

(6661.) OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND WHOLESALE MERCHANTS' STOREMEN AND PACKERS.—ORDER ADDING PARTIES TO 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 an award dated the 9th day of November, 1920, made in an industrial dispute between the Dunedin United Storemen's Industrial Union of Workers and S. F. Aburn and other employers, recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxi, p. 2183.

Thursday, the 10th day of March, 1921.

UPON reading the application of the above-named union of workers filed herein on the 1st day of March, 1921, and upon hearing the duly appointed representative of the said union of workers and such of the persons, firms, and companies hereinafter named as appeared in person or by their representative duly appointed, this Court doth order that the following be and they are hereby added as parties to the said award as from the date hereof :—

Laidlaw and Gray (Limited), Hardware-merchants, Rattray Street, Dunedin.

Partridge, H. E., and Co. (N.Z.) (Limited), Wholesale Merchants, Dowling Street, Dunedin.

Thomson, Bridger, and Co., Hardware-merchants, Princes Street, Dunedin.

Wilkie, J., and Co., Wholesale Stationers, Princes Street, Dunedin.

[L.S.]

F. V. FRAZER, Judge.

MEMORANDUM.

In deciding to make this order the Court has been influenced by the fact that the conditions of the present awards governing wholesale and retail storemen and packers are similar. Should the conditions be varied at any future time it will be open to any employers who carry on a combined wholesale and retail business to make such application to the Court as they think fit.

[L.S.]

F. V. FRAZER, Judge.