

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty - Third Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 252.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to abolish the attachment of wages by the
Trustee Process.

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

SECTION 1. No person shall be adjudged trustee
2 in any suit upon contract, by reason of any amount,
3 not exceeding fifty dollars, due from him to the
4 principal defendant as wages for his personal labor
5 or that of his wife or minor children for a time not
6 exceeding one month next preceding the service of
7 the process. And when the amount owed by an
8 alleged trustee to the principal defendant as such
9 wages for a time not exceeding one month next
10 preceding the service of the process, exceeds the

11 sum of fifty dollars, he shall be adjudged trustee
12 only for the amount of such excess.

SECT. 2. This act shall not affect pending actions
2 or any action hereafter brought upon the breach of
3 any contract made before the time when this act
4 shall go into effect.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
March 11, 1887. }

Reported from Committee on Judiciary by Mr. WISWELL of Ellsworth;
ordered printed under joint rule.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, Clerk.