

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 269

In Senate, March 27, 1919.

Reported by Mr. Emerson from Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

P. F. CRANE, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Emerson of Aroostook.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Fifty-five of Chapter Thirty of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Seventy of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, Relating to the Amount to be Expended by the Insurance Commissioner in Investigating Fires.

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

Section fifty-five of chapter thirty of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred seventy of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby amended by striking out in the second and third lines of said section the words "employ such clerks and assistants,

6 provide such blanks and"; also by striking out the words
7 "two thousand dollars" in the fourth and fifth lines of said
8 section and inserting in place thereof the words 'three thou-
9 sand one hundred dollars annually'; so that as amended said
10 section shall read as follows:

'Sect. 55. Commissioner's expenditure not to exceed \$3,-
2 100.00 annually. The insurance commissioner may incur
3 such expense, as may be necessary to carry out his duties
4 in investigating or causing to be investigated the origin of
5 fires and the inspection of buildings and property, not to
6 exceed three thousand one hundred dollars annually and all
7 bills and expenses incurred shall be audited by the state
8 auditor.'