

(6.) The payment of a check-weigher appointed by the persons employed in a mine shall be a charge upon every miner employed in such mine and hewing coal by weight in the said mine, and may be recovered from any such miner.

Payment of check-weigher.

5 82. If the persons employed in a mine are paid by the measure or gauge of the material gotten by them, the provisions of the last preceding section shall apply in like manner as if the term "weighing" included measuring and gauging, and the terms relating to weighing shall be construed accordingly.

Where persons employed are paid by measure or gauge.

1891, No. 46, sec. 73

10 83. "The Weights and Measures Act, 1903," shall apply to the weights and machines used in or at any mine for weighing mineral; and the Inspector shall, once at least in every three months, without unnecessarily impeding or interrupting the working of the mine, inspect and examine in manner directed by the said Act the weighing-machines and weights so used, or the measures or gauges used at or in such mines in lieu of weights.

Weights and Measures Act to apply.

Ibid, sec. 74

20 84. (1.) If any mine is worked, and through the default of the owner or agent thereof special or additional rules have not been established for the same according to the provisions of this Act, or the general, special, or additional rules have not been hung up or affixed, or have not after obliteration or destruction been renewed or restored, or if any of such general, special, or additional rules which ought to have been observed by the owner or agent of such mine are neglected or wilfully violated by any such owner or agent, such person shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds; and also

Penalties for offences by owner or agent of mines with respect to general, special, or additional rules.

Ibid, sec. 75

30 (2.) In case the default or neglect is not remedied with all reasonable despatch after notice in writing thereof given by the Inspector to the owner or agent of such mine, such person shall be liable to a further penalty of one pound for every day during which the offence continues after such notice.

(3.) In default of payment of any such penalty, such person shall be liable to be imprisoned for any period not exceeding one month.

35 85. Every person, other than as mentioned in the *last preceding* section, whether or not employed in or about any mine, who neglects or wilfully violates any of the special or additional rules established for such mine shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds, or, in default of payment, to be imprisoned for any period not exceeding one month.

Penalty for offences against rules by other persons.

Ibid, sec. 76

40 86. Every person who wilfully obstructs any Inspector in the execution of this Act, and every owner, agent, or manager of any mine who refuses or neglects to make or produce as hereinbefore required a plan of the workings of the mine, or to furnish the means necessary for making any entry, inspection, examination, or inquiry under this Act, shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

Penalty for obstructing Inspector.

Ibid, sec. 77

87. Every person who wilfully pulls down, injures, or defaces any notice hung up or affixed as required by this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Act.

Defacing notices.

Ibid, sec. 78

50 88. Every person employed in or about a mine, other than an owner, agent, or manager, who is guilty of an act or omission which in the case of an owner, agent, or manager would be an offence against this Act, shall be deemed to be guilty of an offence against this Act.

Anything which is an offence if done by owner, agent, or manager of mine is an offence if done by miner in that mine.

Ibid, sec. 79