

Forfeited recognizances may be remitted in whole or in part, by the Governor; provided, the judge of the court in which such forfeiture occurred shall recommend the remission of the whole, or some part thereof. Parts of fines belonging to an informer may not be remitted by the Governor, but he may remit part or all of a fine not belonging to an informer. No *nolle prosequi* shall be granted by the Governor, except on payment of costs of prosecution by the person applying for the same. The Governor may remit the whole or any part of any fine imposed by any militia court-martial. (Article 42, sections 9, 10, 11, 12, P. G. L., Maryland Code.)

Attendance of witnesses may be enforced by the Governor in investigating cases of complaint against civil or military officers. (Article 42, section 13, P. G. L., Maryland Code.)

Officers complained against shall have copy of complaint, and time when the Governor will inquire into them, and the Governor may order the costs arising in such complaints to be paid by the State or the party complained against, and may enforce payment of the same. (Article 42, sections 14 and 15, P. G. L., Maryland Code.)

Proclamation of elections of presidential electors and members of Congress shall be issued by the Governor on receiving and enumerating the returns. (Article 42, section 16, P. G. L., Maryland Code.)

Duplicate discharges shall, upon application, be issued by the Governor, on necessary proof of service of Maryland Volunteers in the Mexican War. (Article 42, section 17, P. G. L., Maryland Code.)

Intercourse with infected places, either foreign or in the United States, may be interdicted by the Governor. (Article 42, section 18, P. G. L., Maryland Code.)

All vacancies not otherwise provided for by the Constitution and Laws, the Governor is empowered to fill by Article 42, section 24, P. G. L., Maryland Code.

An insane convict, confined in the penitentiary, may be removed by the Governor, upon the recommendation of the Board of Directors, to the Maryland Hospital or any State institution for the insane, and the expense shall be defrayed by the Board of Directors of the penitentiary out of the funds arising from or appropriated to that institution. (Acts 1868, ch. 352.)

A collector of State taxes, from any part of the State shall be appointed by the Governor, if there be not a qualified collector of State taxes by the 1st day of May in any year, and said collector's bond shall be approved by the Governor. (Acts 1868, ch. 366.)