



Criminal Procedure Act 1853

1853 CHAPTER 30

An Act for the better Prevention and Punishment of aggravated Assaults upon Women and Children, and for preventing Delay and Expense in the Administration of certain Parts of the Criminal Law. [14th June 1853]

WHEREAS the present Law has been found insufficient for the Protection of Women and Children from violent Assaults:

Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, as follows: