

OTAGO LOCAL AUTHORITIES' LABOURERS.—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 Local Authorities' Labourers' award, dated the 18th day of February, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 185.

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 clause 3, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“ *Wages*

“ 3. The minimum rate of pay for labourers and all other workers not specifically mentioned shall be £6 8s. 9d. per week.

“ (a) Gardeners who have served an apprenticeship of five years to gardening or who have been employed as gardeners for a period of not less than five years, or who hold a diploma under the Institute of Horticulture Act, 1927, £6 17s. 6d. per week.

“ (b) Labourers employed in tunnels 10 ft. or more in length, or in shafts or trenches of a depth of 6 ft. or over, or in timbering trenches, 2d. per hour extra.

“ (c) Labourers employed in jointing gas or water mains, 1½d. per hour extra.

“ (d) Labourers employed on hammer and drill work or in using explosives, 1d. per hour extra.

“ (e) Labourers employed in tar-sealing operations, 1d. per hour extra.

“ (f) Labourers employed in refuse collecting or loading (other than driving), 3d. per hour extra.

“ (g) Gangers or leading hands while in charge of three or more men, 1s. per day extra.

“ (h) Labourers operating rotary hoes, 3d. per hour extra.

“ (i) Casual workers—*i.e.*, workers employed for less than a week—shall be paid 3s. 2½d. per hour.”

(2) By deleting clause 4 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

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.

AUCKLAND AND WAIKATO HOSPITAL BOARDS' LAUNDRY EMPLOYEES.—AMENDMENT OF INDUSTRIAL AGREEMENT

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 Auckland and Waikato Hospital Boards' Laundry Employees' industrial agreement, made on the 26th day of March, 1946, and recorded in 46 Book of Awards 440.

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 industrial agreement shall be amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting subclauses (a), (b), and (c) of clause 4 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following sub-clauses:—

“(a) *Male Workers*:—

Age commencing.	First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	Third Six Months.	Fourth Six Months.	Fifth Six Months.	Sixth Six Months.	Seventh Six Months.	Eighth Six Months.	Ninth Six Months.	Tenth Six Months.
Under 16 ..	30/-	35/6	41/6	47/6	53/6	59/-	65/-	72/6	84/6	98/-
16 to 17 ..	35/6	41/6	47/6	53/6	59/-	65/-	72/6	84/6	98/-	..
17 to 18 ..	41/6	47/6	53/6	59/-	65/-	72/6	84/6	98/-	..	..
18 to 19 ..	51/-	57/-	62/6	70/-	81/-	98/-	..	..	..	..
19 to 20 ..	59/6	68/6	79/-	91/6	..	..	..	..	..	..
20 to 21 ..	77/-	90/-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

“ Thereafter £6 7s. per week.

“ Provided that a worker of the age of twenty-one years and upwards shall be paid not less than the basic wage for the time being prevailing.

“(b) Female Workers:—

Age commencing.	First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	Third Six Months.	Fourth Six Months.	Fifth Six Months.	Sixth Six Months.	Seventh Six Months.
Under 16	27/6	33/6	39/6	46/-	52/-	58/-	67/-
16 to 17	30/6	36/6	43/-	48/6	57/6	65/-	..
17 to 18	36/6	43/-	48/6	55/6	64/-	..	..
18 to 19	41/6	47/6	54/6	62/6	..	..	..
19 to 20	45/6	52/6	61/6	..	..	..	..
20 to 21	51/-	60/6	..	..	..	..	..

“ Thereafter or on attaining the age of twenty-one years, not less than £4 0s. 9d. per week.

“(c) A worker employed as a hand-washer-woman shall be paid a minimum wage of £4 6s. per week.”

(2) By deleting clause 7 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

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

Dated this 22nd 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 industrial agreement 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.