(1587.) AUCKLAND BUTCHERS.—AMENDMENT OF AWARD. In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern Industrial District.—In the matter of "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1905," and its amendments; and in the matter of an award dated the 25th day of June, 1906, made in an industrial dispute between the Auckland Butchers' Industrial Union of Workers and the Auckland Provincial Master Butchers' Industrial Union of Employers and other employers.

MONDAY, THE 11TH DAY OF MAY, 1908.

For the purpose of remedying a defect in the above-named award, and for giving effect to the agreement of the parties, and with the consent of the said parties, this Court doth order that the said award shall be and the same is hereby amended by substituting the following clause for clause 3 thereof:—

Wages for Youths.

3. Youths under twenty years of age employed in the butchering trade shall be paid a minimum wage upon the following scale:— Over fourteen and under fifteen years of age, 10s. per week; over fifteen and under sixteen years of age, 12s. 6d. per week; over sixteen and under seventeen years of age, 15s. per week; over seventeen and under eighteen years of age, £1 per week; over eighteen and under nineteen years of age, £1 5s. per week; over nineteen and under twenty years of age, £1 10s. per week. Youths under fourteen years of age shall not be employed in any branch of the trade.

W. A. SIM, Judge.