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PRICES CONTROL AC'T, 1948-1951.
Prices Control Order No. 687
Sawn W.A. Hardwood, Mouldings and Cartage. IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the Prices Control Regulations, 1949, I, Constantin Paul Mathea, Prices Control Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:-

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Control Order No. 687.

Revocation.
2. Prices Control Order No. 657 is hereby revoked.

Definitions and Interpretations.
3. In this Order and the Schedules thereto, unless the contrary intention appears, the expres-sion-
(a) "W.A. hardwood" includes timber commonly known and referred to as jarrah, karri, wandoo, tuart, marri and W.A. blackbutt;
(b) "Perth Metropolitan Area" means all that area comprised within a radius of 20 miles from the General Post Office at Perth;
(c) "Merchantable quality," "selected quality," "seasoned quality," means, in relation to any W.A. hardwood, that such timber conforms to the requirements and specifications for timber in A.S. 0.10 to A.S. 0.39 contained in "Grading Rules for Jarrah, Karri and Wandoo," Forests Department of Western Australia Bulletin, No. 56, 1948.

## Maximum Prices for W.A. Hardwood

 and Mouldings.4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which any W.A. hardwood or mouldings specified in the First Schedule to this Order may be sold by retail in the Perth Metropolitan Area to be the price specified in that Schedule or computed in accordance therewith.

Maximum Rates for Sawing and Machining of W.A. Hardwood.
5. I fix and declare the maximum rate at which the service of sawing and machining of W.A. hardwood, specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, may be supplied by any person, to be the rate specified in that Schedule or computed in accordance therewith.

Maximum Rates for Cartage of W.A. Hardwood and Mouldings.
6. I fix and declare the maximum rate at which the service of cartage of W.A. hardwood and mouldings may be supplied by any retail seller of such W.A. hardwood or mouldings, to be the rate specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, or computed in accordance therewith.

Application for Maximum Prices.
7. A person shall not sell by retail any W.A. hardwood or mouldings, a maximum price for which is not fixed by or under the provisions of this Order, unless and until that person has made a written request to the Commissioner to fix the maximum price at which those goods may be sold, and the Commissioner has fixed the maximum price accordingly.

Discounts.
8. Notwithstanding anything contained in the provisions of this Order-
(i) where any person sells any W.A. hardwood or mouldings to any Government or semiGovernment department, to any registered builder or contractor, or to any registered wood working manufacturer for use in their own activities, the maximum price fixed by the provisions of this Order for the sale of those goods shall, in the case of any such sale, be reduced by 5 per centum;
(ii) where payment for any W.A. hardwood or mouldings is made to the seller by any Government or semi-Government department or person specified in subparagraph (i) of this paragraph before the 25 th day
of the month following the month in which the goods are purchased and delivered, the maximum price fixed by the provisions of this Order for the sale of those goods shall be reduced by a further $2 \frac{1}{2}$ per centum.

## Delivery of Invoices or Dockets.

9. Any person who sells any W.A. hardwood or mouldings shall deliver to the purchaser thereof an invoice or docket specifying the following particulars:-
(a) His name and place of business.
(b) The name and address of the purchaser.
(c) The point of delivery to the purchaser.
(d) The date of sale.
(e) A full description of the goods, including quality, quantity, size and length, and whether the timber is rough sawn or dressed.
(f) The price at which each quality, size and length is sold.
(g) The total amount charged for such timber and/or mouldings.
(h) The cartage charged.
(i) The rates charged for sawing and machining.

## Variation of Maximum Price or Rate by Notice.

10. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which W.A. hardwood or mouldings, or the maximum rate at which the service of cartage of W.A. hardwood or mouldings, or the service of sawing and machining W.A. hardwood, specified in a notice in pursuance of this paragraph, may be respectively sold or supplied by any person to whom such notice is given, to be such price or rate as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to that person.

The First Sohedule.
SAWN W.A. HARDWOOD.
Part 1.-Green Merchantable Quality-Random Lengths.


Specified Lengths

Lengths in excess of 25 ft . ....

The maximum price specified for Groups $1,2,3,4$ and 5 , as the case may be, plus ls. per 100 super feet.
(a) W.A. Hardwoods, excluding Karri:-The maximum price specified for Groups 2, 3, 4 and 5, as the case may be, plus 3 s . 6 d . per 100 super feet, per foot in excess of 25 feet.
(b) Karri:-The maximum price specified for Groups 2, 3, 4 and 5, as the case may be, plus 1s. per 100 super feet, per foot in excess of 25 feet.
Widths over 12 in. .... .... .... The maximum price specified for Group 5, plus
Per 100 super feet Merchantable. Selected Quality.

For 13 in . and 14 in . widths
For 15 in . and 16 in . widths
For 17 in. and upwards widths

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| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\ldots .$. | $\ldots$. | 2 | 6 |
| $\ldots$. | $\ldots$. | 8 | 0 |
| $\ldots$ | $\ldots$. | 20 | 0 |


| S. | d. |
| :---: | :---: |
| 14 | 6 |
| 23 | 0 |
| 40 | 0 |

Sizes above $10 \mathrm{in} . x 10 \mathrm{in}$. Free of Heart

Selected Quality

The maximum price specified for Group 5, plus 6s. 6d. per 100 super feet.

