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A. D. 1839.

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1839.

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE.

NO. 1.

HOUSE.

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

I herewith communicate to you a Report in Council, containing an account of the progress of the Geological Survey, together with the expenditures in prosecuting the same, made in pursuance of a Resolve, approved March 23, 1838.

EDWARD KENT.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, }
JANUARY 2, 1839. }

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OFFICE OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.
LEGISLATURE

IN COUNCIL, Jan. 1, 1839.

The Committee appointed to prepare a Report to the Legislature of the progress of the Geological Survey, have attended to that duty, and have prepared the following

R E P O R T :

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled:

The Governor and Council in pursuance of the Resolve of March 23, 1838, present to the Legislature the following detailed account of the progress of the Geological Survey, together with the expenditures in prosecuting the same.

Pursuant to the Resolve of the Legislature continuing the Geological Survey of the State, passed March 23, 1838, Doct. Charles T. Jackson, of Boston, was on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1838, appointed Geologist, and Dr. Sam'l L. Stephenson, of Portland, Assistant Geologist, and on the 26th day of April, 1838, Ariel Wall, of Hallowell, was appointed additional Assistant.

Doct. Charles T. Jackson was allowed a salary of fifteen hundred dollars per annum and all his expenses paid, and Doct. S. L. Stephenson was allowed two dollars per day, and Ariel Wall was allowed one dollar and fifty cents per

day, and all their expenses paid, while attending the Survey.

The Survey was commenced under the care and direction of Doct. C. T. Jackson, a detailed account of which will soon be laid before the Legislature, and to which you are referred.

By a Resolve of the Legislature of the tenth of March, 1838, the sum of five thousand dollars was appropriated for the Geological Survey, and on the 23d day of March, 1838, the sum of five hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighty-three cents was appropriated, to meet the balance due for expenses incurred by the Geological Survey of 1837, amounting in the whole to the sum of five thousand five hundred and sixty-two dollars, and eighty-three cents. There has been expended during the current year, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars for the salary of Doct. Jackson, four hundred and forty dollars for the allowance to Doct. Stephenson, and three hundred and thirty-one dollars and fifty cents for the per diem allowance to Ariel Wall, and the sum of two thousand one hundred and twenty-seven dollars and ninety-eight cents, for incidental expenses, attending the Survey, and the further sum of six hundred dollars and fifty-two cents has been paid to Luther Severance, for, and in part of the printing of the Geological Report, and there has also been paid the sum of five hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighty-three cents, to meet the balance due for expenditures incurred by the Geological Survey of 1837, amounting in the whole to the sum of five thousand five hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighty-three cents, all of which have been paid and charged to the Geological appropriations made as aforesaid.

R E C A P I T U L A T I O N .

Appropriation of 10th March, 1838, . . .	\$5,000 00
“ 23d “ “	562 83
	\$5,562 83

EXPENSES, A. D. 1838.

Salary for Dr. Jackson, . . .	\$1,500 00
Per diem allowance Dr. Stephenson,	440 00
“ “ Ariel Wall,	331 50
Incidental expenses,	2,127 98
L. Severance, in part for printing,	600 00
	\$5,000 00
To meet balance due A. D. 1837,	562 83
	\$5,562 83

Which is respectfully submitted.

SAMUEL GRAY, Per Order.

IN COUNCIL, }
JANUARY 1, 1839. }

Read and accepted by the Council, and by the Governor approved.

Attest:

SAMUEL P. BENSON, Sec'y of State.

A true copy.

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SAMUEL P. BENSON, Sec'y of State.





STATE OF MAINE.

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
January 2, 1839. }**

**Read and ordered to lie on the table, and that six
hundred copies be printed for the use of the Legislature.**

CHARLES WATERHOUSE, Clerk.