

they shall agree upon and sign and seal the said inquisition; and in case it shall so happen that the jury can not agree after being kept together as aforesaid, the sheriff may, in his discretion, discharge the said jury, and without any further warrant from a justice of the peace shall, within five days thereafter, summon another jury of twenty inhabitants, as aforesaid, not upon the former jury; and the same proceedings shall be had in all respects as is hereinbefore provided; and in case of a second or other disagreement of the jury the same proceedings shall be had until a verdict or inquisition shall be made and returned as aforesaid.

Balto. Belt R. R. Co. v. Balzell, 75 Md. 98, 103 and 106. Turnpike Road v. R. R. Co., 87 Md. 257. Lake Roland Co. v. Webster, 81 Md. 536.

1892, ch. 657, sec 167 A.*

252. The notice of the time and place of the meeting of the jury of inquisition, given by the company to the owner or owners, shall be served by delivering a copy of the same to every such owner, if such owner can be found within this State; and in case the owner be an infant or *non compos mentis*, in addition to the service on such owner, a copy of the notice shall be left with the parent, or guardian of the infant, if there be one within this State, and with the committee or other person having the care of the person or estate of the person alleged to be *non compos mentis*, if any such committee or other person be found within this State. In case any owner or person on whom such notice is above required to be served, be not found within this State, then such notice may be served either by delivering a copy thereof to such owner, or person to be served wherever found, or by the publication of the same at least once a week for two successive weeks in some newspaper published in the county where the lands or property sought to be condemned may be, or if such lands or property lie within the city of Baltimore, by publication of such notice at least twice a week for two successive weeks in some daily newspaper published therein. Any court to which the inquisition of the jury may be returned, for confirmation, may, in its discretion, by order, either require the legal guardian or the committee of the infant, or non-sane owner (if there be such guardian or committee within the jurisdiction of the court) to appear, show cause against such confirmation or otherwise protect the interests of such infant or non-sane owner, or appoint a guar-

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