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Factories and Shops Act.

DETERMINATION OF THE DISPENSARIES BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination on the 1st March, 1918, applied to the following parts of Victoria, viz.:—The Metropolitan District as defined in the Factories and Shops Acts, the Cities of Ballarat, Bendigo, and Geelong; the Towns of Ballarat East and Warrnambool; and the Boroughs of Eaglehawk, Geelong West, Newtown and Chilwell, and Sebastopol.

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 persons employed in dispensing, compounding or selling medicines, drugs, or medicinal preparations in a Friendly Society's or Hospital Dispensary has made the following Determination, namely:—

(1) That this Determination shall be operative on and after the 1st day of March, 1918.

(2) Apprentices or Improvers.				Other Employees.			
WAGES.				WAGES.			
			Per week of 44 hours.				Per week of 44 hours.
1st six months' experience	...	...	10s.	Head Dispenser or Dispenser in Charge	...	...	110s.
2nd " " "	...	...	15s.	Assistants	...	...	90s.
3rd " " "	...	...	20s.				
4th " " "	...	...	25s.				
5th " " "	...	...	30s.				
6th " " "	...	...	35s.				
7th " " "	...	...	40s.				
8th " " "	...	...	50s.				

PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).

Apprentices.

One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 90s. per week.

Improvers.

One improver to every ten or fraction of ten workers receiving not less than 90s. per week.

(3) TIMES OF BEGINNING AND ENDING WORK:—

In a Friendly Society's Dispensary—

Times of Beginning.	Times of Ending.	
9.30 a.m.	7.30 p.m.	on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.
9.30 a.m.	8 p.m.	on Friday.
9.30 a.m.	1 p.m.	on Saturday.

In a Hospital Dispensary—

Times of Beginning.	Times of Ending.	
9 a.m.	6 p.m.	on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.
9 a.m.	1 p.m.	on Saturday.

(4) OVERTIME.—The following rates shall be paid for all work done:—

Outside the times of beginning and ending work ...

Within the times of beginning and ending work, in excess of 44 hours in any week ... } Time and a half.

(5) CASUAL LABOUR.—Any person casually employed during any week for not more than 22 hours shall be paid at the rate of time and a half.

(6) SPECIAL RATES.—Time and a half shall be the special rate for all work done on Sundays, New Year's Day, Foundation Day (26th January), Good Friday, Easter Monday, Christmas Day, and Boxing Day; but if any other day be by Act of Parliament or Proclamation substituted for any of the above-named holidays, then the special rate shall be payable only for the day so substituted.

W. W. HARRIS,
Chairman.

Melbourne, 1st February, 1918.

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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE OPTICIANS BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination on the 22nd February, 1918, applied to the following parts of Victoria, namely:—The Metropolitan District as defined in the Factories and Shops Acts, the Cities of Ballarat, Bendigo, and Geelong, the Towns of Ballarat East and Warrnambool, and the Boroughs of Eaglehawk, Geelong West, Newtown and Chilwell, and Sebastopol.

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 persons employed in manufacturing or mounting optical lenses or their frames, has made the following Determination, namely:—

(1) That on the 22nd February, 1918, the previous Determination of this Board shall be revoked and replaced by this Determination.

(2) Apprentices.	Improvers.	Other Employees.
WAGES.	WAGES.	WAGES.
Per week of 46½ hours.	Per week of 46½ hours.	Per week of 46½ hours.
1st year ... 10s. 2nd year ... 15s. 3rd year ... 20s. 4th year ... 25s. 5th year ... 35s. 6th year ... 50s.	1st year— 1st 6 months ... 10s. 2nd 6 months ... 12s. 6d. 2nd year ... 17s. 6d. 3rd year ... 22s. 6d. 4th year ... 30s. 5th year ... 40s. 6th year ... 55s.	Foreman, i.e., man in charge of three or more employees ... 80s. Optical workers and repairers ... 72s.
PROPORTION (in any factory, shop, or place).	PROPORTION (in any factory, shop, or place).	
One apprentice to every two or fraction of two workers receiving not less than 72s. per week of 46½ hours.	One improver to every two workers, receiving not less than 72s. per week of 46½ hours.	
An indenture of apprenticeship prescribed was approved on 15th December, 1914.		

(3) TIME OF BEGINNING AND ENDING WORK.

Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.
8 a.m.	... 1 p.m. on the day on which the half-holiday is observed.
8 a.m.	... 6 p.m. on the other working days of the week.

(4) OVERTIME.

That the following rate shall be paid for all work done:—

- (a) Outside the hours fixed in Clause (3) ... Time and a quarter.
 (b) Within the hours fixed in Clause (3) in excess of 46½ hours in any week

(5) SPECIAL RATES. That double time shall be the special rate for all work done on Sunday, 26th January (Foundation Day), Good Friday, Easter Saturday, Easter Monday, 21st April (Eight Hours Day), King's Birthday, Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Year's Day; but, if any other day be by Act of Parliament or Proclamation substituted for any of the above-named holidays, the special rate shall only be payable for work done on the day so substituted.

F. H. BOLTON, J.P.
Chairman.

Melbourne, 29th January, 1918.

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