

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 12

House of Representatives, Jan. 27, 1915.

Ordered, That five hundred copies be printed and that the same be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Reference.

Presented by Mr. Sanborn of South Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN

AN ACT relating to procedure in the Supreme Judicial and
Superior Courts.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Any justice of the supreme judicial or superior courts
2 on application of either party and on notice, may in
3 vacation hear and determine a demurrer, or any inter-
4 locutory motion in any cause pending in these courts re-
5 spectively, and may make any order therein which the court
6 could make if in session; and by agreement of parties, he
7 may, at any time or place, try and determine issues of fact
8 and of law submitted to him and render any judgment there-
9 in which the court could render if in session. Any such

10 justice may in vacation render judgment heard by him in
11 term time. Parties shall have the right of exception to
12 such orders and judgments, and to other rulings on ques-
13 tions of law, as if judgment had been rendered in term
14 time. Bills of exceptions in such cases shall be filed within
15 such time as the justice orders. When a judgment for
16 plaintiff is rendered in vacation, all pending attachments of
17 property shall continue in force for thirty days after the
18 order of judgment is entered upon the docket.