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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE POTTERY TRADE BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination on the 11th September, 1919, applied to 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 Sandringham; the boroughs of Eaglehawk, Geelong West, Newtown and Chilwell, Sebastopol, and Oakleigh; the shires of Braybrook, Frankston and Hastings, Lilydale, Moorabbin, and Mulgrave, and such portions of the shire of Nunawading as are not included in the Metropolitan District.

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, or business of pottery-making, including the making of tiles and of drain and glazed pipes, and the clay digging in connexion therewith, has made the following Determination, namely:—

(1) That on the 11th September, 1919, the last previous Determination of this Board shall be revoked and replaced by this Determination.

(2) Apprentices and Improvers.							All Other Employees.		
WAGES PER WEEK OF 48 HOURS.							WAGES.		
<i>Male Apprentices and Improvers.</i>							ALL DEPARTMENTS.		
							Wages.	Hours Per Week.	
Under 15 years of age						s. d.			
15 years of age						12 6			
16 "						14 6			
17 "						19 0			
18 "						23 6			
19 "						32 0			
20 "						38 0			
						45 6			
<i>Female Apprentices and Improvers.</i>									
Commencing Age.									
	15 years or under.	16 years.	17 years.	18 years.	19 years.	20 years.			
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.			
1st 6 months	12 0	14 0	17 0	20 0	23 0	26 0			
2nd "	15 0	17 0	20 0	23 0	26 0	29 0			
2nd year	17 0	20 0	23 0	26 0	29 0				
3rd "	20 0	23 0	26 0	29 0					
4th "	23 0	26 0	29 0						
5th "	26 0	29 0							
6th "	29 0								
PROPORTION (in any factory or place).									
<i>Apprentices.</i>									
One male apprentice to every two or fraction of two male workers receiving not less than 63s. per week of 48 hours.									
One female apprentice to every two or fraction of two female workers receiving not less than 32s. per week of 48 hours.									
<i>Improvers.</i>									
Three male improvers to every four or fraction of four male workers receiving not less than 63s. per week of 48 hours.									
Three female improvers to every female worker receiving not less than 32s. per week of 48 hours.									
							MALES.		
							Per Week of 48 Hours.		
							s. d.	s. d.	
<i>Glazed Pipes and Salt-glazed Ware.</i>									
Flanger							72	0	
Man in charge of plunge							66	6	
Pressers or setters							66	0	
Junction sticker							65	0	
Head drawer							64	0	
All others (except burners and mouldmakers)							63	0	
<i>Dust Tile Making.</i>									
Leading hand slip making							65	0	
Head placer inside a kiln							64	0	
Man boring or using explosives							64	0	
Man dipping tiles and in charge of dipping room							64	0	
Man hand-pressing dust tiles with 6-in. press							64	0	
Head packer							64	0	
All others (except burners and mouldmakers)							63	0	
<i>General Pottery.</i>									
Sanitary ware presser							67	0	
Head packer							64	0	
Leading hand slip making							65	0	
Tea-pot hand pressers							64	0	
Hollow ware presser, turner, or head dipper							64	0	
<i>Stoneware thrower—</i>									
4th year's experience							63	0	
5th "							67	0	
and thereafter							73	0	
Head placer inside a kiln							64	0	
All others (except burners and mouldmakers)							63	0	
<i>Plastic Tile and Terra-cotta Making.</i>									
Flower pot, or flower pot saucer throwers							70	0	
Facemen							66	6	
Pressers							66	6	
Vent makers or setters							65	0	
Man in charge of plunge							85	0	
Clayhole men							64	0	
All others (except burners and mouldmakers)							63	0	

(3) TIME OF BEGINNING AND ENDING WORK.—For all persons except head or assistant burners—

Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.
7 a.m.	1 p.m. on Saturdays, or the day on which the half-holiday is locally observed.
7 a.m.	5.30 p.m. on each of the other five working days of the week.

(4) OVERTIME.—(a) Any employee who within the times of beginning and ending work works for any time in excess of the maximum number of hours per week fixed by this Determination shall be paid for such extra time at the rate of time and a quarter.

(b) Any employee (other than a head or assistant burner) who works outside the hours fixed in clause 3 shall be paid for such time at the rate of time and a quarter.

(5) SPECIAL RATES.—Time and a quarter shall be the special rate of payment payable to persons employed for less than two hours on any of the following days in protecting, turning, or dressing, and thereafter time and a half; and time and a half shall be the special rate payable to all other persons except burners for all work done on the following days, namely:—Sunday, New Year's Day, the 26th of January (Foundation Day), Good Friday, Easter Monday, the 21st of April (Eight Hours Day), King's Birthday, Christmas Day, or Boxing Day; but if any other day be by Act of Parliament or Proclamation substituted for any of the abovenamed holidays, the special rate shall only be payable for work done on the day so substituted.

PIECE-WORK.

(6) That the lowest piece-work prices payable for the following kinds of work shall be:—

GLAZED PIPES AND SALT-GLAZED WARE.

Boundary traps, 6 inches	1s. 2½d. per trap
Boundary traps, 4 inches	10d. „
Gully traps (flanged)	7½d. each „
Disconnectors	7½d. „
Basins	7½d. „
Junctions	10s. 8½d. per 100

GENERAL POTTERY.

