

## (126.) OTAGO BOXWORKERS.—AGREEMENT.

## LOG.

THIS industrial agreement, made in pursuance of "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1900," and the amendments thereof, between the Otago Boxworkers' Industrial Union of Workers (hereinafter called "the union") and the Evening Star Company (Limited), Alliance Box Company, and the Dunedin Box-factory (hereinafter called "the employers").

The parties above mentioned do hereby agree as follows: That, as between the union and the members thereof and the employers and each of them, the terms, conditions, and provisions set out in the schedule and statement hereto and of this agreement shall be binding upon the union and the members thereof and upon the employers and each of them, and the said terms shall be deemed to be and they are hereby incorporated in and declared to form part of this agreement; and, further, the union and the members thereof and the employers and each of them shall respectively do, observe, and perform every matter and thing by this agreement and by the said terms, conditions, and provisions respectively agreed to be done, observed, and performed, and shall not do anything in contra-vention of this agreement or of the said terms, conditions, and provisions, but shall in all respects abide by and observe and perform the same.

And the parties above mentioned do hereby agree that any breach of the said terms, conditions, and provisions set out in the schedule hereto shall constitute a breach of this agreement; and the parties above mentioned do hereby further agree that this agree-ment shall take effect from the 4th day of August, 1902, and shall continue in force until the 4th day of August, 1903, or until a fresh agreement is entered into.

## STATEMENT.

1. Any work or boxes not mentioned in the foregoing log to be classified with the nearest item: Provided that if there is no item near enough to be taken as a basis, such work to be paid 6d. per hour.

2. In the event of any new line of boxes being made (in sufficient quantities to justify the work involved), the price for making such boxes may be mutually agreed upon between the union and the employers.

3. Cloth and leather work to be paid at the rate of 7d. per hour.

4. Apprentices to be paid for the first six months 5s. per week; second six months, 7s. 6d.; third six months, 10s., or, if desired by employer, piecework.

5. After having served eighteen months at the trade an apprentice shall be entitled to rank as a boxmaker and to receive not less than £1 per week, or piecework.

6. If an apprentice is taught by a boxmaker, such boxmaker shall be paid set wages.

7. The foregoing prices shall not in any way affect the wages paid for machine-work. No boxmaker to be employed on machines unless paid 6d. per hour.

8. Members of the Otago Boxworkers' Industrial Union to be employed in preference to non-members, provided there are members equally qualified with non-members to perform the work required.

9. All other persons or firms making boxes and employing boxmakers shall be brought by the union under the same conditions, as to wages and prices paid, as laid down in the foregoing log.

## THE SCHEDULE HEREINBEFORE REFERRED TO.

		Per Gross.		
		£	s.	d.
Accordeon-boxes	... ..	0	8	0
Boot-boxes—10 in., 11 in., 12 in., edged, labelled flies	... ..	0	5	9
"	9 in., " "	0	5	0
"	smaller sizes " "	0	4	6
"	10 in. upwards, plain ... ..	0	4	6
"	smaller sizes ... ..	0	4	0
"	unlabelled, 3d. less.			
Bottle-boxes—uncovered	... ..	0	3	0
"	covered, 7, 6, 6 ... ..	0	5	0
"	" smaller sizes ... ..	0	4	0
All bottles have divisions.				
"	feedings, plain, labelled ... ..	0	3	6
"	" hinged ... ..	0	4	6
"	" unlabelled, 3d. less.			
"	" edged, 1s. extra.			
"	" round, uncovered ... ..	0	2	0

