

Under-rate Workers.

8. (a) Any worker who considers herself incapable of earning the minimum wage fixed by this Order may be paid such lower wage as may from time to time be fixed, on the application of the worker after due notice to the union, by the local Inspector of Awards or such other person as the Court of Arbitration may from time to time appoint for that purpose; and such Inspector or other person in so fixing such wage shall have regard to the worker's capability, her past earnings, and such other circumstances as such Inspector or other person shall think fit to consider after hearing such evidence and argument as the union and such worker shall offer.

(b) Such permit shall be for such period, not exceeding six months, as such Inspector or other person shall determine, and after the expiration of such period shall continue in force until fourteen days' notice shall have been given to such worker by the secretary of the union requiring her to have her wage again fixed in manner prescribed by this clause: Provided that in the case of any person whose wage is so fixed by reason of old age or permanent disability it may be fixed for such longer period as such Inspector or other person shall think fit.

(c) Notwithstanding the foregoing, it shall be competent for a worker to agree in writing with the president or secretary of the union upon such wage without having the same so fixed.

(d) It shall be the duty of the union to give notice to the Inspector of Awards of every agreement made with a worker pursuant hereto.

(e) It shall be the duty of an employer, before employing a worker at such lower wage, to examine the permit or agreement by which such wage is fixed.

Right of Access upon Premises.

9. The president, secretary, or authorized representative of the union shall, with the consent of the employer (which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld), be entitled to enter at all reasonable times upon the premises or works and there interview any workers, but not so as to interfere unreasonably with the employer's business.

Dated at Wellington, this 29th day of May, 1942.

P. C. WEBB, Minister of Labour.

Electrical Wiremen's Registration Act, 1925.—Results of Examinations, March, 1942.

NOTICE is hereby given of the results of the examinations held in March, 1942.

Examinations for ELECTRICAL WIREMEN were held in the following centres:—

WRITTEN PART.			
	Candidates.	Passed.	Per Cent.
Auckland	20	7	35
Christchurch	21	12	57
Denniston	3	Nil	..
Dunedin	3	2	67
Greymouth	6	3	50
Hamilton	10	3	30
Hastings	7	1	14
Hawera	4	2	50
Invercargill	4	3	75
Masterton	7	3	43
Nelson	1	Nil	..
New Plymouth	1	1	100
Palmerston North	14	3	21
Timaru	1	Nil	..
Tuai	1	1	100
Waiouru	1	Nil	..
Wellington	15	6	40
Whakatane	2	Nil	..
Whangarei	1	Nil	..
Totals	122	47	39

PRACTICAL PART.			
	Candidates.	Passed.	Per Cent.
Auckland	14	8	57
Christchurch	11	7	63
Denniston	3	Nil	..
Greymouth	5	2	40
Hamilton	7	6	86
Hastings	4	2	50
Hawera	2	Nil	..
Invercargill	3	3	100
Masterton	4	4	100
Nelson	1	Nil	..
New Plymouth	4	4	100
Palmerston North	4	3	75
Timaru	1	1	100
Tuai	1	1	100
Wellington	17	12	71
Whakatane	1	Nil	..
Whangarei	1	1	100
Totals	83	54	65

The highest marks obtained were 77 in the written part and 89 in the practical part; the maximum marks obtainable being 100 in each case.

The examination results for the above centres are as follows:—

- PASSED IN WRITTEN PART.
- Auckland.—Capill, H. W.; Ewen, C. D.; Flanagan, R. J.; Soufflot, N. F.; Sullivan, B. K.; Wren, D. M.; Wood, R. B.
- Christchurch.—Gibb, G. A.; Gibson, J. S.; Hamilton, L.; Hannibal, L. T.; Lewis, H. W.; Louttit, K. W.; Lowrie, W. J.; McFerran, R. A.; Marks, T. L.; Parmenter, M.; Pyke, G. J. A.; Young, E. T. M.
- Dunedin.—Bloxham, P. J.; Playsted, W.
- Greymouth.—Coll, K. P.; Lansdown, C. T.; McFelin, F.
- Hamilton.—Luckens, F. S. D.; Nisbet, L. C.; Rosenberg, L.
- Hastings.—Mansfield, F. J.
- Hawera.—Comber, C. M.; Laird, J. N.
- Invercargill.—Douglas, I. R.; Hay, A. J.; McKenzie, R. G.
- Masterton.—Read, A. E.; Torwick, R. F.; Welch, T. E.
- New Plymouth.—Marriott, C. L.
- Palmerston North.—Fenn, J. B.; Johnston, F. R.; Newth, H. C.
- Tuai.—Reed, J. B. A.
- Wellington.—Crane, A. D.; Dimmock, A. L.; Gratton, J.; Green, A. E.; Helson, T. A.; McDonald, N. M.

