

P. G. L., (1860,) art. 93, sec. 102. 1798, ch 101, sub-ch. 8, sec. 14.

101. An administrator shall discharge all just claims known to him, or pay each claimant his just proportion of the money then in his hands, (retaining as herein directed,) within thirteen months from the date of his letters, or within such further time, not exceeding four months longer, as shall be allowed by the orphans' court, on his making oath that he hath reason to apprehend that the personal estate and assets which are or shall be in his hands will be insufficient to discharge the just debts of and claims against the deceased; it shall likewise be his duty, once in every term of six months, after the first distribution, to make a distribution of the money which hath since come to his hands, until he shall have fully administered, and on failure. his administration bond may be put in suit.

Mann v. State, 3 H. & J. 237. *West v. Briscoe*, 5 H. & J. 460. *Hagthorp v. Hook*, 1 G. & J. 270. *State v. Bank of Maryland*, 6 G. & J. 205. *Coward v. Worrell*, 7 G. & J. 475. *Thomas v. Frederick Co. School*, 9 G. & J. 115. *Hammond v. Hammond*, 2 Bl. 306. *Salmon v. Clagett*, 3 Bl. 125. *Neale v. Hagthorp*, 3 Bl. 551. *Hitch v. Davis*, 3 Md. Ch. 226. *White v. Donnell*, 3 Md. Ch. 526. *Connor v. Ogle*, 4 Md. Ch. 425. *Edwards v. Bruce*, 8 Md. 387. *Iglehart v. Kirwan*, 10 Md. 567.

Ibid. sec. 103. 1798, ch. 101, sub-ch. 8, sec. 16.

102. In all cases where an administrator is to make payment or distribution amongst the creditors of his decedent, he may give notice three successive weeks previously in some convenient newspaper, of the time and place for making it; and in case the creditor shall not attend in person or by agent or attorney to receive the amount or proportionable part of his claim, all interest on such claim, or proportionable part, shall cease from that time; provided, that the administrator shall at any time thereafter, on demand, pay the said claim or proportionable part to the party, his agent or attorney duly authorized; and whenever the administrator shall proceed to make an additional payment or dividend, he may advertise as aforesaid, and interest shall stop as aforesaid; and if, at any additional dividend, a just claim, established as hereinbefore directed, shall be exhibited, the creditor shall be entitled to such sum as will place him on equal footing with those who have already received a dividend.