(56.) OTAGO MILLERS.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland Industrial District.—In the matter of "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1894," and the amendments thereof; and in the matter of an industrial dispute between the United Millers, Engine-drivers, and Mill Employees' of Otago Industrial Union of Workers and R. Anderson and Co., High Street, Dunedin; Evans and Co., Manor Place, Dunedin; A. Steven and Co., Crawford Street, Dunedin; R. Hudson and Co., Moray Place, Dunedin; J. H. Hancock and Co., Kensington; Thomas Anderson, Duggate; John C. Gow, Palmerston; James and William Sheddon, Waiwera South; George Bruce, Phœnix Mill, Oamaru; William Burnet, Blackstone Hill; Peter Butell, Arrowtown; D. L. Christie, Lawrence; Campbell Cowie, Millburn; R. Doul, Mandeville; Neil Craig, Riversdale; William Davie, Balclutha; Fleming and Gilkison, Dee Street, Invercargill; Fleming, Gilkison, and Co., Gore; Henry Harraway, Bond Street, Dunedin; J. Hewton, Waianakarua; Wilkie and Co., Mosgiel; Allan King, Arrowtown; Peter McGill, Milton; the Maniototo Flour-milling Company, Naseby; P. Walsh, Milton; G. and T. Meek, "Crown Mills," Oamaru; Milligan and Bond, Tees Street, Oamaru; Thomas Murray, Arrowtown; Tweedie and McLean, Riverton; C. Robertson, Berwick; Mrs. T. Richardson, Outram; R. Shand and Co., Waikouaiti; James Robertson and Co., Shotover; John James Thompson, Waikaia; Wakatipu Flour-mill Company, Arrowtown; Ireland and Co., Oamaru; W. Urguhart, Palmerston.

THE Court of Arbitration of New Zealand (hereinafter called "the Court"), having taken into consideration the matter of the abovementioned dispute, and having heard such of the parties as appeared before it, doth hereby award :—

1. That the hours of labour, rates of payment, holidays, and terms and conditions of employment shall be such as may be agreed upon by any employer and employee whom he may employ.

2. That this award shall take effect from the 31st day of August, 1900, and continue in force until the 30th day of September, 1900.

In witness whereof the seal of the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand hath been hereunto put and affixed, and the President of the Court hath hereunto set his hand, this 4th day of July, 1900.

J. C. MARTIN, J., President.

(57.) OTAGO COAL-MINERS.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland Industrial District.—In the matter of "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1894," and the amendments thereof; and in the matter of an industrial dispute between the Otago Coal-miners' Industrial Union of Workers (hereinafter called "the union") and the Allendale Coal Company (Limited) (hereinafter called "the company").

THE Court of Arbitration of New Zealand (hereinafter called "the Court"), having taken into consideration the matter of the abovementioned dispute, and having heard the union by its representatives duly appointed, and having also heard the company by its representatives duly appointed, and having also heard the witnesses