

OTHER STATUTES AFFECTING CHILDREN.

In various other Statutes of the Province the following additional provisions briefly summarized are made for the protection of children :

No child under fourteen years of age is to be allowed to work in any factory. R. S. O. chap. 256, sec. 3.

It is illegal to supply intoxicating liquor to any person under twenty-one years of age. R. S. O. chap. 245, sec. 78.

No person is allowed under penalty to give or sell tobacco to any person under eighteen years of age. R. S. O. chap. 261, sec. 1.

Keepers of billiard or bagatelle rooms are prohibited from allowing young persons under sixteen years of age to be on the premises. R. S. O. chap. 247, sec. 1.

Pawn-brokers are prohibited from taking any goods in pledge from any person who appears to be under fifteen years of age. R. S. O. chap. 188, sec. 33.

The compulsory school age is from eight to fourteen years, and all children within these years must attend, unless excused for some very good reason. R. S. O. chap. 296, sec. 2.

Store keepers are required to provide seats for girls employed on the premises, and must permit employees to use such seats when not actually engaged in the work for which they are employed in such shop. R. S. O. chap. 257, sec. 11.