

CHAPTER 217.

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A Further Additional Supplement to the act, entitled, An act for amending and reducing into system the Laws and Regulations concerning last Wills and Testaments, the duties of Executors and Administrators, and the Rights of Orphans, and other Representatives of deceased persons.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That* in all cases in which the executors or administrators of any deceased person have received, or shall hereafter receive, any sum or sums of money for interest on money due and owing for property sold by them, by order of the orphans court of any county in this state, that such money shall be considered as assets belonging to the estate of such deceased, and shall be accounted for by them, in the same manner as other assets are directed to be accounted for by the original act to which this is a further additional supplement.

Interest on money due for property sold by executors or administrators to be considered as assets.

2. *And be it enacted, That* in all cases in which the executors or administrators of any deceased person have received, or shall hereafter receive, any sum or sums of money, for the hire or use of any slaves or servants belonging to the estate of such deceased, during the time in which the said executor or administrator may be entitled, by law, to the possession of such *shares* or servants, that such money shall be considered as assets belonging to the estate of such deceased, and as such shall be accounted for, and a due allowance shall be made to such executor or administrator for all expenses incurred by him or her in the support and maintenance of the negroes belonging to such estate; *Provided, that* nothing in this act contained shall apply to or affect executors or administrators who may have completed and settled the administration on the estates of their testators or intestates before the passage of this act.

Money received for hire of slaves belonging to estate of deceased, &c. to be considered as assets.

Provided

3. *And be it enacted, That* any person interested in the estate of any security of an executor or administrator, shall have the same right and privilege to call upon such executor or administrator, for counter security, in the same manner as a security to an executor or administrator now can, and the same proceedings shall be thereon had as if the application had been made by a security to an executor or administrator, according to the provisions of the original act to which this is a further additional supplement.

Person interested in estate of security to have right to call for counter security, &c.

4. *And be it further enacted, That* hereafter it shall be lawful for the register of wills of the several counties in this state, to grant or issue letters of administration, during the recess of the orphans court of the several counties.

Register to grant letters of administration during recess of court.

5. *And be it enacted, That* all letters of administration which have been heretofore granted by the register of wills in the recess of the orphans courts of the several counties in this state, and all proceedings under such letters of administration, are hereby confirmed, and made as valid as they could or would have been had such letters of administration been granted by the orphans courts of the several counties.

Letters heretofore granted by register in recess of court confirmed.