

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 89

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*In Senate, Feb. 2, 1917.*

*Referred to Committee on Judiciary and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.*

*W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.*

*Presented by Mr. Ames of Washington.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

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AN ACT additional to Chapter 87 of the Revised Statutes  
relating to Proceedings in Civil Actions in Court.

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

Chapter eighty-seven of the Revised Statutes is hereby  
2 amended by adding, at the end thereof:

‘In the trial of all civil actions a verdict shall be returned  
2 when nine members of the jury concur; and only those  
3 jurors who concur as aforesaid shall participate in the  
4 assessment of damages therein, if any.’