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Factories and Shops Acts.

## DETERMINATION OF THE BOTTLE COVERS BOARD.

NOTE.—This Determination applies 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 employed in the trade of making bottle covers of straw" has made the following Determination, namely :—

(1) This Determination shall come into force on 8th December, 1926.

(2)

| Apprentices or Improvers. | | Other Employees. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wages per Week of 48 Hours. | | Wages per Week of 48 Hours. | |
| | s. d. | | s. d. |
| Under 17 years of age | 25 0 | Adults | 87 0 |
| 17 years of age | 33 0 | | |
| 18 years of age | 45 0 | | |
| 19 years of age | 52 6 | | |
| 20 years of age | 60 0 | | |

PROPORTION (IN ANY PLACE).

*Apprentices.*

One apprentice to every three or fraction of three adult workers.

*Improvers.*

Eight improvers to every adult worker.

| | Time of Beginning. | Time of Ending. |
|---|---|---|
| (3) TIME OF BEGINNING AND ENDING WORK | 7.30 a.m. | 12 noon on Saturday. |
| | 7.30 a.m. | 5.30 p.m. on the other working days of the week. |

(4) OVERTIME—

For work done outside the hours specified in clause 3 .. .. .. .. .. .. } Time and a half.
For work done within the hours specified in clause 3 but in excess of 48 hours in any week .. .. }

(5) SPECIAL RATES.—Time and a half shall be the rate payable for all work done on New Years Day, Foundation Day, Eight Hours Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Christmas Day, and Boxing Day.

(6) TIME RATE.—Any person employed on time wages for less than the number of hours fixed for an ordinary week's work shall for each hour worked up to one half the number of hours fixed for an ordinary week's work be paid at the ordinary wages rate with an addition of 33⅓ per cent.

(7) TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT.—Seven days' notice of termination of employment shall be given by either employer or worker, except in cases of misconduct.

(8) PIECE-WORK.—The lowest piece-work prices to be paid for the making of bottle covers of straw shall be at the rate of 5s. 3d. per thousand covers.

P. J. CONLON,
Chairman.

GEO. O'TOOLE,
Secretary.

Melbourne, 11th November, 1926.

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