

Act hereafter to be passed, shall be according to the Usage, Practice, and Laws of *England*, and of this Island.

XXXVI. And be it enacted, That this Act shall commence and take effect on the First day of *August* in the present Year; except as to offences and other matters committed or done before or upon the last day of *July* next, which shall be dealt with and punished as if this Act had not been passed.

This Act to be in force from 1st August 1836, except as to offences committed before or upon 31st July, 1836.

## CAP. XXII.

An Act to provide for the punishment of Offences against the Person and Property, and to repeal the Act relating to Treasons and Felonies.

[18th *April*, 1836.]

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to provide for the punishment of Offences against the Person and Property, and to repeal the Act relating to Treasons and Felonies: Be it therefore enacted, by the President, Council and Assembly, That if any person or persons shall compass or imagine the death of the King, or shall levy War against him, or adhere to his Enemies, or shall give them aid or comfort, or shall forge or counterfeit the King's Money, being Gold or Silver Coin of *England*, or of *Great Britain* or *Ireland*, or of this Island, or shall counterfeit the King's Great Seal or Privy Seal, or the Seal of this Island, and shall thereof be duly convicted, the person or persons so offending are hereby declared and adjudged to be Traitors, and shall suffer as in cases of High Treason; and that all Treasons declared by the Acts of Parliament of *England* or of *Great Britain*, shall be deemed and adjudged to be Treasons within this Island; and that such Acts of Parliament as direct

What shall be Treason.

All Treasons by Acts of Imperial Parliament to be deemed Treasons in this Colony.