(7395.) NORTH CANTERBURY THRESHING-MILLS EMPLOYEES.—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 North Canterbury Threshing-mills Employees award, dated the 13th day of December, 1921, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxii, p. 1848; and in the matter of an application by the North Canterbury Threshing-mill Proprietors Industrial Union of Employers to vary the said award.

Upon reading the application of the employers parties to the said award filed herein on the 30th day of November, 1922, and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the said employers and of the union party to the said award, this Court, having regard to all the relevant considerations, and by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act and of every other power in that behalf thereto enabling it, doth hereby order that the said award shall be amended in manner following, that it to say,—

1. Subclause (c) of clause 4 of the said award is hereby deleted,

and the following provision is substituted therefor:-

"(c.) In addition to the above rate there shall be paid to such workers a bonus of $7\frac{1}{4}$ d. per hour unless and until the Court shall otherwise order."

2. Subclause (b) of clause 5 of the said award is hereby deleted,

and the following provision is substituted therefor:

"(b.) In addition to the above rates there shall be paid to pieceworkers a bonus of 5s. 10d. per 1,000 bushels unless and until the Court shall otherwise order."

3. This order shall be deemed to have operated and taken effect as from the 4th day of December, 1922.

Dated this 21st day of December, 1922.

[l.s.] F. V. Frazer, Judge.

MEMORANDUM.

This order is made in pursuance of the judgment of the Court delivered to-day in re an application by the employers, parties to the above award, for an order reducing the rates of remuneration below the rates now in force. The foregoing order is made in order to remove any misunderstanding as to the rates payable.

F. V. Frazer, Judge.

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