- PASSED IN PRACTICAL PART.
- Auckland.—Barry, R. R.; Billings, K. S.; Chant, J. G. L.; Davies, F. W.; Diver, J. E.; Johnstone, J. H. L.; Walters, A. E. P.; Wright, K. W.
- Christchurch.—Blandford, N. G.; McGregor, E. H.; Marks, T. L.; Pearce, L. V.; Scott, W. D.; Thiele, T. V.; Todd, J. W.
- Greymouth.—Bradley, J. A.; Cotter, H. C.
- Hamilton.—Brown, T.; Hanley, A.; Jenkins, S. W.; Luckens, F. S. D.; Nisbet, L. C.; Williams, F. P.
- Hastings.—Johnston, A. H.; Mansfield, F. J.
- Invercargill.—Bayly, W. H.; Hishon, D. H.; Smith, R. P.
- Masterton.—Douglas, C. J. C.; Gurney, E. D.; Houston, E. W.; Pankhurst, G. M.
- New Plymouth.—Jones, A. R.; Pollock, F. S.; Thomson, A. G.; Yates, J. M.
- Palmerston North.—Lyons, E. D.; Mitchell, R. L.; Watson, M. C.
- Timaru.—Lundon, D. J.
- Tuai.—Reed, J. B. A.
- Wellington.—Crane, A. D.; Dimmock, A. L.; Forrester, I. J.; Green, A. E.; Gunther, A. W. E.; Helson, T. A.; Ingram, L. G.; Korner, E. A.; Millar, M.; Nicol, D. E.; Oldershaw, P. R.; Turnbull, J. P.
- Whangarei.—Penning, R.

Examinations for ELECTRICAL SERVICEMEN were held in the following centres:—

WRITTEN PART.			
	Candidates.	Passed.	Per Cent.
Auckland	8	2	25
Christchurch	1	Nil	..
Hamilton	3	1	33
Hastings	1	1	100
Invercargill	1	Nil	..
Palmerston North	3	2	67
Tauranga	1	Nil	..
Wellington	4	2	50
Whangarei	2	2	100
Totals	24	10	42

PRACTICAL PART.			
	Candidates.	Passed.	Per Cent.
Auckland	7	5	71
Christchurch	1	1	100
Invercargill	1	1	100
Palmerston North	2	1	50
Wellington	6	2	33
Whangarei	1	1	100
Totals	18	11	61

The highest marks obtained were 95 in the written part and 86 in the practical part; the maximum marks obtainable being 100 in each case.

The examination results for the above centres are as follows:—

- PASSED IN WRITTEN PART.
- Auckland.—Gooch, R. A.; McMurtrie, M. S.
- Hamilton.—Rentoul, J. M.
- Hastings.—Barlow, W. E.
- Palmerston North.—Andrews, J. C.; Huntley, D. R.
- Wellington.—Mills, E. J.; Rayner, W. R.
- Whangarei.—Bradley, E. K.; Keane, L. H.

- PASSED IN PRACTICAL PART.
- Auckland.—Frost, R. E. H.; Gooch, R. A.; Magness, R. J.; Miller, E. R. H.; Munro, B. H.
- Christchurch.—Duke, W. G. T.
- Invercargill.—Shirley, R. F.
- Palmerston North.—Andrews, J. C.
- Wellington.—Fisher, L. E. R.; Rayner, W. R.
- Whangarei.—Bradley, E. K.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1942.

P. H. GWYNN, Registrar