CHAPTER 53.

LAW ABOUT GOALERS.

Chapter 53. And be it &c: That Goalers Shall not Oppress their prisoners, & that all prisons Shall be free as to room, & all prisoners Shall have Liberty to provide themselves bedding, food, and other Necessaries, Except Such whose punishment by Law will not admit of that Liberty.

Originally chapter 63, confirmed by chapter 63, 1683, session and renumbered. Abrogated in 1693, but accepted in Petition of Right, June 1, 1683, as chapter 32.

CHAPTER 54.

LAW ABOUT PRISONS.

Chapter 54. And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all Prisons shall be Work-houses for fellons, Thiefs, Vagrans & Loose, abusive & Idle persons, whereof one Shall be in every County.

Originally chapter 64, confirmed by chapter 63, 1683, session and renumbered. Abrogated in 1693, but accepted in Petition of Right, June 1, 1683, as chapter 33.

CHAPTER 55.

LAW ABOUT FALSE IMPRISONMENT.

Chapter 55. And Be it &c further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That any person wrong-fully imprisoned, Shall have double damages against the informer or prosecutor.

Originally chapter 65, confirmed by chapter 63, 1683, session and renumbered. Abrogated in 1693, but accepted in Petition of Right, June 1, 1693, as chapter 35.