(5627.) CANTERBURY LOCAL BODIES' DRIVERS.—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 Local Bodies' Drivers' award dated the 8th day of September, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 1048.

Upon reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 4th day of February, 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 following subclause shall be added to clause 2 of the said

award :-

"(a.) In addition to the minimum wage above prescribed there shall be paid to such workers a bonus of 4s. per week unless and until the Court shall otherwise order."

2. This order shall operate and take effect as from the 1st day

of January, 1920.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1920.

T. W. STRINGER, Judge.