

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the survey shall have for its objects: Objects of survey.

(1.) An examination of the geological formations of the State, with especial reference to their economic products, viz: building stones, clays, ores and other mineral substances.

(2.) An examination and classification of the soils and a study of their adaptability to particular crops.

(3.) An examination of the physical features of the State, with reference to their practical bearing upon the occupations of the people.

(4.) The preparation of special geological and economic maps to illustrate the resources of the State.

(5.) The preparation of special reports, with necessary illustrations and maps, which shall embrace both a general and detailed description of the geology and natural resources of the State.

(6.) The consideration of such other scientific and economic questions as, in the judgment of the commissioners, shall be deemed of value to the people of the State.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the commissioners shall cause to be prepared a report to the Legislature before each meeting of the same, showing the progress and condition of the survey, together with such other information as they may deem necessary and useful or as the Legislature may require. Report to be made to legislature.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the regular and special reports of the survey, with proper illustrations and maps, shall be printed as the commissioners may direct, and that the reports shall be distributed or sold by the said commissioners as the interest of the State and of science demands, and all moneys obtained by the sale of the reports shall be paid into the State treasury. Reports to be printed.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That all material collected, after having served the purposes of the survey, shall be distributed by the commissioners to the educational institutions, in such manner as to be of the greatest advantage to the educational interests of the State; or, if deemed advisable, the whole or a part of such material shall be put on permanent exhibition. Disposal of material.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the sum of ten thousand dollars annually, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act. Appropriation.