

**Child Welfare.**—C. 3 amends the Child Welfare Act with respect to the power of judges to make orders for the maintenance of children against several persons.

**Companies.**—C. 2 amends the Bills of Sale and Chattel Mortgage Act regarding documents of corporations. C. 5 amends the Companies Act regarding shares of no par value, powers of companies and powers of attorney of extra-provincial corporations. C. 8, the Co-operative Associations Act, provides for the incorporation of such associations under the authority of a registrar responsible to the Minister of Agriculture.

**Education.**—C. 17 establishes an advisory board under the Education Department Act. C. 39, amending the Public Libraries Act, provides for the establishment of a library by two or more municipalities, and c. 40 provides for the appointment of a provincial public library board. Cc. 42 to 46 make numerous amendments to the Public Schools Act.

**Finance.**—Cc. 50 and 51 authorize the sale of certain securities for specified purposes, c. 56 authorizes the borrowing and expenditure of \$760,000 and of \$174,513 for certain specified purposes, c. 57 also authorizes the expenditure of \$7,281,553 for the period from Sept. 1, 1924 to April 30, 1925, and \$10,608,412 for the year ending April 30, 1926, c. 58 authorizes a further expenditure of \$36,080 for the year ending April 30, 1926 and c. 59 another amount of \$593,045. C. 63 changes the fiscal year of the province to one ending on April 30.

**Health.**—C. 16 provides for the compulsory treatment of persons addicted to the improper use of opium and other narcotic drugs. C. 33 amends the Lunacy Act with respect to the administration of the estates of mentally defective persons.

**Highways.**—The Good Roads Act is amended by c. 25 with respect to provincial trunk highways and their maintenance and improvement.

**Insurance.**—C. 27 amends the Insurance Act regarding reciprocal deposits and the valuation of life insurance contracts, c. 28 amends the Mutual Fire Insurance Act regarding the investment or deposit of funds and c. 29 enacts regulations designed to secure uniform conditions in fire insurance policies.

**Labour.**—C. 19 amends the Employment Bureau Act, permitting the establishment of employment bureaus by certain municipalities. C. 35 amends the Minimum Wage Act, stipulating the liability of employers for wages as well as penalties in certain cases. C. 66 amends the Workmen's Compensation Act in numerous important details.

**Lands.**—C. 7 amends the Act respecting Land Contracts regarding the continuation of an action or proceeding after stay. C. 15 amends the Land Drainage Act with respect to the title of lands on which taxes have not been paid.

**Miscellaneous.**—C. 14 amends the Act respecting Estates of Insolvent Deceased Persons with regard to the rights of creditors, c. 32 amends the Government Liquor Control Act regarding the disposal of moneys, c. 38 provides regulations permitting the licensing of produce dealers, and c. 65 amends the War Relief Act with respect to protection extended to soldiers' wives.

**Motor Vehicles.**—C. 36 amends the Motor Vehicle Act, chiefly with respect to fees for registration, authority to operate, rented vehicles and lights.

**Municipalities.**—C. 52 enables municipalities to borrow money to be used for seed purposes, the amount not to exceed \$50,000 in each case. Cc. 67 to 69 amend the Municipal Act in minor particulars.