5. POISONING,—STABBING, &c. WITH INTENT TO MURDER.

Poisoning, stabbing, &c., with intent to murder.

5. Any person who administers to or causes to be taken by any person, any poison or other destructive thing, or stabs, cuts or wounds, any person, or by any means whatsoever causes any bodily injury dangerous to life, to any person with intent, in any of the cases aforesaid, to commit murder, shall be guilty of felony, and shall suffer death. 4, 5 V. c. 27, s. 9.

Punishment.

6. FELONIOUS ATTEMPTS TO MURDER.

Other attempts to murder.

6. Any person who attempts to administer to any person any poison or other destructive thing, or shoots at any person, or by drawing a trigger or in any other manner, attempts to discharge any kind of loaded arms at any person, or attempts to drown, suffocate, or strangle any person, with intent in any of the cases aforesaid to commit the crime of murder, shall, although no bodily injury be effected, 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. 10.

How punishable.

7. ATTEMPTS TO STABB, MAIM OR DISFIGURE.

Maliciously shooting or attempting to stab, maim or disfigure.

7. Any person who unlawfully and maliciously shoots at any person, or by drawing a trigger, or in any other manner, attempts to discharge any kind of loaded arms at any person, or stabs, cuts or wounds any person, with intent in any of the cases aforesaid to maim, disfigure, or disable such person, or to do some other grievous bodily harm to such person, or with intent to resist or prevent the lawful apprehension or detainer of any person, 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. 11.

How punishable.

8. MALICIOUSLY STABBING, &c.

Maliciously stabbing or inflicting other bodily injury—a misdemeanor.

8. Any person who unlawfully and maliciously inflicts upon any other person, either with or without any weapon or instrument, any grievous bodily harm, or unlawfully and maliciously cuts, stabs or wounds any other person, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be imprisoned, with hard labour, in any gaol or prison for any term less than two years, or in the Penitentiary for any time not less than two nor more than five years. 18 V. c. 92, s. 30.

How punishable.

9. CARRYING BOWIE-KNIVES, DAGGERS, &c., ABOUT THE PERSON.

Punishment for carrying certain weapons.

9. Any person who carries about his person any Bowie-knive, Dagger or Dirk, or any weapons called or known as Iron