OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND FISH-SHOP EMPLOYEES.— 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 and Southland Fishshop Employees' award, dated the 27th day of June, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 929.

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 subclause (a) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—
- "(a) Adult workers shall be paid not less than the wages specified in the following scale:—

 Per Week.
- (2) By deleting clause 4, and substituting therefor the following clause :—

"Boys and Youths

"4. Boys and youths may be employed at not less than the following rates:—

Per Week.

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"From 15 to $15\frac{1}{2}$ years of age		1 16	6
"From $15\frac{1}{2}$ to $1\overline{6}$ years of age		2 1	6
"From 16 to $16\frac{1}{2}$ years of age		2 6	6
"From $16\frac{1}{2}$ to 17 years of age		2 11	6
"From 17 to 18 years of age		2 16	6
"From 18 to 19 years of age		3 2	0
"From 19 to 20 years of age		3 13	6
"From 20 to 21 years of age	. :	4 19	0
"Thereafter, as in clause 3 (a)."			

(3) By deleting clause 8, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

" Casual Labour

"8. Casual workers shall be paid at the rate of not less than 3s. 64d. per hour. 'Casual' shall mean any person whose engagement is for a period of less than one week."

- (4) By deleting clause 10 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).
- 2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of October, 1947.

Dated this 6th 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 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. Tyndall, Judge.