

WELLINGTON INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

(10255.) WELLINGTON INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT DAIRY-FACTORY MANAGERS. — SUPPLEMENTARY AGREEMENT UNDER THE LABOUR DISPUTES INVESTIGATION ACT, 1913.

THIS agreement, made between the New Zealand Dairy-factory Managers' Association as such association and as acting for this purpose on behalf of the dairy-factory managers of the Wellington Industrial District who have signed in this behalf, and also made

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between the dairy-factory managers who have signed the list attached to the agreement filed with the Clerk of Awards and the Wellington Industrial Union of Dairy Employers.

Whereas in accordance with section seven (7) of the agreement so filed a tribunal was set up and formed a supplementary agreement filed with the Clerk of Awards on the 15th day of February, 1931, and a further supplementary agreement similarly filed with the Clerk of Awards on the 21st day of August, 1931: And whereas section three (3) of the supplementary agreement herein referred to and so filed on the 21st day of August, 1931, provides "That on or before the last-mentioned date the said tribunal shall meet to decide whether such reduction continue for a further fixed period, or whether a less or greater reduction continue to be made, or whether there is a case warranting at the date of such meeting any reduction in the salaries so set out other than the reduction for the period decided upon herein": And whereas Neil Campbell, of Kauwhata, and Sam Atkinson Broadbelt, of Ihakara, Levin, have been appointed by the said union, and James Matthew Wylie, of Kuku, and Herbert Henry Rankin, of Bidwell, have been appointed by the said association as a tribunal to consider and decide what steps should be taken to meet section three (3) of the supplementary agreement herein mentioned: And whereas the said tribunal has considered the matter and has on the date hereof unanimously decided—

1. That an exceptional case still exists by reason of the fall in the price of butterfat.

2. That to meet such exceptional case the salaries set out in the agreement so filed be reduced by $12\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. as from the 1st day of February, 1932, until the 1st day of August, 1932.

3. That on or before the last-mentioned date the said tribunal shall meet to decide whether such reduction continue for a further fixed period, or whether a less or greater reduction continue to be made, or whether there is a case warranting at the date of such meeting any reduction in the salaries so set out other than the reduction for the period decided upon herein.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1932.

Signed on behalf of the Wellington Industrial Union of Dairy Employers—

N. CAMPBELL.
S. A. BROADBELT.

On behalf of the New Zealand Dairy-factory Managers' Association—

H. H. RANKIN.
J. M. WYLIE.

NOTE.—This agreement, made under the Labour Disputes Investigation Act, 1913, was filed with the Clerk of Awards at Wellington, pursuant to section 8(1) of the said Act, on the 9th day of March, 1932.