<i>Oane Bakers (Hand Pressed).</i>			<i>Pedestal Pans.</i>		
7 inches	7½d.	per dozen	Class 3	3s. 9½d.	each
8 „	10½d.	„	Class 5	4s. 4½d.	„
9 „	1s. 0½d.	„	Straight fronts—		
10 „	1s. 3½d.	„	Cane	3s. 4½d.	„
11 „	1s. 5½d.	„	White	3s. 7½d.	„
12 „	1s. 8½d.	„	All others—		
or 1s. 1½d. per dozen all round.			Cane	3s. 1½d.	„
<i>Chambers (Hand Pressed).</i>			White	3s. 4½d.	„
12's	2s. 2½d.	per dozen	<i>Tea-pot Covers (Throwing).</i>		
9's	2s. 9½d.	„	48's	2s. 1d.	per gross
6's	3s. 1½d.	„	42's	2s. 1d.	„
Fluted chambers, finishing and handling	1s. 2½d.	„	39's	2s. 1d.	„
3½d. per dozen extra to be allowed for embossed chambers.			30's	2s. 1d.	„
<i>Chambers (Jiggered).</i>			24's	2s. 7½d.	„
Jiggering	8½d.	per dozen	18's	2s. 7½d.	„
Turning	7d.	per dozen	12's	2s. 7½d.	„
Handling	7d.	per dozen	<i>Jugs (Throwing).</i>		
12's	8½d.	„	39's	7½d.	per dozen
9's	10½d.	„	38's	7½d.	„
6's	11½d.	„	30's	9½d.	„
3½d. per dozen extra to be allowed for embossed chambers.			24's	10½d.	„
<i>Bed Slippers and Bed Pans (Hand Pressed).</i>			12's	1s. 2½d.	„
Bed slippers, large and small	7s. 4½d.	per dozen	<i>Barrels.</i>		
Bed pans	7s. 4½d.	„	Barrels	3½d.	per gallon
<i>Ewers (Hand Pressed).</i>			<i>Bottles.</i>		
9's	4s. 9d.	per dozen	Acid bottles, including stopping and		
6's	5s. 0½d.	„	stamping (3 gallon)	7s. 10d.	per dozen bottles
<i>Lip Bowls (Hand Pressed).</i>			<i>Bung Jars and Demijohns.</i>		
No. 1 (11 inches or under)	1s. 11d.	per dozen	1 gallon	1s. 7½d.	per dozen
No. 2 (12 inches)	2s. 1½d.	„	2 gallon	2s. 9½d.	„
No. 3 (13 inches)	2s. 5½d.	„	3 gallon	4s. 11½d.	„
No. 4 (14 inches or over)	2s. 9½d.	„	5 gallon	10s. 11½d.	„
<i>Oval Cover Dishes, with Raised Foot (Hand Pressed).</i>			6½d. per dozen extra for handle bottles.		
7 and 8 inches	5s. 2½d.	per dozen	<i>Filter Shells.</i>		
9 and 10 inches	5s. 9½d.	„	Dripstone	3½d.	per gallon
<i>Washing or Toilet Bowls (Hand Pressed).</i>			Candles (making and shaving)	6½d.	„
Plain	2s. 5½d.	per dozen	<i>Ginger Beer and Ale Bottles.</i>		
Embossed	2s. 9½d.	„	1 gallon (screwed)	1s. 11d.	per dozen
<i>Foot Warmers (Hand Pressed).</i>			Ale bottles	7s. 10d.	per gross
Plain	5s. 0½d.	per dozen	Others	4s. 2½d.	„
Plain, with screw top	6s. 4d.	„	<i>Jars.</i>		
Embossed, with screw top	7s. 7d.	„	Squat jars—		
<i>Jam Jugs.</i>			Under 2 gallons	2½d.	per gallon
Handling jam jugs	7½d.	per dozen	2 gallons and over	2½d.	„
<i>Syrup Jars.</i>			<i>Pans.</i>		
Large	9s. 2½d.	per dozen	Bread or Cream—		
Small	6s. 10½d.	„	Not more than 1½ gallons	3½d.	per gallon
<i>Pudding Bowls.</i>			More than 1½ gallons	3½d.	„
9's	1s. 0½d.	per dozen	<i>Spittoons (Hand Pressed).</i>		
12's	9½d.	„	Large	1s. 9d.	per dozen
18's	7d.	„	Small	1s. 5½d.	„
24's	4½d.	„	<i>T'ea-pots.</i>		
<i>Jelly Moulds.</i>			42's (approximate capacity, 1 pint)	1s. 8½d.	per dozen
1, 1½, and 2 pints	2s. 3½d.	per dozen	39's („ „ 1½ pints)	1s. 8½d.	„
<i>Vases.</i>			36's („ „ 2 „)	2s. 1½d.	„
Vases	1s. 5½d.	per dozen	30's („ „ 3 „)	2s. 1½d.	„
<i>Soap Dishes.</i>			24's („ „ 4 „)	2s. 1½d.	„
3-piece soap dishes	1s. 11d.	per dozen	18's („ „ 5 „)	2s. 6½d.	„
1-piece soap dishes	1s. 0½d.	„	12's („ „ 6 „)	2s. 6½d.	„
<i>Male and Female Urinals.</i>			<i>Jugs (Hand Pressed).</i>		
Male and female urinals	4s. 7½d.	per dozen	30's	1s. 8½d.	per dozen
<i>Cottage Pans and Traps.</i>			24's	2s. 1d.	„
Cane	1s. 0½d.	each	12's	2s. 6½d.	„
White	1s. 1½d.	each			
Pans	1s. 0½d.	each			
Traps	1s. 0½d.	each			

