to work on such Road, except on the Dams, Causeways or Bridges, which they are obliged to make and maintain by the Acts of 1753, *ch. 16*; and 1756, *ch. 12*. See *Water-Mills*, 6, 7.

HIRING. See *House Breaking*, 3.

HOGSHEADS. See *Inspectors*, 29.

HOG STEALING.

1. Persons killing any unmark'd Swine, above Three Months old, (not being upon their own Lands, or in Company with their own Stock) shall be adjudged Hog-Stealers, and suffer such Corporal Pains as in the Case of Thieving and Stealing. 1715, *ch. 26*, §. 4. See *Thieving and Stealing*, 2.

2. Persons concealing or disfiguring the Marks of Swine so killed, by cutting off their Ears, &c. shall be adjudged Hog Stealers. *Ibid.* §. 5.

3. Any Person convict of Thieving, Hog Stealing, or other Crime, or that shall be of evil Fame, or a Vagrant, or dissolute Liver, that shall shoot, kill, or hunt, or be seen to carry a Gun upon any seated Plantation, without the Owner's Leave, shall forfeit 1000^l Tobacco; one Half to his Majesty, the other Half to the Party grieved, or Person suing for the same. *Ibid.* §. 6.

HOGS. See *Annapolis*, 3. *Hog Stealing*, per Tot. *Negroes*, 30. *Warehouses*, 3.

HORSES.

1. All Inclosures by Fences or otherwise (within this Act) shall be Five Feet high. And from the 1st May till the 10th November yearly, all Owners of Horses, Mares, Colts, or Geldings, shall keep them within good and sufficient Inclosures, fenced Grounds, or Pastures, under the Penalties in this Act mentioned. 1715, *ch. 31*, §. 1.

2. And if any such Horses, &c. shall break into the Pastures, Corn-fields, or other Inclosures, of any Inhabitants of this Province, within the Time before limited; if the Owner, after Notice thereof given him two several Times by the Party grieved, shall neglect to perform what is by this Law enjoined, such Horses, &c. may be shot or destroyed by the Party grieved. *Ibid.* §. 2.

3. But no injured Person may kill such Horses, &c. unless within his own proper inclosed Grounds, on Penalty of paying the Owner the full Value of such Horse, &c. so destroyed. *Ibid.* §. 3.

4. Persons unlawfully taking and keeping One Hour in their Possession, or riding or working any other Man's Horse, &c. without Knowledge or Consent of the Owner (unless found Trespassing, and the Owner not known) shall pay Damages to the Owner, and also forfeit 500^l Tobacco, one Half to the Informer, the other Half to the Party grieved; to be recovered in the County Court by Action of Debt, &c. *Ibid.* §. 5.

5. Any Stoned-Horse that hath been broke, being found loose and out of Inclosure, may be taken up and impounded by any Person whatsoever, and there detained till the Owner shall pay 5^s. or 60^l Tobacco to the Person impounding such Horse. *Ibid.* §. 11.

6. Stoned Colts above 18 Months old, or Stoned Horses unbroke, being found loose in the Woods, or out of Inclosure, may be shot or destroyed by any Person whatsoever. And the Person sued for such Shooting, &c. may plead the General Issue, &c. *Ibid.* §. 12.

7. No Person, not having Lands of his own, nor Renting a Plantation, shall keep any breeding Mare in the Woods; on Penalty of 600^l Tobacco for every such Mare; one Half to the County Charge, the other Half to the Informer. *Ibid.* §. 13.

See *Annapolis*, 3. *Guardians*, 7. *Horse Stealers*. *Negroes*, 30. *Rangers*, per Tot. *Stray Horses*, per Tot. *Troopers*, 2, 5. *Warehouses*, 3.

HORSE RACING. See *Quakers*, 5.

HORSE RANGERS. See *Rangers*.

HORSE STEALERS:

Every Person who shall feloniously Take or Steal any Horse, Mare, Gelding or Colt, within this Province, and all their Aiders, Abettors and Accessories, either before or after the Fact; and all Persons who shall buy, take or receive, any Stolen Horse, &c. knowing the same to be stolen, shall, on Conviction, Outlawry, or refusing to answer directly, or standing Mute upon Arraignment, or peremptorily Challenging above Twenty, suffer Death without Benefit of Clergy. 1744, *ch. 20*, §. 1.

HOUSE BREAKING.

1. Not to be tried in the County Court. 1715; *ch. 26*, §. 1.

2. Persons convict of breaking into any Shop, Storehouse or Warehouse, altho' not contiguous to, or used with any Mansion House; and Stealing from thence Goods to the Value of Five Shillings, shall suffer Death, without Benefit of Clergy. 1729, *ch. 4*, §. 2.

3. Persons breaking into any Tobacco-House, or other Out-house whatsoever, and Stealing from thence any Goods or Chattels to the Value of Five Shillings Sterling, or who shall counsel, hire, command, aid or abet, any Persons to commit the same, or who shall be Accessories to any of the said Offences, &c. shall suffer Death without Benefit of Clergy: Provided such Tobacco-house or other Out-house be well boarded, &c. and the Doors Locked, Bolted in the Inside, or Nailed. 1737, *ch. 2*, §. 2, 3.

HOUSE BURNING. See *Negroes*, 34, 37, 38. *Tobacco Houses*, 1.

HOUSHOLD STUFF. See *Guardians*, 9.

HUNTING. See *Hog Stealers*, 3. *Inclosures*, 1. *Sabbath Breaking*, 1.

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JAYLOR. See *Criminal Fees*, 1. *Runaways*, 9.

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IMBEZZLEMENT. See *Parochial Libraries*, 1, 4, 5. *Records*, 14.

IMPORTATION of Gold and Silver encouraged. See *Gold and Silver*, 1, 2.

IMPORT DUTIES. See *Irish Servants*, 3-5. *Liquors imported*, per Tot. *Negroes*, 8, 9, 15. *Pitch, Tar and Pork*, per Tot.

IMPOUNDING. See *Horses*, 5.

IMPRISONED. See *Administration Bonds*, 3. *Bankrupts*, 5. *Limitation of Actions*, 3, 6-8. *Specialties*, 2.

IMPRISONMENT. See *Blasphemy*, 1, 2. *Cursing*, &c. 6. *Ingrossers*, 2. *Indians*, 5. *Letters Public*, 5. *Letters Private*, 1. *Limitation of Actions*, 2. *Magistrates*, 2. *Militia*, 12. *Negroes*, 46. *Perjury*, 1, 2. *Servants*, 23. *Single Magistrates*, 1. *Tobacco Plants*, 1. *Witnesses*, 6, 9.

IMPRISONMENT FEES. See *Sheriffs*, 29.

INCLOSURES.

No Person shall hunt with Guns or Dogs within any inclosed Grounds, Islands, Peninsulas, or Necks fenced across from Water to Water, without Leave from the Proprietor thereof; on Penalty of 200^l Tobacco to the Party grieved; to be recovered before a single Magistrate, as in Case of small Debts. 1728, *ch. 7*, §. 7.

See *Horses*, 1, 3. *Rangers*, 5. *Stray Horses*, 1.

INDENTURES. See *Servants*, 11, 16.

INDEPENDENT COMPANIES.

1. The Captain, Lieutenant, and Ensign of each Independent Company, shall have the same Powers, &c. to execute the Militia Laws in, and over their respective Companies, as the Field Officers have in and over their respective Regiments. 1733, *ch. 7*, §. 7.

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