



# Conspiracy, and Protection of Property Act 1875

1875 CHAPTER 86

*Miscellaneous*

**6 Penalty for neglect by master to provide food, clothing, &c. for servant or apprentice.**

Where a master; being legally liable to provide for his servant or apprentice necessary food, clothing, medical aid, or lodging, wilfully and without lawful excuse refuses or neglects to provide the same, whereby the health of the servant or apprentice is or is likely to be seriously or permanently injured, he shall on summary conviction be liable either to pay a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds, or to be imprisoned for a term not exceeding six months, with or without hard labour.