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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1899.

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alewives in the waters of Nequasset stream at any place between the bridge of the Knox and Lincoln railroad and the point at low water where the channel of said stream makes its junction with the Sassanoa river, commonly called Back river, nor in the waters of Nequasset lake or the tributaries thereof, nor shall any person without such license and authority, between the fifteenth day of April and the first day of August in each year, construct, have or maintain any weir, hedge, pound or other device or contrivance capable of taking alewives in the channel of said stream or in the waters of said lake or its tributaries or the flats thereto contiguous within the limits aforesaid.'

Approved March 15, 1899.

Chapter 159.

An Act to incorporate the Wiscasset Academy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Corporators.

Section 1. Clarence A. Peaslee, Richard T. Rundlett, Emerson Hilton, E. Fred Albee, Sol Holbrook, Charles S. Sewall and Wilbur F. Merrill, their associates and successors, are hereby created a corporation and body politic by the name of the Wiscasset Academy, to be established and maintained in the town of Wiscasset in the county of Lincoln, for the purpose of the promotion of education, literature and science, the same to be non-sectarian in character.

—corporate
name.

Powers,
rights and
privileges.

Section 2: Said corporation is hereby vested with all the powers, rights, privileges and immunities incident to similar corporations, may have and use a common seal, prosecute and defend suits at law, make and establish by-laws and regulations for the management of its affairs and the proper government of the academy, not repugnant to the constitution and laws of the state, and hold estate, real and personal, which it may now have, or may hereafter receive by gift, grant, devise, purchase or otherwise, to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars.

Trustees.

Section 3. The number of trustees of said academy shall not at any time be more than nine nor less than five, a majority of said board to be at all times citizens of Wiscasset. A majority of the trustees shall constitute a quorum to do business, and the persons above named, with such others as they may associate with them, not exceeding nine in all, shall be the trustees of said corporation, and said trustees or their successors may fill all

—quorum.

vacancies in their board, and may remove any trustee when incapable through age or otherwise to discharge the duties of said office.

Section 4. All deeds or conveyances of said real estate made under the direction of the trustees, in behalf of said corporation, and sealed with its seal, and signed and acknowledged by its treasurer shall be valid in law.

Conveyances of trustees shall be valid.

Section 5. All children between the ages of ten and twenty-one years, having their usual and legal residence in said town of Wiscasset shall have the right to attend said academy, and have all its equal privileges and advantages free of charge of tuition or otherwise in the same manner and to the same extent as in a free high school.

Children of Wiscasset shall have right to attend without tuition.

Section 6. Clarence A. Peaslee, Richard T. Rundlett and E. Fred Albee or any two of them, are hereby authorized to appoint the time and place for holding the first meeting of the trustees, by giving to all the trustees personal notice thereof in writing or by publishing a notice in some newspaper published in the county of Lincoln seven days previous to said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

Section 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

(This act was presented to the Governor on the ninth day of March and retained by him for more than five days, Sundays not included, when it was forwarded to the office of the Secretary of State, without approval, and took effect March 15, 1899.)

Chapter 160.

An Act to provide for insurance on the Gorham Normal School buildings, Farmington Normal School building, Castine Normal School building, and Madawaska Training School buildings.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

The trustees of the state normal schools are hereby authorized and empowered to insure for a sum not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars the Gorham Normal School buildings, Farmington Normal School building, Castine Normal School building, and Madawaska Training School buildings for a term of three years.

Trustees authorized to insure normal school buildings.

Approved March 16, 1899.