

MARLBOROUGH INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

(5839.) MARLBOROUGH CARPENTERS, PAINTERS, PLUMBERS, AND
BRICKLAYERS.—ORDER AMENDING AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Marlborough 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 Marlborough Carpenters, Painters, Plumbers, and Bricklayers' award dated the 24th day of July, 1918, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xix, p. 657; and in the matter of an order amending the said award dated the 2nd day of October, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 1139.

UPON reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 26th 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 award shall be amended in manner following, that is to say—

1. The said order dated the 2nd day of October, 1919, is hereby cancelled, and this order is substituted therefor.

2. Clause 2 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following provisions substituted therefor:—

“2. (a.) The minimum rates of pay shall be: For carpenters, 1s. 7½d. per hour; for painters, 1s. 7½d. per hour; for plumbers, if registered under the Plumbers Registration Act, 1912, 1s. 7½d. per hour; for plumbers, if not so registered, 1s. 6½d. per hour; for bricklayers, 1s. 7½d. per hour.

“(b.) In addition to the minimum rates above prescribed there shall be paid to the workers above mentioned a bonus of 3½d. per hour.”

Provided that on and after the 31st day of May, 1920, the following clause shall be substituted for the foregoing clause:—

“2. (a.) The minimum rate of pay for carpenters, painters, plumbers, and bricklayers shall be 2s. per hour.

“(b.) In addition to the minimum rate above prescribed there shall be paid to the workers above mentioned a bonus of 3d. per hour unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.”

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

Dated this 25th day of May, 1920.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.