

(556.) AUCKLAND SADDLERS: ORDER OF THE COURT JOINING PARTIES TO AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern Industrial District.—In the matter of “The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1900,” and its amendment; and in the matter of an industrial dispute between the Auckland Saddlers, Harness-makers, Collar-makers, and Bridle-cutters’ Industrial Union of Workers and the Auckland Saddlery and Harness Manufacturers’ Union and other employers, and of an award made by this Court herein on the 18th day of December, 1902.

Wednesday, the 18th day of February, 1903.

UPON reading the notice hereto annexed and marked “A,” and the evidence taken before the Court herein having satisfied the Court that the persons whose names appear in the list of names hereto annexed and marked “B” have been duly served with the said notice at least thirty days prior to the 16th of February, 1903, and the said application referred to in the said notice having been duly adjourned from the 16th day of February aforesaid to the 18th day of February, 1903, and upon hearing the representatives of each of the above-mentioned unions in support of the said application, and upon reading and considering all the objections forwarded to the Clerk of Awards,—

This Court doth, in exercise of the special powers conferred upon it under section 87 of the above-mentioned Act, order that the said award shall be extended to and shall bind the persons respectively named in the said list of names hereto annexed marked “B” as fully and effectively as if the said persons had been parties to the said dispute and named as parties to the said award.

By the Court,

THEO. COOPER, J., President.

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TAKE notice that on the 16th day of February, 1903, at the hour of 11 o’clock in the forenoon, an application will be made to the Court at the Supreme Court House, Auckland, to extend the award (a copy of which is hereto annexed) so as to join and bind you as a party thereto; and further take notice that if you object to the award being so extended you must forward written notice of such objection

to the Clerk of Awards, stating the grounds of your said objection, on or before the 31st day of January, 1903.

Dated this 7th day of January, 1903.

J. H. HINDMAN,
Secretary for the Workers' Union.

F. C. KNIGHT,
Secretary for the Manufacturers' Union.

B.

I. J. Cole, Opitonui; J. Erickson, Te Kuiti; W. S. Fell, Waio-temarama; R. Flood, Mangawhare; J. Gardiner, Kihikihi; T. Guerin, Kaikohe; J. McNaught, Te Kuiti; W. McNaught, Otorohanga; H. R. Ridings, Kaeo; D. Ryan, Papakura; H. Stewart, Rotorua; R. M. Cameron, Helensville; P. Woods, Kawakawa; H. E. Woods, Ohaeawai; F. S. Western, Tauranga; F. W. Coleman, Mercer; J. F. Lemon, Tauranga; A. Caley, Waihi; R. Buckley, Thames; J. P. Horner, Warkworth; T. Walker, Warkworth; E. Birtles, Paparoa; J. Dell, Maungaturoto; W. A. Strong, Clevedon; — May, Te Aroha; W. R. Grigg, Kaitaia; A. Palmer, Kaihu; W. R. Bickers, Rehia; T. R. Brown, Raglan; H. Bruce, Gisborne; J. Carroll, Huntly; W. M. Chappell, Pirongia; E. S. Cole, Papakura; A. Falwell, Papakura; C. N. Flyger, Hikurangi; F. Keeley, Rotorua; J. Kelly, Hamilton East; R. Land, Ohaupo; H. Mack, Mangapai; C. H. Deverell, Te Ahora; T. McCready, Mongonui; J. McCready, Taneatua; E. McDowell, Tauranga; H. McKenzie, Aratapu; F. Rose, Tirau; H. F. Northe, Te Karaka; R. Peck, Wakatane; J. W. Roffey, Tauranga; E. J. Salt, Te Ahuahu; C. E. Smith, Tologa Bay; H. Stewart, Rotorua; H. Thomas, Taheke; W. Neilson, Waharoa; C. Tattersall, Te Puke; J. Crombie, Franklin Road; W. G. Tye, Elliot Street; T. M. Culpitt, Hobson Street; W. H. Tucker, Clevedon; William Cole, Tuakau; A. Smith, Dargaville; Martin and Co., Parnell; Charles Dalton, Durham Street; T. S. Williams, Tuparoa, E.C.; Robertson and Leslie, Port Awanui, E.C.; A. B. Williams, Wai-piro Bay; Tokomaru Trading Company, Tokomaru Bay, E.C.

(557.) HIKURANGI COAL-MINERS.—DECISION OF COURT. NO JURISDICTION.

THIS dispute came before the Court for hearing at Whangarei on the 24th February, 1903.

At the commencement of the proceedings the representatives of the union handed in a certificate signed by the chairman of the union, in the following terms: "A special meeting of the above union was held in the Hikurangi School on the 10th September, 1902, commencing at 7.15 p.m. The nature of the proposals submitted were the twenty-six demands of the union now before the