

Art. 11. No Officer or Soldier shall use any reproachful or provoking speeches or gestures to another; nor shall presume to send a challenge to any person to fight a duel; and whoever shall knowingly and willingly suffer any person whatsoever to go forth to fight a duel; or shall second, promote or carry any challenge, shall be deemed as a principal; And whatsoever Officer or Soldier shall upbraid another for refusing a challenge shall also be considered as a Challenged, and all such Offenders, in any of these or such like cases, shall be punished at the discretion of a General Court Martial.

Art. 12. Every Officer commanding in quarters, or in a march, shall keep good order, and to the utmost of his power, redress all such abuses, or disorders which may be committed by any Officer or Soldier under his Command, if upon any Complaint made to him of Officers or Soldiers beating, or otherwise ill treating any person, or of committing any kind of Riot to the disquieting of the Inhabitants of this Continent, by the said Commander, who shall refuse, or omit to see justice done on the Offender or Offenders, and preparation made to the party or parties injured as far as the Offender wages shall enable him or them, shall upon due proof thereof, be punished as ordered by a general Court Martial, in such manner as if he himself had committed the crimes or disorders complained of.

Art. 13. If any Officer should think himself to be wronged by his Colonel, or the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, and shall upon due application made to him be refused to be redressed, he may complain to the General Commander in Chief of the Continental Forces in order to obtain justice, who is hereby required to examine into said Complaint and see that justice be done.

Art. 14. If any inferior Officer or Soldier shall think himself wronged by his Captain or other Officer commanding the troop or company to which he belongs, he is to complain thereof to the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, who is hereby required to summon a Regimental Court Martial for the doing justice to the Complainant, from which Regimental Court Martial, either party may, if he thinks himself still aggrieved, appeal to a general Court Martial; but if upon a second Hearing, the appeal shall appear to be frivolous and groundless, the person so appealing shall be punished at the discretion of the General Court Martial.

Art. 15. whatsoever non commissioned Officer or Soldier, shall be convicted at a Regimental Court Martial, of having sold, or designedly, or through neglect, wasted the ammunition, arms or provisions, or other Military Stores, delivered out to him to be employed in the service of this Continent, shall, if an Officer be reduced to a private centinel; and if a private Soldier, shall suffer such punishment as shall be ordered by a regimental Court Martial.

Art. 16. All non commissioned Officers and Soldiers who shall be found one mile from the Camp, without leave writing from their Commanding Officer shall suffer such punishment as shall be inflicted on him or them by the sentence of a regimental Court martial.

Art. 17. No Officer or Soldier shall leave of his quarters, or camp, without leave from the Commanding Officer of the regiment, upon penalty of being punished according to the nature of his offence by order of the regimental Court martial.

Art. 18. Every non commissioned Officer and Soldier shall return to his quarters, or tent