

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, January 28, 1937.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Philbrick of Cape Elizabeth.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
THIRTY-SEVEN

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AN ACT Relating to Divorce.

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

**R. S., c. 73, § 11, amended.** Section 11 of chapter 73 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

**‘Sec. 11. New trial within 3 years, when granted.** Within 3 years after judgment on a libel for divorce, a new trial may be granted as to the divorce when the parties have not cohabited, nor either contracted a new marriage since the former trial; ~~and when either of the parties has contracted a new marriage since the former trial, a new trial may be granted as to alimony or specific sum decreed, on such terms as the court may impose and justice require, when it appears that justice has not been done through fraud, accident, mistake, or misfortune. and the court may at any time alter, amend or suspend a decree for alimony or specific sum when it appears that justice requires.~~’