

**DUNEDIN ABATTOIR EMPLOYEES.—AMENDMENT OF INDUSTRIAL AGREEMENT**

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland Industrial District.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of an application for amendment of the Dunedin Abattoir Employees' industrial agreement, dated the 3rd day of July, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 843.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942, and upon application made by a party to the Dunedin Abattoir Employees' industrial agreement, dated the 3rd day of July, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 843, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said industrial agreement shall be amended by deleting clause 4, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

*“ Wages*

“ 4. The following shall be the minimum rates of wages for adult workers:—

	Per Week.
	£ s. d.
“(a) Slaughtermen .. .. .	7 1 8
“(b) Crush-men .. .. .	6 6 8
“(c) Workers operating power saws .. .. .	5 19 2
“(d) Slaughterhouse assistants and workers not otherwise specified .. .. .	5 14 2

	Per Day.
	£ s. d.
“(e) Casual slaughtermen .. .. .	1 14 10

“ A casual slaughterman who may be employed by the week shall not be paid less than £7 6s. 8d. per week of forty hours or less. The daily hours of work for a casual shall not exceed eight hours without payment of overtime.

“ A casual slaughterman is defined as one who is not employed continuously for more than one week.

“(f) Youths may be employed at the following rates:—

	Per Week.
	£ s. d.
“ Under seventeen years of age .. .. .	2 19 2
“ Between seventeen and eighteen years .. .. .	3 6 8
“ Between eighteen and nineteen years .. .. .	4 11 8
“ Thereafter, the minimum wage for adult workers.”	

2. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April, 1945.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

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