

ARTICLE LXXIX.

RELEASES AND RECEIPTS.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To executors and guardian, where to be recorded. 2. Where and before whom to be acknowledged within this State; how certified 3. Out of this State, how and before whom to be acknowledged. 4. May be executed by an attorney duly authorized by power of attorney. 5. Power of attorney where to be recorded. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Releases to be retained by register of wills. 7. To trustees from residents of this State duly acknowledged, may be recorded in the office of the clerk or register. 8. To trustees from non-residents, may be recorded in like manner. 9. Certified copies to be evidence. 10. Releases of females over eighteen, to be valid. |
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P. G. L., (1860,) art 79, sec 1. 1809, ch. 168, secs. 1-2. 1829, ch. 216, sec. 7. 1831, ch. 305, secs. 3-5.

1. Any release or receipt executed to any executor, administrator, or guardian, by any person authorized to execute the same, (and any female over eighteen years of age is hereby authorized to execute the same,) which shall be acknowledged and certified as hereinafter directed, may be recorded in the office of the register of wills of the county where letters testamentary or of administration were granted, or where the guardian was appointed or gave bond; and a copy of the record under seal, of such release or receipt, shall be evidence of such release or receipt.

Pottenger's Exr v. Stewart, 3 H & J. 347. *Davis v. Jacquin*, 5 H. & J. 100. *Lowe v. Gist*, 5 H. & J 106, (note.) *Crapster v. Griffith*, 6 H. & J. 144. *Bowers v. State*, 7 H. & J. 32. *Fridge v. State*, 3 G & J. 103. *Mitchell v. Mitchell*, 1 Gill, 66. *Magruder v. Darnall*, 6 Gill, 269. *Crapster v. Griffith*, 2 Bl. 1. *Corrie's Case*, 2 Bl 488. *McClellan v. Kennedy*, 3 Md. Ch. 234. *McKim v. Handy*, 4 Md Ch 228. *McClellan v. Kennedy*, 8 Md. 230. *Hanson v. Worthington*, 12 Md. 420. *Fouke v. Fleming*, 13 Md. 410. *Greenwood v. Greenwood*, 28 Md. 370.

Ibid. sec. 2. 1809, ch. 168, sec. 1. 1831, ch 305, sec. 1.

2. The releases and receipts mentioned in the preceding section may be acknowledged in this State before a justice of the peace;