

**NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT WESTLAND AND CANTERBURY)
STOREMEN AND PACKERS.—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 Westland and Canterbury) Storemen and Packers' award, dated the 14th day of July, 1944, and recorded in 44 Book of Awards 546.

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

Westland and Canterbury) Storemen and Packers' award, dated the 14th day of July, 1944, and recorded in 44 Book of Awards 546, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended—

(i) By deleting subclause (b) of clause 3 (Overtime), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(b) When workers are ordered back to work after 6 p.m. on any day or after 1 p.m. on Saturday 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: Provided that where such notice has been given and the worker's services are not required, he shall still be paid the meal allowance.

“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.”

(ii) By deleting subclauses (a), (b), and (d) of clause 4 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

“(a) Storemen and/or packers over the age of twenty-one years shall be paid not less than £5 9s. 2d. per week.”

“(b) In stores where one storeman and/or packer is employed who is solely responsible for all inward and outward goods, he or she shall be paid not less than £5 11s. 8d. per week.”

“(d) Juniors may be employed at not less than the following rates:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“ Under 16 years of age	1	6	6
“ 16 to 16½ years of age	1	11	6
“ 16½ to 17 years of age	1	16	6
“ 17 to 17½ years of age	2	2	6
“ 17½ 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
“ And thereafter adult rates.”			

(iii) By deleting the amount of “2s. 7d.” in clause 8 (Casual Workers), and substituting therefor the amount of “2s. 10½d.”

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.