

14. ABUSING INFANTS UNDER THE AGE OF TEN YEARS.

20. Any person who unlawfully and carnally knows and abuses any girl under the age of ten years, shall be guilty of felony, and shall suffer death as a felon. 4, 5 V. c. 27, s. 17. Abusing infants under ten years of age.

15. INFANTS ABOVE THE AGE OF TEN.

21. Any person who unlawfully and carnally knows and abuses any girl, being above the age of ten years, and under the age of twelve years, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be imprisoned for such term as the Court may award. 4, 5 V. c. 27, s. 17. If above ten and under twelve years.

16. BESTIALITY.

22. Every person guilty of the abominable crime of Buggery, committed either with mankind or with any animal, shall suffer death as a felon. 4, 5 V. c. 27, s. 15. Bestiality.

17. ASSAULT WITH INTENT.

23. Any person who commits an assault with intent to commit rape, or an assault with intent to commit the abominable crime of buggery either with mankind or with any animal, shall be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for any term not exceeding three nor less than two years, or be imprisoned in any other Prison or place of confinement for any term less than two years. 16 V. c. 5, s. 5. Assault with intent. Punishment.

18. ATTEMPTS TO PROCURE ABORTION.

24. Any person who with intent to procure the miscarriage of any woman, unlawfully administers to her, or causes to be taken by her, any poison or other noxious thing, or unlawfully uses any instrument or other means whatsoever with the like intent, shall be guilty of felony, and shall be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for the term of his natural life, or for any term not less than two years, or be imprisoned in any other prison or place of confinement for any term less than two years. 4, 5 V. c. 27, s. 13. Attempts to procure abortion. Felony. Punishment.

19. ABDUCTION OF HEIRESS.

25. In case any woman has an interest, whether legal or equitable; present or future, absolute, conditional, or contingent in any real or personal estate, or be an Heiress presumptive or next of kin to any one having such interest, any person who, from motives of lucre, takes away or detains such woman against her will with intent to marry or defile her, or to cause her to be married or defiled by any other person, and every person counselling, aiding or abetting such offender, shall be Abduction of heiresses.