

## CHAPTER 189.

A SUPPLEMENT to an Act, entitled, an Act directing the manner of suing out Attachments in this Province, and limiting the extent of them. \*1715, ch. 40.

*Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from henceforth, any person or persons having obtained a judgment in any court of this state, against any person or persons, it shall and may be lawful to and for the said plaintiff or plaintiffs, in the said judgment, instead of any other execution, to take out an attachment against the lands, tenements, goods, chattels, and credits, of the said defendant or defendants, in the said judgment, in the said plaintiff or plaintiff's own hands, or in the hands of any other person or persons whomsoever; whether the said defendant or defendants reside in the county in which the said judgment may have been rendered, or elsewhere, which said attachment shall be directed to, and served by the sheriff or coroner, as the case may require, of the county in which they are issued, and the same proceedings shall be thereupon had and observed, as are now authorized and required by the seventh section of the original act to which this is a supplement, in case of absent defendants. Attachments authorized. And may be laid. Without regard to residence.

## CHAPTER 190.

AN Act relating to the trial of Cases of Appeals from Judgments of Justices of the Peace, in the County Courts of the Fourth Judicial District.

*Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That all cases of appeals from judgments of justices of the peace in the county courts of the fourth judicial district, shall be called for trial when the civil cases, originating in said county courts, shall be called for trial; and, if ready for trial, when called, shall be tried; and shall, in all respects, have the same privilege as to the time and opportunity of trial, as the cases aforesaid. Shall be called for trial, &c.

## CHAPTER 192.

AN Act to amend the Law relative to Distress for Rent.

See 1836, ch. 192.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the fourth day of July next ensuing the passage of this act, any and every landlord or landlords, or their agents, who may be authorized to distrain for rent due him, her, or them, upon the goods and chattels of his, her or their tenant or tenants, shall, previous to making such distress, go before some justice of the peace of the county where the premises lie, or where the landlord or landholders, or their agents, may reside, and make oath or affirmation, as the case may be, according to law, that his, her, or their tenant or tenants, is, or Oath required to authorize distraint.