

REPRINTED BILL

BILL

No. 10 of 1918.

An Act to amend the Statute Law.

(Assented to , 1918.)

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

1. *The Educational Tax Act*, being chapter 18 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, is amended as follows:

1. By striking out the words "three-quarters of one cent" in the ninth line of section 2 thereof and substituting therefor the words "one cent and one-half".

2. By repealing subsection 2 of section 4 thereof and substituting therefor the following:

"(2) A commission shall be paid to each rural municipality of two and one-half per cent. of the amount actually collected by it under the provisions of this Act. The money so collected shall be paid to the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the first day of the month next following the date of collection and shall be accompanied by a statement showing the several amounts collected from occupants of land held under grazing lease or permit from the Government of Canada."

3. By repealing subsection 2 of section 9 thereof and substituting therefor the following:

"(2) In the event of any taxes remaining unpaid on the first day of January of the year following that in which the same were levied there shall be added thereto as a penalty an additional sum amounting to five per centum of such taxes. A further penalty of five per centum shall be likewise added to any such taxes remaining unpaid on the first day of July next following, and on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year thereafter a further penalty of five per centum of the amount remaining unpaid shall be so added. All penalties so added shall be recoverable in the same manner as, and along with the taxes in respect to which they are so added."

2. *An Act to Appoint an Administrator of Lunatics' Estates*, being chapter 11 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1916, is hereby amended as follows:

1. By striking out the word "secretary" where same occurs in said Act and substituting therefor the word "treasurer".

2. Section 2: By adding thereto the following words: "by order of the Lieutenant Governor in Council".

3. Section 14: By adding to the first paragraph thereof the following words: "and of the books, accounts and vouchers relating to the estates of insane persons, guardianship of which has been delegated to trust companies".

3. *The Insanity Act*, being chapter 7 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, and amendments thereto, is amended as follows:

1. Section 15: By striking out the words "Provincial Secretary" and substituting therefor the words "Attorney General".

2. Section 16: (1) By striking out the words "of Alberta" in the thirteenth line thereof, and by striking out the words "Attorney General" where the same occur in subsection 3 thereof and substituting therefor the words "Provincial Treasurer".

(2) By adding to said section the following subsection:

"(6) The Attorney General shall at any time, notwithstanding that the guardianship of the estate of any insane person has been delegated to a trust company, upon the order of the Lieutenant Governor in Council appoint the Administrator of Lunatics' Estates guardian of such estate, whereupon the right of the said trust company to act as guardian shall cease."

3. Section 28: By striking out the words "Attorney General" and substituting therefor the words "Minister of Public Works".

4. *The Motor Vehicle Act*, being chapter 6 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1911-12, is amended as follows:

1. By adding the following section:

"18a. All moneys paid into the general revenue fund of the province under the provisions of this Act shall be appropriated solely for the construction, drainage, improvement and repair of roads and bridges in the province, and the moneys so paid shall be distributed for that purpose in such manner as the Minister of Public Works may deem expedient; provided, however, that any expense incidental to the collection of said moneys hereunder shall first be deducted therefrom."

2. By inserting in section 31 thereof immediately after the word "regulate" in the eighteenth line of the said section the words "and license", and, immediately after the word "hire" in the nineteenth line, the words "and to collect fees for any license granted".

3. Section 22: By adding thereto the following subsection:

“(3) Any intoxicated person contravening the provisions of the last preceding subsection shall be liable on summary conviction to a penalty of not less than \$20.00 nor more than \$50.00 and for a second offence he shall be liable to the said penalty and in addition thereto all licenses and certificates issued to him under this Act shall be cancelled. Upon conviction of any such person for a second offence under this subsection the convicting justice or magistrate shall forthwith notify the Provincial Secretary thereof.”

4. By adding before the figures “\$20” in the fifth line of section 36 the words “not more than”.

5. By adding before the figures “\$50” in the third line of section 36a the words “not more than”.

6. Section 36: By striking out the word “hereinafter” in the first line thereof and substituting therefor “herein otherwise”.

