

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1876.

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SECT. 2. It shall be the duty of the state superintendent of common schools to prepare and furnish to the town officers such blanks as he may deem proper to secure the fiscal returns required in section one of this act. And furthermore it shall be the duty of the said superintendent to return to the state treasurer on the first day of July annually, a list of such towns as have made the fiscal returns required by section one of this act, and no school moneys shall be paid by the state treasurer to any town, so long as it neglects to make such fiscal returns.

Blanks for returns to be furnished to towns.

Superintendent to make return to the treasurer of state.

Money withheld from towns in case of neglect.

Approved February 7, 1876.

**Chapter 69.**

An act permitting the Defendant to give bond in Trustee Process.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECT. 1. In any suit hereafter brought in this state, wherein any person, company or corporation is summoned as a trustee of the defendant, the defendant may deliver to the officer holding the writ, a bond, running to the creditor, in the amount of the addamnum of the writ, with surety or sureties approved according to the provisions of section twenty-four of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the revised statutes, conditioned to pay whatever judgment may be recovered against the defendant, and the taxable costs, within thirty days from the date of final judgment in said suit.

Bond in trustee process may be given.

SECT. 2. When any officer shall receive any bond according to the foregoing provisions, he shall immediately give written notice thereof to the trustee or trustees, and he shall be allowed to charge as fees the sum of fifty cents for each trustee so notified and for his necessary travel.

—notice of, when given.

SECT. 3. The officer shall file the bond in court with the writ, and shall make return of his doings relative thereto, in his return upon the writ.

—to be filed in court.

SECT. 4. When any person, company or corporation, summoned as trustee in any action, shall be legally notified that the defendant has given bond, as above described, he or they shall be discharged from all further liability in said action, and any such trustee shall not be required to make any disclosure into court, and shall not recover any costs in said action.

—of defendant, legal notice of, to discharge parties.

Approved February 7, 1876.