

Free medical aid, including medical, surgical, hospital and nursing services, is provided for injured workmen in all provinces but Alberta and British Columbia. In British Columbia the workers contribute 1 cent a day for medical aid and in Alberta they contribute from $\frac{1}{4}$ to 10 cents a day according to the industry.

Compensation is paid in all provinces for anthrax and for poisoning from arsenic, lead, mercury, and phosphorus. The other diseases compensated vary according to the industries of the different provinces.

The following statement shows the scale of compensation as at Jan. 1, 1938:—

Item.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
Death— Funeral.....	\$100	\$100	\$125	\$125	\$150	\$125	\$125	\$100
Widow or invalid widower per month.	\$30	\$30	\$40 plus lump sum of \$100.	\$40 plus lump sum of \$100.	\$40	\$40 plus lump sum of \$100.	\$35	\$35
Each child ¹ un- der 16, per month.	\$7.50	\$7.50, up to 18 years if a girl.	Under 18, \$10.	\$10 up to \$40.	\$12+\$10+ \$9+\$8 for each additional child up to 18 yrs. for educa- tion.	\$10	\$12+\$10+ \$9+\$8 for each additional child up to 18 yrs. for educa- tion.	\$7.50
Orphan child un- der 16, per month.	\$15, Max. \$60.	\$15 and up to 18 yrs. if a girl.	Under 18, \$15.	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15, Max. \$60.
Disability ² —Per cent of earnings for duration.	66 $\frac{2}{3}$ p.c. Min. \$8 per wk. or earn- ings, if less.	55 p.c. Min. \$6 per wk. or earn- ings, if less.	66 $\frac{2}{3}$ p.c. Min. \$12.50 per wk. or earnings, if less.	66 $\frac{2}{3}$ p.c. Min. \$12.50 per wk. or earnings, if less.	66 $\frac{2}{3}$ p.c. Min. \$15 per wk. or earn- ings, if less.	66 $\frac{2}{3}$ p.c. Min. \$12.50 per wk. or earnings, if less.	66 $\frac{2}{3}$ p.c. Min. \$10 per wk. or earn- ings, if less.	62 $\frac{1}{2}$ p.c. Min. \$10 per wk. or earn- ings, if less.
Maximum earnings that may be reckoned.	\$1,500	\$1,500, Max. comp. \$2,500.	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000

¹ Invalid child entitled to compensation for longer period. ² Where disability is partial, the same rate is fixed but is calculated on difference between earnings prior to and subsequent to accident. In Quebec the rate for partial disability is 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ p.c. for the period of time fixed, basis being 4 weeks for each 1 p.c. of incapacity. In New Brunswick the Board may fix amount for permanent partial disability.

Section 13.—Legislation Respecting Combinations in Restraint of Trade.

A general article on Canadian legislation concerning combinations and monopolies in restraint of trade was published in the 1927-28 Year Book under the heading "Legislation Respecting Combinations in Restraint of Trade". In subsequent issues of the Year Book an annual statement on proceedings under the Combines Investigation Act has been included.