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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE MARINE STORES 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, business, or occupation of a marine store dealer or a dealer in old metals or bottles, has made the following Determination, namely:—

1. That this Determination shall come into force and be operative on the 28th day of October, 1911.

WAGES.

2. That the lowest rates of wages to be paid to the following persons shall be—

Foreman or Buyer, <i>i.e.</i> , an employé who buys goods brought to the store by collectors or others, or has charge of store	50s. per week of 50 hours
Bottlewasher, <i>i.e.</i> , an employé who washes, brushes, rinses, or crates bottles	45s. " "
General Hand	42s. " "
Casual Hand, <i>i.e.</i> , a person employed 3 days or less per week	1s. per hour

APPRENTICES.

NUMBER.

3. That the number of apprentices who may be employed within any factory or work-room or shop or place shall be one apprentice for every three workers or fraction of three workers employed in the process, trade, business, or occupation specified above, and receiving not less than the minimum wage of 42s. per week of 50 hours.

IMPROVERS.

NUMBER.

4. That the number of improvers who may be employed within any factory, or work-room, or shop, or place, shall be—

One improver to the first three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 42s. per week of 50 hours, and thereafter one improver to every three such additional workers.

APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.

Wages.

16 years of age	15s. per week of 50 hours
17 " "	17s. 6d. " "
18 " "	25s. " "
19 " "	30s. " "
20 " "	36s. " "

5. TIME OF BEGINNING AND ENDING WORK.

7.30 a.m. 5.30 p.m. on each of 5 days in the week ;
and 7.30 a.m. 12.30 p.m. on Saturday.

6. OVERTIME.

(a) Any person who is engaged outside the hours specified in Clause 5 of this Determination as the times of beginning and ending work shall be paid for such overtime at the wages rate of time and a half.

(b) That if within the hours of beginning and ending work any person works more than 50 hours in any week he shall be paid at the rate of time and a half for the extra time so worked.

7. SPECIAL RATES FOR SUNDAYS AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

That the special prices or rates of payment payable to any person for all work done on—

(a) Sundays ;

(b) On the undermentioned public holidays (that is to say)—

Good Friday

Easter Monday

New Year's Day

The 26th day of January

The 21st day of April

Christmas Day

Boxing Day

} or such other day as may be observed as a Public Holiday
in lieu thereof,

shall be at the wages rate of double time.

Dated at Melbourne this 22nd day of September, 1911.

FRANCIS REDDIN,
Chairman.