

TABLE 5.—SCHEDULE OF THE RATES OF WAGES AND THE HOURS OF LABOUR IN FACTORIES AND SHOPS IN THE FOUR CHIEF INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS FIXED BY INDUSTRIAL AGREEMENTS AND BY AWARDS OF THE COURT OF ARBITRATION, IN FORCE ON THE 31ST, MARCH, 1913.

Trade or Occupation.	Northern Industrial District.	Wellington Industrial District.	Canterbury Industrial District.	Otago and Southland Industrial District.
Aerated-water and cordial manufacturing	Foreman, 55s. and 60s.; cordial-makers, 55s. and 60s.; machine bottlers, 50s.; packers and wirets, 45s.; bottlers, bottle-washers, and general labourers, 42s. per week (44 to 49 hours); youths, 10s. to 35s.	..	Foremen and cordial-makers, 60s.; machine bottlers and beer-bottlers, 50s.; bottle-washers, 42s.; casual labour, 1s. per hour; youths, 14 to 21 years, 10s. to 35s. per week; improvers at machine bottling, first three months 35s. per week, second three months 45s. per week. Hours of labour—summer, 49 per week; winter, 44 per week.	..
Bacon-curing ..	See Butchers' small-goods manufacturing	..	Head curer, 60s. per week; slaughtermen, cutters-up, and rollers, 1s. 2½d. per hour; scalders, 1s. 1½d. per hour; cellarmen, lard-makers, and storehands, 1s. 0¾d. per hour; other workers, 1s. per hour; boys and youths, 14 to 20 years, 12s. to 30s. per week. Hours of labour, 48 per week. Journymen, 1s. 2d. per hour per week of 44 hours; apprentices, 5 years, 5s. to 30s.	..
Basketware, rattan, and wicker-work manufacturing	Journymen rattan and wicker workers, 1s. 2d. per hour; improvers, 35s. per week; apprentices, four years, 5s. to 20s. per week. Hours of labour, 47 per week	..	..	..
Blacksmithing and farriery	Farriers and general smiths, 1s. 4d. per hour; floormen, 1s. 1½d. per hour; apprentices, five years, 10s. to 37s. 6d. per week; piecework, shoe-turning only, 3s. per dozen for heeled shoes, 2s. 6d. per dozen for plain shoes. Hours of labour, 47 per week	Farriers and general smiths, 1s. 4d. per hour; floormen, 1s. 1½d. per hour; apprentices, five years, 10s. to 32s. 6d. per week. Hours of labour, 46 per week. <i>Wellington Country Award.</i> —Farriers and general smiths, 1s. 3d. per hour; floormen, 1s. 0¾d. per hour; apprentices, six years, 7s. 6d. to 40s. per week. Hours of labour, 48 per week. See Shipbuilding, &c.	..	..
Boilermaking ..	See Shipbuilding, &c.	..	See Shipbuilding, &c.	See Shipbuilding, &c.
Bookbinding ..	Journymen binders and paper-rulers, 60s. per week; cutters, 30s. to 55s.; casual labour, 1s. 4½d. per hour; apprentices, six years, 10s. to 30s. per week. Hours of labour, 48 per week	Journymen, 60s. per week; casual labour, 1s. 4½d. per hour; apprentices, six years, 10s. to 30s. per week. Hours of labour, 48 per week	Journymen, 60s. per week; casual labour, 1s. 4½d. per hour; apprentices, six years, 10s. to 30s. per week. Hours of labour, 48 per week.	..
Bootmaking (male operatives)	All adult operatives, 1s. 2d. per hour; apprentices, five years, 10s. to 32s. 6d. per week. Hours of labour, 45 per week	Same as in Northern District ..	Same as in Northern District ..	Same as in Northern District.
Bootmaking (female operatives)	Journymen, 27s. 6d. per week; wax-thread-machine workers, 35s. per week; apprentices, five years, 10s. to 23s. per week. Hours of labour, 45 per week	Same as Northern District ..	Same as in Northern District ..	Same as Northern District.