NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT CANTERBURY AND WESTLAND) WOOL, GRAIN, HIDE, AND MANURE STORES' EMPLOYEES.— 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 New Zealand (except Canterbury and Westland) Wool, Grain, Hide, and Manure Stores' Employees' award, dated the 14th day of July, 1944, and recorded in 44 Book of Awards 563.

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 New Zealand (except

Canterbury and Westland) Wool, Grain, Hide, and Manure Stores' Employees' award, dated the 14th day of July, 1944, and recorded in 44 Book of Awards 563, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

- 1. That the said award shall be amended—
- (i) By deleting subclauses (a) and (b) of clause 2 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—
- "(a) Casual workers employed in the stores of the employers parties hereto shall be paid not less than 2s. $10\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour.
- "(b) Permanent hands similarly employed shall be paid not less than £5 9s. 2d. per week."
- (ii) By deleting subclause (c) of clause 4 (Overtime), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
- "(c) The overtime rate for Eckford and Co. between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. shall be 4s. 8d. per hour; all other overtime, time and a half."
- (iii) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 8 (Employment of Youths), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
- "(a) Youths may be employed at not less than the following rates:—

 Per Week.

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"Under 17 years of age	 	1 16	6
"17 to $17\frac{1}{2}$ years of age	 	2 2	6
" $17\frac{1}{2}$ to 18 years of age	 	2 7	6
"18 to 19 years of age	 	2 16	0
"19 to 20 years of age	 	3 6	6
"20 to 21 years of age	 	4 0	0 "

(iv) By deleting clause 11, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

" Notice of Overtime, and Tea-money

"11. When workers are ordered back to work after 6 p.m. on any day, or after 1 p.m. on the day of the customary half-holiday, the employer shall provide meals or pay each worker 2s. to enable him to obtain a meal, unless such worker has been notified on the previous day that he will be required to work overtime.

"The provisions of clause 20 of this award increasing rates of remuneration shall not apply to the meal-money payment provided for in this clause."

(v) By deleting the amount "£5 2s. 6d." in subclause (a) of clause 15, and substituting therefor the amount of "£5 14s. 2d."

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

Dated this 17th day of August, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.