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SPECIAL THIS WEEK

Best Onions 3c lb, 9 lbs 25 cts.
Best Messina Lemons 20c dozen

BIG VALUES ALL THE TIME

Blue Banner Blend Tea equal to any 40c tea on the market, 29c lb 4 lbs \$1.00.
Fine Granulated Sugar 20 lbs \$1.00, \$4.90 cwt.

Finest Fruit and Vegetables

Great Large Water Melons 40c each 3c lb 10 lbs 25c
California Plums - - - - - 8c doz.
Large Bartlett Pears - - - - - 25c doz.
Ripe Tomatoes - - - - - 8c lb.
Fresh Cucumbers - - - - - 3c each
New Potatoes at lowest prices
Large Cabbage - - - - - 5c each
Finest Bananas - - - - - 15, 20 and 25 cts.

PRUNES

Finest Cal. Prunes 15c lb 2 lbs 25c
Large Cal. Prune 12c lb
Good California Prunes 9c 3 lbs 25c

MOLASSES

market still climbing
Our price is still 39c gal.

FLOUR

FIVE THISTLES
Best Manitoba \$6.60
Kent Mills - 6.00
Best Ont. Grades 5.50

THE YERXA GROCERY CO.

QUEEN STREET, FREDERICTON, TEL. 327.

LIABILITY OF EMPLOYERS

COMPENSATION BASED UPON THE WAGES RECEIVED.

Practically Every Foreign Country of Any Importance Industrially Has by Legislation Recognized the Principle of Compensation For Injuries Received From Accidents While at Work.

In an article on "The Legal Liability of Employers for Injuries to Their Employees in the United States," Lindley D. Clark discusses at length the more important principles of the common law as generally applied to the subject of employers' liability in that country, together with such variations as appear in certain states. The article also reproduces the laws of those states which have passed enactments on the subject and presents the construction put therein where they have been reviewed by the superior state courts or the federal courts.

In striking contrast with conditions in the United States is the position of the foreign workman who is injured by accident in the course of his employment. Practically every foreign country of any importance industrially has by legislation recognized the principle that the workman is entitled to compensation for injuries from accidents received in the course of his employment. Twenty-two foreign states have enacted such legislation—namely:

Austria, Belgium, British Columbia, Cape of Good Hope, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Great Britain, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Luxemburg, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Queensland, Russia, South Australia, Spain, Sweden and Western Australia.

While there is some variation in the provisions of the foreign laws as to the circumstances under which workmen are entitled to compensation, as a rule compensation is not payable unless the injury causes disablement for a specified number of days or weeks.

The employer may usually be relieved from the payment of compensation if he can prove that the injury was caused intentionally or by willful misconduct or in some countries by the gross negligence of the injured person or during the performance of an illegal act. In none of these twenty-two countries does ordinary negligence on the part of the injured employee work a forfeiture of the right to compensation.

The industries usually covered by the laws are manufacturing, mining and quarrying, transportation, building and engineering work and other employments involving more or less hazard. In Belgium, France and Great Britain the laws apply to practically all employments. In a considerable number of countries only workmen engaged in actual manual work and in some cases those exposed to the same risks, such as overseers and technical experts, come within the operations of the law. These countries are Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Italy, Luxemburg, Netherlands, Norway, Russia, Spain and Sweden. On the other hand, in France, Great Britain, the British colonies and Hungary the laws apply to salaried employees and workmen equally. Overseers and technical experts earning more than a prescribed amount are excluded in Belgium, Denmark, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Luxemburg and Russia. Employees of the state, provincial and local administrations usually come within the provisions of the act.

The entire burden rests upon the employer in all but four of the countries, Austria, Germany, Hungary and Luxemburg, where the employees also bear a part of the expense. The laws in every case fix the compensation to be paid. In all the countries but Sweden the compensation is based upon the wages of the injured person. It consists of medical and surgical treatment and of periodical allowances for temporary disability and annual pensions or lump sum payments for permanent disability or death.

In most countries employers may contract with state or private insurance institutions for the transfer of the burden of payment of compensation. In a number of countries such transfer is obligatory. Provision is usually made for the protection of the beneficiaries in case of insolvency of employers.

The acts of nearly all of the countries are framed with the view of obviating the necessity for instituting legal proceedings. The laws are so effective that the compensation allowed and the regulations for its payment that agreements are usually amicably made between the employers and the victims of the accidents. If disputes arise, however, the law specifies the necessary procedure for their settlement either by special arbitration tribunals or by the ordinary law courts.

KISS BROUGHT BACK LIFE.

Woman In Trance, About to Be Buried, Restored by Husband's Kiss.

A woman named Mrs. Carton, of Tonbridge, England, has been through one of the most terrible ordeals ever known.

She fell into a trance after a short illness, and was placed in a coffin, in the belief that she was dead.

She lay silent, unable to move or speak, while preparations for her funeral were going on all around her. She watched her husband bend over her body to kiss her for the last time. The warmth of her cheek as his lips touched her face saved her from being buried alive.

Mrs. Carton's husband, who is an engine cleaner, was distracted with grief when, a few days ago, he found her apparently dead after a few days' illness.

All arrangements were made for the funeral; a coffin was brought, and the woman was laid in it.

Then, just as the coffin was about to be screwed down, Mr. Carton asked to be left alone with the body for a moment. He bent over his wife to kiss her for the last time. The cheek on which his lips rested was warm.

His wife was alive.

The man, dazed with joy and wonder, sent at once for a doctor, who confirmed his hopes. The doctor ordered her to be removed at once to the hospital. Her condition rapidly improved, and she is now well on the way to recovery.

The woman's story of her experiences during the trance is extraordinary.

"I knew everything which was going on around me," she said, "but I could not move. I could not even speak when I saw that they thought I was dead."

Even when she was put in her coffin and it seemed almost certain that she would be buried alive, she was unable to utter a word to save herself. She could not even speak to her husband as he bent over her.

Only the touch of his lips on her cheek saved her.

Revised.

Little drops of water,
Little grains of sand,
Make the millmen happy
And the grocers bland.

—Bohemian Magazine.

Not Exactly.

"Time is money."
"Hard times aren't." — Harper's Weekly.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT

The assessment roll for the City of Fredericton for the year 1908, is now in the hands of the City Treasurer for collection and all persons therein assessed are hereby requested to pay the amount of their respective taxes forthwith to the City Treasurer. A discount of five per cent. will be allowed on all taxes paid in, on or before the 20th day of August, after which executions may be issued, and proceedings had thereon, as by law provided.

Dated at the City Hall, Fredericton, this first day of August, A. D., 1908.

ISRAEL GOLDING,
Collector and Receiver of Taxes

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out of this tube, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Gatch Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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EXCURSION RATES ON ALL RAILROADS AND STEAMBOATS

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