

(2) NOTICE OF CLAIM.

To Smith, Brown & Co., corner Portage and Main street, Winnipeg, Manitoba;

I beg to give you notice that my father, William Robinson, of 316 Rosebery street, Winnipeg, died as a result of injuries received by him June 29th, while in your employ. I claim on behalf of my mother, Isabel Robinson, the sum of \$1,500.00.

(Signed) John Robinson.

Dated July 29th, 1911."

A point that should be remembered is that in some cases the injury is not apparent for some time after the accident. A number of cases have been before the courts where the shock of a fall or explosion or otherwise has caused injuries in the way of paralysis, deafness or loss of sight or similar injuries, which were not noticeable for some time two months after the date of the accident, so that it is always well where a workman is in an accident, although he may not appear to have received any injury, to give notice to his employer. This notice may be given by any friend or agent of the injured person. I would recommend that each local union authorize its secretary to act as agent for the individual members of the unions to look after their interests and to give the necessary notices of accidents and of claim.

THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION.

The greatest amount of compensation which may be claimed under this Act is the sum of \$1,500.00, irrespective of the amount of the earning capacity. Compensation whether paid by way of weekly allowances, as I shall hereafter set out, or by way of a lump sum, shall be paid only to a dependent residing in the Province, and where a dependent leaves the Province, he or she loses all right to compensation.