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Sixty-Fourth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 170.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section 128 of chapter 82 of the Revised Statutes, relating to indorsements of writs and other processes.

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

Section 1. Section 128 of chapter 82 of the Re-

- 2 vised Statutes is hereby amended by adding after
- 3 the word "costs," in the last line of said section,
- 4 the words: 'The provisions of this section are
- 5 applicable to processes in equity, except so far as
- 6 relates to costs, which are subject to the discretion
- 7 of the court,' so that said section, as amended, shall
- 8 read as follows:
- 'Sect. 128. The name and place of residence of 10 an assignee, if known, shall, at any time during the

11 pendency of the suit, be indorsed by request of the 12 defendant on a writ or process commenced in the 13 name of his assigner, or further proceedings 14 thereon shall be stayed; and if the defendant pre-15 vails, judgment for his costs shall be rendered 16 against the plaintiff and such assignee, as if both 17 had been originally joined in the action; but if not 18 so indorsed, and proceedings are stayed, the de-19 fendant may maintain an action on the case against 20 the assignee for his costs. The provisions of this 21 section are applicable to processes in equity, except 22 so far as relates to costs, which are subject to the 23 discretion of the court.'

STATE OF MAINE.

House of Representatives, February 15, 1889.

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NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, Clerk.