

WELLINGTON, CANTERBURY, AND OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND
WOOLSCOURING-WORKS' 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 Wellington, Canterbury, and Otago and Southland Woolscouring-works' Employees' award, dated the 9th day of June, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 965.

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 6 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) The following shall be the minimum rates of wages for workers twenty-one years of age or over:—

		Per Hour.	
		s.	d.
“ Wool-sorters	.. ..	.. 3	9
“ Woolscourer in charge of machine	.. ..	.. 3	6 $\frac{1}{4}$
“ Wool-pressers—			
“ Hand	.. ..	.. 3	5 $\frac{1}{4}$
“ Power	.. ..	.. 3	4 $\frac{3}{4}$
“ Hydro-extractor operator	.. ..	.. 3	4 $\frac{3}{4}$
“ All other workers	.. ..	.. 3	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ ”

(2) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 8 (Employment of Youths), and substituting therefor the following subclause:—

“(a) Boys and youths may be employed at the discretion of the employer at not less than the following minimum rates of wages:—

		Per Week.		
		£	s.	d.
“ Under 16 years	.. ..	2	0	0
“ 16 to 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ years	.. ..	2	5	0
“ 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 17 years	.. ..	2	10	0
“ 17 to 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ years	.. ..	3	0	0
“ 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 18 years	.. ..	3	10	0
“ 18 to 19 years	.. ..	4	0	0

			Per Hour.	
			s.	d.
" 19 to 20 years	..	..	2	2 $\frac{1}{4}$
" 20 to 21 years	..	..	2	6

" And thereafter, the minimum rate for workers of twenty-one years of age and over."

(3) By deleting clause 9 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

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

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1947.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

This amendment gives effect to an agreement of the representatives of the parties.

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.