

for purposes of a personal judgment, and process can be obtained by means of appropriate, substituted service or by actual personal service on the resident outside the state.<sup>858</sup> However, if the defendant, although technically domiciled there, has left the state with no intention to return, service by publication, as compared to a summons left at his last and usual place of abode where his family continued to reside, is inadequate, because it is not reasonably calculated to give actual notice of the proceedings and opportunity to be heard.<sup>859</sup>

With respect to a nonresident, it is clearly established that no person can be deprived of property rights by a decree in a case in which he neither appeared nor was served or effectively made a party.<sup>860</sup> The early cases held that the process of a court of one state could not run into another and summon a resident of that state to respond to proceedings against him, when neither his person nor his property was within the jurisdiction of the court rendering the judgment.<sup>861</sup> This rule, however, has been attenuated in a series of steps.

Consent has always been sufficient to create jurisdiction, even in the absence of any other connection between the litigation and the forum. For example, the appearance of the defendant for any purpose other than to challenge the jurisdiction of the court was deemed a voluntary submission to the court's power,<sup>862</sup> and even a special appearance to deny jurisdiction might be treated as consensual submission to the court.<sup>863</sup> The concept of "constructive consent" was then seized upon as a basis for obtaining jurisdiction. For

65 YALE L. J. 289 (1956). But in *Burnham v. Superior Court*, 495 U.S. 604 (1990), the Court held that service of process on a nonresident physically present within the state satisfies due process regardless of the duration or purpose of the nonresident's visit.

<sup>858</sup> *Milliken v. Meyer*, 311 U.S. 457 (1940).

<sup>859</sup> *McDonald v. Mabey*, 243 U.S. 90 (1917).

<sup>860</sup> *Rees v. City of Watertown*, 86 U.S. (19 Wall.) 107 (1874); *Coe v. Armour Fertilizer Works*, 237 U.S. 413, 423 (1915); *Griffin v. Griffin*, 327 U.S. 220 (1946).

<sup>861</sup> *Sugg v. Thornton*, 132 U.S. 524 (1889); *Riverside Mills v. Menefee*, 237 U.S. 189, 193 (1915); *Hess v. Pawloski*, 274 U.S. 352, 355 (1927). See also *Harkness v. Hyde*, 98 U.S. 476 (1879); *Wilson v. Seligman*, 144 U.S. 41 (1892).

<sup>862</sup> *Louisville & Nashville R.R. v. Schmidt*, 177 U.S. 230 (1900); *Western Loan & Savings Co. v. Butte & Boston Min. Co.*, 210 U.S. 368 (1908); *Houston v. Ormes*, 252 U.S. 469 (1920). See also *Adam v. Saenger*, 303 U.S. 59 (1938) (plaintiff suing defendants deemed to have consented to jurisdiction with respect to counterclaims asserted against him).

<sup>863</sup> State legislation which provides that a defendant who comes into court to challenge the validity of service upon him in a personal action surrenders himself to the jurisdiction of the court, but which allows him to dispute where process was served, is constitutional and does not deprive him of property without due process of law. In such a situation, the defendant may ignore the proceedings as wholly ineffective, and attack the validity of the judgment if and when an attempt is made to take his property thereunder. If he desires, however, to contest the validity of the