## (59.) WELLINGTON TAILORS.

Under "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1894," and its Amendments.

Before the Board of Conciliation in the Wellington Industrial District.—In the matter of an industrial dispute between the Master Tailors' Industrial Union of Employers, whose president is W. Allan, Esq., draper, Cuba Street, Wellington; the Wellington Woollen Manufacturing Company (Limited), Wellington; Charles Cathie, tailor, 35, Victoria Street, Wellington; and the other employers set out and described in the list marked "A" in the papers relating to the dispute; the Wellington Tailors' Industrial Union of Workmen, and of a reference thereof for settlement.

THE Board, having heard Mr. W. Allan, a duly appointed representative of the said employers, and having heard Messrs. Walter Henry Percival, William Murdoch, and John Tod, duly appointed representatives of the Workers' Union, and having taken a considerable amount of evidence given by persons called by the said representatives of the Union of Workmen, and having been informed by Mr. Allan that the employers did not intend to tender any evidence, and having had no evidence tendered by the employers or their representatives, although opportunities were given for the said employers to tender evidence if they desired to, and the Board having sat in committee three days, and having been unable to agree to proposals submitted by members of the Board for a settlement of the dispute:

I do hereby report, as authorised to by the Board, that the Board has failed to bring about a settlement.

JOHN CREWES, Chairman.

Wellington, 31st August, 1900.

## (60.) WELLINGTON TAILORESSES.

Under "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1894," and its Amendments.

Before the Board of Conciliation in the Wellington Industrial District.—In the matter of an industrial dispute between the Wellington Tailoresses' Industrial Union of Workers and the Wellington Master Tailors' Industrial Union of Employers, as under--viz., the Drapery and General Importing Company (Limited), commonly known as the D.I.C., Panama Street; W. and J. Henry, Lambton Quay; Kitto and Graham, Manners Street; J. Mowat, Lambton Quay; Kirkcaldie and Stains, Lambton Quay; Veitch and Allan, Cuba Street; Thomas Sims, Courtenay Place; Berry and Orr, Cuba Street; Morrison and Penney, Willis Street; Charles Gamble, Lambton Quay; Thomas Shields, Lambton Quay; King and Muir, Lambton Quay; William Smith, Te Aro House, Cuba Street; Alexander Paterson, Cuba Street; Coogan and Sons, Willis Street; J. D. Slater, Lambton Quay; George Hugh McLeod, Wellington; and the undermentioned other employers of tailoresses in the City of Wellington-viz., Frederick Ashdown, Willis Street; Edgar Jones, Lambton Quay; Baker and Osborne, Cuba Street; Arthur Lilley (Shephard and Co.), Cuba Street; S. Tuckwell, Lambton Quay; Oakley, Richards, and Chapman, Lambton Quav: C. Nodine, the Terrace; Stout and Bradley, Willis Streetand of a reference thereof for settlement.

THIS Board, having taken into consideration the matter of the abovementioned dispute, and having heard the Wellington Tailoresses' Industrial Union of Workers (hereinafter called "the Tailoresses' Union") by their representatives duly appointed, and having also heard Mr. Joseph Hendry, the secretary of the Wellington Master Tailors' Industrial Union of Employers (hereinafter called "the Employers' Union"), on oath, doth hereby recommend as follows, that is to say:—

1. The table marked "A" hereunto annexed, and signed by the