

CANTERBURY AND OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND **BACON-WORKERS.**
—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 Canterbury and Otago and Southland Bacon-workers' award, dated the 2nd day of June, 1943, and recorded in 43 Book of Awards 242.

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 Canterbury and Otago and Southland Bacon-workers' award, dated the 2nd day of June, 1943, and recorded in 43 Book of Awards 242, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended—

(i) By deleting subclauses (a), (b), (c), and (e) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“(a) Head curer”	7	2	10
“(b) Cutters-up, boners, rollers, curers, cellarmen, and storemen .. .”	6	2	10
“(c) Lard hands and other workers .. .”	5	17	10

“(e) Workers employed by the hour shall be paid 3s. 3½d. per hour while so engaged in slaughterhouses on the operations named in subclause (d) hereof; 3s. 1½d. per hour while employed at work mentioned in subclause (b) hereof and at marking down and chopping elsewhere than in slaughterhouses; and 2s. 9½d. per hour while employed at work mentioned in subclause (c) hereof.”

(ii) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 5 (Employment of Youths), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) Boys and youths may be employed at the following minimum rates of pay:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“From 16 to 16½ years of age .. .”	1	15	0
“From 16½ to 17 years of age .. .”	2	0	0
“From 17 to 17½ years of age .. .”	2	7	6
“From 17½ to 18 years of age .. .”	2	15	0
“From 18 to 18½ years of age .. .”	3	0	0
“From 18½ to 19 years of age .. .”	3	5	0
“From 19 to 20 years of age .. .”	3	12	6
“From 20 to 21 years of age .. .”	4	2	6
“Thereafter, the minimum rates of wages for adults.”			

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

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.