

OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND PLASTERERS.—AMENDMENT OF
AWARD

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 Otago and Southland Plasterers' award, dated the 26th day of May, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 407.

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 Otago and Southland Plasterers' award, dated the 26th day of May, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 407, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended—

(i) By deleting subclauses (a), (b), and (c) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

“(a) Journeymen plasterers shall be paid not less than 3s. 2d. per hour.

“(b) Journeymen fibrous plasterers shall be paid not less than 3s. 0½d. per hour.

“(c) Fibrous-plaster casters and wallboard-makers shall be paid at not less than 2s. 9½d. per hour.”

(ii) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 4 (Boys and Youths), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) Boys or youths may be employed to assist at fibrous-plaster casting and wallboard-making at the following rates of wages:—

Age commencing.	First Year.		Second Year.		Third Year.		Fourth Year.	Fifth Year.
	First Half.	Sec'nd Half.	First Half.	Sec'nd Half.	First Half.	Sec'nd Half.		
16 to 17	32/6	37/6	42/6	47/6	52/6	60/-	70/-	80/-
17 to 18	37/6	42/6	47/6	52/6	60/-	70/-	80/-	..
18 to 19	42/6	47/6	52/6	60/-	70/-	80/-	..	..
19 to 20	52/6	65/-	70/-	80/-	..	..	..	..
20 to 21	70/-	80/-	..	..	..	..	..	..

“Thereafter, or on attaining the age of twenty-one years, adult rates.”

(iii) By deleting subclause (e) of clause 8 (Country Work), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(e) Notwithstanding anything contained herein, an employer may agree with any worker that in respect of any specified country work the hours of work shall be other than those hereinbefore prescribed: Provided, however, that all time worked outside or in excess of the hours so prescribed shall be considered overtime and shall be paid for at the rate of 1½d. per hour in addition to the ordinary rates.”

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.