

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 34

House of Representatives, Jan. 26, 1917.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Cole of Eliot.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Nineteen of Chapter Eighty-six
of the Revised Statutes of Nineteen Hundred Sixteen, en-
titled "Civil Cases."

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

Section nineteen of chapter eighty-six of the Revised Stat-
utes of nineteen hundred sixteen is hereby amended by
striking out the word "thirty" in the seventeenth line there-
of and inserting in lieu thereof the word 'fourteen,' so that
said section as amended shall read as follows:

'In suits against a county, the summons shall be served
by leaving an attested copy thereof with one of the county

3 commissioners or their clerk; against a town, parish, re-
4 ligious society or school district, with the clerk, or one of
5 the selectmen or assessors if there is any such officer; if
6 not, with a member of such corporation; and against any
7 other corporation, however created, with its president, clerk,
8 cashier, treasurer, general agent or director; if there is no
9 such officer or agent found within the county where such
10 corporation is established, or where its records or papers
11 are by law required to be kept, with any member thereof;
12 and in all suits and proceedings at law or in equity against
13 any foreign or alien company or corporation established by
14 the laws of any other state or country, and having a place
15 of business within this state or doing business herein, service
16 of the writ, bill, petition or other process is sufficient, if
17 made by leaving an attested copy thereof with the president,
18 clerk, cashier, treasurer, agent, director or attorney of such
19 company or corporation, or by leaving such copy at the
20 office or place of business of such company or corporation
21 within this state; and in each case, it shall be so served
22 fourteen days before the return day thereof.