(5192.) CANTERBURY MANURE, TALLOW, AND SOAP 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 Manure, Tallow, and Soap Workers' award dated the 15th day of May, 1917, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xviii, p. 389.

Upon reading the application of the Canterbury Freezing-works, Bacon, Manure, Soap, and Sausage-casing Makers' Industrial Union of Workers filed herein on the 18th 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 sav—

1. By adding to clause 2 of the said award the following subclause:—

"(a.) In addition to the above rates there shall be paid to all the above-mentioned workers a bonus of $2\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour unless and until the Court shall otherwise order."

2. Clause 4 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following

clause substituted therefor:-

"4. All time worked in excess of the hours mentioned in clause 1 hereof shall be considered overtime, and shall be paid for at the rate of time and a half for the first three hours, and double time afterwards. In calculating the overtime rates the bonus above mentioned shall not be taken into account."

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.