

CONSTITUTION OF MARYLAND.

DECLARATION OF RIGHTS.

Art. 2.

See notes to art. 15, sec. 5 of the Md. Constitution.

Art. 5.

Right of prisoner on trial for misdemeanor punishable by death to be present when testimony being taken is absolute; no waiver by counsel. *Duffy v. State*, 151 Md. 476.

Art. 16, sec. 246 of Code, not in violation of this article—see notes thereto. *Balto. Process Co. v. My-Coca Co.*, 144 Md. 445.

Zoning ordinance so construed as not to deny jury trial. *State v. Rutherford*, 145 Md. 370.

This article has no application to Workmen's Compensation Law, which abrogates common law causes of actions and grounds of defense. *Branch v. Indemnity Ins. Co.*, 156 Md. 483.

This article cited in dissenting opinion in *In re Rickell's Estate*, 158 Md. 665.

This article referred to in construing art. 27 and sec. 573 of art. 27 of the Code. *Price v. Hitaffer*, 164 Md. 510.

Cited but not construed in *Safe Dep. & Tr. Co. v. Tait*, 54 Fed. (2nd), 388.

See notes to Art. 15, Sec. 5 of the Md. Constitution.

Art. 8.

Act 1927, ch. 224 (see art. 5, sec. 12, of Code), valid and not inconsistent with rules of court. *Savage Mfg. Co. v. Magne*, 154 Md. 54.

To last note to this section on page 47, vol. 1, of Code, add *Mattare v. Cunningham*, 148 Md. 313.

This article cited in dissenting opinion in *In re Rickell's Estate*, 158 Md. 664.

Art. 15.

Portion of this article *re* taxes being uniform as to land within taxing district does not apply to special assessments. Assessment upon particular property should be measured by benefit to it; supplementary construction or improvement. *Sanitary Commission v. Noel*, 155 Md. 446 (dissenting opinion).

Legislature may put cost of public improvements primarily on abutting properties, and secondly on all taxpayers in district, and thirdly upon all taxpayers of political unit. Act creating Metropolitan District of Baltimore County, valid. *Dinneen v. Rider*, 152 Md. 365.

This article referred to in holding art. 56, sec. 183, of Code, constitutional—see notes thereto. *Grossfield v. Baughman*, 148 Md. 334.

This article referred to—see notes to art. 11A, sec. 1, of Constitution. *Gaither v. Jackson*, 147 Md. 666.

This article referred to in construing art. 81, secs. 15 and 166 (secs. 163 and 249 of 1924 Code). *Power Co. v. State Tax Commission*, 159 Md. 361.

This act referred to in construing art. 81, sec. 7, sub-sec. 28. *Steam Packet Co. v. Baltimore*, 161 Md. 13.

Cited but not construed in *Parlett, etc., v. Tidewater Lines*, 164 Md. 411.

The uniformity of taxation requirement of this article relates to general assessment for taxation and not to the imposition of licenses. *Bevard v. Baughman*, 167 Md. 68.

This article referred to in holding that art. 11A of the State Constitution had not authorized Baltimore City to legislate on assessing property for State taxation. *Denhard v. Baltimore*, 167 Md. 419.

This article referred to in holding invalid ch. 497 of 1931. exempting W., B & A. Elec. R. Co. from taxation. *Mayor v. Williams*, 61 Fed. (2nd), 374.