any judge thereof in vacation, may order a sale of any property which may be levied on by virtue of such attachment whenever the court or judge may deem such sale expedient and for the better promotion of the ends of justice, on such terms and notice as the order may prescribe, and such sale may be ordered before or after the return of the attachment, and the proceeds of such sale after the payment of the expenses incident thereto, shall be paid into court and deposited with the clerk, subject to the order of the court on the final decision of the case.

O'Brien v. Norris, 16 Md. 122. Hall v. Richardson, 16 Md. 396.

Amendments.

1888, art. 9, sec. 27. 1860, art. 10, sec. 28. 1845, ch. 54. 1846, ch. 324-328. 1888, ch. 507. 1898, ch. 44.

28. The affidavit, short note, declaration, voucher, pleadings, interrogatories, claim of property and all other papers in attachment proceedings may be amended in the same manner and to the same extent as the proceedings in any other suits or actions at law, so that all attachment cases may be tried on their real merits and the purposes of justice subserved; nor shall any attachment proceedings be quashed or set aside for any defect in mere matter of form.

Blair v. Winston, 84 Md. 361. Booth v. Callahan, 97 Md. 318.

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Ibid. sec. 28. 1860, art. 10, sec. 30. 1715, ch. 40, secs. 3-7. 1831, ch. 321, sec. 4. 1834, ch. 189. 1853, ch. 375. 1888, ch. 507.

29. Any plaintiff having a judgment or decree in any court of law or equity in this State may, instead of any other execution, issue an attachment against the lands, tenements, goods, chattels and credits of the defendant in the plaintiff's own hands, or in the hands of any other person, which attachment shall contain the clause of scire facias required in an attachment against a non-resident or absconding debtor. Whenever such attachment shall be issued upon a decree of a court of equity, such court shall have authority and jurisdiction to hear and determine any question that may arise upon such attachment as fully as the same could be heard and determined by any court of law, subject to the right of appeal to the court of appeals as in other cases; but if any party to such attachment shall pray a jury trial at any time before such attachment case shall be determined by said court of equity, such attachment