PETONE BOROUGH COUNCIL DRIVERS.—AMENDMENT OF INDUSTRIAL AGREEMENT

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Wellington 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 Petone Borough Council Drivers' industrial agreement, dated the 16th day of December, 1940, and recorded in 40 Book of Awards 2287.

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 Petone Borough Council Drivers' industrial agreement, dated the 16th day of December, 1940, and recorded in 40 Book of Awards 2287, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

- 1. That the said industrial agreement shall be amended—
- (i) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 2 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
- "(a) The rates of wages for workers coming within the scope of this agreement shall be as follows:— Per Week.

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"(i)	Horse-drivers	 	5	11	8
"(ii)	Motor-vehicle drivers	 	5	15	0
"(iii)	Tractor-drivers	 	5	15	0 "

- (ii) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 3 (Stable-work), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
- "(a) The Corporation may require horse-drivers to work two and a half hours per week in addition to the hours prescribed in clause 1 hereof in cleaning harness, grooming, and harnessing horses, provided that such work shall be paid for at the rate of 2s. $9\frac{1}{2}$ d. an hour. Such payment to be made in addition to the weekly wage."
- 2. That, for the purpose of removing doubts as to the operation of the two general orders of the Court made under the Rates of Wages Emergency Regulations 1940, and dated the 9th August, 1940, and the 31st March, 1942, respectively, it is hereby declared that the amended rates of remuneration provided by this order shall be increased to the extent and in the manner set forth in the said two general orders of the Court.
- 3. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April, 1945.

Dated this 1st day of August, 1945.

[l.s.] A. Tyndall, Judge.

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MEMORANDUM

Mr. Prime desires to draw attention to his dissenting opinion on the amendment to the Northern and Wellington Cardboard-box, Carton, and Paper-bag Makers' award.

A. Tyndall, Judge.