

No. 228.

AN ACT

Authorizing county commissioners to receive donations, gifts, legacies endowments, devises, and conveyances of real or personal property for the establishing of orphans' homes; providing for the support, maintenance, conduct and management of such homes; and authorizing counties to appropriate moneys for such purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the county commissioners of the several counties are hereby authorized to receive, from time, to time, donations, gifts, legacies, endowments, devises, and conveyance or conveyances of property, real or personal, that may be given or granted for the use and purpose of providing a home within the county for the keeping and care of indigent orphans and children dependent upon the public of such county for support.

Counties.

Commissioners
may receive
gifts for orphans'
or children's
homes.

Section 2. Any such orphans' home shall be under the management and control of the county commissioners of the county, and they are hereby authorized to appoint a superintendent and such assistants as may be necessary to properly conduct the affairs of such home.

Maintenance
and control.

Section 3. Indigent orphans and children shall be committed to any such home on order of the county commissioners or of the directors or overseers of any poor district of such county.

Admission to
Home.

Section 4. When any property has been given or granted to any such county for a children's home, and a home is duly established, it shall be lawful for such county thereafter to appropriate, from the county funds, moneys for the support and maintenance of such orphans and children and for the payment of the salary of the superintendent and his assistants.

Maintenance.

APPROVED—The 11th day of May, A. D. 1921.

WM. C. SPROUL.