

their judgment may be right and proper, not to exceed the sum of two hundred dollars.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the said Building Committee shall as speedily as possible, procure and adopt a plan and specifications for said building, and they shall invite sealed proposals, by publication for a reasonable time, for building the Court House and offices; and the party or parties proposing to supply the furniture for the same which may be needed in addition to that already owned by the County, shall present or send their proposals in sealed envelopes to the Clerk of said County Commissioners, to be by him delivered to said Building Committee on the day named by them for publicly opening said proposals. Said proposals shall set forth the amount of money for which he or they propose to do the work or supply the furniture; and good and sufficient security shall be taken by the said Building Committee for the use of the said County Commissioners, and in their name, from the party or parties contracting to erect said building and offices, and from the party or parties contracting to furnish the same, as a security for the faithful performance of such contract or contracts as may be entered into, and that the contract or contracts for building said Court House and offices, and furnishing the same, shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. But in the event that no satisfactory bid shall have been received from any contractor or contractors, then the Building Committee may proceed to erect said building in any other manner the majority of the Committee shall determine, provided they shall not exceed the amount provided by this Act; and the said Building Committee are hereby authorized to sell and dispose of such materials of the present Court House as may not be required or used in erecting the building aforesaid, and the proceeds arising therefrom shall be a part of the Court House fund, and appropriated to the payment of the same.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the new Court House shall be completed on or before the first day of October, nineteen hundred and sixteen, and within thirty days thereafter the said Building Committee shall make a full, clear and explicit report, to the said County Commissioners, of their actions and expenditures, giving the name of every person to whom money was paid in erecting said building and supplying furniture for the same; and the said County Commissioners shall cause the said report to be published once in the usual way of publishing public matter in Calvert County. -