

(6706.) CANTERBURY COACHBUILDERS.—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 Coachbuilders' award dated the 22nd day of June, 1920, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxi, p. 869.

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. Subclause (*d*) of clause 3 is hereby deleted, and the following provision is substituted therefor:—

“ (*d*.) To the above rate there shall be added a bonus of 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per hour unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.”

2. The following additional subclause shall be added to clause 6 of the said award:—

“ (*j*.) In addition to the minimum rates above prescribed for apprentices there shall be paid, unless and until the Court shall otherwise order, a bonus of 1s. per week.”

3. Subclause (*b*) of clause 7 of the said award is hereby deleted, and the following provision is substituted therefor:—

“ (*b*.) To the above rates shall be added a bonus of 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per hour unless and until the Court shall otherwise order.”

4. Subclauses (c) and (d) of clause 9 of the said award are hereby deleted, and the following provision is substituted therefor :—

“(c.) The minimum wage of helpers shall be as follows: From the age of fifteen to sixteen years, at the rate of £1 per week; from sixteen to seventeen years, £1 5s. per week; from seventeen to eighteen years, £1 10s. per week; from eighteen to nineteen years, £1 15s. per week; from nineteen to twenty years, £2 5s. per week; from twenty to twenty-one years, £2 15s. per week; over twenty-one years, 1s. 7d. per hour, with a bonus of 3¼d. per hour to last-mentioned workers only.

“(d.) Extra helpers above the number specified may be taken on at not less than 1s. 7d. per hour, with a bonus of 3¼d. per hour.”

5. Subclause (a) of clause 11 of the said award is hereby deleted, and the following provision is substituted therefor :—

“(a.) The minimum wage of assemblers shall be as follows: For the first year, 1s. 8d., and thereafter 1s. 10d. per hour, with a bonus of 3¼d. per hour in each case.”

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

Dated this 8th day of April, 1921.

[L.S.]

F. V. FRAZER, Judge.