(6641.) OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND CHEESE AND BUTTER FACTORIES' ASSISTANTS (OTHER THAN MANAGERS).—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 and Southland Cheese and Butter Factories' Assistants' (other than Managers) award dated the 19th day of December, 1919, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xx, p. 1435; and in the matter of an order amending the said award dated the 9th day of June, 1920, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxi, p. 732.

Upon reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 15th day of January, 1921, 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 9th day of June, 1920, is hereby

cancelled, and this order is substituted therefor:-

2. In addition to the minimum rates of wages prescribed in Part I of the said award, clause 1 (a) and 1 (b), and in Part II of the said award, clause 1, subclauses (a), (b), (e), (d), and (e), there shall be paid a bonus of 13s. per week, except in the case of learners, who shall receive 10s. per week; and such bonuses shall be paid unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.

3. In addition to the minimum rates of wages prescribed in clause 6 of Part II of the said award there shall be paid to such boys and youths a bonus of 4s. per week unless and until the Court shall

otherwise order.

4. This order shall be deemed to operate and take effect as from the 1st day of November, 1920.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1921.