

(5195.) CANTERBURY INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT TAILORS AND
TAILORESSES.—ORDER AMENDING 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 the War Legislation and Statute Law Amendment Act, 1918; and in the matter of the Canterbury Industrial District Tailors and Tailoresses' award dated the 15th day of December, 1917, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xviii, p. 1326.

UPON reading the application of the Christchurch Tailoring Trade Industrial Union of Workers filed herein on the 24th day of March,

1919, and after hearing the representative of the said union and the representative of the employers parties to the said award, this Court, having regard to all the relevant considerations and being of opinion that it is just and equitable to amend the said award, doth hereby order that the said award shall be amended in manner following, that is to say—

1. Subclauses (a) and (b) of clause 2 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following subclauses substituted thereof:—

“(a.) The minimum wage for men employed on weekly wages, including pressers, shall be £3 15s. per week.

“(b.) The minimum wage for women employed on weekly wages, including machinists and tailoresses on ladies’ work, shall be £1 15s. per week for the first six months after completion of apprenticeship, and thereafter not less than £2 per week.”

2. Subclause (a) of clause 3 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following subclause substituted therefor:—

“3. (a.) All work performed beyond the hours prescribed in clause 1 hereof shall be considered overtime, and shall be paid for in accordance with the following scale:—

“Weekly hands: From 6 p.m. until 9 p.m., time and a half, and thereafter double time. From 6 a.m. to 8 a.m., time and a half.

“Pieceworkers: From 6 p.m. until 9 p.m., 9d. per hour extra, and thereafter at 1s. 6d. per hour extra. From 6 a.m. to 8 a.m., 9d. per hour extra.”

3. This order shall operate and take effect from the 5th day of May, 1919.

Dated this 16th day of April, 1919.

T. W. STRINGER. Judge.