



Malicious Damage Act 1861

1861 CHAPTER 97

Injuries by Fire to Buildings, and Goods therein

6 Setting fire to other Buildings.

Whosoever shall unlawfully, and maliciously set fire to any Building other than such as are in this Act before mentioned shall be guilty of Felony, and being convicted thereof shall be liable, at the Discretion of the Court, to be kept in Penal Servitude for any Term not exceeding Fourteen Years and not less than Three Years,—or to be imprisoned for any Term not exceeding Two Years, with or without Hard Labour, and, if a Male under the Age' of Sixteen Years, with or without Whipping.