



Metropolitan Police Courts Act 1839

1839 CHAPTER 71

XXIII Punishment of Persons giving false Evidence.

And be it enacted, That every Person who, upon any Examination upon Oath or Affirmation before any Magistrate acting at any One of the said Courts, shall wilfully and corruptly give false Evidence, or shall wilfully and corruptly swear or affirm any thing which shall be false, shall be liable to the Penalties of wilful and corrupt Perjury.