

VI. And be it enacted, That the said Councillors so assembled as aforesaid, shall have the like power and authority within the said County of Kent, as the District Councils in the several Districts of Upper Canada duly assembled, have by law, so far as relates to building Gaols and Court Houses in their respective Districts, and no further, unless provided for in this Act; and that they be authorized to adjourn the said meeting, from time to time, and assemble again as often as the business relating to the building of such Gaol and Court House shall seem to require: that the said Building Committee shall be under their control and direction, and that the Clerk shall record all the Resolutions, Rules and Orders of the said meetings in a book to be kept by him for that purpose; and if any vacancy or vacancies shall occur of Chairman, Treasurer or Clerk, or of any Member of the said Building Committee, before the said County of Kent shall have been declared a separate District, by death, resignation or removal, the Councillors for the time then being shall be authorized to supply the vacancy, so often as it may occur, by other appointments.

What power the Councillors in the said County shall have.

Meetings may be adjourned. Building Committee to be subject to the Councillors.

Vacancies how to be filled.

VII. And whereas it is expedient, that until the said County of Kent shall be declared a separate District, the said County shall bear and contribute a just portion of certain expenses of the Western District: Be it therefore enacted, That from and out of the rates and assessments raised, levied and collected in the said County of Kent, it shall and may be lawful for the Treasurer of the Western District annually to retain for the purpose aforesaid, such a sum as shall bear the same proportion to the total sum raised for defraying the expenses of the administration of Justice in the Western District, as the population of the County of Kent according to the then last census, shall bear to the whole population of the Western District by the same census, which proportion is only to extend to the Administration of Justice; and it shall be the duty of the said Treasurer of the Western District, after deducting such sum, and such sums as may have been raised for Common School purposes, or for any special local purpose in any Township or Townships or place, to pay over to the Treasurer to be appointed as hereinbefore directed, the balance of all rates and assessments raised, levied and collected, or which may hereafter be imposed, raised, levied and collected in the said County of Kent, and the same shall be applicable to the general benefit of the said intended District, and may be applied by the Councillors for the Townships in the said County of Kent towards erecting and building a Gaol and Court House therein; and the Treasurer of the Western District shall take receipts for the same, as the money shall be paid over, which receipts shall be allowed by the Auditors of the said Western District in their settlement with him.

Until the new District is formed, the said County of Kent to bear part of the expenses of the District.

Balance to be paid over for the use of the intended District.

Such balance to be applied by the Building Committee for the Gaol and Court House. And allowed in the Treasurer's accounts.

VIII. And be it enacted, That the said Building Committee shall and may apply the said monies so received by the Treasurer to be appointed as aforesaid from the Treasurer of the Western District, from time to time, towards the payment of any contract that they may make with any person or persons whatsoever, for building the Gaol and Court House in their County, in conformity to the intentions of this Act.

Monies received by the Building Committee to be applied for the Gaol and Court House.

IX. And be it enacted, That the said Building Committee shall keep faithful and correct accounts of all monies expended by them in the erection of the said Gaol and Court House, and shall take vouchers for the same from the Contractor or Contractors, and shall also keep an account of all monies which may from time to time come into their hands, applicable or available for building the said Gaol and Court House, and that they shall exhibit a detailed statement both in debtor and creditor, to the District Council

Building Committee to keep certain accounts.

And to submit them to the District Council.