

As to cars already built.

6. Every such car already built, which is the property of Canadian railways for use in Canada, shall, within two years after the passing of this Act, be fitted with the foregoing attachments, except as provided in section 4.

Penalty.

7. The penalty for building such cars not fitted in accordance with the provisions of this Act after the date herein mentioned, shall be twenty-five dollars for each car. 5

Penalty.

8. The penalty for using any car not fitted in accordance with the provisions of this Act after the date herein provided shall be five dollars a day for every day or trip lasting less than a day, during which it is so used. 10

Prosecution.

9. The Minister of Railways and Canals shall proceed against any railway company or car builder handling, using or building such cars contrary to the provisions of this Act, on the information of any credible person; provided, however, that any other person may institute any proceeding for the recovery of any penalties provided by this Act. 15

Compensation if employee is injured.

10. Every employee of a railway company injured while in the discharge of his duty shall, for every day during which he is thereby unfitted for duty, be entitled to compensation from the railway company at the rate of not less than sixty per cent of the current rate of wages for men similarly employed by the company, at the time the injury occurs, to be paid for not more than fifty-two weeks. 20

If permanently disabled.

2. Every such employee permanently disabled while in the discharge of his duty, shall be entitled to compensation from the railway company to the amount of not less than four years' wages at the rate thereof at the time of the accident. 25

If killed.

3. The family or dependents of every employee who is killed, or who dies from injuries received, while in the discharge of his duty, within six months after such injury, shall be entitled to compensation from the railway company to the amount of four years' wages at the rate thereof at the time of the accident, but not exceeding in all three thousand dollars. 30

Acceptance of compensation bars further recourse.

4. If any employee, or the representatives of any employee, accept the compensation provided by this Act, he or they shall have no further claim at law against the company. 35

Right to damages cannot be renounced.

5. The rights under the foregoing provisions shall not be capable of being renounced or given up by such employee by any agreement or contract with the railway company, for value or otherwise, and the said provisions shall not be made void by any rules or regulations of the railway. 40

Medical certificates.

6. The certificate of two duly qualified disinterested physicians shall be sufficient to prove permanent disability; and the certificate of the attending physician shall be sufficient to prove unfitness for duty, for a period not exceeding ten weeks, after which time a monthly certificate of a physician named by the company shall be sufficient. 45

Contributory negligence.

7. The foregoing provisions as to compensation shall be void in the case of any employee whose injury, disablement or death is caused by his own negligence—the burden of proof of such negligence being upon the railway company; but if such injury, disablement or death occurs by reason of the