DUNEDIN CITY CORPORATION LINESMEN AND LINESMEN'S ASSISTANTS.—AMENDMENT OF INDUSTRIAL AGREEMENT

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland 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 Dunedin City Corporation Linesmen and Linesmen's Assistants' industrial agreement, dated the 14th day of October, 1941, and recorded in 41 Book of Awards 1470.

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 Dunedin City Corporation Linesmen and Linesmen's Assistants' industrial agreement, dated the 14th day of October, 1941, and recorded in 41 Book of Awards 1470, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

- 1. That the said industrial agreement shall be amended by deleting subclauses (a), (b), and (c) of clause 2 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—
- "(a) The minimum rate of wages for linesmen shall be $3s. 0\frac{1}{2}d.$ per hour.
- "(b) The minimum rate of wages for linesmen's assistants shall be 2s. $10\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour, but for the first four months of employment the rate shall be 2s. $8\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour.
- "(c) The minimum rate of wages for helpers in power-stations shall be 2s. $10\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour."
- 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 17th day of October, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.