

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 311

House of Representatives, March 7, 1923.

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

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Archibald of Houlton.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Costs in Civil Actions in the Supreme
Judicial and Superior Courts.

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

In all civil actions in the supreme judicial or any superior
2 courts, where final judgment is rendered otherwise than by
3 agreement, or upon a voluntary non-suit, or by default;
4 the court, upon motion of the prevailing party, may allow
5 to such party such a sum for counsel fees as to the court
6 may seem just and reasonable under all the circumstances
7 of each case, to be taxed and allowed as a part of the tax-
8 able costs of court.