

courage the diffusion of knowledge and the extension of a judicious system of general education; and

WHEREAS, Proper professional training of the teacher in the public school system is the foundation of successful education of the youth of our State; and

WHEREAS, In harmony with advanced theories, proven by experience, summer schools, institutes, associations and other assemblages of public school teachers for mutual help in methods and for instruction in and the promotion of the science of teaching are desirable and necessary; and

WHEREAS, The State of Maryland has not any available building on the Eastern Shore suitable for the accommodation of such assemblages, either for present or future needs; and

WHEREAS, In order that the best attendance can be secured and the best instructors and best results obtained, due consideration should be given to the fact that such assemblages must be held during the hot summer months, and that Ocean City, Maryland's only seaside town, is an ideal place for such meetings.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the President of the State Board of Education, the State Superintendent of Public Education, the President and County Superintendent of the Board of County School Commissioners of Worcester County, and a fifth person to be selected by a majority of the four above-mentioned, be and they are created a Commission to be called the Ocean City School Building Commission, to serve without further compensation.

4 SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the County Commissioners of Worcester County be and they are hereby authorized and directed to appropriate and levy for the purposes hereinafter mentioned the sum of two thousand dollars for the use of and subject to the order of the said Ocean City School Building Commission in connection with the State appropriation hereinafter made.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the sum of twenty five thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury of the State of Maryland, not otherwise appropriated, said sum to be used in connection with the appropriation hereinbefore provided for by the County Commissioners of Worcester County, in the erection and equipment of a public school building at some suitable place in Ocean