				Per Gross.		
				£	s.	d.
Bulb-boxes—covered, plain ...	...	...	...	0	10	0
" uncovered ...	...	...	...	0	4	0
Broomhead-boxes—uncovered, hinged, labelled ...	...	...	...	0	2	9
" unlabeled ...	...	...	...	0	2	6
Brush-boxes—covered and labelled ...	...	...	...	0	4	0
" uncovered ...	...	...	...	0	2	6
" unlabeled, 3d. less.						
Bloomer-boxes—edged ...	...	...	...	0	9	6
" labelled tops ...	...	...	...	0	10	0
" " and ends ...	...	...	...	0	10	6
Badge-boxes—set-up lids and boxes ...	...	...	...	0	3	0
Bead-boxes—uncovered ...	...	...	...	0	0	9
" set up and covered ...	...	...	...	0	6	0
Bonbon-boxes ...	...	...	...	0	5	0
Blouse-boxes—edged ...	...	...	...	0	12	0
" plain ...	...	...	...	0	11	0
Confectionery-boxes, 2 lb. and 3 lb. ...	...	...	...	0	6	0
" " lined ...	...	...	...	0	7	0
" 4 lb. and 5 lb. ...	...	...	...	0	7	0
" " lined ...	...	...	...	0	8	0
" 7 lb. and 8 lb. ...	...	...	...	0	8	0
" " lined ...	...	...	...	0	9	0
" 9 lb. and 10 lb. ...	...	...	...	0	9	0
" " lined ...	...	...	...	0	10	6
" " divisions ...	...	...	...	0	10	0
" " lined ...	...	...	...	0	12	0
" " uncovered ...	...	...	...	0	3	0
" " laced ...	...	...	...	0	5	0
" 11 lb. to 14 lb., unlined ...	...	...	...	0	10	0
" " lined ...	...	...	...	0	12	0
Cardboard confectionery, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. and $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., plain ...	...	...	...	0	2	0
" " hinged ...	...	...	...	0	3	0
" " $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. and $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., set up... ..	...	...	...	0	3	6
" " " set up, hinged ...	...	...	...	0	4	6
" " $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., set up, hinged, lined inside lid ...	...	...	...	0	6	0
" " $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. and $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., lacing 1s. 6d. extra.						
" " 1 lb., plain, set up ...	...	...	...	0	4	0
" " " " hinged ...	...	...	...	0	5	0
" " " " " shoulders ...	...	...	...	0	6	0
" " 1 lb., lacing 1s. 6d. extra.						
" " $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., set up, flush lid ...	...	...	...	0	5	0
" " $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., " " ...	...	...	...	0	5	0
" " 2 lb., " " ...	...	...	...	0	5	0
" " " " and hinged ...	...	...	...	0	6	0
" " " " " lined inside lid ...	...	...	...	0	7	0

		Per Gross.		
		£	s.	d.
Cardboard confectionery,	2 lb., lacing 2s. extra.			
"	" 3 lb. and 4 lb., set up, edged,	0	7	0
	laced ... ..			
"	" cream lozenges, projecting top	1	0	0
	and bottom ... ..			
"	" cigar confectionery ... ..	0	6	6
"	" chuddy-boxes ... ..	0	5	6
Cap-boxes—plain,	18 x 11 x 11, upwards ... ..	0	10	0
"	" 16 x 10 x 6, " ... ..	0	8	6
"	" smaller sizes ... ..	0	7	0
"	" lathed, plain, 18 x 11 x 11, upwards	0	16	0
"	" " 16 x 10 x 10, " ... ..	0	15	0
"	" " 21 x 9 x 8, " ... ..	0	15	0
"	" smaller sizes ... ..	0	14	0
"	edging, 2s. per gross extra.			
"	no bottoms, 6d. less. No flies, 1s. less.			
Candle-boxes—laced	... ..	0	4	6
"	unlaced ... ..	0	3	6
Cigar-boxes	... ..	0	3	9
Card-cases	... ..	0	3	6
"	boxes (Christmas) ... ..	0	3	0
Cuff-boxes	... ..	0	8	6
Collar-boxes—edged	... ..	0	5	0
Cake-boxes—large	... ..	0	12	0
"	set up, hinged, laced ... ..	0	9	0
"	unhinged ... ..	0	8	0
"	unlaced, 2s. less. ... ..			
Chemise-boxes—edged	... ..	0	9	6
Cigarette-cases and trays, 1,000	... ..	0	2	6
"	only ... ..	0	1	6
Cigarette-boxes—shoulders and hinged	... ..	0	4	3
Cloth boards, 100	... ..	0	1	3
"	green edged ... ..	0	2	6
Costume-boxes—24 x 18 x 8	... ..	1	1	0
"	22 x 14 x 5, and upwards ... ..	0	18	0
"	smaller sizes ... ..	0	15	0
Dye-boxes, with blocks	... ..	0	5	0
Dental boxes, covered and block	... ..	0	5	0
Dental boxes, set up, plain	... ..	0	3	0
Doll-boxes	... ..	0	9	0
Enema-boxes	... ..	0	5	6
Envelope-boxes, wedge	... ..	0	9	0
Fur-boxes, large	... ..	1	16	0
"	small ... ..	1	10	0
Folding cartons, packets, and similar work, glueing only,	1,000			
Manila boards	... ..	0	2	6
Strawboards	... ..	0	2	0
Glueing bottoms, 3s. extra.				

