

(8155.) NORTHERN, WELLINGTON, NELSON, AND OTAGO AND
SOUTHLAND INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS RETAIL SHOP-ASSISTANTS.—
AMENDMENT OF AWARD.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Wellington Industrial District.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of the Northern, Wellington, Nelson, and Otago and Southland Industrial Districts Retail Shop-assistants' award, dated the 17th day of March, 1924, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxv. p. 111.

Friday, the 3rd day of April, 1925.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section 92 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, and for the purpose of remedying a defect in the Northern, Wellington, Nelson, and Otago and Southland Industrial Districts Retail Shop-assistants' award, dated the 17th day of March, 1924, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. xxv, p. 111, this Court, being of the opinion that it is just and equitable to amend the said award, doth hereby order that the said award shall be amended in manner following, that is to say:—

1. The following words shall be added to clause 9 of the said award: "Notwithstanding anything contained in this clause, the provisions of section 3 (2) of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.

shall apply as if the hours of employment of shop-assistants had not been specifically provided for herein."

2. This order shall operate and take effect as from the day of the date hereof.

[L.S.]

F. V. FRAZER, Judge.

MEMORANDUM.

The Court made provision in the award for shops remaining open until 10 p.m. on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve. The matter of employing assistants on those nights was not specially dealt with, and it has been necessary to make the foregoing order so as to give full effect to the provision already made.

[L.S.]

F. V. FRAZER, Judge.
