(7467.) NORTHERN, TARANAKI, WELLINGTON, NELSON, CANTERBURY, AND OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS DRIVERS.—AMENDMENT OF AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern, Taranaki, Wellington, Nelson, Canterbury, and Otago and Southland Industrial Districts.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of the Northern Industrial District (except Poverty Bay) Motor and Horse Drivers' award dated the 3rd day of November, 1922, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxiii, p. 856; Poverty Bay Motor and Horse Drivers' award (3rd November, 1922, Vol. xxiii, p. 819); Taranaki Motor and Horse Drivers' award (22nd February, 1923): Wellington Industrial District Motor-car and Horse Drivers and Stable-attendants' award (7th August, 1922, Vol. xxiii, p. 434); Nelson Provincial District Motor-car and Horse Drivers' award (7th July, 1921, Vol. xxii, p. 1019); Canterbury Motor and Horse Drivers' award (14th December, 1922, Vol. xxiii, p. 1182); and Otago and Southland Motor and Horse Drivers' award (23rd November, 1922, Vol. xxiii, p. 1058).

Monday, the 26th day of March, 1923.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 9 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Amendment Act, 1921–22, and of every other power in that behalf thereto enabling it, this Court, having had regard to and taken into consideration the several matters and things as required by the said section, doth hereby order as follows, that is to say:—

1. That the respective rates of remuneration for stable-time and for overtime fixed by the several drivers' awards now in force shall be excluded from the operation of the general order of the 22nd November, 1922, recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxiii, p. 999.

2. That this order shall be deemed to have operated and taken effect as from the date of the coming into force of the said respective awards, or from the 4th day of December, 1922, whichever is the later.

[L.S.] F. V. Frazer, Judge.