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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE SLATERS AND TILERS BOARD.

Note.—This Determination on the 24th September, 1920, applied to the following parts of Victoria, namely:—The Metropolitan District as defined in the Factories and Shops Acts; the cities of Ballarat, Bendigo, Geelong, and Warrnambool; the towns of Ballarat East and Sandtingham; and the boroughs of Eaglehawk, Geelong West, Newtown and Chilwell, and Sebastopol.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts, the Wages Board appointed to determine "the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons wheresoever employed in the process, trade, or business of a slater, roof-tiler, ridger, slingler, or cement tiler (other than a tiler laying verandah or flooring tiles)" has made the following Determination, namely:—

(1) That on the 24th September, 1920, the last previous Determination of this Board shall be revoked and replaced by this Determination. (2)

Apprentices.					Improvers.					Other Employees.		
		WAGES.		Per week of			Wages.		Per week of	Wages.	Per week of	
lst year 2nd ,, 3rd ,,	•	 		27a. 6d. 35s. 42s. 6d.	lst year 2nd ,, 3rd ,, 4th ,, 5th ,,	nd ,	Workers employed stripping roofs and recovering with second-hand materials All others	115s. 6d.				
PROPORTION (by any employer). Two apprentices to every five or fraction of five workers receiving at wages rates or piece-work prices not less than 107s. 3d. per week of 44 hours.					PROPORTION (by any employer). One improver to every six or fraction of six workers receiving not less than the minimum wage of 107s. 3d. per week of 44 hours.							
An indenture of apprenticeship was approved on 18th December, 1911.												

(3) Time of Beginning and Ending Work-

8 a.m. .. 8 a.m. ..

5 p.m. on five days in the week.
12 noon on the other working day of the week on which the half-holiday is locally observed.

(4) OVERTIME.—All work done outside the hours specified as the times of beginning and ending work, or for any work done within such hours in excess of 44 hours in any week, shall be paid for at the rate of time and a half.

(5) SPECIAL RATES.—Double time shall be the rate for all work done on Sunday, New Year's Day, Foundation Day (26th January), Good Friday, Easter Monday, Eight Hours Day (21st April), 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 the special rate shall only be payable for work done on the day so substituted.

(6) Percentage Perces.—That the lowest piece work prices payable to any aggred in the following highest of marks that of the holest piece work prices.

(6) PIECE-WORK PRICES.—That the lowest piece-work prices payable to any person engaged in the following kinds of work shall

Two nails, 7s. 10d. per 100 square fect, slater's measurement. Three nails, 9s. 6d. "," "," 6d. per 100 square feet more for every size smaller. Slating, 20" x 10", and larger 7s. 6d. per 100 square feet, tiler's measurement. Terra Cotta Tiling Ridging extra. 9s. per 100 square feet, tiler's measurement. Cement Tiling ... Ridging extra. On slate roofs, hipping, 3d. per foot.

", ", crest, 4d. ", For buildings of more than one story Fixing Tile or Cement Ridging On tile roofs, hipping, 4d. On iron roofs, hipping 4d. ". ,, ", crest, 5d. ", ld. per foot extra for each story after the first. Nailed, 9d. per foot. For buildings of more than one story Mitring hips on slate roofs Screwed, 1s. per foot.

(7) DEFINITION .-- Slater's or tiler's measurement is the net square measurement of the roof with I square foot extra for every lineal foot of eaves, hips, valleys, gutters, and gables.

E. NOTLEY MOORE, P.M. Chairman

W. L. HARRINGTON,

Melbourne, 25th August, 1920.

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