The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The Department of Property and Supplies, with the approval of the Governor and the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School, is hereby authorized to purchase, in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, a certain unimproved tract of land in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, presently owned by C. W. Cooper and Lillian M. Cooper, containing sixteen (16) acres, more or less, and being adjacent to the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School, Scotland, Pennsylvania, bounded on the South by the Pennsylvania Railroad, on the West by land of Robert H. Frecon, on the North by the Conocheague Creek, and on the East by lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for use of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School.

Section 2. Said unimproved tract of land when purchased shall be added to the lands of the Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School, Scotland, Pennsylvania. The deed of conveyance shall be deposited with the Secretary of Internal Affairs. Said land shall not be acquired until the title thereto has been approved by the Department of Justice.

Section 3. The sum of two thousand eight hundred Appropriation. dollars (\$2800) or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the Department of Property and Supplies for the payment of the purchase price of said unimproved tract of land and the expenses incidental thereto, including title searches.

Section 4. The provisions of this act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

APPROVED—The 14th day of January, A. D. 1952.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 506

AN ACT

To amend the act, approved the tenth day of *March, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto, by providing for the training of children physically handicapped by speech and hearing defects at rehabilitation centers provided by the Department of Public Instruction; and making an appropriation.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsvlvania hereby enacts as follows:

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Pennsylvania Soldiers' Orphan School.

Department of Property and Supplies authorized to purchase certain land in Scotland, Frank-lin County, for use of said school.

General description.

Tract purchased to be added to lands of school.

Depository for deed.

Approval of title.

Act effective immediately.

"Public School Code of 1949." Act of March 10, 1949, P. L. 30, amended by adding, after section 1372 thereof, a new section 1372.1.

Section 1. The act, approved the tenth day of *March, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," is hereby amended by adding, after section 1372 thereof, a new section to read as follows:

Section 1372.1. Speech and Hearing Rehabilitation Centers.—The Department of Public Instruction is hereby authorized to provide, maintain, administer, supervise and operate speech and hearing rehabilitation centers for the proper training of children physically handicapped by speech and hearing defects. Pupil eligibility for such centers shall be determined according to standards and regulations promulgated by the State Council of Education.

Section 2. The sum of one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying salaries, wages, postage, printing and other necessary expenses incurred in the operation of speech and hearing rehabilitation centers for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred fifty-one.

APPROVED—The 14th day of January, A. D. 1952.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 507

AN ACT

Providing for treatment and cure in designated State institutions of persons habitually addicted to the use of opiates, and for their admission to and care therein and the payment of the cost thereof; and making an appropriation.

Drug addicts.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Definitions.—As used in this act, the following words and phrases shall, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, have the meanings ascribed to them in this section.

(1) "Addict" or "drug addict," a person who is or is thought to be so habitually addicted to the use of opiates as to be unable or unwilling to stop the use of such substances without help. The terms shall not include any person who has been convicted on a criminal charge and whose period of sentence has not expired,

* "May" in original.

Appropriation.