

the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect; every attachment issued without a bond and affidavit taken as aforesaid is hereby declared illegal and void, and shall be dismissed.

Howard v. Oppenheimer, 25 Md. 350. Stewart v. Katz, 30 Md. 334. Wanamaker v. Bowes, 36 Md. 42. Gable v. Brooks, 48 Md. 113.

1864, ch. 306, sec. 5.

**39.** In all cases where two or more persons are jointly indebted, either as partners or otherwise, and an affidavit shall be filed as hereinbefore provided, so as to make one or more of such joint debtors amenable to the process of attachment, then the writ of attachment shall issue against the lands and tenements, goods, chattels and credits of such as are so brought within the provisions of this law; but the writ of summons shall issue against all the joint defendants, as in other actions against joint defendants.

Ibid sec. 6. 1888, ch. 507.

**40.** In case the defendant, or any other person interested in the proceedings, is not satisfied with the sufficiency of the surety or sureties, or any one of them, or with the amount specified in the bond aforesaid, he may, at any time before judgment, apply to the judge of the court in which the said bond is filed, for an order requiring the plaintiff to give additional security, notice of which application shall be given to the plaintiff not less than four days before the same is made; and the said judge, if satisfied from evidence, of the insufficiency of the said bond, may order or require the plaintiff to give an additional bond, with security to be approved of by the court, in such sum and within such time as he may deem proper; and in case the plaintiff shall fail to comply with such order, the said writ of attachment shall be quashed, and the property attached, or its proceeds, if the same shall have been sold by order of the court, shall be returned to the defendant, or be otherwise disposed of, as shall be ordered by the court.

Ibid. sec. 7.

**41.** The practice and pleadings under the writ of attachment issued in compliance with sections 35-40 of this article, shall, in