
(5177) CANTERBURY RANGE-WORKERS.—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 Range-workers' award dated the 19th day of July, 1918, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xix, p. 632.

UPON reading the application of the Christchurch Branch of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers' (including Brass-finishers, Range-workers, Metal-workers' Assistants, Electrical Workers, Tin-smiths and Sheet-metal Workers, and Cycle-workers) Industrial Union of Workers filed herein on the 20th day of March, 1919, and after hearing the representative of the said union and the representative of the employers, this Court, having regard to all the relevant considerations and being of opinion that it is just and equitable to amend the said award, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in the said Acts and of every other power in that behalf enabling it, doth hereby order that the said award shall be amended in manner following, that is to say—

Clauses 3 and 4 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following clauses substituted therefor:—

“ 3. The wages for oven, ashpan, funnel and register makers, and for range fitters and polishers shall be not less than 1s. 6d. per hour, and for grinders and body-fitters not less than 1s. 4½d. per hour.

“ 4. In addition to the minimum rates above prescribed there shall be paid to the workers above mentioned a bonus of 2½d. per hour unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.”

This order shall operate and take effect from the 21st day of April, 1919.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1919.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.