

TABLE 5.—SCHEDULE OF THE RATES OF WAGES AND THE HOURS OF LABOUR, ETC.—*continued*.

Trade or Occupation.	Northern Industrial District.	Wellington Industrial District.	Canterbury Industrial District.	Otago and Southland Industrial District.
Fellmongering. &c.— <i>contd.</i>	50s. per week of seven shifts of 11 hours each; general labourers and casual hands, 1s. per hour; youths, 12s. 6d. to 20s. per week up to 18 years of age, over 18 years and up to 21 years of age 7½d. to 9d. per hour. Hours of labour, 48 per week. Beamsmen—Journeyman, 1s. 1½d. per hour; improvers, 10½d. per hour, for two years; apprentices, three years, 20s. to 30s. per week. Hours of labour, 48 per week. <i>Gistborne</i>.—Boners, graders, pelt-classers, chamber hands, fitters, moulders, and blacksmiths, 1s. 4½d. per hour; trimmers, blood and manure hands, painters, fleshers, scudders, wool-driers, dollymen, wool-scourers, and wool-wringers, tinsmiths, coopers, lime-burners, and tallymen on chute, 1s. 3d.; general cooling-floor hands, gut-house hands, and truckmen, paunch-cutters, hide-washers, beef slaughtermen's assistants, wool-pressers, and general floor hands, skin-truckers, piece or pie men, and preserving-department workers (other than tinsmiths), 1s. 1½d. per hour; greasers and firemen, 10s. per shift. Boys and youths—15 and under, 12s. 6d. per week; 15 to 19 years and over, 18s. to 40s. per week. Hours of labour, 8½ per day.	10½d. per hour; wool-driers, 1s. per hour; wool-wringers, 1s. per hour; pelt-washers, 11½d. to 1s. per 100; wool-pressing, 1s. per bale; fleshing, 2½d. per dozen; scudders, 1s. per hour; pelt-curer, 1s. per hour; trollyman, 1s. per hour; benchman, 10½d. per hour; kidney-boy, if man 7s. per day, if boy 12s. 6d. to 35s. per week (from 14 to 21 years of age); paunch-cutter, 11½d. per hour; foreman, 1s. per hour; wheels, 10½d. per hour; skins-examiner, 1s. per hour; cooling-room, 10½d. per hour; grader, 1s. per hour; freezing-chamber hands, 1s. 3d. per hour; loading-out, 1s. 3d. to 1s. 6d. per hour; firemen, 56s. per week; greaser, 56s. per week of 56 hours; bone-mill, 11½d. per hour; tallow-shed, 10½d.; offal-trolly, 1s. per hour; night-watchman, 50s. per week; general hands not enumerated, 10½d. per hour; boys and youths, from 12s. to 35s. per week according to age. Hours of labour, 48 per week. <i>Wellington</i>.—Slaughterhouse assistants—Boners, 1s. 4½d. per hour. Fellmongery: skin-washers, 1s. 4½d. per hour, and piecework from 1s. 2d. to 2s. per 100; painters, 1s. 4d.; fleshers, machine-feeders, 1s. 3d. to 1s. 4½d. per hour; scudders, 1s. 3d. to 1s. 4d.; pelt-classer, 1s. 4d.; freezing-chamber hands, 1s. 4½d.; leading hand in hide house, 1s. 4½d.; others, 1s. 3d.; preserving-department workers, 1s. 3d.; boys and youths, 15 to 19 and over, 12s. 6d. to 40s. per week. Hours of labour, 8 per day. <i>Masterton</i>.—Slaughterhouse assistants: Boners, gutmen, and floormen, 1s. 4½d. per hour; cooling-floor hands, trimmers, and general labourers, 1s. 3d. Fellmongery: Painters, 1s. 4d.; piece or pie men, 1s.; limers, 10s. 6d. per day; fleshers, machine-feeders, 1s. 3d. to 1s. 4½d. per hour; scudders, 1s. 3d.	1s. 2d. per hour; shaving-machine hands on chrome and sheepskins, 1s. 2d. per hour; hide unhairers and scudders, 1s. 0½d. per hour; rollers of crop, 1s. 1½d. per hour; rollers of split, 1s. 0½d. per hour; all others in fellmongery department, from 1s. to 1s. 0½d. per hour; soap-workers, 1s. per hour; machine fleshers, scudders, and hand fleshers, 1s. 1d. per hour; hide beamsmen and hide-fleshers 1s. 2d. per hour; other hands, 10½d. per hour; apprentices, three years, 20s. to 30s. per week; youths, 14 to 18 years 12s. to 21s. per week, 18 to 21 years 9d. per hour; all over 21 years, not less than 1s. per hour. Hours of labour —Fellmongery department, winter 8, summer 9 per day; soap-workers, 48 per week. [Note.—See also Curriers.]	