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## Sixty-Second Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 47.

## STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE.

AN ACT to amend section fifteen, chapter one hundred thirteen of the Revised Statutes, relating to Disclosure on Mesne Process.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section 1. Section fifteen of chapter one hun-

- 2 dred thirteen of the Revised Statutes be amended
- 3 by inserting the words "he may disclose as provided
- 4 in section twenty-one of this chapter or " after the
- 5 word action, in the second line of said section, so
- 6 that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 15. When a person is arrested or impris-

- 8 soned on mesne process in a civil action, he may
- 9 disclose as provided in section twenty-one of this
- 10 chapter or he may be released by giving bond to

11 the plaintiff in double the sum for which he is 12 arrested or imprisoned, with surety or sureties, 13 approved by him, or by two or three justices of the 14 peace and quorum of the county where the arrest 15 or imprisonment is made, selected and proceeding 16 as prescribed in section forty-two, conditioned that 17 within fifteen days after rendition of judgment or 18 after the adjournment of the court in which it is 19 rendered, he will notify the creditor, his agent, or 20 attorney, to attend at a certain place in the county 21 at a time not more than thirty nor less than fifteen 22 days after such notice, for the purpose of disclosure 23 and examination; that he will then and there sub-24 mit himself to examination, make true disclosure 25 of his business affairs and property on oath, and 26 abide the order of the justices thereon; and if the 27 officer seeing the writ takes such bond, he shall 28 return it to the court or justice where the suit is 29 pending.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when ap-2 proved.

## STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE CHAMBER, February 11, 1885.

Reported by Mr. BEARCE, from Committee on Legal Affairs, and laid on table to be printed and re-committed.

C. W. TILDEN, Secretary.