INVERCARGILL CITY COUNCIL SHIFT ENGINEERS (ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT POWER-HOUSE).—A MENDMENT 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 Invercargill City Council Shift Engineers (Electricity Department Power-house) industrial agreement, dated the 7th day of June, 1938, and recorded in 38 Book of Awards 1502.

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 Invercargill City Council Shift Engineers (Electricity Department Power-house) industrial agreement, dated the 7th day of June, 1938, and recorded in 38 Book of Awards 1502, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said industrial agreement shall be amended by deleting clause 3, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

" Wages

- "3. The minimum rate of wages for shift engineers other than the Power-house Engineer shall be as follows, provided that a shift engineer who is receiving a higher rate of pay shall not have his wages reduced whilst he is employed at such work:—
 - "First Engineer, £8 1s. 8d. per week.
 - "Second Engineer, £7 16s. 8d. per week.
 - "Third Engineer, £7 11s. 8d. per week.
 - "Fourth Engineer, £7 6s. 8d. per week."

- 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 29th day of October, 1945.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.