5. *The Judicature Ordinance*, being chapter 21 of the Consolidated Ordinances of the Territories, 1898, is amended as follows:

1. Section 7a: By inserting therein after the word “districts” in the third line thereof the words “and sub-districts within judicial districts”, and by adding thereto the following subsection:

“(2) All sub-districts heretofore established are hereby declared to have been legally and properly established.”

2. By repealing section 21 thereof.

3. By adding after section 22 the following section 22a:

“~~22~~a. The provisions of the Rules of Court continued in force by the preceding section hereof, as altered and amended, are repealed as of the 1st day of September, 1914 and “The Consolidated Rules of the Supreme Court” authorized and promulgated by order of the Lieutenant Governor in Council dated the 12th day of August, 1914, and which came into force on the 1st day of September, 1914, as altered and amended, and the provisions thereof are substituted and declared to have been in force on and since the said 1st day of September, 1914.”

6. *An Act respecting Gaols and Prisons*, being chapter 15 of the Statutes of 1908 is amended as follows:

1. By striking out the words "Provincial Secretary" where they occur in section 6 of the Act and substituting therefor the words "Minister of Public Works".

2. Section 12: By striking out the words "*The Liquor License Ordinance*" wherever they occur therein and by substituting therefor the words "*The Liquor Act*".

7. *An Act respecting Extra-Judicial and other Seizures*, being chapter 4 of the Statutes of 1914, is amended as follows:

1. Section 1: By adding thereto the following subsection:
 "(2) When any distress or seizure has been levied or made in conformity with this section and a claim in writing is made to or in respect of the or any of the property seized, the sheriff shall proceed as if the claim were made to or in respect of goods taken in execution under process of the court and the person directing the distraint or seizure were an execution creditor and the Rules of Court applicable to interpleader by a sheriff shall apply to procedure by the sheriff under this section."

2. Section 4: By adding thereto the following proviso:
 "Provided further that the judge or master in chambers before whom the application for sale under this section is made, may, if he is of opinion that an order for sale should not be made and that the circumstances are such that the property seized should be released, order the release of such property and the original or a copy of such order shall be filed with the sheriff or sheriff's officer forthwith."

3. By adding thereto the following new section:
 "9. The Lieutenant Governor in Council may amend, alter, rearrange, add to, or strike out all or any of the items in the schedule to this Act contained."

8. *The Companies Winding-up Ordinance* is amended as follows:

Section 18 (3): By inserting after the word "court" in the second line thereof the words "or invest in Savings Certificates of the province."

9. *The Assignments Act*, being chapter 6 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, is amended by striking out all that part of section 45 thereof between the word "assignee" in the second line and the word "for" in the sixth line, and by striking out the words "in each of the said cases" where they appear in the sixth and seventh lines of the said section.

10. *An Act to authorize the Guarantee of Certain Securities of Lacombe and Blindman Valley Electric Railway Company*, being chapter 23 of the Statutes of 1917, is amended as follows:

1. Section 12: By striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1918".

11. *An Act to authorize the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Edmonton Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway Company*, being chapter 21 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1915, as amended, is amended as follows:

1. Section 5: By striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1918".

12. *An Act to authorize the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway Company*, being chapter 27 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1914, as amended, is amended as follows:

1. Section 7: By striking out the figures "1918" where they occur in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1919".

13. *An Act respecting the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company*, being chapter 6 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1913 (Second Session), as amended, is hereby amended as follows:

1. Section 5: By striking out the word "four" where it occurs in the fifth line thereof and substituting therefor the word "five".

14. *An Act to authorize the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Central Canada Railway Company*, being chapter 7 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1913 (Second Session), as amended, is amended as follows:

1. Section 7: By striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1918".

15. *An Act to incorporate the Central Canada Railway Company*, being chapter 46 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1913 (First Session), is amended as follows:

1. Section 10: By striking out the word "five" where it occurs in the third line thereof and substituting the word "six".

