

(5974.) CANTERBURY BRICK, POTTERY, PIPE, AND TILE  
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 Brick, Pottery, Pipe, and Tile Workers' award dated the 16th day of April, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 356; and in the matter of an order amending the said award dated the 28th day of February, 1920, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxi, p. 104.

Upon reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 27th 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 28th day of February, 1920, is hereby cancelled, and this order is substituted therefor.

2. Clause 3 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following provisions substituted therefor:—

“3. (a.) All adult workers employed in or about brick or pottery works shall be paid not less than 1s. 7d. per hour.

“ (b.) The above-mentioned rates shall be increased by a bonus of 3d. per hour unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.

“ (c.) Youths up to the age of twenty years shall be paid as follows: Fourteen to sixteen years, 15s. per week; sixteen to

seventeen years, £1 per week; seventeen to eighteen years, £1 5s. per week; eighteen to nineteen years, £1 10s. per week; nineteen to twenty years, £1 15s. per week; thereafter the minimum wage.

“(d.) The rates mentioned in the last preceding subclause hereof shall be increased by a bonus of 5s. per week unless and until the Court otherwise orders.”

3. Clause 4 of the said award shall be deleted, and the following provisions substituted therefor:—

“4. (a.) Kiln burners shall be paid not less than 1s. 7d. per hour for day burners and not less than 1s. 6d. for night burners, and one hour shall be allowed to night burners for a meal during each night shift.

“(b.) The rates mentioned in the preceding subclause hereof shall be increased by a bonus of 3d. per hour unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.

“(c.) The provisions of this award other than those contained in clause 4 shall not apply to kiln burners.”

4. This order shall operate and take effect from the 21st day of June, 1920.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1920.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.