Bill No. 15 of 1951.

A BILL TO AMEND THE CREDIT UNION ACT.

NOTE.

This Bill amends *The Credit Union Act*, being chapter 257 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942.

Section 20, subsection (2) is amended. Credit unions are presently authorized to acquire or hold land in their own name for their own purposes. This section provides, however, that the value of the land so acquired or held shall not exceed five thousand dollars. This low maximum works a hardship on the larger credit unions. The subsection as amended provides that the value of the land held shall not exceed five thousand dollars or ten per cent of the total assets of the credit union, whichever is the greater.

Section 32 presently requires that security be given on all loans in excess of fifty dollars. The effect of the amendment is that security is not required unless the loan exceeds two hundred dollars.

> KENNETH A. MCKENZIE, Legislative Counsel.

(This note does not form any part of the Bill but is offered in explanation of its provisions.)

BILL

No. 15 of 1951.

An Act to amend The Credit Union Act.

(Assented to , 1951.)

HIS MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

1. The Credit Union Act, being chapter 257 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942, is hereby amended.

2. Section 20, subsection (2) is amended by adding im- $\frac{1}{20}$ mediately at the end the words "or ten per cent of the total assets of the credit union, whichever is the greater".

3. Section 32 is struck out and the following is sub- Section 32 amended amended

"32.--(1) The credit committee shall require security Security required to be given on all loans in excess of two hundred dollars.

"(2) The security to be taken in each case shall be determined by the committee.

"(3) An assignment of shares or of deposits or the in- Form of security.".

4. This Act shall come into force on the first day of July, Coming 1951.

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