OVERSEAS LOADING SUMMARY

Class of Cargo.	Unit.	Basic Rate under Wage System.	Rate of Work and Percentage Increase under Contracting System.							
			1940–46.		1946–47.		1947–48.		1940–48.	
			Rate of Work.	Percentage Increase on Basic Rate.	Rate of Work.	Percentage Increase on Basic Rate.	Rate of Work.	Percentage Increase on Basic Rate.	Rate of Work.	Percentage Increase on Basic Rate.
General	Tons ..	12	16·63	38·58	16·11	34·25	14·34	19·50	16·24	35·33
Lead	,, ..	10	12·87	28·70	..	..	..	..	12·87	28·70
Hides	,, ..	10	11·73	17·30	11·33	13·30	10·55	5·50	11·42	14·20
Tallow	,, ..	12	13·74	14·50	14·47	20·58	14·04	17·00	13·84	15·33
Wool	Bales ..	65	79	21·54	80	23·08	80	23·08	80	23·08
Cheese	Cts. ..	210	246	17·14	259	23·33	260	23·81	249	18·57
Butter	Boxes ..	550	661	20·18	738	34·18	714	29·82	678	23·27
Mutton and lamb	Carcasses ..	550	765	39·09	794	44·36	801	45·64	775	40·91
Beef	Qrs. ..	110	137	24·55	139	26·36	156	41·82	141	28·18
Frozen sundries	F. c/c ..	320	414	29·38	438	36·88	458	43·13	425	32·81
Over-all increase ..	..	..	..	27·46	..	32·72	..	29·40	..	28·65