(6694.) CANTERBURY INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT GARDENERS.— 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 Industrial District Gardeners' award dated the 21st day of June, 1920, and recorded in Book of Awards Vol. xxi. p. 699

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Upon reading the application of the union party to the said award filed herein on the 11th 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. Subclause (e) of clause 2 of the said award shall be deleted,

and the following provision substituted therefor:

"(e.) The minimum rates prescribed by subclauses (a) and (b) of this clause shall be increased by the following bonuses unless and until the Court shall otherwise order, viz.: A bonus of $2\frac{1}{4}$ d. per hour on the minimum hourly rates, and a bonus of 9s. per week on the said minimum weekly rates."

2. The following subclause shall be added to clause 12 of the

said award:

"(i.) In addition to the minimum rates of wages prescribed in this clause for apprentices there shall be added a bonus of 1s. per week unless and until the Court shall otherwise order."

3. This order shall be deemed to operate and take effect as from

the 1st day of November, 1920.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1921.

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F. V. FRAZER, Judge.