TIMARU BOROUGH COUNCIL ELECTRICIANS AND LINESMEN.— AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Canterbury 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 Timaru Borough Council Electricians and Linesmen's award, dated the 20th day of December, 1940, and recorded in 40 Book of Awards 2337. 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 Timaru Borough Council Electricians and Linesmen's award, dated the 20th day of December, 1940, and recorded in 40 Book of Awards 2337, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended---

(i) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclause:---

"(a) The following shall be the minimum rates of wages:-

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" Electricians and servicemen	 3 0	1 .
"Linesmen	 3 0	
" Linesmen's assistants	 2 9	1 "

(ii) By deleting subclause (e) of clause 5 (Overtime), and substituting therefor the following subclause:---

"(e) Meal-money: In the case of workers who cannot reasonably journey to and from their homes for meals being required to work overtime after 6 p.m. on any day, the worker shall be paid 2s. for tea-money.

"The provisions of the two general orders of the Court made under the Rates of Wages Emergency Regulations 1940, shall not apply to the meal-money payment provided for in this subclause."

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, except where otherwise provided, 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 7th day of August, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.