

1888, ch. 482.

12. In suits brought against alleged joint debtors in actions *ex contractu*, it shall not be necessary for the plaintiff to prove their joint liability as alleged in order to maintain his action; but he shall be entitled to recover as in actions *ex delicto* against such one or more of the defendants as shall be shown by the evidence to be indebted to him; and judgment shall be entered in his favor against such one or more of said defendants as fully as if the defendant or defendants against whom he shall fail to establish his claim had not been joined in the suit.

Joint Tenancy.

P. G. L., (1860) art. 49, sec. 12. 1823, ch. 162.

13. No deed, devise or other instrument of writing shall be construed to create an estate in joint tenancy, unless in such deed, devise or other instrument of writing, it is expressly provided that the property thereby conveyed is to be held in joint tenancy.

Griffith's Lessee *v* Ridgely, 2 H & McH 418. Hanan *v* Powers, 3 H. & J. 147. Moody *v* Ellicott, 1 Md Ch 290. Purdy *v*. Purdy, 3 Md Ch 553. Craft *v* Wilcox, 4 Gill, 505. Gray *v*. Lynch, 8 Gill, 424. Chew *v*. Chew, 1 Md. 171. Gilpin *v*. Hollingsworth, 3 Md. 190. Marburg *v*. Cole, 49 Md. 412. Fladung *v*. Rose, 58 Md. 13.

ARTICLE LI.

JURIES.

Qualification and Selection of Jurors.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Age of juror 2. Judges of orphans' court ineligible. 3. Persons exempt 4. No property qualification. 5. Persons having matter of fact depending for trial at same term not to be selected. 6. Clerk of county commissioners to prepare lists; penalty. 7. Selection of the panel. 8. Drawing and summons. Special provision for Baltimore and | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Frederick counties. Prince George's, Dorchester and Wicomico counties excepted. 9. Residue of names to be kept sealed in box; selection of additional talesmen. 10. Grand jury; petit jury; Prince George's county excepted 11. Selection of disqualified persons, coercion of jurors. 12. Emptying box before new panel 13. Petit jury in civil cases, how selected. 14. Refusal by party to strike out. |
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