

him by attachment, and may commit him until he shall render such account.

*Gavin v. Carling*, 55 Md. 530.

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 93, sec. 13. 1785, ch. 80, sec. 8. 1798, ch. 101, sub-ch. 8, sec. 2.

**13.** The orphans' court shall have power to make allowance to any administrator or collector for property of the decedent which hath perished or been lost without the fault of the party; and no profit shall be made and no loss sustained by an administrator in the increase or decrease of the estate under his management; but the administrator shall return an inventory and account for such increase, and may be allowed for such decrease on the settlement of the final or other account.

*Rizer v. Perry*, 58 Md. 112.

#### Administration.

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 93, sec. 14. 1798, ch. 101, sub-ch. 5, sec. 2. 1865, ch. 162

**14.** Whenever any person shall die intestate, leaving in this State personal estate, letters of administration may forthwith be granted by the orphans' court of the county wherein was the party's mansion house or residence; or in case he had no mansion or residence within the State, letters shall be granted in the county where the party died; and in case the party neither had mansion or residence nor died within this State, letters may be granted in the county wherein lies or is supposed to lie a considerable part of the party's personal estate. Nevertheless, whenever any person shall die, leaving in this State property subject to administration, the said letters of administration shall be granted in the county wherein was the mansion house or residence of the deceased; provided, he had such property lying in said county.

*Fishwick v. Sewell*, 4 H. & J. 393. *Hammond v. Ridgely*, 5 H. & J. 245. *Ratne v. Wheeler's Exr*, 6 H. & J. 94. *Barney v. Patterson*, 6 H. & J. 182. *Raborg's Admr. v. Hammond's Admr*, 2 H. & G. 42. *Dimond's Admx v. Billingslea*, 2 H. & G. 264. *Winchester v. Union Bk.*, 2 G. & J. 79. *Hoffman v. Gold*, 8 G. & J. 79. *Comegys v. State*, 10 G. & J. 175. *House v. Wiles*, 12 G. & J. 338. *Smith v. Young*, 5 Gill, 197. *Mangum v. Webster*, 7 Gill, 81. *Ex*