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FIFTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 96.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIX.

AN ACT relating to the framing of issues in equity cases.

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

- Section 1. After the pleadings are filed, and before
- 2 the testimony is taken in any suit in equity, the court
- 3 setting in the county where the same is pending may
- 4 at the request of either party frame issues of fact to
- 5 be tried by a jury.
 - SECT 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with
- 2 the provisions of this act are repealed.
 - SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved,
- 2 but shall not apply to any bill in equity now pending.

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STATE OF MAINE.

IN House of Representatives, February 10, 1876.

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary by Mr. POWERS of Houlton, and ordered printed under the Joint Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.