OTAGO HOSPITAL BOARD **ELECTRICIANS.**—AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of the Otago Hospital Board Electricians award dated the 27th day of August, 1945, and recorded in 45 Book of Awards 1306.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942, and of every other power in that behalf thereunto enabling it, this Court, for the purpose of giving effect to the pronouncement made by it on the 15th day of August, 1947, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting subclauses (a) and (e) of clause 7 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

"(a) The minimum wages of a worker under this award shall be

£7 2s. 9d. per week."

"(e) A casual worker who is employed for less than forty hours in any one week shall be paid at the rate of not less than 3s. $7\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour."

(2) By deleting clause 8 (General Orders under Rates of Wages

Emergency Regulations).

2. That this Order shall come into force on the 1st day of October, 1947.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1947.

[L.S.]

A. Tyndall, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

The rates of remuneration prescribed in the award are *not* to be increased by the application of the provisions of the Court's general orders of 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. Tyndall, Judge.