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Factories and Shops Acts.

REGULATION OF BOOT AND SHOE DEALERS' SHOPS IN THE SHIRE OF MALVERN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the fifth day of December, 1900.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Peacock	Mr. Gurr
Mr. Trenwith	Mr. Phillips
Mr. Duggan	Mr. Gillott.
Mr. Burton	

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Acts it is enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations to have effect within any specified municipal district or any specified part of such district for, amongst other things, permitting shops of any particular class not included in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1890* to keep open after the hours mentioned in the said Factories and Shops Acts, provided a petition shall have been previously addressed to the Governor in Council and forwarded to the Minister, certified to by the municipal clerk as having been signed by a majority of the shopkeepers keeping shops of such class within such district: And whereas a petition has been so addressed and forwarded praying that in the Municipal District of the Shire of Malvern all boot and shoe dealers shops (such shops being shops not included in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1890* aforesaid) may be permitted to keep open until Eight o'clock on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday in each week: And whereas such petition has been certified to by the municipal clerk of the said district as having been signed by a majority of the shopkeepers keeping shops of such class to be affected within the said part of the said district: Now therefore His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth by this Order make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

It shall be lawful for the shop of any boot and shoe dealer within the Municipal District of the Shire of Malvern to keep open on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday in each week from Seven o'clock until Eight o'clock.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

No. 123.—DECEMBER 10, 1900.—1.

Factories and Shops Acts.

REGULATION OF DRAPERS' SHOPS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENSCLIFF.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the fifth day of December, 1900.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Peacock	Mr. Gurr
Mr. Trenwith	Mr. Phillips
Mr. Duggan	Mr. Gillott.
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WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Acts it is enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations to have effect within any specified municipal district or any specified part of such district for, amongst other things, permitting shops of any particular class not included in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1890* to keep open after the hours mentioned in the said Factories and Shops Acts, provided a petition shall have been previously addressed to the Governor in Council and forwarded to the Minister, certified to by the municipal clerk as having been signed by a majority of the shopkeepers keeping shops of such class within such district: And whereas a petition has been so addressed and forwarded praying that in the Municipal District of the Borough of Queenscliff all drapers shops (such shops being shops not included in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1890* aforesaid) may be permitted to keep open until Nine o'clock in the evening on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday in each week: And whereas such petition has been certified to by the municipal clerk of the said district as having been signed by a majority of the shopkeepers keeping shops of such class within such district: Now therefore His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

It shall be lawful for the shop of any draper within the Municipal District of the Borough of Queenscliff to keep open on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday in each week from Seven o'clock until Nine o'clock.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE BUTCHERS BOARD.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts, the Special Board appointed to determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons employed in the process trade or business of a butcher or seller of meat or maker or seller of small goods has made the following determination, namely :—

(1) That the lowest rates of wages to be paid to the following classes of persons employed in the process trade or business of a butcher or seller of meat or maker or seller of small goods shall be—

Men engaged for not less than 36 hours per week in serving customers, or cutting orders, or cutting up meat, or as smallgoods men—55s. per week of 52 hours.

Foremen slaughtermen, or tacklemen—60s. per week of 48 hours.

Other slaughtermen—50s. per week of 48 hours.

Men employed in the freezing chamber in connexion with a butchers shop—1s. per hour, or 52s. per week of 52 hours.

General butchers, meaning men not already provided for, engaged in cutting and delivering orders, or scalding, or salting, or occasionally slaughtering, or as assistant smallgoods men, or as occasional shopmen—45s. per week of 52 hours.

Men delivering orders but who do not cut any meat—30s. per week of 52 hours.

Beef carters driving two horses, and lorrymen driving two horses—45s. per week of 60 hours.

Other carters—37s. 6d. per week of 60 hours.

APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.

Number.

(2) That the number of apprentices or improvers who may be employed within any factory or work-room or shop or place shall be one apprentice or improver to every three persons or fraction of three persons engaged in the process trade or business of a butcher or seller of meat or maker or seller of small goods, and receiving not less than 40s. per week.

APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS (OTHER THAN APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS IN A SLAUGHTERHOUSE).

Wages.

(3) That the lowest prices or rates of pay payable to apprentices or improvers engaged in the process trade or business of a butcher or seller of meat or maker or seller of small goods shall be as follow :—

For the 1st year's experience	6s. per week of 52 hours
" 2nd "	"	"	...	10s. " " "
" 3rd "	"	"	...	15s. " " "
" 4th "	"	"	...	20s. " " "
" 5th "	"	"	...	27s. 6d. " " "
" 6th "	"	"	...	35s. " " "

and thereafter the minimum wage.

APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS IN A SLAUGHTER-HOUSE.

Wages.

(4) That the lowest prices or rates of pay payable to apprentices or improvers engaged in a slaughter-house shall be as follow :—

For the 1st year's experience	7s. 6d. per week of 48 hours
" 2nd "	"	"	...	12s. 6d. " " "
" 3rd "	"	"	...	17s. 6d. " " "
" 4th "	"	"	...	25s. " " "
" 5th "	"	"	...	35s. " " "
" 6th "	"	"	...	45s. " " "

and thereafter the minimum wage.

PIECE-WORK.

(5) That the lowest piece-work price or rate to be paid for slaughtering sheep or lambs shall be Twenty shillings per hundred.

OVERTIME.

(6) That any male employé over the age of sixteen years engaged in the process trade or business of a butcher or seller of meat or maker or seller of small goods who works for any time in excess of the maximum number of hours fixed by the Board shall be paid for such extra time at the rate of time and a quarter.

(7) That the above determination shall come into force from the 1st January, 1901.

6th December, 1900.

F. H. BOLTON,
Chairman.