(5948.) CANTERBURY TAILORESSES (SHIRT, WHITE, AND SILK 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 Tailoresses' (Shirt, White, and Silk Workers) award dated the 6th day of September, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 985.

UPON reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 31st 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. By the addition thereto of the following clause :---

"7. (a.) The minimum rates prescribed for apprentices, improvers, and journeywomen respectively in clauses 4, 7, and 14 thereof shall be increased by a bonus of 5s. per week unless and until the Court shall otherwise order."

2. The following subclause shall be added to clause 9 of the said award:-

" (a.) The minimum rates prescribed for the workers mentioned in this clause shall be increased by a bonus of 10s. per week 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 22nd day of June, 1920.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.