				Per Gross.		
				£	s.	d.
Butter-cartons, two joins	...	...	...	0	4	6
Fuller's-earth boxes	...	...	...	0	2	6
Hose-boxes, two labels	...	...	...	0	6	0
" plain	...	...	...	0	5	0
Hat-boxes—20 x 10 x 12, lathed and edged	...	...	...	0	18	0
" " full tops	...	...	...	0	16	0
" " uncovered	...	...	...	0	7	0
" 12 x 10 x 12, edged and lathed	...	...	...	0	15	0
" " full tops	...	...	...	0	13	0
" " uncovered	...	...	...	0	6	0
" 14 x 12 x 13, edged and lathed	...	...	...	0	16	0
" " full tops	...	...	...	0	14	0
" " uncovered	...	...	...	0	6	0
" no bottoms, 6d. less. No flies, 1s. less.	...	...	...	0	5	0
Ink-powder boxes	...	...	...	0	5	0
Jewellery-boxes, edged	...	...	...	0	2	6
Jewellery-boxes, no edging	...	...	...	0	2	0
" bevelled tops and shoulders	...	...	...	0	5	6
" scarf-pin, edged	...	...	...	0	3	0
" postal, set up, plain	...	...	...	0	3	0
Liquorice-powder boxes	...	...	...	0	2	3
Muff-boxes—tops and bottoms cut	...	...	...	0	16	0
" " uncut	...	...	...	1	0	0
Millinery-boxes—lathed, 14 x 14 x 10, upwards	...	...	...	0	16	0
" " 12 x 12 x 10	...	...	...	0	14	0
" " 10 x 10 x 10	...	...	...	0	12	0
" same sizes, no laths, 2s. less.	...	...	...	0	4	0
" " uncovered	...	...	...	0	6	0
" " " with laths	...	...	...	0	18	0
" half-round millinery	...	...	...	0	18	0
Nightdress-boxes	...	...	...	0	13	0
" lathed	...	...	...	0	15	0
Necklet-boxes, 18 x 6 x 4	...	...	...	0	9	0
Oval and round hat-boxes, uncut top and bottom	...	...	...	1	8	0
" " cut top and bottom	...	...	...	1	4	0
Outers—ointment, small boxes	...	...	...	0	2	0
" " plain	...	...	...	0	3	0
" " edged	...	...	...	0	4	0
" " full tops and hinged	...	...	...	0	4	0
" " hinged and edged	...	...	...	0	5	0
" " labelling, 6d. extra.	...	...	...	0	4	6
" jelly-packets, covered	...	...	...	0	2	0
" " uncovered	...	...	...	0	2	0
" jewellery, uncovered	...	...	...	0	2	0
" laundry-glaze, hinged	...	...	...	0	2	0
" " plain	...	...	...	0	2	0
" cigarette	...	...	...	0	4	6
" confectionery, 2 doz., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. and $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.	...	...	...	0	2	0

	Per Gross.		
	£	s.	d.
Outers—confectionery, 1 doz., $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. and $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. ...	0	2	0
" wedding-cake, 2 doz. ...	0	2	0
" " 1 " ...	0	1	9
" cartridge ...	0	3	0
" standbacks, with block ...	0	4	6
" " " and division ...	0	5	6
" fuller's earth ...	0	4	6
" stationery ...	0	2	6
" prize-packets, hinged ...	0	4	0
" " " two labels ...	0	5	6
" " " plain ...	0	3	0
" labelling, 6d. extra.			
Powder-boxes—plain sides, 6 and 12 ...	0	1	9
" " 18 and 24 ...	0	2	0
" laundry-glaze, large cases, set up ...	0	2	3
" " small ...	0	1	9
" " large, hinged, shouldered ...	0	3	3
" " small, " " ...	0	2	9
" large, with divisions ...	0	7	0
" " without divisions ...	0	2	9
" putting in divisions ...	0	4	3
Pill-boxes—square ...	0	3	0
" round ...	0	3	6
Peel-boxes ...	0	8	0
Pingpong-boxes—plain ...	0	8	0
" leatherettes ...	0	10	0
" lining extra ...	0	6	0
" hinged lids, with blocks and tapes ...	1	5	0
Pipe-boxes, dozen ...	0	4	6
" uncovered ...	0	2	0
Suit-boxes, general ...	0	12	0
Starch-boxes—1 lb., uncovered, shoulders ...	0	2	0
" $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., " " " ...	0	1	10
" 1 lb., covered, " " ...	0	3	0
" $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., " " " ...	0	2	6
Spray-boxes ...	0	5	0
Sandalwood-oil (ovals) ...	0	7	6
Shortbread-boxes, round, edged, laced ...	1	2	0
" top and bottom cut ...	0	18	0
" square ...	0	6	0
" " large, $9\frac{1}{2}$ in. upwards... ...	0	9	0
Stationery-boxes—plain ...	0	3	0
" hinged lid ...	0	4	0
" drop side ...	0	4	0
" hinged lid, drop side ...	0	5	0
" full printed top, 1s. extra. ...			
" quarto and foolscap ...	0	3	0
" " drop side ...	0	4	0

