

(6581.) DUNEDIN FELT-HATTERS.--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 Dunedin Felt-hatters' award dated the 20th day of August, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 873; and in the matter of an order amending the said award dated the 11th day of June, 1920, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxi, p. 794.

UPON reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 18th day of November, 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 11th day of June, 1920, is hereby cancelled, and this order is substituted therefor.

2. The following subclause is hereby added to clause 2 of the said award:—

“(d.) The minimum rates prescribed for workers mentioned in this clause shall be increased by a bonus of 13s. per week unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.”

3. The following subclause is hereby added to clause 5 of the said award:—

“(j.) The minimum rates prescribed in this clause for apprentices shall be increased by a bonus of 6s. per week unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.”

4. This order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of November, 1920.

Dated this 10th day of March, 1921.

[L.S.]

F. V. FRAZER, Judge.