

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 100.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT
HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE.

AN ACT to amend Section 8 of Chapter 60 of the Revised
Statutes, regulating the right to trial by jury in divorce suits.

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

Section eight of chapter sixty of the Revised Statutes, is
2 hereby amended by inserting after the word "requests," in the
3 first line thereof, the words 'in writing filed with the clerk on
4 or before the return day of the libel,' so that said section, as
5 amended, shall read as follows :

'Section 8. If either party requests in writing filed with the
7 clerk on or before the return day of the libel, or the court orders
8 it, the case shall be submitted to a jury; and if they find the
9 allegations are true, and that a divorce ought to be granted ac-
10 cording to section two, the court shall so decree.'

This act shall not affect pending cases.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, March 7, 1899.

Reported by Mr. PLUMMER from Committee on Legal Affairs, and
laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary*.