NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND) AERATED-WATER AND CORDIAL WORKERS.—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 New Zealand (except Otago and Southland) Aerated-water and Cordial Workers' award, dated the 27th day of April, 1945, and recorded in 45 Book of Awards 218.

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 (c) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—
- - "Working foreman 6 17 6
 - "Cordial and syrup makers 6 12 3
 - "Bottlers attending carbonatingmachines, and casemakers .. 6 4 5
 - "All others 6 1 9"
- "(c) Casual workers shall be paid not less than 3s. 3½d. per hour."

- (2) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 4 (Female Workers), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
- "(a) Female workers may be employed at not less than the following weekly rates:—

Age at commencing Employment.		First Year.		Second Year.		Third Year.		Fourth Year.	
		First Half.	Second Half.	First Half.	Second Half.	First Half.	Second Half.	First Half.	Second Half.
nder 16 years		26/-	32/-	37/-	42/6	48/-	54/-	60/-	67/-
to 17 years		30/6	35/6	40/6	46/6	51/6	57/6	63/-	
7 to 18 years		35/-	40/-	45/-	51/-	56/-	62/-		• •
8 to 19 years		39/6	44/6	49/6	54/6	61/-			
to 20 years		44/-	49/-	54/-	59/6				
to 21 years		48/6	54/6						

- (3) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 5 (Youths), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
- "(a) The following shall be the minimum rates of wages payable to youths:—

 Per Week. $\mathfrak s$. d.
 - "Under 16 years 1 10 0
 - "16 to $16\frac{1}{2}$ years 1 16 0
 - " $16\frac{1}{2}$ to 17 years ... 2 2 0
 - "17 to $17\frac{1}{2}$ years 2 8 0
 - " $17\frac{1}{2}$ to 18 years 2 14 6
 - "18 to 18½ years 3 0 0
 - " $18\frac{1}{2}$ to 19 years 3 6 0
 - "19 to $19\frac{1}{2}$ years ... 3 12 0
 - " $19\frac{1}{2}$ to 20 years ... 3 18 0
 - "20 to $20\frac{1}{2}$ years ... 4 4 0
 - " $20\frac{1}{2}$ to 21 years 4 10 6
 - "Thereafter 6 1 9"

 (4) By deleting clause 6 (Increase in Rates of Remune-
- ration).
- 2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of October, 1947.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1947.

[L.S.]

A. Tyndall, Judge.

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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.