16. *An Act to authorize the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Central Canada Railway Company*, being chapter 28 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1914, is amended as follows:

1. Section 5: By striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1918".

17. *An Act to authorize the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Railway Company*, being chapter 14 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1909, as amended, is amended as follows:

1. Section 7: By striking out the figures "1917" where they occur therein and substituting therefor the figures "1918".

18. *An Act to authorize the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company*, being chapter 19 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1911-12, as amended, is amended as follows:

1. Section 7: By striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the seventh line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1918", and by striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1919".

19. *An Act respecting the Guarantee of Certain Securities of the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company*, being chapter 20 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1915, as amended, is amended as follows:

1. Section 6: By striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1918".

20. *An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company*, being chapter 29 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1911-12, is amended as follows:

1. Section 4: By striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the fourth line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1918", and by striking out the figures "1917" where they occur in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the figures "1919".

21. *The Public Health Act*, being chapter 17 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1910 (Second Session), is amended by striking out the words "Minister of the department administering this Act", where the same occur in subsection 8 of section 2 thereof, and substituting therefor the words "Provincial Secretary".

22. *The Pool Room Act*, being chapter 24 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1911-12, is amended as follows:

1. Section 13: By striking out the words "and cancellations", where they appear in the fifth line thereof, and substituting therefor the words "or suspension".

23. *The Public Works Act*, being chapter 10 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1906, is amended as follows:

1. Section 64a: By repealing the same and substituting therefor the following section:

"64a. The Minister may from time to time make such regulations as he may deem proper in regard to any plan of any land which the registrar requires or it is proposed to register under the provisions of *The Land Titles Act*; and may from time to time impose and collect such fees or charges upon and from any person presenting such plan for registration and make proper reservations from the area of any land included in any plan of subdivision for school or other public purposes."

24. *The Railway Act*, being chapter 8 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, is amended as follows:

1. By striking out the word "Minister" wherever it occurs therein and substituting therefor the word "Board".

2. By adding thereto the following sections:

"193a. Whenever any trust deed, mortgage or other document made by any railway company for the purpose of securing the payment of the principal and interest of

any bonds, debentures or other securities, which payment has been guaranteed by the province, becomes enforceable according to the terms thereof, the Lieutenant Governor in Council may by order in council, on such terms and conditions if any as the said order may prescribe, at any time while any event of default under such trust deed, mortgage or other document shall exist and be continuing, declare the equity of redemption of the mortgagor and of all other persons whomsoever (except the holders of such bonds, debentures or other securities) in the premises thereby mortgaged or encumbered or intended so to be claiming any estate, right, title or interest subsequent to the said trust deed, mortgage or other document to be foreclosed and thereupon the equity of redemption of the mortgagor and of all such other persons in the premises thereby mortgaged or intended so to be and every part thereof shall be and become absolutely barred and foreclosed and the same shall thereupon be vested in His Majesty in the right of the province.

"193b. Whenever default is made in the payment of any principal or interest according to the terms of any trust deed, mortgage or other document made by any railway company to secure the payment of any bonds, debentures or other securities, which payment has been guaranteed by the province and the province has paid any such principal or interest, the Lieutenant Governor in Council may by order in council appoint the Provincial Treasurer to be the sole director of such company in the place and stead of the directors thereof, and thereupon and until such order in council is cancelled the Provincial Treasurer shall be the sole director of the company and shall have and exercise all the rights and powers vested in or exercisable by the board of directors of the company."

25. *The Vital Statistics Act*, being chapter 22 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1916, is amended as follows:

1. Section 2, subsection 1: By striking out the word "Agriculture" where the same occurs therein and substituting therefor the words "the Provincial Secretary".

2. Section 2, subsection 2: By striking out the words "Agriculture presided over by the Minister administering this Act" and substituting therefor the words "the Provincial Secretary".

26. *The Act respecting Police Magistrates and Justices of the Peace*, being chapter 13 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1906, is hereby amended as follows:

1. By repealing section 8 and inserting as a new section the following:

"8. Except as otherwise specially provided, the provisions of *The Criminal Code of Canada* as amended from time to time respecting summary convictions and proceedings relating thereto shall apply in respect to all convictions or orders made or to be made by justices of the peace and police magistrates under any law or regulation in force in the province or under municipal by-laws."

