

interested in the personal estate may have an opportunity of knowing as nearly as may be the amount of the same, an inventory (in case the estate lies in one county, or can conveniently be collected together), or inventories (in case the property lies in more than one county, or cannot conveniently be collected together), shall be returned to the office granting the administration.

Proprietary v. Gibbs, 1 H. & McH. 58. *Montgomery v. Black*, 4 H. & McH. 391. *Emory v. Thompson*, 2 H. & J. 244. *Leeke's Admr. v. Beanes*, 2 H. & J. 373. *Hall v. Griffith*, 2 H. & J. 483. *Mann v. State*, 3 H. & J. 237. *Downes v. State*, 3 H. & J. 239. *State v. Wootton*, 4 H. & J. 21. *Dukehart v. State*, 4 H. & J. 506. *Halkerstone's Exr. v. Hawkins*, 1 G. & J. 437. *Allender v. Riston*, 2 G. & J. 86. *Gather v. Welch*, 3 G. & J. 259. *Scott v. Fox*, 14 Md. 388. *Handy v. Collins*, 60 Md. 229.

1888, art 93, sec. 205. 1860, art. 93, sec. 205. 1798, ch 101, sub-ch. 6, sec. 2. 1890, ch. 155.

205. The orphans' court or register of wills of the city of Baltimore, or the counties of the State, as the case may be, on granting letters testamentary or of administration, or of collection shall issue a warrant or warrants under their seal of office authorizing two persons of discretion, not related to the deceased nor interested in the administration, to appraise the goods, chattels and personal estate of the deceased known to them, or to be shown by the executor, administrator or collector.

Ibid.

1890, ch. 155, sec. 205 A.

206. The two persons to appraise the estate as mentioned in section 205 shall be nominated to the court or register of wills as the case may be, by the executor, administrator or collector, and their warrants to appraise shall issue on the approval of their appointment by the court or register of wills, as the case may be; provided, however, that nothing contained in this section shall apply to the orphans' court or register of wills of the city of Baltimore.

Ibid. sec. 205 B.

207. Said appraisers shall receive a per diem of not more than two dollars a day for the time they are actually engaged in said appraisement, said per diem to be paid out of the estate of the decedent after said appraisers have filed an itemized sworn account of the number of days they were actually engaged in said appraisement with the orphans' court or register of wills, as the case may be, and after said sworn