SOUTH CANTERBURY CHAFFCUTTERS.—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 South Canterbury Chaffeutters' award, dated the 1st day of December, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 1453.

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 South Canterbury Chaffcutters' award, dated the 1st day of December, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 1453, this Court doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended by deleting clause 4, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

"Rates of Pay

"4. The minimum rates of pay shall be as follows:—

				Per 100 Bags.		
" (a)	Where seven men a	re emplo	yed—	3	s. d.	
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	``Feeder				$3 \ 10\frac{1}{2}$	
	"Ordinary hands				$3 1\frac{1}{2}$	
"(b)	Where six men are employed—					
	"Driver				4 $2\frac{1}{2}$	
	$ m ``Feeder \ \ . \ .$				$3 \ 10\frac{1}{2}$	
	"Ordinary hands	* *			$3 5\frac{1}{2}$	
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"(c) On three-knife cutters employing one man less, as provided in subclause (b) of clause 2 hereof:— Per 100 Bags.

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"Driver	 	 $4 11\frac{1}{2}$
"Feeder	 	 4 6
"Ordinary hands	 	 4 1

- "(d) When cutting straw chaff, 1s. $2\frac{1}{2}$ d. extra per hundred bags shall be paid to each hand employed.
- "(e) Where men are engaged under this award for a week or less they shall be paid a minimum of 17s. 7d. for each day upon which work is done if and when the piece-rate earnings provided herein do not exceed the said minimum.
- "(f) All men employed shall be provided with food and accommodation.

"(g) The minimum rate of pay for cooks shall be £4 8s. per week, and they shall be supplied with food and accommodation."

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

Dated this 6th day of February, 1946.

[L.S.] A. TYNDALL, Judge.