2. By deleting the first paragraph of section 10 thereof and substituting therefor the following:

"10. Every justice of the peace who receives the amount of any fine, penalty, forfeiture or other sum of money which is payable to the Government of the province shall forthwith after he has received the same transmit the amount to the Attorney General with a statement as in form A in the schedule to this Act."

3. By inserting as a second paragraph thereof the following:

"Every police magistrate who receives any sum of money payable as aforesaid shall forthwith after receipt thereof deposit the same in a chartered bank in trust for the province and shall on the first day of each month transmit the amount so deposited during the previous month to the Attorney General, together with an itemized account of the same."

27. *The Department of Municipal Affairs Act*, being chapter 11 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1911-12, is amended as follows:

1. By inserting after the word "Minister" in the second line of section 5 thereof the words "municipal commissioner", and before the word "inspectors" in the fourth line of the said section the word "commissioner".

2. By adding thereto the following section:

"**19.** A report of the work of the Department shall be prepared yearly and laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly within fifteen days after the commencement of the next ensuing session thereof."

28. *An Act respecting Seed Grain, Fodder and Other Relief*, being chapter 14 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1915, is amended by adding thereto the following section:

"**15.** Provided that any mortgagee or encumbrancee whose mortgage or encumbrance was of record in the Land Titles Office of any district against any land in that district, prior to the registration of His Majesty's lien for seed grain (fodder for animals or other goods by way of relief) advanced under this Act, may pay to His Majesty on or after the first day of October, 1918, the whole sum of such indebtedness remaining unpaid, both of principal and of interest, and His Majesty shall thereupon assign all right, title and interest in such lien to the said mortgagee or encumbrancee, who shall be thereupon entitled to add such sum to the principal of said mortgage or encumbrance, and the sum so added shall thereupon become and be regarded as part of said principal sum of such mortgage or encumbrance, and shall bear interest at the same rate as the balance of the principal sum of said mortgage or encumbrance and shall in all respects be treated as if it had originally been part of such principal of said mortgage or encumbrance and the mortgagee or encumbrancee shall have the same rights of recovery and be subject to the same restrictions in respect of such sum as in respect of the balance of the principal of such mortgage or encumbrance and the Registrar of the Land Titles District in which the said land is situated shall, upon receipt of a memorandum signed by the Minister, which memorandum shall set out the fact of such payment and such assignment, endorse a memorandum on the proper certificate or certificates of title, showing that such sum is added to the said mortgage or encumbrance."

29. *The District Courts Act*, being chapter 4 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, is amended by adding to section 7 thereof the following as subsection (2):

"(2) In case more than one judge is appointed for any District Court, then whenever by virtue of any Statute or otherwise any jurisdiction or function is assigned or duty imposed upon the judge of such District Court, such jurisdiction or function shall be deemed to be assigned to or duty imposed upon any of the judges appointed for such District Court."

30. *The Medical Profession Act*, being chapter 28 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1906, is amended as follows:

1. Section 31: By striking out the word "five" in the first line of clause (b) thereof and by substituting therefor the word "four".

31. *The Companies Ordinance* is hereby amended as follows:

1. Section 5: By adding after the word "insurance" in the first paragraph thereof the words "or trust companies."

32. *The Farm Machinery Act*, being chapter 15 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1913 (First Session), is hereby amended as follows:

1. By adding thereto the following new section:

"7. Notwithstanding anything contained in any contract or agreement, there shall be implied in any such contract or agreement for the sale of farm machinery (whether under seal, written or oral) a warranty to the effect that all repair parts in adequate quantities for the said machinery are kept and will be kept by the vendor for a period of years from the date of the said agreement, and may be obtained at the place of business of the agent of the vendor who is nearest to the purchaser or at some other well advertised point in the province.

"Provided that the keeping of a stock of the necessary repairs for farm machinery as aforesaid on hand at one well advertised place of business in the province by the manufacturers or general provincial distributors of the said farm machinery shall be deemed to be a compliance by a vendor with the terms of the contract or agreement as set out in this section."

