NEW ZEALAND (EXCEPT NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT, OTHER THAN GISBORNE JUDICIAL DISTRICT) RETAIL GROCERS' ASSISTANTS AND DRIVERS.—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 Northern Industrial District, other than Gisborne Judicial District) Retail Grocers' Assistants and Drivers' award, dated the 23rd day of December, 1946, and recorded in 46 Book of Awards 2390.

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 (b) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

"(a) The minimum weekly rates of wages for workers shall be as follows:—

Age commencing at Trade.		First Year.		Second Year.		m1	Trenth	Trees	0.0	1
		First Half.	Second Half.	First Half.	Second Half.	Third Year.	Fourth Year.	Fifth Year.	Sixth Year.	There- after.
Under 16		30/-	36/-	42/6	50/6	64/-	80/6	97/6	114/-	138/9
16 to 16 ¹ / ₂		36/-	42/6	50/6	64/-	80/-	97/6	114/-	138/9	
$16\frac{1}{2}$ to 17		41/6	49/6	64/-	74/6	91/-	102/6	114/-	138/9	
17 to 18		47/-	56/-	69/-	86/-	102/6	114/-	138/9		
18 to 19		53/-	63/6	78/-	93/-	108'/6	138/9			
19 to 20		63/6	75/-	93/-	102/6	138/9				
20 to 21		102/6	119/6	138/9						
21 and over		125/3	138/9					•••		

"(b) Branch manager or worker in charge of a shop or branch shop shall receive not less than £7 9s. 3d. per week."

(2) By deleting clause 5 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

(3) By deleting the figures and symbols "3s. $3\frac{1}{2}d$." in subclause (a) of clause 14 (Casuals), and substituting therefor the figures and symbols "3s. 10d."

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

Dated this 4th day of September, 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 the 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.