## **SCHOOL BOARD BLOCKS ACTION** ON MEASURES

Stop Proposed Plan to Inves tigate Gary System For New Junior High School

A plan to have a thorough investigation and report on the Gary school system, giving recommendations as to its adaptability in connection with the construction of the new Junior High Schools in Harrisburg, was blocked yesterday afternoon by the majority members of the school board.

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A resolution to have the investigation made by two school directors, Dr. Downes, Professor J. J. Brehm, one of the funior school principals, and a citizen to be named by the Citizens Advisory Committee, was presented by Director A. C. Stamm. As an explanation of his action, Mr. Stamm stated many persons were interested in the Gary system and that such an investigation as was proposed in the resolution would mean scarcely any delay in the building program.

Directors Boll, Boyer, Bretz and

Directors Boll, Boyer, Bretz and Keen fought the idea from the start, raising all kinds of objections. Mr. Bretz declared he was sure the Gary system was not at all adaptable for Varrieburg, proceeding the starting than Harrisburg, proceeding to outline the system as he thought it to be. He asked Dr. Downes to tell of the plan. Dr. Downes almost fiatly contradicted Mr. Bretz's description, although the agreed that the plan could hardly be used here unless it was modified to a certain extent.

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Dr. Keen objected to the possible expenditure of \$500 for the expenses of the investigation. Mr. Stamm replied that it would only be fair to pay the expenses incurred in getting a report on the Gary plan.

Director Boyer's opinion was that such a report with ultimate changes would interfere with the plans and contracts with the architects. Secretary Hammelbaugh set him right by explaining that it would not interfere. Director Boll's complaint against the resolution was the delay which would result, and the constantly increasing price of building materials.

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When the vote was called President erner remained standing when Di-ctors Enders, Bacon and Stamm bted for the resolution and Directors een, Boll, Boyer and Bretz voted

ir. Stamm's resolution follows: n the building construction for the the voters have authorized the coll board to borrow \$1.250.000 three necluded a new building for interitate, or junior high school pures, on Allison's Hill and the redeling of two other buildings for same purposes. The next logical pon the part of the board with rect to these buildings, and one ich properly may be taken with as le delay as need be, is to decide at kind of buildings are desired—ir size, facilities, etc.

Resolved, That any expenses incurred by this committee, not to exceed \$500.00, shall be paid by the board, and that the amount thereof be paid out of the contingent fund.

Prior to the presenting of Mr. Stamm's resolution, many routine business questions were disposed of, including the adoption of committee reports and the acceptance of the resignation of J. Grant Koons as ergineer at Tech High School.

After the vote on the resolution, erchitects were called in to prefent plans for the annex to the Harris school and for the new open-air school. Architects participating in the competition were M. N. Lair, C. Harry Kain, Frank G. Fahnestock Jr., R. R. Markley, Robert Williams, C. Howard Lloyd and Johnson and Kelker.

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