Group 1 plus 4s. per 100 super feet.
Group 2 plus 4s. per 100 super feet.
Group 3 plus 5 s. per 100 super feet.
Group 4 plus 7s. 6d. per 100 super feet.
Group 5 plus 10 s . per 100 super feet.
.... To be supered to the next 1 in . in width and $\frac{1}{4} \mathrm{in}$. in thickness and charged at the maximum price specified in Groups 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 for the next larger width or thickness.

The First Schedule-continued.
SAWN W.A. HARDWOOD.
Part II.-Green Boards-Merchantable Quality—Random Lengths.

| Group. | End Section. (size in inches) |  | Unit of Measurement. | Maximum Prices. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Lengths up to 15 ft . | Lengths exceeding 15 ft . and not exceeding 20 ft . | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lengths exceeding } \\ & 20 \mathrm{ft} . \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| 1 | 4,5 and $6 \times \frac{1}{2}$... | .... | Per 100 square feet | 583 | $59 \quad 9$ | 61.9 |
| 2 | 7, 8, 9 and $10 \times \frac{1}{2}$.... |  | Per 100 square feet | 59 | 613 | 63 3 |
| 3 | 11 and upwards $x^{\frac{1}{2}}$.... |  | Per 100 square feet | 613 | 639 | 67 3 |
| 4 | 4, 5 and $6 \times \frac{5}{8}$.... |  | Per 100 square feet | 693 | 713 | 74 3 |
| 5 |  |  | Per 100 square feet | 713 | 73 3 | 76 |
| 6 | 11 and upwards $\times$ 䂸 |  | Per 100 square feet | 729 | $75 \cdot 3$ | 789 |

Specified Lengths .... .... .... The maximum price specified for Groups 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, as the case may be, plus ls. per 100 square ft .
Selected Quality .... .... .... The maximum prices specified for
4 in. to 6 in. boards plus 5 s. per 100 square feet.
7 in . to 10 in . boards plus 7s. 6d. per 100 square feet.
11 in . to 12 in . boards plus 10 s . per 100 square feet.
13 in. to 14 in. boards plus 12s. per 100 square feet.
15 in . to 16 in . boards plus 15 s . per 100 square feet.
17 in. and upwards boards plus 20s. per 100 square feet.
Boards $\frac{3}{3}$ in .... .... .... .... The maximum price specified in Part I. of this Schedule for 1 in. thickness.

Part III.-Green Merchantable Quality-Sundries.


The First Schedule-continued.
SAWN W.A. HARDWOOD.
Part. IV.-Seasoned Selected Quality in Random Lengths.

$P_{\text {ART }}$ V.-Seasoned Quality-Sundries.


The First Schedule-continued.
SAWN W.A. HARDWOOD.
Part V.—Seasoned Quality-Sundries-continued.


Part VI.-Standard Mouldings as Illustrated in the Appendix to this Part VI.

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|  | Description. |  |  |  |  |  |

The First Sohedule-continued.

APPENDIX.

PART VI.-Illustrations.


The First Somedule-continued.
SAWN W.A. HARDWOOD.
Part VII.-Joinery Material.

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The Second Sohedule.
W.A. HARDWOOD—SAWING AND MACHINING RATES.

| Operation. | Maximum Rate. |
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| Sawing- |  |
| Depth of cut up to and including 4 in . .... .... .... | 3s. 6d. per 100 lineal feet. |
| Depth of cut exceeding 4 in. and not exceeding 8 in . ... | 8s. 9d. per 100 square feet of sawing. |
| Depth of cut exceeding 8 in . and not exceeding 11 in . .... | 9 s . 6d. per 100 square feet of sawing. |
| Depth of cut exceeding 11 in . and not exceeding 16 in .... | 11s. 3d. per 100 square feet of sawing. |
| Depth of cut exceeding 16 in . and not exceeding 24 in . ... | 14s. per 100 square feet of sawing. |
| Dressing- |  |
| Up to 2 in . wide by 1 in . thick and under, one or more sides | 3s. 6d. per 100 lineal feet. |
| Exceeding 2 in . and not exceoding 24 in . in width, by up to 6 in. thick, including squares up to $7 \mathrm{in} . \times 7 \mathrm{in}$. | 7s. per 100 square feet of dressing. |
| Sanding .... .... .... .... .... .... .... | 14s. per 100 square feet of sanding. |
| Buzz Planing .... .... .... .... .... .... | 15s. 9 d. per 100 square feet of dressing. |
| Cross Cutting-Docking to short lengths .... .... .... | 10s. 6d. per hour : minimum charge, quarter of an hour. |

The Thurd Sohedule.
W.A. HARDWOOD AND MOULDINGS-CARTAGE RATES.

| Distance from Seller's Yard. | Maximum Rate. |
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Up to and including 5 miles from yard
Exceeding 5 miles and up to and including 10 miles from yard Exceeding 10 miles and up to and including 15 miles from yard Exceeding 15 miles from yard ...

2s. 6d. per 100 super feet.
3s. 3d. per 100 super feet.
4s. per 100 super feet
4s. 9 d . per 100 super feet.

Dated at Perth this lst day of May, 1952.

