

constituted, to be known as "The Maryland State Normal School Building Commission," said Commission to consist of the Governor of the State, the Comptroller of the Treasury, the State Treasurer, the State Superintendent of Public Education, the Principal of the Maryland State Normal School, Honorable J. Charles Linthicum, Honorable John S. Biddison, Honorable W. Mitchell Digges and Honorable Carville D. Benson. The members of said Commission shall continue in office until the work for which it is established, as hereinafter set forth, shall have been completed; provided, however, that the Governor shall have the power, in his discretion, to remove any member thereof, or to fill any vacancy caused by death, resignation or otherwise. This Commission shall meet within sixty days after the passage of this Act and organize by the election of a Secretary, who may be one of its members. It shall be the duty of said Secretary to keep an accurate record of all acts, orders or transactions of the Commission and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the Commission, and shall receive such salary as said Commission may think proper, not in excess of five hundred dollars per annum. The members of said Commission, except the Secretary, shall serve without compensation, and the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the ordinary receipts of the Treasury for each of the years of 1910 and 1911 to defray the necessary expenses of said Commission or its members in attending to their duties as such; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to draw his warrant, on the receipt of the draft of the Chairman of said Commission, upon the Treasurer of the State in favor of the Secretary of said Commission for such sum or sums as may be necessary not in excess of one thousand dollars for each of the years 1910 and 1911 as aforesaid. It shall be the further duty of the Secretary to keep an accurate account of all moneys received and expended and make a report of same annually, or at such other time as the Commission may direct. He shall also give bond for the safe keeping of all moneys or records belonging to the Commission in such sum as said Commission may require. The office or meeting place of said Commission may be that of the State Board of Education at Annapolis, at the Normal School building in Baltimore or elsewhere.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the Commission created by this Act to select and obtain an option for the State of Maryland upon a suitable site and to have prepared tentative plans and estimates for the necessary buildings for the new State Normal School buildings, which shall include dormitories for the students of the Maryland State