(11381.) FACTORIES AMENDMENT ACT, 1936.—ORDER EXTENDING WORKING-HOURS IN RESPECT OF CARTER BROS., BOILING-DOWN WORKS, LEVIN, AND WILSON, CANHAM, AND CO., AWATOTO, HAWKE'S BAY.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Factories Amendment Act, 1936; and in the matter of applications by Carter Bros., Boiling-down Works, Levin, and Wilson, Canham, and Co., Awatoto, Hawke's Bay, for an extension of the limits of working-hours prescribed by section 3 (1) of the said Act.

Wednesday, the 25th day of November, 1936.

Upon reading the applications of Carter Bros., Boiling-down Works, Levin, and Wilson, Canham, and Co., Awatoto, Hawke's Bay, for an extension of the limits of working-hours prescribed by section 3 (1) of the Factories Amendment Act, 1936, and upon hearing the duly appointed representatives of the said companies and the workers concerned, this Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 3 (5) of the said Act, and with the consent of the said representatives, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. The maximum number of hours (exclusive of overtime) to be worked in any week, from Monday to Saturday inclusive, by any worker employed by the said companies shall be fixed

at 44.

2. The period that may be worked without an interval for a meal shall, with the consent of the men concerned, be extended to 5 hours, where such extension is necessary to complete the day's work.

3. This order shall come into force on the day of the date hereof, and shall continue in force until the 31st day of August,

1937.

E. PAGE, Judge.