amined by a physician, psychiatrist or psychologist as designated by him.

- 48N. The Court is hereby authorized to make such rules, consistent with the provisions of this sub-title, with respect to summons, process or notice, pleading and practice before the court, as it may from time to time determine to be necessary.
- 48-O. Any interested party aggrieved by any order or decree of the Judge, may, within thirty days after the entry of such order or decree, appeal therefrom to the Court of Appeals. Such appeal, the character and extent of the hearing and all procedure in connection therewith shall be in such form and manner as the Court of Appeals shall, by rule, determine.

The pendency of any such appeal or application therefor with respect to a child shall not suspend the order of the Judge regarding such child, nor shall it discharge such child from the custody of the person, institution or agency to whose care such child shall have been committed by the Judge, under Section 48K, unless the Court of Appeals shall so order.

- 48P. This subtitle shall be liberally construed to the end that each child coming within the jurisdiction of the Judge shall receive such care, guidance and control, preferably in his own home, as will be conducive to the child's welfare and the best interests of the State.
- 48Q. The Clerk of the Circuit Court in each county shall act also as Clerk of said Court for all cases arising under this sub-title, in all appropriate respects as said Clerk serves the Circuit Court in its other capacities, including the keeping of a separate docket book.
- 48R. Whenever the Judge shall determine that a parent or custodian of any child coming before the Court under the provisions of this sub-title is able to pay the costs of the proceedings against such child, and that it is proper that he should pay such costs, he or they may be required to do so. Except as otherwise provided, all costs incurred by the prosecution of cases under this sub-title shall be paid by the County Commissioners.
- 48S. The County Commissioners of each county shall make all levies and appropriations necessary to provide for the payment of the salaries, fees, expenses and costs properly incurred under this sub-title. The salary and expenses of any probation officer whose work shall extend to two or more counties shall be paid by such counties in equal shares, unless otherwise provided by agreement by the County Commissioners of the