33. *An Act respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths*, being chapter 11 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1913 (Second Session), is amended as follows:

1. Section 5a: By deleting all the words between "province" in the sixth line thereof and the word "and" in the tenth line thereof and substituting therefor the words "for use within the province".

34. *The Municipal Co-operative Hail Insurance Act*, being chapter 18 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1915, as amended, is hereby further amended as follows:

1. Section 6, subsection 8: By striking out the word "and" where it occurs in the fourth line thereof; by striking out the words "but not" where they occur in the fifth and sixth lines thereof and substituting therefor the word "and".

2. Section 7, subsection 1: By adding after the words "secretary-treasurer" in the first and second lines thereof the words "or secretary and treasurer".

3. Section 13, subsection 12: By striking out all the words after the word "showing" in the fifth line thereof and substituting therefor the following: "all lands assessed to him and the number of acres of different kinds of crop growing thereon, and the number of acres not in crop of any kind during the then current year."

4. Section 10, subsection 4: By striking out the word "unless" where it occurs therein and by substituting therefor the words "is at least".

35. *The Factors Ordinance*, being chapter 40 of the Consolidated Ordinances, is amended by adding to section 10 thereof the following subsection:

“(2) This section shall not apply to goods the possession of which is obtained under a contract coming within the meaning of *The Ordinance respecting Hire Receipts and Conditional Sales of Goods* where the seller has complied with the provisions of this Ordinance.”

36. *The Theatres Act*, being chapter 25 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1911-12, is amended as follows:

1. Section 2: By inserting therein after the word “the” in the fifth line thereof the word “licensing,”.

37. *The Drainage Act*, being chapter 24 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1916, is amended as follows:

1. Section 13: By striking out the words “Lieutenant Governor in Council” in the second line thereof and substituting therefor the word “Minister”.

38. *The Agricultural Schools Act*, being chapter 11 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1913, is amended as follows:

1. Section 7: By striking out the word “nine” in the second line thereof and by substituting therefor the words “the Superintendent of the Schools of Agriculture, the Dean of Agriculture in the University of Alberta and nine additional”.

39. *The Public Libraries Act*, being chapter 17 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, is amended as follows:

1. Section 20: By adding thereto the following: “where the board consists of five members and unless four members are present where the board consists of seven members.”

40. Chapter 12 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, 1901, being *An Ordinance respecting the Confirmation of Sales of Land for Taxes*, is amended as follows:

1. By adding thereto the following new section:

“8. When confirmation of a sale of land for taxes is sought under this Ordinance by a municipality, school district or other local authority, the application may be made on behalf of such municipality, district or other local authority, either by the secretary thereof or by an advocate.”

41. *The Private Ditches Act*, being chapter 6 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1913 (First Session), is hereby amended as follows:

1. By adding thereto the following sections:

“41. Wherever under the provisions of this Act any municipality is compelled to pay money, and there is no provision for the immediate raising of the same, such municipality may by resolution authorize a borrowing of the said money from any person or corporation, until such time as the said money can be raised under the provisions of this Act, and the amount so borrowed shall be a charge upon the taxes due to the municipality, and may be secured by the promissory note or notes of the treasurer or secretary-treasurer or other person fulfilling the duties of a treasurer and such other officer of the municipality as may be named in the resolution.

"42. Whenever under the provisions of this Act any sum of money becomes a charge upon the land or interest in land of any owner, the municipality within which such land is situate may (in the event of the payment thereof in a lump sum, being in its opinion too onerous a demand) direct that such charge shall be payable by such instalments as it may think fit."

42. *The Alberta Provincial Police Act*, being chapter 4 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1917, is amended as follows:

1. Section 5: By striking out the words "one hundred and fifty" and substituting therefor the words "two hundred and fifty".

2. Section 8: By striking out the figures "36" and substituting therefor the figures "40".

43. *The Creditors' Relief Act* is amended by adding to section 7, subsection 3, thereof the following words "and within three days thereafter shall file a copy of such notice with the clerk of the District Court".

