

*Chap.*111 AN ACT TO CONFIRM THE NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF TOWN OFFICERS IN THE TOWN OF SWAMPSCOTT IN THE CURRENT YEAR.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Nomination and election of town officers confirmed.

SECTION 1. All nomination papers filed on or before the Monday preceding the election of town officers in the town of Swampscott, and the election of officers so nominated, shall for the year nineteen hundred and twelve be valid.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved February 16, 1912.*

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*Chap.*112 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTHS DURING THE CURRENT YEAR.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Appropriation, suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths.

SECTION 1. The state forester is hereby authorized to expend for the suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths during the fiscal year ending November thirty, nineteen hundred and twelve, and for expenses incidental thereto, a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, the same to be in addition to any amount heretofore appropriated for this purpose.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved February 19, 1912.*

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*Chap.*113 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LEOPOLD MORSE HOME FOR INFIRM HEBREWS AND ORPHANAGE TO TRANSFER THE INCOME FROM ITS FUNDS AND PROPERTY TO THE HOME FOR DESTITUTE JEWISH CHILDREN, INCORPORATED.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Transfer of income of property, etc.

SECTION 1. The Leopold Morse Home for Infirm Hebrews and Orphanage, a Massachusetts charitable corporation, is hereby authorized to transfer, assign, set over and convey the income from any and all of the funds and property held by it, as the same may from time to time accrue, to the Home for Destitute Jewish Children, Incorporated, a Massachusetts charitable corporation, and the said Home for Destitute Jewish Children, Incorporated, is hereby authorized to receive, hold, manage and dispose of the same as trustee, in such way as it may from time to time deem best

for the fulfillment of the charitable purposes of the said last named corporation.

SECTION 2. The authority hereby granted shall be exercised only in conformity with a decree of the supreme judicial court, sitting in equity, in the county of Suffolk, to be entered within one year after the passage of this act.

Exercise of authority.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect when it shall have been accepted by the votes of the board of directors of each of said corporations.

Time of taking effect.

*Approved February 19, 1912.*

AN ACT TO SECURE EQUALITY OF REPRESENTATION OF TOWNS ON THE JOINT COMMITTEE OF A SUPERINTENDENCY UNION. Chap. 114

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section forty-three of chapter forty-two of the Revised Laws, as amended by chapter three hundred and ninety-nine of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eleven, is hereby further amended by striking out the word "which", in the twelfth line, and inserting in place thereof the words: — *provided*, that any school committee consisting of more than three members shall be represented on the joint committee by its chairman and two members, chosen by said school committee. This joint committee, — so as to read as follows: *Section 43.* The school committees of two or more towns the valuation of each of which is less than two million five hundred thousand dollars, and the aggregate number of schools in all of which is not more than fifty nor less than twenty-five, and the school committees of four or more towns the valuation of each of which does not exceed two million five hundred thousand dollars, without reference to the minimum limit in the aggregate number of schools aforesaid, shall form a union for the purpose of employing a superintendent of schools. The school committees of such towns shall be a joint committee: *provided*, that any school committee consisting of more than three members shall be represented on the joint committee by its chairman and two members, chosen by said school committee. This joint committee, for the purposes of such union, shall be the agents of each town therein. Such union shall not be dissolved except by vote of a majority of the towns constituting the union, and the consent of the board of education to such dissolution, nor shall it be dissolved for the reason that the valuation of any one of the towns shall have so in-

R. L. 42, § 43, etc., amended.

Union of towns for employment of superintendents of schools.

Proviso.