

CANTERBURY INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

(6935.) NORTH CANTERBURY WOOL AND GRAIN STORES EMPLOYEES.—INDUSTRIAL AGREEMENT.

THIS industrial agreement, made in pursuance of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and its amendments, this 25th day of May, 1921, between the undermentioned persons, firms, and companies—

- Barker, H. L., Wool and Grain Merchant, Ashburton.
 Bruce, Murdoch, Grain-merchant, Ashburton.
 Canterbury (N.Z.) Seed Company (Limited), Christchurch.
 Dalgety and Co. (Limited), Woolbrokers, Cathedral Square, Christchurch.
 Kaye and Carter, Grain-merchants, Hereford Street, Christchurch.
 McElrea, H. R. C., Skin and Wool Broker, Ashburton.
 Matson, H., and Co., Woolbrokers, Cashel Street, Christchurch.
 Montgomery and Co., Seed-merchants, Christchurch.
 National Mortgage and Agency Company (Limited), Woolbrokers, Hereford Street, Christchurch, and Ashburton and Southbridge.
 New Zealand Farmers' Co-operative Association of Canterbury (Limited), Grain-merchants, Christchurch, Ashburton, and Rangiora.
 New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited), Wool and Grain Merchants, Hereford Street, Christchurch.
 Paterson, A. S., and Co. (Limited), Grain-merchants, Cashel Street, Christchurch.
 Pratt, T. N., Wool and Grain Merchant, Moorhouse Avenue, Christchurch.
 Pyne, Gould, Guinness (Limited), Woolbrokers, Cashel Street, Christchurch, and Ashburton.
 Seldon Bros., Wool and Grain Merchants, Ashburton.
 Tutton, A. P., and Son, Wool and Grain Merchants, Rangiora.
 Wright, Stephenson, and Co. (Limited), Wool and Grain Merchants, Christchurch and Ashburton—

(hereinafter referred to as "the employers") of the one part, and the Canterbury Builders' and General Labourers, Quarry Workers, and Wool and Grain Store Employees' Industrial Union of Workers (Wool and Grain Store Section) (hereinafter referred to as "the union") of the other part, witnesseth that the parties hereto hereby agree as follows, that is to say:—

SCHEDULE.

Labourers employed in the grain, seed, and wool stores shall be paid—

Wages.

Basic wage, 1s. 8d. per hour.

In addition to the wage above prescribed there shall be paid a bonus of 3¼d. per hour unless during the period prescribed a fresh pronouncement is made by the Arbitration Court, or a new award is made upon the application of either party, or a fresh arrangement is mutually agreed upon.

Term of Agreement.

The agreement shall remain in force (subject to the above conditions) from the 1st May, 1921, to the 30th April, 1922.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have executed these presents the day and year first written.

Signed on behalf of the union, and seal attached—

[SEAL.]

J. S. WALKER.

T. MASEFIELD.

H. WORRALL.

Barker, H. L., Wool and Grain Merchant, Ashburton.

H. L. BARKER.

Bruce, Murdoch, Grain-merchant, Ashburton.

MURDOCH BRUCE.

Canterbury (N.Z.) Seed Company (Limited), Christchurch.

C. H. HEWLETT.

Dalgety and Co. (Limited), Woolbrokers, Cathedral Square, Christchurch.

J. G. HERDMAN.

Kaye and Carter, Grain-merchants, Hereford Street, Christchurch.

H. J. BOWLKER.

McElrea, H. R. C., Skin and Wool Broker, Ashburton.

H. R. C. McELREA.

Matson, H., and Co., Woolbrokers, Cashel Street, Christchurch.

LEICESTER MATSON.

Montgomery and Co., Seed-merchants, Christchurch.

A. G. W. PEARSON.

National Mortgage and Agency Company (Limited), Woolbrokers, Hereford Street, Christchurch, and Ashburton.

F. J. HOWLEY.

New Zealand Farmers' Co-operative Association of Canterbury (Limited), Grain-merchants, Christchurch, Ashburton, and Rangiora.

H. VEITCH.

New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited), Wool and Grain Merchants, Hereford Street, Christchurch.

R. M. MCKNIGHT.

Paterson, A. S., and Co. (Limited), Grain-merchants, Christchurch.

STRONACH PATERSON.

Pratt, T. N., Wool and Grain Merchant, Moorhouse Avenue, Christchurch.

T. N. PRATT.

Pyne, Gould, Guinness (Limited), Woolbrokers, Cashel Street, Christchurch, and Ashburton.

NORTON FRANCIS.

Seldon Bros., Wool and Grain Merchants, Ashburton.

F. W. SELDON.

Tutton, A. P., and Son, Wool and Grain Merchants, Rangiora.

W. C. PROSSER.

Wright, Stephenson, and Co. (Limited), Wool and Grain Merchants, Christchurch and Ashburton.

P. JOWETT.

NOTE.—Section 25, subsection (4), of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, provides that, notwithstanding the expiry of the term of the industrial agreement, it shall continue in force until superseded by another industrial agreement or by an award of the Court of Arbitration, except where the registration of an industrial union of workers bound by such agreement has been cancelled.