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S. P. 368

In Senate, February 14, 1939.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Burns of Aroostook.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Bonds on Mesne Process and Disclosures After Judgment.

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

R. S., c. 124, § 15, amended. Section 15 of chapter 124 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

‘Sec. 15. Debtor arrested, may give bond to disclose after judgment. When a person is arrested or imprisoned on mesne process in a civil action, he may disclose as provided in sections 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of this chapter, or he may be released, by giving bond to the plaintiff in ~~double the sum for such sum~~ **not exceeding the ad damnum of the writ upon** which he is arrested or imprisoned, with surety or sureties, approved by him or by 2 or 3 justices of the peace of the county where the arrest or imprisonment is made, selected and proceeding, as prescribed in section 67, conditioned that within 15 days after rendition of judgment, or after the adjournment of the court in which it is rendered, he will notify the creditor, his agent or attorney, to attend at a certain place in the county, at a time not less than 15 days, nor more than 30 days after such notice, for the purpose of disclosure and examination; that he will then and there submit himself to examination; make true disclosure of his business affairs and

property on oath, and abide the order of the justices thereon; and if the officer serving the writ takes such bond, he shall return it to the court or justice where the suit is pending.'