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Factories and Shops Acts.

D E T E R M I N A T I O N O F T H E E N G R A V E R S B O A R D .

I N 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 an engraver or die-sinker, has made the following determination, namely :—

W A G E S .

That the lowest prices or rates to be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons employed in the process, trade, or business of an engraver or die-sinker shall be—

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| Copper-plate engraver | | 80s. | per week of 48 hours |
| Jewellers' ornamental engraver | | 60s. | " " |
| Engraver of monograms, inscriptions, crests, and coats of arms on silver, gold, plated ware, and fancy goods | ... .. | 70s. | " " |
| Process engraver's line etcher | ... .. | 60s. | " " |
| " half-tone etcher | ... .. | 80s. | " " |
| " artist | ... .. | 60s. | " " |
| " negative maker | ... .. | 80s. | " " |
| " router | ... .. | 60s. | " " |
| " printer | ... .. | 50s. | " " |
| " mounter (under 21 years) | ... .. | 10s. | " " |
| " " (over 21 years) | ... .. | 25s. | " " |
| Brass, plate, and stencil plate engraver | ... .. | 55s. | " " |
| Engravers, not otherwise provided for | ... .. | 60s. | " " |
| Engravers' carpenter | ... .. | 40s. | " " |
| Youths, other than Apprentices or Im- provers (under 21 years of age) employed in polishing, dipping, and cleaning | ... .. | 7s. 6d. | " " |
| Labourer (over 21 years of age) | ... .. | 25s. | " " |

A P P R E N T I C E S O R I M P R O V E R S .

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 six persons, or fraction thereof, engaged in the process, trade, or business of an engraver or die-sinker, and receiving not less than the minimum wage of 40s. per week.

That the lowest price or rates of payment payable to apprentices employed in the process, trade, or business of engraver or die-sinker shall be as follows :—

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| For the 1st year's experience | | 5s. | per week of 48 hours. |
| " 2nd | | 7s. 6d. | " " |
| " 3rd | | 10s. | " " |
| " 4th | | 12s. 6d. | " " |
| " 5th | | 15s. | " " |
| " 6th | | 17s. 6d. | " " |
| " 7th | | 20s. | " " |

and thereafter the minimum wage fixed by the Board.

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| Masonic Emblems—Past Masters' jewels | 4 | 6 per set |
| Bread Forks—Metal, sprayed | 3 | 0 per doz. |
| Buckles—Metal | 4 | 0 " |
| " Silver | 2 | 0 each |
| " Silver, pierced | 5 | 0 " |
| Serviette Rings—Soft metal | 1 | 6 per doz. |
| " " Hard metal | 4 | 0 " |
| " " Silver | 15 | 0 " |

PIECE-WORK RATES.

INSCRIPTION WORK.

Knives, Forks, and Spoons.

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| 1 letter, in cipher | 2s. per dozen articles up to 2 dozen, and thereafter | 1s. 6d. per dozen |
| 2 letters " | 3s. " " 2 " " | 2s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | 4s. " " 2 " " | 3s. 6d. " |
| 1 letter, Old English | 2s. " " 2 " " | 1s. 6d. " |
| 2 letters " | 3s. 6d. " " 2 " " | 3s. " |
| 3 " " | 4s. 6d. " " 2 " " | 4s. " |
| 1 letter, leaf cipher | 3s. " " 2 " " | 2s. 6d. " |
| 2 letters " | 5s. " " 2 " " | 4s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | 6s. " " 2 " " | 5s. 6d. " |
| 2 letter monogram | 7s. " " 2 " " | 6s. " |
| 3 " " | 8s. 6d. " " 2 " " | 7s. 6d. " |
| Crest | 8s. " " 2 " " | 7s. " |
| Crest and motto | 13s. 6d. " " 2 " " | 12s. 6d. " |
| Names | 5s. per 100 letters. | |
| Ivory handle or mother of pearl | 6d. per dozen extra. | |

Tea and Coffee Sets and Articles of Similar Sizes.

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| 1 letter, in cipher | 1s. each article |
| 2 letters, in cipher | 1s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | 2s. " |
| 1 letter, in Old English or ornamental cipher | 1s. 3d. " |
| 2 letters " " | 1s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | 2s. " |
| 2 letter monogram | 2s. " |
| 3 " " | 2s. 6d. " |
| Crest, single | 2s. 6d. " |
| Crest on over 4 pieces | 2s. " |
| Crest and motto | 3s. 6d. " |
| Crest and motto on over 4 pieces | 3s. " |
| Inscription work | 6s. per 100 letters |

Dish Covers, Small Salvers, and Articles of Similar Sizes.

