

John Schilling (-1996)

John Schilling, honorary member of the Association of American State Geologists, died on July 7, 1996.

John was the Nevada State Geologist and Director of the Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology (NBMG) from 1972 to 1987. He served NBMG for 27 years. Before coming to Nevada, he worked at the New Mexico Bureau of Mines and Mineral Resources (NMBMMR), where he made significant contributions to the geologic literature on molybdenum deposits. He served for many years as Editor of the journal *Isochron West*, jointly produced by NBMG and NMBMMR.

John built the Information Office of the Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology into a service that each year attracts thousands of individuals from the mining, petroleum, geothermal, construction, and environmental industries and the general public. His leadership helped raise the quality of Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology maps and reports to a high standard.

- Jonathan G. Price