

# HOUSE....No. 109.

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[Reported by the Committee on the Judiciary.]

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## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-One.

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### AN ACT

Relating to Libels for Divorce.

*BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :*

1    SECT. 1. In every case of libel filed for divorce  
2 the court may, in its discretion, require the husband  
3 to pay into court, during the pendency of such libel,  
4 for the use of the wife, such sums of money as may  
5 be necessary to enable her to maintain or defend said  
6 libel, and may enforce its orders in the premises in  
7 accordance with the powers and practice of courts of  
8 chancery.

