

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 175**

H. P. 180

House of Representatives, January 28, 1953

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Martin of Augusta.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-THREE

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**AN ACT Relating to Arrests on Execution.**

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

**R. S., c. 107, § 50, amended.** Section 50 of chapter 107 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

**'Sec. 50. Bond given on such arrest.** When a debtor is arrested or imprisoned on execution, he may be released by giving bond to the creditor, in double the sum due thereon, with surety or sureties approved in writing by the creditor or by 2 or 3 justices of the peace in the county where he is arrested or imprisoned, selected and proceeding as provided in section 68, or a justice of the supreme judicial or superior court in term or vacation ; conditioned that he will, within 6 months thereafter, cite the creditor before 2 justices of the peace, submit himself to examination and take the oath prescribed in section 56, pay the debt, interest, costs and fees arising in said execution, or deliver himself into the custody of the keeper of the jail to which he is liable to be committed under said execution.'