

the ends of justice will be attained by such amendment of plats and admission of witnesses.

Berry's Lessee *v.* Willett, 2 H. & McH. 376. King *v.* Tarlton, 2 H. & McH. 473. Scott's Lessee *v.* Ollabaugh, 3 H. & McH. 511. Gill's Lessee *v.* Cole, 3 H. & McH. 576. Chaplin's Lessee *v.* Keedy, 3 H. & McH. 578. Gittings' Lessee *v.* Hall, 1 H. & J. 14. Howard's Lessee *v.* Cromwell, 1 H. & J. 115. Darnall's Lessee *v.* Goodwin, 1 H. & J. 282. Hall *v.* Gittings' Lessee, 2 H. & J. 112. *Ibid.*, 2 H. & J. 380. Stoddert's Lessee *v.* Manning, 2 H. & J. 148. Howard *v.* Moale's Lessee, 2 H. & J. 249. Tenant *v.* Hambleton, 3 H. & J. 233. Stewart's Lessee *v.* Mason, 3 H. & J. 507. Bowie *v.* O'Neale, 5 H. & J. 226. Wall *v.* Forbes, 1 H. & G. 441. Rogers' Lessee *v.* Raborg, 2 G. & J. 54. Addison *v.* Hack, 2 Gill, 221. Mitchell *v.* Mitchell, 8 Gill, 102. Armstrong *v.* Risteau, 5 Md. 257. Tyson *v.* Shueey, 5 Md. 540. Carroll's Lessee *v.* Granite Manuf. Co., 11 Md. 400. Morrison *v.* Hammond's Lessee, 27 Md. 604. Tome Institute *v.* Davis, 87 Md. 608.

1888, art. 75, sec. 82. 1860, art. 75, sec. 58. 1852, ch. 177, sec. 8.
1882, ch. 372.

85. In no action shall plats be considered as pleadings or evidence *per se*.

Mundell *v.* Perry, 2 G. & J. 205. Medley *v.* Williams, 7 G. & J. 68. Casey *v.* Inloes, 1 Gill, 430. Budd *v.* Brooke, 3 Gill, 228. Funk *v.* Hughes, 5 Gill, 315. Clary *v.* Kimmel, 18 Md. 246. Newman *v.* Young, 30 Md. 419. New York, etc., R. R. Co. *v.* Jones, 94 Md. 33.

Equitable Defenses.

Ibid. sec. 83. 1888, ch. 547.

86. It shall be lawful for the defendant in any action at law (including plaintiff in replevin where avowry or cognizance is made) in which, if judgment were obtained, he would be entitled to relief against such judgment on equitable grounds, to plead the facts which entitle him to such relief by way of defense, and the court in which said action is pending is hereby empowered to receive such defense by way of plea; provided, that such plea shall begin with the words: "For defense on equitable grounds," or words to that effect.

Williams *v.* Peters, 73 Md. 584. Taylor *v.* State use of Miller, 73 Md. 208. Miles & Brattan *v.* State use of Byrd, 73 Md. 398. Crocker *v.* Hopps, 78 Md. 264. Park Asso. *v.* Shartzter, 83 Md. 13. Shartzter *v.* Park Asso., 86 Md. 238. Urner *v.* Sollenberger, 89 Md. 337. Connor *v.* Groh, 90 Md. 682. Robey *v.* State use of Mallery, 94 Md. 71.

Ibid. sec. 84. 1888, ch. 547.

87. The plaintiff or the defendant in replevin may demur to such plea for want of equity, or reply thereto facts which