

parties shall neglect or fail to pay the same within that time, the orphans' court of the said county or city shall order the executor or administrator to sell for cash so much of said real estate as may be necessary to pay said tax and all the expenses of said sale, including the commissions of the executor or administrator thereon; and after the report of said sale, the ratification thereof and the payment of the purchase money, the executor or administrator may execute a valid deed for the estate sold, and not before; provided, however, that nothing in this section contained shall be construed to confer authority on the orphans' court to order the sale of any real estate for the satisfaction of collateral inheritance tax after the expiration of four years from the date of the death of the decedent, who shall have died seized and possessed of said real estate.

State v. Dalrymple, 70 Md. 295.

1888, art. 81, sec. 115. 1860, art. 81, sec. 137. 1846; ch. 344, sec. 1. 1847, ch. 222, sec. 6. 1874, ch. 483, sec. 126. 1880, ch. 455. 1904, ch. 222.

130. Whenever any estate, real, personal or mixed, of a decedent shall be subject to the tax mentioned in the thirteen preceding sections, and there be a life estate or interest for a term of years, or a contingent interest, given to one party and the remainder, or reversionary interest, to another party, the orphans' court of the county or city in which administration is granted shall determine in its discretion and at such time as it shall think proper what proportion the party entitled to said life estate, or interest for a term of years, or contingent interest, shall pay of said tax, and the judgment of said court shall be final and conclusive, and the party entitled to said life estate or interest for a term of years, or other contingent interest, shall within thirty days after the date of such determination pay to the register of wills his proportion of said tax; and thereafter the said court shall from time to time after the determination of the preceding estate and as the remainder of said estate shall vest in the party or parties entitled in remainder or reversion determine in its discretion what proportion of the residue of said tax shall be paid by the party or parties in whom the estate shall so vest; and the judgment of the said court shall be final and each of the parties successively entitled in remainder or reversion shall pay his proportion of said tax to the register of wills within thirty days after the date of such determination as to him; and the proportion of the tax so determined to be paid by the party entitled to the life interest