

NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT **RETAIL-SHOP**
ASSISTANTS.—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 Northern Industrial District Retail-shop Assistants' award, dated the 22nd day of June, 1942, and recorded in 42 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 Northern Industrial

District Retail-shop Assistants' award, dated the 22nd day of June, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 546, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

(1) That the said award (as amended by order of the Court dated the 19th July, 1945) shall be further amended in the manner following:—

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

“(a) The minimum rates of wages payable to shop-assistants shall be:—

	Males.			Females.		
	Per Week.			Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
“ Under 15 years of age—						
“ First six months	1	2	6	1	2	6
“ Second six months	1	6	6	1	6	6
“ Third six months	1	11	6	1	11	6
“ Fourth six months	1	18	0	1	16	0
“ Fifth six months	2	4	6	2	0	6
“ Sixth six months	2	11	6	2	5	0
“ 17 years of age and under 18 years	2	17	6	2	10	6
“ 18 years of age and under 19 years	3	10	0	2	15	0
“ 19 years of age and under 20 years	4	0	0	3	2	6
“ 20 years of age and under 21 years	4	10	0	3	7	6
“ 21 years of age and under 22 years	5	4	10	3	13	0
“ 22 years of age and under 23 years	5	15	4	3	18	6
“ 23 years of age and over	6	7	10	4	1	0”

(ii) By deleting subclauses (g), (h), and (i) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

“(g) The minimum rates of wages payable to branch managers, branch manageresses, and workers in charge of shops shall be:—

	Males.			Females.		
	Per Week.			Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
“ Where no assistants or up to two other assistants are employed	6	15	4	4	16	0
“ Where three or up to five other assistants are employed	7	2	10	5	6	0
“ Where six or more other assistants are employed	7	7	10	5	16	0

“(h) The minimum rates of wages payable to departmental managers and departmental manageresses shall be:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“ Departmental managers	6	17	10
“ Departmental manageresses	4	13	6

“(i) The minimum rates of wages payable to the following classes of workers shall follow subclauses (a) to (f) of this clause until the age of twenty-three years is reached, and thereafter shall be as follows:—

	Per Week.		
	£	s.	d.
“ Window-dresser and display artist ..	6	17	10
“ Ticket-writer, scenic artist, commercial artist	6	10	4
“ Advertising-writer or copy-writer ..	6	12	10
“ Window-dresser (female) working from plan or photograph	4	13	6
“ Ticket-writer (female) writing one-stroke price-tickets	4	8	6

“ A worker who is not wholly or substantially employed at work covered by this subclause and whose ordinary wage is less than that prescribed herein shall for the hours during which the worker is employed at work covered by this subclause be paid the difference between his or her ordinary wage and that prescribed in this subclause for the work performed.”

(iii) By deleting the word and figures “ Thereafter £5 15s.” in subclause (a) of clause 4 (Storemen, Packers, and Porters), and substituting therefor the word and figures “ Thereafter £5 16s. 10d.”

(2) That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of January, 1946.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1946.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.