

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Peirce of Augusta.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT Relating to Parties in Interest in the Trial of Causes.**

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

**R. S., c. 100, § 123-A, additional.** Chapter 100 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 123-A, to read as follows:

**'Sec. 123-A. Real parties in interest may be shown in the trial of causes. At the trial of any civil cause it is competent to show the real party or parties in interest, and the interest or want of interest of the parties prosecuting or defending said cause, regardless of the fact of whether they are named as parties, and any party who has assumed the prosecution or defense of an action, whether named therein or not, and who has a pecuniary interest in the outcome of the action, is a party in interest.'**