

**Attachments in Actions Ex Contractu for Unliquidated Damages, and in Actions for Wrongs Independent of Contract.**

1888, art. 9, sec. 43. 1888, ch. 507.

**44.** Attachments may also be issued against non-resident or absconding debtors in cases arising *ex contractu*, where the damages are unliquidated, and in actions for wrongs independent of contract; but in such cases no attachments shall issue until a declaration shall have been filed, setting out specially and in detail the breach of contract complained of, or the tort actually committed, verified by the affidavit of the plaintiff or some one on his behalf, and until a bond shall be filed, similar in all respects to the bond required to be given in cases of attachments on original process for fraud, as prescribed by section 39 of this article. In cases arising under this section, the practice and pleadings shall in all other particulars conform to the practice and proceedings against non-resident and absconding debtors in actions *ex contractu* for liquidated damages.

*Dirickson v. Showell*, 79 Md. 52.

**Several Attachments.**

*Ibid.* sec. 44. 1867, ch. 418.

**45.** The plaintiff may have more than one attachment or writ of attachment, to be laid in the hands of different persons or levied on other property or effects than that taken under the first, though the first be still outstanding; provided, that but one satisfaction of the debt or demand shall be made, and that it shall be in the discretion of the court in all such cases, whether any costs, or if any, what amount of costs shall be allowed on the subsequent attachment or attachments.

1890, ch. 549, sec. 44 A.

**46.** A writ of attachment may be served upon any person by way of garnishment wherever he may be found, either by the sheriff of the jurisdiction where said person may be, or by the sheriff of the jurisdiction where the writ issues; when a writ of attachment is served upon anyone outside of the locality of his place of business or residence, the short note shall be set up at the court house door of the county or city where the writ is served by the officer serving the same, and upon the return of the writ, a duplicate short note shall be sent by the clerk of the court where the writ issues to the sheriff of that city or county to be set up by him at the court house door of