

(4910.) OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT BRICK-
LAYERS.—AMENDMENT OF AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland 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 23rd day of June, 1915, made in an industrial dispute between the Otago Bricklayers' Industrial Union of Workers and the Dunedin Builders' Union of Employers and others.

Tuesday, the 16th day of April, 1918.

UPON reading the application of the above-named industrial union of workers filed herein on the 5th day of March, 1918, and upon hearing the duly appointed representative of the said industrial union of workers, and there being no appearance of or on behalf of any of the employers parties to the said award, and no objection to the said application lodged by or on behalf of any of the said employers, this Court doth order that the said award be amended as follows, that is to say: By inserting in the said award, after clause 2, subclause (*d*), thereof, the following subclauses:—

“(e.) So long as the British Empire remains in a state of war with Germany and Austria or either of them, and for three months after the cessation of such war, there shall be paid to the workers mentioned in subclause (*a*) of this clause, in addition to the minimum wage therein prescribed, a war bonus of 2d. per hour.

“(f.) Notwithstanding the foregoing subclause the said war bonus may at any time during the currency of this award be continued either wholly or partially, or may be increased or terminated as the Court, on the application of any party to this award or of its own motion, may determine.”

This order shall come into force and shall take effect on the 6th day of May, 1918.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.