

(5893.) OTAGO PROVINCIAL DISTRICT RETAIL CHEMISTS'
ASSISTANTS.—ORDER AMENDING AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland 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 Otago Provincial District Retail Chemists' Assistants' award dated the 24th day of April, 1918, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xix, p. 292; and in the matter of an order amending the said award dated the 15th day of March, 1920, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxi, p. 212.

UPON reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 26th day of May, 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 15th day of March, 1920, is hereby cancelled, and this order is substituted therefor.

2. Clause 1 of the said award shall be amended by the addition thereto of the following subclause:—

“(e.) The rates above prescribed shall be increased by a bonus of 10s. per week in the case of weekly-wages assistants, and by a bonus of 2½d. per hour in the case of casual assistants. Such bonuses shall continue unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.”

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

Dated this 11th day of June, 1920.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.