	Per Gross.
	£ s. d.
Stationery-boxes—quarto and foolscap, labels and bottoms, 1s. extra.	
"    projecting top and bottom ...	0 7 6
Shirts—up to 3½ in., edged ...	0 12 0
"    "    5½ in., " ...	0 13 0
"    over 5½ in., " ...	0 14 0
"    laths, 2s. extra.	
Standback photo ...	0 4 0
Spice-boxes—cardboard, hinged lid, edged ...	0 7 0
"    wood ends or frames, edged ...	0 5 0
"    lined ends, 1s. extra.	
"    lined all round, 2s. extra.	
Seidlitz-boxes—plain ...	0 3 0
"    edged ...	0 3 6
"    hinged, plain ...	0 4 0
"    hinged and edged ...	0 4 6
"    slides ...	0 3 9
"    shoulders, 1s. extra.	
"    edging boxes, 1s. extra.	
Soap-boxes—large, hinged ...	0 6 6
"    labelling front... ...	0 8 0
"    labelling front and inside lid ...	0 8 6
"    small, laced ...	0 5 0
"    small, laced scraps ...	0 5 6
"    unlaced, 1s. 6d. less.	
Scarf-boxes—about 20 x 5 x 4, edged... ...	0 8 0
"    small, plain ...	0 6 0
Spoon-boxes, edged ...	0 5 6
Tie-boxes—card tops, 1 division ...	0 10 0
"    card tops, 2 divisions ...	0 12 0
"    glass tops, 1 division and protectors ...	0 13 0
"    glass tops, 2 divisions and protectors ...	0 15 0
"    glass tops, no protectors, 1s. less.	
"    with trays, laced ...	1 0 0
Trays—caramels ...	0 1 0
"    caramels, with divisions ...	0 1 9
Umbrella-boxes—½ doz., unlined ...	
"    lined on sides ...	
"    lined on sides and bottom ...	
"    ¼ doz., unlined ...	
"    lined on sides ...	
"    lined on sides and sides ...	
Violet-powder boxes ...	0 2 6
Veil-boxes, edged ...	0 8 0
Violin-string boxes ...	0 6 0
Wool-sample boxes ...	1 10 0
Watch-boxes, set up and edged ...	0 3 6
Wedding-cakes boxes (tin) ...	0 6 0
"    "    "    lined ...	0 9 0

			Per Gross.			
			£	s.	d.	
Wreath-boxes—up to 20 x 20 x 7, lathed	...	...	0	16	0	
"	"	unlathed	...	0	14	0
"	uncovered	...	...	0	7	0
"	larger sizes, 2s. extra.	...	...	0	8	0
Wig-boxes, hinged and edged	...	...	...	0	8	0

Signed at Dunedin, this 4th day of September, 1902.

THE EVENING STAR COMPANY (LIMITED), (Geo. Bell,  
Managing Director).

ALLIANCE BOX COMPANY (R. N. Brickell, Manager).  
DUNEDIN BOX-FACTORY (A. Prider).

Witness to the signatures—Robt. Breen.

Signed at Dunedin, on behalf of the Otago Boxworkers' Industrial Union of Workers, this 4th day of September, 1902.

C. CONDON, Secretary.

JEANNIE AULD, Treasurer.

Witness to the signatures—Robt. Breen.

#### (127.) OTAGO HOSIERY-WORKERS.—AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland Industrial District.—In the matter of “The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1900,” and of its amendment; and in the matter of an industrial dispute between the Otago Hosiery-workers' Industrial Union of Workers and the following persons, firms, and companies: namely, J. McWilliams, Dunedin; D. McIntosh, Dunedin; J. Gardner and his successor in business, Dunedin; Mrs. Moore, Dunedin; Miss Cuthill, Dunedin; H. Holmes, Dunedin; Miss Smith, Invercargill; J. A. Hanan and Co., Invercargill; William Ross and Son; Mrs. Scott, South Dunedin; Robert Laidlaw, Dunedin; Miss C. Stevens, Winton; Ross and Glendining, Roslyn Mills; Mosgiel Woollen-factory Company, Dunedin and Mosgiel.

THE Court of Arbitration of New Zealand (hereinafter called “the Court”), having taken into consideration the matter of the above-mentioned dispute, and having heard the above-named union (hereinafter called “the union”) by its representatives duly appointed, and such of the employers as were present in person or by their representatives duly appointed, and having also heard the witnesses called and examined and cross-examined by and on behalf of the said parties respectively, doth hereby order and award: That, as between the union and the members thereof and the employers and each and every of them, the terms, conditions, and provisions set out in the schedule hereto and of this award shall be binding upon the said union and upon every member thereof and upon the employers and upon each and every of them, and that the said terms, con-