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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE PLASTERERS BOARD.

Note.—This Determination on the 1st December, 1920, applied 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 (other than labourers) wheresoever employed in the process, trade, or business of a plasterer," has made the following Determination, namely:—

(1) That on the 26th November, 1920, the last previous Determination of this Board shall be revoked and replaced by this Determination.

(2) Other Employees. Improvers. Apprentices. WAGES. WAGES WAGES. Per hour. Per week of 44 hours. Men employed on underground sewer or tunnel plastering 40s. .. 17s. 6d. Under 19 years of age 19 years of age 2s. 93d. 123s. 9d. 1st year's experience .. 27s. 6d. All other plasterers-2nd year's experience 20 years of age 50 a Engaged upon work distant from .. 37s. 6d. 3rd year's experience 4th year's experience ... 55s. .. 65s. their centre— 2 miles or less 2s. 6d. 110s. 5th year's experience Over 2 miles and not more than 5 miles ... 6th year's experience 112s. 9d. PROPORTION (by any employer). Over 5 miles and not more than 8 miles ... PROPORTION (by any employer). One improver to the first five Over 8 miles and not more than 12 miles workers, and thereafter one to every seven additional workers receiving not less than 110s. per week of 44 One apprentice to every three or 118s. 3d. Over 12 miles and not more than 16 miles fraction of three workers receiving not less than 110s. per week of 44 hours. 2s. 9d. hours. Over 16 miles and not more than 20 miles 126s. 6d. Over 20 miles 3s. 3 d. 145s. 9d. An indenture of apprenticeship was approved on 18th November, 1911. Foremen, i.e., employees in charge of work and who issue instructions to those under them shall be paid as above, with 6s. per week additional.

(3) Definition.—A plasterer's "centre" shall mean the Melbourne General Post Office if the plasterer resides within a radius of 20 miles therefrom, and shall in all other cases mean the chief post office of the city, town, or borough in or nearest to which the plasterer

(4) TIME OF BEGINNING AND ENDING WORK.—The time of beginning and ending work for persons (other than underground sewer or tunnel plasterers) shall be-

Time of Beginning. 12 noon on Saturday. 7.45 a.m. 7.45 a.m. 5.15 p.m. on the other working days of the week. (5) OVERTIME.—That the following rates shall be paid to-(a) Persons employed on underground sewer or tunnel plastering .. Time and a quarter. For work done in excess of 44 hours in any week (b) Persons employed on any work other than underground sewer or tunnel plastering-For work done within the hours fixed in clause 4 in excess of 44 hours in any week ... Time and a quartér. . For work done on Saturdays-Between midnight and 7.45 a.m. Between 12 noon and 5 p.m. Between 5 p.m. and midnight Double time. For work done on any other working day-Between 5.15 p.m. and 10.15 p.m. Between 10.15 p.m. and 7.45 a.m. Time and a half.

(6) 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.

E. NOTLEY MOORE. Chairman.

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