

This section referred to in discussing commissions allowed for a partial administration. *In re Estate of Baxley*, 47 Md. 560.

This section referred to in construing sec. 12—see notes thereto. *Gunther v. State*, 31 Md. 31.

This section referred to in construing sec. 174—see notes thereto. *Thaw v. Falls*, 136 U. S. 519.

Re. jurisdiction of orphans' court over real estate, see secs. 301 and 304 and notes

Re. power of orphans' court to order resale in case purchaser defaults, see sec. 303

Re. jurisdiction of orphans' court to order money brought into court or invested, see sec. 251.

This section referred to—see notes to sec. 5. *Mudge v. Mudge*, 155 Md. 3.

This section referred to—see notes to sec. 252. *Anderson v. Curran*, 155 Md. 542

Cited but not construed in *Collins v. Cambridge Hospital*, 158 Md. 114; *Longerbeam v. Iser*, 159 Md. 246; *Greenhawk v. Quimby*, 168 Md. 396.

This section referred to in construing sec. 252. *Hopper v. Hopkins*, 162 Md. 452.

Register of Wills.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 272. 1912, sec. 263. 1904, sec. 261. 1888, sec. 257. 1777, ch. 8, sec. 6. 1823, ch. 195, sec. 1. 1825, ch. 208, sec. 5. 1840, ch. 52. 1861, ch. 83.

273. The register of wills in each county and of the city of Baltimore, before he acts as such, shall give bond with two good and sufficient securities in the penal sum of seven thousand dollars, payable to this State, conditioned for the faithful performance of his said office of register of wills, which bond shall be taken and securities approved by the judges of the orphans' court and recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court for the county, or the superior court of Baltimore City, as the case may be; and every register shall renew his bond on or before the thirty-first day of December in every second year.

The register's bond is liable for collateral inheritance taxes and taxes on commissions. *Banks v. State*, 60 Md. 309.

As to returns by registers of wills of assessable property, see art. 81, sec. 33. As to the duty of registers of wills *re* collateral inheritance taxes, see art. 81, sec. 134, *et seq.*

As to suits on bonds of registers of wills, see art. 75, secs. 20, 21 and 108.

As to counter security, see art. 90, sec. 5.

As to the fees chargeable by a register of wills, see art. 36, sec. 28.

See art. 4, sec. 41, Md. Constitution.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 273. 1912, sec. 264. 1904, sec. 262. 1888, sec. 258. 1823, ch. 195, sec. 2.

274. On default of any register of wills to execute the bond required by the preceding section within the time therein prescribed, he shall be subject to a penalty of one thousand dollars to be recovered by indictment in the name of the State in the circuit court for the county in which he shall reside; or, if he reside in the city of Baltimore, by indictment in the criminal court of Baltimore.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 274. 1912, sec. 265. 1904, sec. 263. 1888, sec. 259. 1823, ch. 195, sec. 3.

275. It shall be the duty of each register of wills to transmit to the governor, on the first Monday of October next after the execution of said bond, a certified copy thereof.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 275. 1912, sec. 266. 1904, sec. 264. 1888, sec. 260. 1798, ch. 101, sub-ch. 15, sec. 9.

276. Each register shall diligently attend each meeting of the orphans' court in his county or city, and under their direction make full and fair entries of their proceedings, and also make a fair record in a strong bound book or books of all wills proved before him or the said court, or authenticated according to law, and of all other matters by law directed to be recorded in the said court or in his office; he shall make out and issue every