

shall issue on the approval of their appointment by the court or register of wills, as the case may be; provided, however, that nothing contained in this section shall apply to the orphans' court or register of wills of the city of Baltimore.

Cited but not construed in *Barron v. Smith*, 108 Md. 323.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 214. 1922, sec. 208. 1904, sec. 207. 1890, ch. 155, sec. 205B. 1937, ch. 54.

215. Said appraisers shall receive a *per diem* of not more than two dollars a day for the time they are actually engaged in said appraisal, said *per diem* to be paid out of the estate of the decedent after said appraisers have filed an itemized sworn account of the number of days they were actually engaged in said appraisal with the Orphans' Court or Register of Wills, as the case may be, and after said sworn statement is approved by said court or register of wills, as the case may be; provided, however, that nothing contained in this section shall apply to the Orphans' Court or Register of Wills of the City of Baltimore or Montgomery County.

Cited but not construed in *Barron v. Smith*, 108 Md. 323.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 215. 1912, sec. 209. 1904, sec. 208. 1888, sec. 206. 1798, ch. 101, sub-ch. 6, sec. 2.

216. The following shall be the form of the warrant: "The State of Maryland, to _____ and _____, greeting: This is to authorize you jointly to appraise the goods, chattels and personal estate of _____, late of _____, deceased, so far as they shall come to your sight or knowledge, each of you having first taken the oath hereto annexed, a certificate whereof you are to return annexed to an inventory of the said goods, chattels and personal estate by you appraised in dollars and cents; and in the same inventory you are to set down in a column or columns opposite to each article, the value thereof." Witness A. B., chief judge of the orphans' court of _____ county. Test: C. D., register of wills for _____ county.

Cited but not construed in *Barron v. Smith*, 108 Md. 323.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 216. 1912, sec. 210. 1904, sec. 209. 1888, sec. 207. 1798, ch. 101, sub-ch. 6, sec. 3.

217. On the death, refusal or neglect to act of any appraiser, another warrant may forthwith issue in its stead.

Cited but not construed in *Barron v. Smith*, 108 Md. 323.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 217. 1912, sec. 211. 1904, sec. 210. 1888, sec. 208. 1798, ch. 101, sub-ch. 6, sec. 4. 1935, ch. 328.

218. The appraisers before they proceed to act shall take the following oath, annexed to or endorsed on the warrant, before any person authorized to administer an oath: "I,, do swear that I will well and truly, without partiality or prejudice, value and appraise the goods, chattels and personal estate of deceased, so far as the same shall come to my sight and knowledge, and will in all respects perform my duty as appraiser, to the best of my skill and judgment."

This section referred to in construing secs. 5 and 231—see notes thereto. *Handy v. Collins*, 60 Md. 239.

Cited but not construed in *Barron v. Smith*. 108 Md. 323.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 218. 1912, sec. 212. 1904, sec. 211. 1888, sec. 209. 1798, ch. 101, sub-ch. 6, sec. 5.

219. The appraisers shall proceed as conveniently as may be to the discharge of their duty, and shall set down each article, with the value