

**OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND BREWERS, BOTTLERS, AND BOTTLE-
WASHERS.—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 Brewers, Bottlers, and Bottle-washers' award, dated the 20th day of September, 1944, and recorded in 44 Book of Awards 673.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942 and by section 92 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and upon application made by a party to the Otago and Southland Brewers, Bottlers, and Bottle-washers' award, dated the 20th day of September, 1944, and recorded in 44 Book of Awards 673, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended—

(i) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 4 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) The following shall be the minimum rates of wages:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“Coopers	6	5	0
“Hoppers-down	5	17	6
“All others	5	15	0”

(ii) By deleting the amount of “2s. 8½d.” in clause 5 (Casual Workers), and substituting therefor the amount of “3s.”

(iii) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 6 (Employment of Boys and Youths), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) Employers may employ youths at not less than the following rates of wages:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“Under seventeen years of age ..	2	0	0
“Seventeen to eighteen years of age ..	2	10	0
“Eighteen to nineteen years of age ..	3	0	0
“Nineteen to twenty years of age ..	3	10	0
“Twenty to twenty-one years of age ..	4	2	6
“Thereafter, not less than adult rates.”			

(iv) By deleting subclause (b) of clause 8 (Overtime), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(b) Maltsters called upon to work at any time from midnight Friday to midday Saturday shall be paid a minimum of three hours for each period upon which they are called to work, and if called upon to work between midday Saturday and midnight Sunday they shall be paid for a minimum of two hours, all at overtime rates.”

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

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.