BILL

No. 94 of 1937.

An Act to amend The Lethbridge City Charter.

, 1937.)

(Assented to

WHEREAS, the City of Lethbridge has prayed for certain amendments to *The Lethbridge City Charter*, being Chapter 75 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1928; and

Whereas, it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition;

Therefore His Majesty, by and with the consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

The Lethbridge City Charter, being chapter 75 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1928, is hereby amended as follows:

1. Section 3 of Title IV is amended by inserting therein immediately after subsection (d) the following new subsection:

"(d1) The names of all persons over the age of twentyone years who have been residents of the city for eight months immediately preceding the first day of June of the year in which the Voters' List is being prepared."

and by substituting for the words immediately following the word "tenants" in the fourth line of subsection (e) of said section 3 the following words: "and such British subjects who are not otherwise disqualified from voting to register their names and addresses as tenants and British subjects respectively qualified to vote as such."

2. Subsection (b) of section 20 of Title XXIV is amended by adding at the end of such subsection the words "and granting to any person or persons, firm, syndicate, or company, a special franchise or special franchises for the transportation of passengers by motor vehicles, for fixed charges, on specified routes, over any of the streets or avenues of the city, but no such franchise shall be exclusive."

3. Title XXIV is amended by adding thereto immediately after section 21b thereof, the following section to be section 21c of Title XXIV:

"21c. Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this Act to the contrary the Council of the City of Lethbridge shall have the right and power by By-law to borrow and expend for the purpose of street improvement and street maintenance, at a cost to be borne entirely by the Municipality at large, in each of the years 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, and 1941, a sum or sums not exceeding in any one of such years an aggregate sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), and shall have the right and power by By-law, without submitting any such By-law to a vote of the burgesses, to borrow and raise for the purposes aforesaid the sum or sums above mentioned, or any part thereof, upon the credit of the Municipality at large, and may issue Treasury Notes to secure such borrowings, such notes to be payable within a period not exceeding five (5) years from the date of the loan with respect to which each note is issued, and such notes shall bear interest at the rate of five (5) per centum per anum payable half-yearly; and on the security of Treasury Notes so issued and held at the credit of the Sinking Fund account, moneys and securities held in or at the credit of the Sinking Fund account of the City may be taken from the said Sinking Fund and appropriated and used for the purpose aforesaid but not in any one of said years to any extent greater than the aggregate sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00)."

4. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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