

NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT **FELLMONGERS.**—
AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern 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 Northern Industrial District Fellmongers' award, dated the 29th day of October, 1943, and recorded in 43 Book of Awards 537.

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 Northern Industrial District Fellmongers' award, dated the 29th day of October, 1943, and recorded in 43 Book of Awards 537, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended—

(i) By deleting clause 3, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“ *Wages*

“ 3. The following shall be the minimum rates of wages for the several classes of workers hereinafter specified:—

	Per Hour.	
	s.	d.
“ Pullers	3	0½
“ Pelt classers and curers	3	0
“ Machine and hand scudders on pelts	2	9½
“ Machine pelt-fleshers	2	9½
“ Manure and tallow departments	2	9
“ Painters	2	8½
“ Wool-scourers	2	7½
“ Wool-driers	2	7½
“ All other workers	2	7½”

(ii) By deleting clause 4, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“ *Youths*

“ 4. (a) Youths may be employed at the following minimum rates of pay:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“ Under 16 years of age	1	7	6
“ 16 to 16½ years of age	1	12	6
“ 16½ to 17 years of age	1	17	6
“ 17 to 17½ years of age	2	2	6
“ 17½ to 18 years of age	2	10	0
“ 18 to 18½ years of age	2	15	0
“ 18½ to 19 years of age	3	2	6
“ 19 to 20 years of age	3	12	6
“ 20 to 21 years of age	4	5	0

“ (b) No deduction shall be made from the weekly wages mentioned in this clause except for time lost by the worker through his own default or sickness.”

(iii) By deleting subclause (c) of clause 6 (Overtime), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“ (c) Subject to the provisions of the Factories Act, a meal allowance of 2s. shall be paid to all workers required to work overtime.

“ The provisions of clause 5 of this award increasing rates of remuneration shall not apply to the meal-money payment provided for in this subclause.”

2. That, except in respect of the provisions of paragraph (iii) of clause 1 hereof, which shall come into force on the day of the date hereof, this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April, 1945.

Dated this 25th day of July, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.