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STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 655, L. D. 911, Bill, "An Act Relating to Fees of Arresting Officers for Warrants."

Amend said Bill by inserting at the beginning of the first line after the enacting clause the abbreviation and figure 'Sec. 1.'

Further amend said Bill by striking out everything after the amending clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

" 'As arresting officers, or aids, or witnesses in any criminal case, they shall be entitled limited to the same fees as any-sheriff-or-deputy complainants under chapter 146, section 21-A.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 89, §150, sub-§XII, amended. Subsection XII of section 150 of chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'XII. Warrant; mittimus. For the service of a warrant, the officer is entitled to \$2 and \$2 for the service of a mittimus to commit a person to jail and usual travel, with except as limited by chapter 146, section 21-A, and his reasonable expenses incurred in the conveyance of such prisoner.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 146, §21, amended. The headnote of section 21 of chapter 146 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof: 'Costs and fees for complainants.'

Sec. 4. R. S., c. 146, §21-A, additional. Chapter 146 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 21-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 21-A. Limitation of costs and fees in criminal cases. No complainant or witness shall be allowed fees, travel and attendance in a criminal case for more than one complaint on any one day when there are other complaints against the same respondent arising out of the same transaction before any judicial tribunal.'"

Reported by the Committee on Judiciary.

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