

abode, with intention to evade the payment of his just debts, or to injure or defraud his creditors, shall be considered as having absconded; and an averment in the oath of the plaintiff against a person as having absconded shall, without other words, be a sufficient averment of any such conduct.

*Field v. Adreon*, 7 Md. 209. *Risewick v. Davis*, 19 Md. 94. *DeBebian v. Gola*, 64 Md. 262.

1888, art. 9. sec. 4. 1860, art. 10, sec. 4. 1795, ch. 56, sec. 1.

4. No attachment shall issue (except as hereinafter mentioned), unless there be an affidavit that the debtor is *bona fide* indebted to the creditor in the sum of—, over and above all discounts; and at the time of making the affidavit, the creditor shall produce the bond, account or other evidences of debt, by which the said debtor is so indebted; and shall also make affidavit that he knows, or is credibly informed and verily believes, that the said debtor is not a citizen of this State, and that he doth not reside therein; or if the said debtor resides in this State, that he doth know, or is credibly informed and verily believes, that the said debtor hath absconded.

*State v. Beall*, 3 H. & McH. 347. *Thompson v. Towson*, 4 H. & McH. 285. *Prentiss v. Gray*, 4 H. & J. 192. *Barney v. Patterson*, 6 H. & J. 60. *Wood v. Fulton*, 2 H. & G. 78. *Dawson v. Brown*, 12 G. & J. 60. *Boarman v. Israel*, 1 Gill, 379. *Wilson v. Wilson*, 8 Gill, 192. *Lee v. Tinges*, 7 Md. 230. *C. C. & I. Co. v. Hoffman S. C. Co.*, 22 Md. 495. *Warwick v. Chase*, 23 Md. 115. *Smithson v. U. S. Tel. Co.*, 29 Md. 162. *Jones v. Freeman*, 29 Md. 276. *White v. Solomonsky*, 30 Md. 585. *State v. Stibel*, 31 Md. 37. *Mears v. Adreon*, 31 Md. 229. *Knickerbocker Ins. Co. v. Hoeske*, 32 Md. 318. *McAllister v. Eichengreen*, 34 Md. 57. *Cox v. Waters*, 34 Md. 460. *Norris v. Wrenchall*, 34 Md. 499. *Jean v. Spurrier*, 35 Md. 116. *Hough v. Kugler*, 36 Md. 194. *Williams v. Jones*, 38 Md. 565. *Keen v. Worthington*, 40 Md. 497. *Halley v. Jackson*, 48 Md. 254. *Bartlett v. Wilbur*, 53 Md. 501. *Hoffman v. Reed*, 57 Md. 374. *Foran v. Johnson*, 58 Md. 145. *DeBebian v. Gola*, 64 Md. 263. *Gunby v. Porter*, 80 Md. 402. *Hadden v. Linville*, 86 Md. 235. *Stockbridge v. Fahnestock*, 87 Md. 133.

*Ibid.* sec. 5. 1860, art. 10, sec. 5. 1795, ch. 56, sec. 1. 1876, ch. 112. 1888, ch. 507.

5. The affidavit required by the preceding section may be made before any justice of the peace or any judge of a court of law of this State, or before any judge of a court of record of the United States, or of any State, district or territory of the United States, or before a commissioner appointed by the State to take acknowledgments of deeds, or before a notary public, or if out of the United States, before a consul or vice-consul