(5422.) CANTERBURY MOTOR MECHANICS.—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 Motor Mechanics' award dated the 19th day of July, 1918, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xix, p. 625.

UPON reading the application of the Christchurch Branch of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers' (including Brass-finishers, Range-workers, Metal-workers' Assistants, Electrical Workers, Tinsmiths' and Sheet-metal Workers, and Cycle-workers) Industrial Union of Workers filed herein on the 10th day of July, 1919, and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the said union and 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. Clause 4 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following provisions substituted therefor :--

"4. (a.) All time worked in excess of eight and a half hours in any one day on five days of the week, or in excess of four and a half hours on the day of the statutory half-holiday, shall be paid for at the rate of time and a half for the first three hours and thereafter double time, provided that no overtime shall be payable until forty-seven hours for the week have been worked in the case of a worker losing time in any one week by his own default or on his own account, absence through sickness excepted.

"(b.) Double time shall be paid for work done on Sundays, Christmas Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, the birthday of the

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reigning Sovereign, Labour Day, Show Day, Boxing Day, and New Year's Day.

"(c.) Work begun between the hours of 6 a.m. and the ordinary time for commencing work shall be paid for at the rate of time and a half.

" (d.) In computing the amount payable for overtime under this clause any bonus awarded by any order of this Court shall not be taken into such computation."

2. This order shall operate and take effect from the 22nd day of September, 1919.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1919.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.