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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE WATCHMAKERS BOARD.

NOTE (i).—By proclamation issued by the Governor in Council on the 26th October, 1948, the trade of 'watch and clock making' was proclaimed an apprenticeship trade under the Apprenticeship Acts throughout the metropolitan district. By a further proclamation dated the 22nd March, 1949, such proclamation was varied by the substitution of the words:—'Clock making, watch making, watch and clock making' for the words 'watch and clock making.'

NOTE (ii).—This Determination applies to the whole of the State of Victoria.

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 employed in the process, trade, business, or occupation of a watch or clock maker (including repairers)" has made the following Determination, namely:—

1. That as from the 1st April, 1951, clauses 6 of the Determination of this Board published in *Government Gazette* No. 133 of the 6th February, 1951, shall be amended to read:—

HOLIDAYS.

6. (a) Employees shall be entitled to the following public holidays without loss of pay as regards employees on weekly hiring:—New Year's Day, Australia Day, Good Friday, Easter Saturday, Easter Monday, King's Birthday, 9th May, 1951, 13th November, 1951, Labour Day, Anzac Day, Christmas Day, and Boxing Day, or such other day as is generally observed in the locality as a substitute for any of the said days respectively. Should the 25th December in any year occur on a Sunday the following Monday and Tuesday shall, for the purposes of this Determination, be deemed to be Christmas Day and Boxing Day respectively. Likewise should the 1st January in any year occur on a Sunday the following Monday shall be deemed to be New Year's Day.

By agreement between any employer and his employees, other days may be substituted for the said days or any of them as to such employer's undertaking.

(b) An employee engaged on piece-work shall be paid for such holidays at the appropriate time rate of pay.

A. V. BARNES, J.P., Chairman.

J. W. RYAN, Secretary.

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