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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 112

AN ACT to Amend the Charter of Somerset Academy.

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

P. & S. L., 1846, c. 314, amended. Chapter 314 of the private and special laws of 1846, as amended by chapter 7 of the private and special laws of 1933, is hereby further amended by adding thereto a new paragraph to read as follows:

'Said academy is authorized to furnish instruction beyond the studies ordinarily pursued in secondary schools, to charge tuition therefor and to award certificates for proficiency therein.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 113

AN ACT Relating to the Taking of Alewives in the Town of Franklin.

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

Taking of alewives in the town of Franklin regulated. Exclusive rights in the taking of alewives from all waters in the town of Franklin shall be optional with the town.

The town, at its annual town meeting, may determine by vote whether the alewife fishing in these waters shall be operated by the town, through its selectmen or a committee appointed for that purpose, or the privilege offered for sale by said selectmen or committee; and likewise may provide for regulations, compatible with good conservation practices, to govern the times when and the manner in which alewives shall be taken therein. Provided, however, that there shall be a 24-hour weekly closed season on alewives in all such waters from sunrise on each Saturday morning until sunrise on the following Sunday morning.

Whenever such regulations are thus provided for, they shall be promulgated by the selectmen of the town of Franklin and a copy of the same filed immediately with the clerk of said town and the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries.

If in any year said town fails to act as provided for in the preceding paragraph, the taking of alewives in said waters shall be in accordance