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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1899.

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STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 121

When claim is not filed within eighteen months, remedy.

Section 17, amended.

Time within which action can be brought against administrator de bonis non.

Act shall not apply to pending actions.

'Section 16. When such claim has not been filed in the probate office within said eighteen months, the claimant may have remedy against the heirs or devisees of the estate within one year after it becomes due and not against the executor or administrator.'

Section 6. Section seventeen of said chapter eighty-seven, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

'Section 17. When a vacancy occurs within said eighteen months and an administrator de bonis non is appointed, an action may be commenced after six months and within eighteen months after notice given by him of his appointment.'

Section 7. This act shall not apply to any pending action nor to any cause of action against estates in which administration has already been granted.

Approved March 17, 1899.

Chapter 121.

An Act to amend Section eight of Chapter sixty 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 8, chapter 60, R. S., amended.

Section 1. Section eight of chapter sixty of the revised statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the word "requests," in the first line thereof, the words 'in writing filed with the clerk on or before the return day of the libel,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Jury trial.

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

Section 2. This act shall not affect pending cases.

Approved March 17, 1899.