44. *The Municipal Ordinance*, being chapter 70 of the Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories, 1898, is amended as follows:

1. By adding to section 18 thereof the following new subsection:

"(4) For the purpose of the election of councillors the name of the wife, husband, son or daughter of any person whose name is entered on the municipal voters' list otherwise than by virtue of this subsection shall, if such wife, husband, son or daughter is of the full age of twenty-one years and a resident of the municipality and not otherwise qualified to vote in such election, be added to the said list, and any person whose name is so added to the said list shall, if a resident of the municipality at the date of election, be entitled to vote:

"Provided, however, that in the event of a by-law being passed under the provisions of subsection 2 of this section the wife, husband, son or daughter of any person who has failed to pay all taxes due by him (or her) to the municipality up to the date in such by-law mentioned, shall not be entitled to vote by virtue of this subsection."

2. By inserting immediately after section 119 thereof the following new section:

"119a. The council may by a by-law passed at any of its regular meetings held prior to the first day of May in any year, at which a majority of the members of the whole council vote in favour of such by-law, provide for the imposition of a tax to be known as a business tax, upon all persons carrying on any trade, business or profession within the limits of the municipality, but the provisions of this section shall not extend to any trade, business or profession licensed under the provisions of this Act, nor to any person taxable by the municipality during such year in respect of personal property.

"(2) The assessment of any such trade, business or profession shall be made upon the basis of the rental value of the premises used or occupied for the purpose of carrying on such trade, business or profession. Such by-law shall fix a uniform rate but no tax imposed under this section shall exceed ten per centum of the rental value of such premises.

“(3) In any municipality where a business tax is levied under the provisions of this Act the form of the assessment roll herein provided shall be varied accordingly.”

3. By striking out the words “two and a half” where they occur in section 143 thereof and substituting therefor the word “four”.

45. *The Agricultural Societies Ordinance*, being chapter 17 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, 1903, is amended as follows:

1. Section 11: By striking out the words “twelve or fifteen” and substituting therefor the words “or more”.

2. Section 19: By repealing paragraphs one and two and substituting therefor the following paragraph:

“19. Every agricultural society shall hold an annual meeting within the first ten days of the month of December in each year at such time and place as may be decided on by the board of directors.”

46. *The Mutual Fire Insurance Ordinance*, being chapter 21 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, 1903 (Second Session), is amended as follows:

1. Section 66: By adding thereto the following subsection:

“(2) The minimum rate to be charged or taken by any company for insuring first class isolated nonhazardous property on the cash plan shall not be less than forty cents per one hundred dollars per annum; and the minimum rate of insurance upon other property shall be increased relatively with the increased risk according to the nature of such property.”

47. *An Act respecting the Transfer and Descent of Land* is amended by deleting subsection 3 of section 15 thereof and substituting the following as subsections 3 and 4 of the same:

“(3) This section shall be deemed to have been in force from and after the first day of August, 1914.

“(4) Notwithstanding anything in this section contained any act of administration done prior to the fifth day of April, 1918, by an executor or administrator under a will or letters of administration invalidated in consequence of this section shall be as valid as if such will or letters of administration continued completely operative.”

48. *The Early Closing Act*, being chapter 23 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1911-12, is hereby amended as follows:

1. Section 3: By striking out the words between “city” in the first line and “may” in the third line and substituting therefor the following words: “town or village.”

49. *The Interpretation Act*, being chapter 3 of the Statutes of 1906, is amended as follows:

1. By inserting immediately before clause 11 of section 7 thereof the following new clause:

“10a. The expression ‘province’ means the Province of Alberta, and the expressions ‘Act’ and ‘Statute’ mean an Act or Statute of the province.”

No. 10.

FIRST SESSION
FOURTH LEGISLATURE
8 GEORGE V
1918

BILL
An Act to amend the Statute Law.

Received and read the

First time.....

Second time.....

Third time.....

EDMONTON:
J. W. JEFFERY, KING'S PRINTER
A.D. 1918