## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

#### HOUSE

NO. 226

House of Representatives, Feb. 9, 1917.

Referred to Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Buzzell of Belfast.

#### STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT amendatory of and additional to Section twenty-nine of Chapter fifty of the Revised Statutes of Maine for nineteen hundred sixteen, entitled "The Workmen's Compensation Act."

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

Section twenty-nine of Chapter fifty of the Revised Statutes

of nineteen hundred sixteen is hereby amended by adding the

following paragraph to said section:

"The commission is further empowered to employ an inves-

- 2 tigator, when necessary, or to delegate the secretary to make
- 3 investigation in disputed cases for the purpose of adjusting
- 4 the same. From and after July first nineteen, hundred seven-
- 5 teen, there shall be appropriated a sufficient amount for
- 6 clerical and other assistance, traveling expenses, physicians'
- 7 and witness' fees and all other necessary expenses.'