

to be imprisoned in any other gaol or place of confinement for any term less than two years, with or without hard labour, and with or without solitary confinement.

Robbery or assault by a person armed or by two or more, or robbery and wounding.

36. Whosoever being armed with any offensive weapon or instrument, robs or assaults with intent to rob any person, or together with one or more other person or persons robs or assaults with intent to rob any person, or robs any person and at the time of or immediately before or immediately after such robbery wounds, beats, strikes, or uses any other personal violence to any person is guilty of felony, and shall be liable to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for life, or for any term not less than two years, or to be imprisoned in any other gaol or place of confinement for any term less than two years, with or without hard labour, and with or without solitary confinement. 5 10

Letters demanding money, &c., with menaces.

37. Whosoever sends, delivers, or utters, or directly or indirectly causes to be received, knowing the contents thereof, any letter or writing, demanding of any person with menaces, and without any reasonable or probable cause, any property, chattel, money, valuable security, or other valuable thing, is guilty of felony, and shall be liable to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for life or for any term not less than two years, or to be imprisoned in any other gaol or place of confinement for any term less than two years, with or without hard labour, and with or without solitary confinement, and, if a male under the age of sixteen years, with or without whipping. 15 20

Demanding money, &c., with menaces or by force, with intent to steal.

38. Whosoever with menaces or by force demands any property, chattel, money, valuable security or other valuable thing of any person with intent to steal the same, is guilty of felony, and shall be liable to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for the term of two years, or to be imprisoned in any other gaol or place of confinement for any term less than two years, with or without hard labour, and with or without solitary confinement. 25 30

Letter threatening to accuse of crime with intent to extort.

39. Whosoever sends, delivers or utters, or directly or indirectly causes to be received, knowing the contents thereof, any letter or writing accusing or threatening to accuse or cause to be accused any other person of any crime punishable by law with death or imprisonment in the Penitentiary for not less than seven years, or of any assault with intent to commit any rape, or of any attempt or endeavour to commit any rape, or of any infamous crime as hereinafter defined with a view or intent in any of such cases to extort or gain by means of such letter or writing, any property, chattel, money, valuable security or other valuable thing from any person, is guilty of felony, and shall be liable to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for life, or for any term not less than two years, or to be imprisoned in any other gaol or place of confinement for any term not exceeding two years, with or without hard labour, and with or without solitary confinement, and, if a male under the age of sixteen years, with or without whipping: and the abominable crime of buggery, committed either with mankind or with beast, and every assault with intent to commit the said abominable crime, and every attempt or endeavor to commit the said abominable crime, and every solicitation, persuasion, promise, or threat offered or made to any person whereby to move or induce such person to commit or permit the said abominable crime, shall be deemed to be an infamous crime within the meaning of this Act, and every species of parting with any such letter to the end that it may come, or whereby it comes into the hands of the person for whom it is intended, shall be deemed a sending of such letter. 35 40 45 50 55

"Infamous crime" defined.

Accusing or threatening

40. Whosoever accuses or threatens to accuse either the person to whom such accusation or threat is made or any other person of any of