the building aforesaid as a postoffice, and in order to meet the requirements of the Postoffice Department and comply with the terms and conditions of said lease it became and was necessary for the said Chevy Chase Citizens' Committee to make certain additions, alterations and improvements in and about the said Library and Postoffice building, and to provide additional furniture and equipment therefor; and

Whereas, The said Chevy Chase Citizens' Committee, in pursuance of the authority conferred upon it by the said Act of the General Assembly, approved April 18, 1916, has here-tofore made and executed certain promissory notes secured by deed of trust on the land and premises known as Block Thirty-seven in Section 2, Chevy Chase, and in the judgment of said Citizens' Committee it is desirable that said existing loan may be paid or merged with the loan authorized to be made under the provisions of this Act, and to provide moneys with which to pay for the construction of further additions and alterations to said Library and Postoffice building for general community purposes.

Now, therefore, be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland:

That the said Chevy Chase Citizens' Committee be and it hereby is authorized and empowered to borrow, at legal rateof interest, not to exceed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the existing promissory notes heretofore made by said Citizens' Committee, secured by deed of trust on the land and premises known as Block Thirty-seven, Section 2, Chevy Chase. and to cause said property to be released from the encumbrance thereby created: to pay for the said additions, alterations and improvements in and about the said Library and Postoffice building, and the equipment thereof, and to pay the cost of such other and further additions and alterations as may hereafter be made to the said Library and Postoffice building. and to make, execute and deliver therefor its promissory notes, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, to be secured by mortgage or deed of trust upon the land and premises known as Block Thirty-seven, Section 2, Chevy Chase, heretofore purchased and acquired and now held and managed by the said Chevy Chase Citizens' Committee under and by virtue of the Acts of the General Assembly aforesaid.