

57 and stealing of any goods or Chattels whatsoever not exceeding
one thousand pounds of Tobacco, Rugs, and Linens, and every
and every person or persons legally convicted of any such stealing
except before accepted) by Testimony of one or more sufficient Witnesses
being the party or parties before any such County Court as aforesaid shall and
cause to be punished by paying fourfold of the value of the goods so stolen or
stolen as aforesaid to the party or parties grieved thereby and by putting in the
pillory and whipping so many stripes as the Court before whom such matter is heard
shall be judge (not exceeding forty) which Court shall always adjudge the value
of the goods so stolen and stolen as aforesaid and if any such person or persons
have not sufficient goods and Chattels or be a servant whereby he is incapable
to have goods and Chattels to satisfy and pay the said fourfold in every such
Case such person or persons shall receive the Corporal punishment as aforesaid
and satisfy the fourfold and fees of Execution by Servitude.

And be it hereby Enacted and declared that the term of Service
of a free person convicted as aforesaid not having goods and Chattels as aforesaid
shall commence from the time of his Conviction as aforesaid and the term of Service
of a servant convicted as aforesaid shall commence at the expiration of such time
of Servitude to which at the time of his Conviction he stood bound which
time of Servitude for Satisfaction for the stolen goods and fees accrued as
aforesaid shall be adjudged by such County Court either to the party grieved
or any other person the Court shall order such convict to that work then and there
pay or cause to be paid fourfold and Costs aforesaid at the discretion of the Court
And if any person or persons shall receive or take part of such stolen goods or
assist the person so stealing as aforesaid to make away or conceal them being
legally convicted as aforesaid shall suffer the same Corporal pains with the person
stealing as aforesaid any Law Statute usage or Custom to the contrary
notwithstanding.

And if any person or persons having been once convicted
such stealing and stealing (except before accepted) and shall be again pun-
-ished for stealing and stealing of any goods or Chattels the value of
value of the same shall not be heard and determined by any Court.