

NORTH CANTERBURY **HOSPITAL BOARD GARDENERS**—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 Regulations 1952; and in the matter of the North Canterbury Hospital Board Gardeners industrial agreement, made on the 21st day of September 1951, and recorded in 51 Book of Awards 2066.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by regulation 9 (1) of the Economic Stabilization Regulations 1952, and upon application made in that behalf by the parties to the abovementioned industrial agreement, this Court, for the purpose of giving effect to the pronouncement made by it on the 12th day of July 1952, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said industrial agreement shall be amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 4 (Wages) and substituting the following subclause:—

“(a) The minimum rate of wages shall be as follows:—

	Per Week.
	£ s. d.
“ Qualified gardeners in charge at Christchurch Hospital and Cashmere Sanatorium	10 5 8
“ Qualified gardeners in charge at Burwood Hospital, Jubilee and Tuarangi Homes and Marshland Farm	10 0 8
“ Qualified gardeners or nurserymen	9 10 8
“ Unqualified gardeners	9 0 8”

(2) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 5 (Females and Youths) and substituting the following subclause:—

“(a) Females shall be paid not less than the following rates of wages:—

	Per Week.
	£ s. d.
“ First six months	2 1 3
“ Second six months	2 9 8
“ Third six months	2 18 2
“ Fourth six months	3 6 7
“ Fifth six months	3 15 0
“ Sixth six months	4 3 5
“ Seventh six months	4 11 10
“ Eighth six months	5 1 3
“ Fifth year	5 15 7

“ Provided that females of the age of eighteen years and upwards shall be paid not less than £3 15s. per week for the first six months and thereafter according to scale.”

(3) By deleting clause 13 (General Order Increasing Rates of Remuneration).

(4) By deleting from clause 16 (Meal Money) the figure and symbol “ 3s.” and substituting the figures and symbols “ 3s. 6d.”

2. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of September 1952.

Dated this 16th day of October 1952.

[L.S.]

W. F. STILWELL, 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 order of the 30th January 1951.

W. F. STILWELL, Judge.