OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND RETAIL CAKE, CONFECTIONERY, DAIRY, FRUIT, AND VEGETABLE SHOP ASSISTANTS—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 Retail Cake, Confectionery, Dairy, Fruit, and Vegetable Shop Assistants' award, dated the 24th day of June, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 938.

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 12th day of April, 1949, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award (as amended by order of the Court dated the 9th day of September, 1947) shall be further

amended by deleting clauses 3 and 4 and substituting therefor the following clauses:—

" Wages

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

Per Week.

			1	£ A.	d.	
" Under 16				1 16	6	
" 16 to 16½				2, 3	: 6	
" $16\frac{1}{2}$ to 17				2 10	6	
" 17 to 171				2 17	0	
" 17½ to 18				3 4	6	
" 18 to 18½		40		3 12	0	
" $18\frac{1}{2}$ to 19		1 4		3 19	0	
" 19 to 191				4 12	0	
" $19\frac{1}{2}$ to 20	7.00			5 1	0	
" 20 to 20½	'			5 8	6	
" $20\frac{1}{2}$ to 21				5 17	0	
"21 and over	and the state of			7 7	5	

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

Age Comme	encing.	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
Under 16		32/-	37/6	43/- 48/6	48/6	54/-	59/6	65/-	70/6	76/-	81/6
16 to 17		37/6	43/-	48/6	54/-	59/6	65/-	70/6	76/-	81/6	
17 to 18		43/-	48/6	54/-	59/6	65/-	70/6	76/-	81/6		
18 to 19		50/6	56/-	61/6	67/-	72/6	81/6			,.	
19 to 20		58/6	64/-	69/6	81/6						
20 to 21		66/-	81/6	1							

[&]quot;Thereafter, not less than £4 16s. per week.

" Casual Workers

- "4. Casual hands shall be paid not less than 4s, 1½d. per hour in the case of adult males, 2s. 11d. per hour in the case of junior males, 2s. 11½d. per hour in the case of adult females, and 2s. 4½d. per hour in the case of junior females."
- 2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of June, 1949.

Dated this 17th day of May, 1949.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.