OVERSEAS LOADING SUMMARY

Class of Cargo.	Unit.	Basic Rate under Wage System.	Rate of Work and Percentage Increase under Contracting System.							
			1940–45.		1945–46.		1946–47.		1940–47.	
			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	16·37	36·42	17·57	46·42	16·11	34·25	16·55	37·92
Lead	,, ..	10	12·75	27·50	13·70	37·00	..	..	12·87	28·70
Hides	,, ..	10	11·42	14·20	13·94	39·40	11·33	13·30	11·69	16·90
Tallow	,, ..	12	13·74	14·50	13·78	14·83	14·47	20·58	13·83	15·25
Wool	Bales ..	65	78	20·00	82	26·15	80	23·08	80	23·08
Cheese	Cts ..	210	245	16·67	253	20·48	259	23·33	248	18·10
Butter	Boxes ..	550	659	19·76	673	22·36	738	34·18	672	22·18
Mutton and lamb	Carcasses ..	550	767	39·45	758	37·82	794	44·36	771	40·18
Beef	Qrs ..	110	137	24·55	144	30·90	139	26·36	137	24·55
Frozen sundries	F. c/c ..	320	415	29·90	411	28·44	438	36·88	419	30·94
Over-all increase ..	..	..	..	26·45	..	31·66	..	32·72	..	28·57