An Act

To regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. No minor under the age of eighteen years nor any woman under twenty-one years shall be employed at labor in any manufacturing establishment in this State for a longer period than sixty hours in any one week, unless for the purpose of making necessary repairs.

§ 2. No child under thirteen years of age shall be employed in any manufacturing establishment, and every child under sixteen years of age when so employed shall be recorded by name in a book kept for the purpose, and a certificate duly verified by its parent or guardian, or if the child shall have no parent or guardian then by such child stating age and place of birth of such child, shall be kept on file by the employer, which book and which certificate shall be produced by him or his agent at the requirement of the proper inspector.

§ 3. Every person, firm or corporation employing women under twenty one years, or minors under eighteen years of age, in any manufacturing establishment, shall post and keep posted in a conspicuous place in every room where such help is employed, a printed notice stating the number of hours per day for each day of the week required of such persons, and in every room where children under sixteen years of age are employed, a list of their names with their age.

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This Act, having been Approved by the Governor on the 18th day of May 1886, I hereby certify that the same became a law on that day.

Frederick Cook
Secretary of State.