

## WESTLAND INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

### (7152.) WESTLAND COAL-MINES.—ORDER AMENDING AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Westland Industrial District.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of the Westland Coal-mines award, dated the 7th day of December, 1921, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxii, p. 1778.

UPON reading the joint application for amendment of the said award made by the Denniston Coal-miners' Industrial Union of Workers and the Westport Coal Company (Limited) in so far as the Denniston Mine is concerned, and the Millerton and Granity Coal-miners' Industrial Union of Workers and the Westport Coal Company (Limited) in so far as the Millerton Mine is concerned, filed herein on the 27th day of April, 1922, this Court, being satisfied that all parties to the said award as are affected by the proposed amendment are desirous that

the said award should be reviewed and amended in terms of the said application, and in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by section 92 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and section 5 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Amendment Act, 1921-22, 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 is to say:—

1. The following subclause shall be added to clause 28 of the said award:—

“28. (a.) In the mines of the Westport Coal Company (Limited) situate at Denniston and Millerton respectively, on the back Saturday hours of work shall be—For day shift, eight hours bank to bank for underground workers, and eight hours exclusive of meal-times at the surface; and for afternoon shift, six hours bank to bank for underground workers, and six hours exclusive of meal-time at the surface.”

2. This order shall operate and take effect as from the 1st day of May, 1922, and shall continue in force during the currency of the said award, or until such time as the Court shall otherwise order.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1922.

[L.S.]

F. V. FRAZER, Judge.