

CONTINUAL CARELESSNESS CAUSES CASUALTIES

SAFETY DEPARTMENT

TALLASSEE
HINK SAFETY

POWER
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Safety Fables

Once upon a time there was a Circular Saw which was Very Dull. The Workman who used the Saw was also Dull, or he would have asked to have it sharpened. The Foreman was Dull, because he did not Instruct the Workman. The Master Mechanic was Dull, because he did not get after the Foreman. It was quite a Dull Outfit all around.

The Saw also did not have much Set. But the Workman and the Foreman were Very Set. In fact they were Sot. They Knew All About Saws, and no ding-sizzled son-of-a-prairie-dog Safety Inspector could Tell them anything. Not by a Dam Site.

The Saw was so Dull that when the Workman pushed a Plank through it was like pushing a Lawn Mower through a Hay field. But he didn't care—he was working by the Day. And the Foreman thought that the more the men Sweat, the better Boss he was.

So the Workman Kept on Pushing. He pushed so hard that once in a while he Slipped and Cut his Hand. Once he cut off Part of a Finger. He hung around the House for a Month till it got Well, while his wife Stood Off the Grocer and the Landlord. Afterward he Displayed the Stump as if it had been a Lodge Button. The poor nut didn't Know that a man Minus Fingers is sometimes Minus Brains.

One day when the Dull Saw had no Set left at all, it Kicked Back—as even a patient Mule will do if you Crowd him Too Hard. A Short Block hit the Man like Babe Ruth hits the Ball, and Knocked him for a Row of Brick Dog-houses. After Sailing around the Starry Skies for awhile, he came To in the Hospital, and heard the Doctor say:

“Fortunately it Hit him in the Head, where it couldn't do much Damage.”

When the Master Mechanic Saw the Saw, which had about as much Cutting Edge as a Phonograph Record, he also Came To. What he said to the Foreman will never be printed in the *Ladies' Home Journal*. The Last Words were (in substance):

“Get it Filed and Set—See? Before tomorrow morning—See? And if you ain't got a man that Knows how to file a saw Right, GET ONE—SEE?”

A week later the Foreman said to the Master Mechanic:

“Funny thing about that Saw. Since we had it Sharpened we get out Fifty per Cent. more work, even with a Green Man.”

Moral: It takes a Lot to Wake some People Up.

Safety Slogans

The House on The Sand

The foundations were laid by Ignorance, the bricks were cemented with blood by Carelessness, the supports were installed by Recklessness, and the decorations were by Thoughtlessness.

Do you live in this house?

Most men crippled in business have a lame excuse, has been quoted by some attorneys as the truth; but what is the use of being crippled when you can be safe?

Training is everything. The peach was once a bitter almond; cauliflower is “Cabbage with a College Education.”

In office, bank, factory, on the railroad, or in the plant, the most able man is the careful man.

Safety is the cornerstone of efficiency; the more Safety, the less worry, the greater efficiency.

Some men don't believe in Safety devices—they get faith through sad experience.

Do not take short cuts over or through dangerous places. Take time to be safe.

Acquire the Safety habit—it is the only habit that will never hurt you.

Let one accident prevent another. Profit by the experience of others.

Don't doubt your Safety beliefs, and don't believe your Safety doubts.

If my foreman told me I was careless, What would I do? Get Mad?

November Accidents

The following tabulation shows the number of Lost Time Accidents which occurred throughout the Plant during the Month of November, 1920.

Aluminum Plant

	Lost Time Accidents	Days Lost
Pot Room No. 22	1	19
Pot Room No. 24	0	0
Pot Room No. 26	1	4
Pot Room No. 28	0	0
Pot Room No. 32	1	8
Pot Room No. 34	1	3
Pot Room No. 36	1	9
Pot Room No. 38	1	4
Pot Room Tappers	0	0
Rodding Department	1	7
Pot Lining Department	1	8
Metal Loading Department	0	0
Re-Melting Department	0	0
Unloading Ore	0	0
Cleaning and Sweeping	0	0

Carbon Plant

R. E. Lee	0	0
A. D. Howell	0	0
G. E. Biddix	0	0
W. R. Young	0	0

Electrical Department

Rotary Station	0	0
Power Houses	0	0
Motor Repair Shop	0	0
Miscellaneous Electrical	0	0

Machine Shop

E. N. Evans	0	0
M. S. Ragsdale	0	0
T. L. Chambers	0	0
Geo. Holt	0	0

Narrows Construction Department

Store Room	0	0
Reclamation Department	0	0
Planing Mill	0	0
Traffic Department	0	0

Total of Entire Plant 9 66

Safety First means a clear mind, a steady hand, and quick action in emergencies.