

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

House Document

No. 323

H. P. 1025. House of Representatives, Feb. 8, 1929.

Referred to Committee on Mines and Mining and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Chase of Cape Elizabeth.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to a State Geologist.

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

Section 1. The governor shall appoint a state geologist
2 to serve for a term of two years.

Sect. 2. The duties of the state geologist shall be to in-
2 vestigate the geological resources of the state of Maine; to
3 promote and direct research in the possibilities for the
4 commercial development of the mineral deposits and re-
5 sources; to assemble, compile and collect data on the min-
6 erals of Maine and kindred subjects, including mineral
7 specimens; to assist any department of the state which shall

8 request his assistance; to recommend legislation suitable for
9 stimulating the business of mining, quarrying and allied
10 activities and to do such other things as may be necessary
11 in the proper performance of the foregoing duties.

Sect. 3. The state geologist shall be paid ten dollars per
2 day and expenses while actively engaged in the performance
3 of his duties. He may employ assistants, purchase material
4 and publish documents for which the state shall pay out of
5 funds provided for the purpose of this act.

Sect. 4. For the purpose of this act there is hereby ap-
2 propriated the sum of two thousand dollars for the fiscal
3 year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirty, and
4 the sum of two thousand dollars for the fiscal year ending
5 June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirty-one.