

(36.) DUNEDIN TAILORESSES.

In the matter of "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1894"; and in the matter of two references filed in connection with a dispute between the New Zealand Federated Tailoresses and other Clothing-trades Employés' Union and the New Zealand Clothing-manufacturers' Association.

The Conciliation Board for the Industrial District of Otago and Southland, having received the necessary proofs establishing its jurisdiction in the above matters and considered the evidence, hereby recommends as follows:—

That the parties to the said dispute enter into an industrial agreement for a period commencing on the 13th day of November, 1899, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1900, or the date on which the log now in force in Auckland expires, whereby they agree to work under the existing log, save in so far as it is controlled by "The Employment of Boys or Girls without Payment Prevention Act, 1899," or other legislation.

Dated this 8th day of November, 1899.

FREDK. CHAPMAN, Chairman.

Memorandum annexed to Recommendation.

The Board is of opinion that wages and the conditions of labour should be uniform throughout New Zealand, unless it can be shown that local circumstances give rise to necessary differences, and with the object of facilitating the bringing-about of this the Board makes the recommendation which it has announced.

FREDK. CHAPMAN, Chairman.

In the matter of References Nos. 21 and 22.

The parties to the dispute arising under the above references agree to enter into an industrial agreement for a period of six months from this date embodying the existing log, and that should matters not at the expiry of that period be settled to the satisfaction of both parties they will, on the matter again coming before the Board, consent to a reference direct to the Court.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1899.

B. HALLENSTEIN,
President, New Zealand Clothing-manufacturers' Association.

L. MORRIS,
Honorary Secretary, New Zealand Clothing-manufacturers'
Association.

PATRICK HALLEY,
Vice-President, New Zealand Federated Tailoresses and other
Trades' Union.

ADA F. WHITEHORN,
Secretary, New Zealand Federated Tailoresses and other Cloth-
ing-trade Employés' Union.
