

(5780.) N O R T H E R N D I S T R I C T (E X C E P T G I S B O R N E J U D I C I A L D I S T R I C T) C A R P E N T E R S A N D J O I N E R S. — O R D E R A M E N D I N G A W A R D.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern 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 Northern District (except Gisborne Judicial District) Carpenters and Joiners' award dated the 21st day of May, 1917, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xviii, p. 408; and in the matter of an order amending the said award dated the 4th day of March, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 142.

UPON reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 5th day of January, 1920, 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, and by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Acts and of every other power in that behalf enabling it, doth hereby order that the said order shall be amended in manner following, that is to say—

1. By deleting from clause 1, subclause 2 (b), the figures “ $2\frac{1}{2}$ d.” and substituting therefor the figures “ $3\frac{1}{2}$ d.”

2. By adding the following clause:—

“The rates of wages fixed by the award for apprentices shall be increased by 2s. per week unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.”

3. This order shall operate and take effect as from the 1st day of January, 1920.

Dated this 14th day of April, 1920.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.

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