(4646.) CANTERBURY TANNERS, FELLMONGERS, AND SKINNERS.— AMENDMENT OF AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Canterbury Industrial District.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of an award dated the 10th day of February, 1917, made in an industrial dispute between the Canterbury Tanners, Fellmongers, and Skinners' Industrial Union of Workers and the Canterbury Tanners, Fellmongers, and Wool-scourers' Industrial Union of Employers and others.

Thursday, the 10th day of May, 1917.

Upon reading the application filed herein on the 2nd day of May, 1917, by the above-named union of workers, and upon hearing the representatives of the said union of workers and also of the employers, and with the consent of the latter, this Court doth order that the said award be and the same is hereby amended by adding to clause 6 of the said award the following subclause:—

"(p.) Except where otherwise specified all workers over the age of twenty-one years employed in or about a tannery, fellmongery, or wool-works shall be paid not less than 1s. 3d. per hour. Workers over the age of fifty-five and incapable of earning the minimum wage may be employed at light work at the rate of 11½d. per hour."

By the Court.

JOHN H. SALMON, Registrar.