

When an assignment for an interest in any estate pending distribution in the Orphans' Court of Washington County is filed for record with the Register of Wills of the county, before the statement of final accounts, the filing shall be constructive notice to any administrator of the estate. (P.L.L., 1930, Art. 22, sec. 697A; 1957 Code, sec. 511. 1904, ch. 489; 1970 ed. sec. 26-2; 1984, ch. 289)]

[3-303. Indexes.

The Register of Wills shall transcribe as many of the indexes in the Register of Wills' Office for the county into a new book or books well-bound for that purpose, as are worn out or rendered inefficient from continued use. The Register shall also remodel the entire general index of wills and administrations and guardian accounts and shall fill and supply any vacancy which now exists in such general indexes. (P.L.L., 1930, Art. 22, sec. 698; 1957 Code, sec. 512. 1892, ch. 422, sec. 1; 1970 ed. sec. 263; 1984, ch. 289)]

[3-304. Will books to be transcribed.

The Register of Wills shall transcribe wills, books Liber "B" and "C", in the office in well-bound books suitable and proper for the purpose. (P.L.L., 1930, Art. 22, sec. 699; 1957 Code, sec. 513. 1892 ch. 422, sec. 2; 1970 ed. sec. 26-4; 1984, ch. 289)]

#### Subtitle [4.] 3. Bailiffs

[3-401.] 3-301. Bailiffs; duties, compensation.

The Circuit Court of Washington County may appoint 3 bailiffs to the court, 2 to be door or gate-keepers and 1 to be designated by the court to have charge of the library. The bailiffs shall be in regular attendance upon the court and are under its control and supervision. Their salaries shall be set by the County Commissioners after consultation with the court. The compensation may be either on a per diem or annual basis for either one or all of the bailiffs, as is determined by the court and the County Commissioners. If any of the bailiffs are paid a per diem, then, upon a certificate from the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the county of the number of days each of them has attended, the [collector of taxes] TAX COLLECTOR for the county shall pay them in the same manner that jurors are paid. (P.L.L., 1860, Art. 21, sec. 90; 1888, Art. 22, sec. 119; 1930, sec. 118; 1957 Code, sec. 148. 1927, ch. 106; 1933, ch. 115; 1943, ch. 326; 1947, ch. 47; 1951, ch. 48; 1970 ed. sec. 4-27; 1984, ch. 289)

#### [Subtitle 5. Court Stenographer]

[3-501. Court stenographers; appointment, salary.

(a) Appointment. The judges of the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Maryland shall appoint 2 official court stenographers, 1 for the Circuit Court for Washington County, and 1 for the Circuit Court for Allegany and Garrett Counties, who shall be sworn officers of the courts of the circuit.

(b) Salary. The court stenographer appointed for the Circuit Court for Washington County shall receive the salary that the Judges of the Fourth Judicial Circuit authorize in writing to be paid by the County Commissioners of Washington County in regular monthly instalments.