

larging existing school buildings in said city, the said contracts and all plans and specifications, to be subject to the approval of the State Superintendent of Schools to the same extent as provided in section 30 of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland; that all contracts for amounts of \$500, or over, shall be in writing and the signature of the Chairman thereto, attested by its Secretary, if duly authorized by the Committee, or a quorum thereof, shall be a sufficient execution of such contract on the part of the Committee; the said Committee shall provide itself with a book, containing warrants, numbered consecutively, and in such form as it may adopt, and shall issue its warrants, to be signed by the Chairman and the Secretary, to the contractor or contractors, for money due under his, or their, contract or contracts, and for all expenses incident to the said work, specifying the sum to be paid and the purpose for which paid, upon the Board of Education of Dorchester County, and the said Board of Education on said warrants, and in no other manner, shall pay out and disburse the money in their hands, designated as the "Cambridge School Fund," for the purposes aforesaid; and all contracts entered into by said Committee, under authority contained in this Act, shall be binding upon the Board of Education aforesaid, to the extent of the said "Cambridge School Fund."

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That William McKnight, A. Victor Neal, Arthur O. German, J. W. Corkran, W. Carl Bradley, Clarence L. Saxton and Olin R. Higgins, all citizens of Dorchester County, State of Maryland, be and they are hereby appointed a Committee to be known and designated as "Hurlock School Committee," to serve without pay, who at their first meeting to be held in not more than sixty days after this Act becomes effective, shall select one of their number as Chairman and one as Secretary and who shall keep a minute of their proceedings; four of said Committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of all business and in case of a vacancy, or vacancies, in the Committee, caused by death, resignation, refusal to serve, or otherwise, the remaining members shall have power to fill such vacancy, or vacancies. The said "Hurlock School Committee" shall decide whether to erect a new school building on a site to be selected by it in or near the corporate limits of Hurlock or to enlarge the existing building in said town; and shall procure plans and specifications for the erection of such new building, or for the enlargement of the present building, as it may decide, and may, in its discretion, employ a skillful and competent architect for the purpose of preparing such plans and specifications, and for the purpose of supervising, under its direction and