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| 1 letter, plain cipher | 1s. 6d. each article |
| 2 letters " | 2s. " |
| 3 " " | 2s. 6d. " |
| 1 letter, Old English or ornamental cipher | 2s. " |
| 2 letters " " | 3s. " |
| 3 " " | 4s. " |
| 2 letter, monogram | 4s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | 5s. 6d. " |
| Crest | 4s. " |
| Crest and motto | 6s. " |
| Names | 2s. " |
| Inscription work | 8s. per 100 letters |

Large Salvers.

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| 1 letter, plain cipher | 2s. 6d. each article |
| 2 letters " | 3s. " |
| 3 " " | 3s. 6d. " |
| 1 letter, ornamental cipher | 3s. " |
| 2 letters " " | 4s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | 5s. 6d. " |
| 2 letter monogram | 4s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | 6s. 6d. " |
| Names | 3s. " |
| Inscription work | 12s. 6d. per 100 letters |

Medals—Silver.

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| 5s. per 100 letters up to 200, and thereafter | 4s. per 100 letters |
| Initial and cipher letters | 3d. per letter |
| 2 letter monogram | 9d. each article |
| 3 " " | 1s. 3d. " |

Medals—Gold.

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| 5s. 6d. per 100 letters up to 200, and thereafter | 4s. 6d. per 100 letters |
| Initial cipher letters | 3d. each letter |
| 2 letter monogram | 1s. " article |
| 3 " " | 1s. 6d. " " |

Links, Solitaires, and Similar Articles.

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| Plain cipher letters | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3d. each letter |
| Old English or ornamental cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4d. " |
| 2 letter monogram | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 3d. per monogram |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 6d. " |
| Crest | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. each crest |
| Crest and motto | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3s. " " and motto |

Match Boxes, Sovereign Purses, Watches, Silver-mounted Purses, or Similar Articles, on Shield or Space.

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| Plain cipher letter | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3d. each letter |
| Old English or ornamental cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4d. " |
| 2 letter monogram | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. per monogram |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 6d. " |
| Crest | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 6d. each crest |
| Crest and motto | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. 6d. " " and motto |

Match Boxes, Sovereign Purses, Watches, Silver-mounted Purses, or Similar Articles, Plain.

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| Plain cipher letter | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8d. each letter |
| Old English or ornamental cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10d. " |
| 2 letter monogram | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. " monogram |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3s. " " |
| Crest | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. " crest |
| Crest and motto | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3s. " " and motto |
| Names | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. " article |
| Inscription work | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6s. per 100 letters |

Gold Watches, on Shield, or Space.

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| 1 letter, plain cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6d. each article |
| 2 letters " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9d. " |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. " |
| 1 letter, Old English or ornamental cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8d. " |
| 2 letters " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. " |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 3d. " |
| 2 letter monogram | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. " |
| Crest | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. " |
| Crest and motto | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3s. " |

Ladies' Gold Watches—Plain Case.

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| 1 letter, plain cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 6d. each article |
| 2 letters " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3s. 6d. " |
| 1 letter, Old English or ornamental cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. " |
| 2 letters " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3s. " |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4s. " |
| 2 letter monogram | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6s. " |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8s. 6d. " |
| Crest | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6s. " |
| Crest and motto | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8s. 6d. " |

Gents' Gold Watches—Plain Case.

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| 1 letter, plain cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. each article |
| 2 letters " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4s. 6d. " |
| 1 letter, Old English or ornamental cipher | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2s. 6d. " |
| 2 letters " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3s. 6d. " |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5s. " |
| 2 letter monogram | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8s. each |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10s. " |
| Crest | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8s. " |
| Crest and motto | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10s. " |

Gold Rings, Brooches, and Similar Articles.

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| Plain cipher letters | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3d. each |
| Old English or ornamental block initials | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4d. per letter |
| " " name | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3d. " |
| 2 letter monogram | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 3d. each |
| 3 " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 6d. " |

Travelling Bags or Similar Articles.

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| Names | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1s. 6d. each |
| Initials | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6d. per letter |

Inscriptions on articles not enumerated, 5s. per 100 letters.

That this Determination shall come into force on and after the 1st July, 1901.

13th April, 1901.

THOMAS PALMER,
Chairman.

SPECIAL BOARDS UNDER THE FACTORIES AND SHOPS ACTS.—RESIGNATIONS OF MEMBERS.

THE Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Victoria in Council has, by an Order made on the 30th day of April, 1901, accepted the resignations by

THOMAS AMBLER,
JOHN F. CANE,
DAVID GIBB,
ALEXANDER GRANT, and
C. H. SMITH

of their offices of Members (Representatives of Employers) of the Fellmongers Board constituted under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts, and of

JOHN EDWARD ASHLEY,
FRANK CHADWICK,
MARCUS EDWARD COLLINS,
WALTER GAUNT, and
GODFREY HIRST

of their offices as Members (Representatives of Employers) of the Woollen Trade Board constituted under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 30th April, 1901.

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