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Factories and Shops Acts.

DETERMINATION OF THE WATCHMEN'S BOARD.

NOTE.—(a) This Determination on the 21st August, 1926, applied to the following parts of Victoria, namely:—The Metropolitan District as defined in the Factories and Shops Acts; the cities of Ballarat, Bendigo, Geelong, Sandringham, and Warrnambool; the towns of Geelong West and Newtown and Chilwell; and the boroughs of Eaglehawk and Sebastopol.

(b) Section 217 of the *Factories and Shops Act* 1915 provides that "any person employed as a watchman shall be granted one holiday in every week."

IN accordance with the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts, the Wages Board appointed in lieu of the Nightwatchmen's Board to "determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons employed in the occupation of a watchman," has made the following Determination, namely:—

(1) That this Determination shall be operative on and after the 21st August, 1926.

(2)

Apprentices or Improvers.				Other Employees.			
WAGES.				WAGES.			
				Per week of 56 hours.			
1st year	..	..	37s. 6d.	Watchman who does manual work in addition to	..	..	112s. 9d.
2nd year	..	..	44s.	watching	..	..	96s. 10d.
3rd year	..	..	50s.	All others	..	..	..
NUMBER (by any employer).							
One apprentice and one improver to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 96s. 10d. per week of 56 hours.							

(3) OVERTIME.—Any time worked in excess of 56 hours in any one week shall be paid for at the rate of time and a half.

(4) CASUAL LABOUR.—Casual employees, i.e., persons employed during any week for not more than 28 hours, shall be paid at the rate of time and a half.

(5) SPECIAL RATES.—Time and a half shall be the special rate for all work done on New Year's Day, 26th January (Foundation Day), Good Friday, Easter Monday, Eight Hours Day (21st April), King's Birthday, 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.

RICHARD J. EDWARDS,
Chairman.

R. T. LITTLEJOHNS,
Secretary.

Dated at Melbourne the 6th day of August, 1926.

