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Bill accompanying the petition of the Massachusetts State Branch of the American Federation of Labor that the maximum compensation paid to injured employees in certain cases be increased. Joint Judiciary. January 5.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventeen.

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### AN ACT

To regulate Compensation of Injured Employees in Certain Cases, and to increase the Maximum Compensation that may be Paid.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. Compensation under chapter seven hun-  
2 dred and fifty-one of the acts of the year nineteen  
3 hundred and eleven, and amendments thereto, for any  
4 injury which incapacitates the employee for a period  
5 beyond twenty-eight days, shall begin on the day of  
6 injury.

1 SECTION 2. In all cases where compensation is pay-  
2 able to an employee or a dependent of a deceased employee  
3 under the provisions of chapter seven hundred and

4 fifty-one of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and  
5 eleven and acts in amendment and addition thereto, the  
6 amount shall not exceed the sum of fourteen dollars per  
7 week.

1 SECTION 3. Section four of Part II of said chapter  
2 seven hundred and fifty-one of the acts of the year  
3 nineteen hundred and eleven and all other acts and parts  
4 of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.



