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To amend an act, approved the seventeenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, thirty-two), entitled "An act authorizing the erection and construction by counties of memorial halls in memory of the soldiers, sailors, and marines of such counties; providing for an election to determine whether such hall shall be erected; providing for the purchase and condemnation of property for such purposes; regulating the use of such halls; and providing for the maintenance and care of the same, by a board of control, at the expense of the county," by providing that in counterof, at the expense of the county, by providing that in counter of the first class, the expenditures of which are defrayed by any city within such counties, the powers, duties, and obligations of the county commissioners and board of control with respect to such act shall devolve upon such city.

Counties.

Memorial halls.

Act of March 17, 1921 (P. L. 32), amended by adding section 8.

In counties where expenditures paid by a city, all powers, duties and obligations shall devolve upon city. Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the act, approved the seventeenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws, thirty-two), entitled "An act authorizing the erection and construction by counties of memorial halls in memory of the soldiers, sailors, and marines of such counties; providing for an election to determine whether such hall shall be erected; providing for the purchase and condemnation of property for such purposes; regulating the use of such halls: and providing for the maintenance and care of the same, by a board of control, at the expense of the county," is amended by adding thereto section eight, which reads as follows:

Section 8. That in counties of the first class of this Commonwealth, the expenditures of which are defrayed from the funds of any city within such counties by appropriation of the council of such city, all the powers, duties, and obligations with respect to this act and hereinbefore required or authorized to be performed or exercised by the county commissioners and board of control shall devolve upon and be exercised and performed by such city by and through its council and its appropriate executive officials in accordance with their respective duties and functions: Provided, That this section shall not invalidate any action or proceeding heretofore had or taken in such counties for the carrying out of the provisions of this act.

APPROVED—The 30th day of April, A. D. 1925.

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