WESTLAND CARPENTERS AND JOINERS.—AMENDMENT OF APPRENTICESHIP ORDER.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Westland Industrial District.—In the matter of the Apprentices Act, 1923, and its amendments; and in the matter of the Westland Carpenters and Joiners' apprenticeship order, dated the 30th day of June, 1927, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXVII, p. 611.

Tuesday, the 14th day of November, 1939.

Whereas by section 5 (2) of the Apprentices Act, 1923, the Court is empowered to amend any order made under section 5 (1) of the said Act: And whereas application has been made to the Court for an amendment of the Westland Carpenters and Joiners' Apprenticeship Order, dated the 30th day of June, 1927, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXVII, p. 611: And whereas the duly appointed delegate of the Court has heard the representatives of the employers and workers bound by the said Order: Now, therefore, the duly appointed delegate of the Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the said Act, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That clause 8 of the said apprenticeship order shall be deleted, and the following clause substituted therefor:—

"The minimum rates of wages payable to apprentices shall be:—

"For a commencing age of less than

or a commencing age of less	than		
eighteen years—		Per W	eek.
"First year—		£ s.	d.
"First six months		0 17	6
"Second six months		1 1	6
"Second year—			
"First six months		1 5	6
"Second six months		$\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 10 \end{array}$	0
"Third year—			
"First six months		1 15	0
"Second six months		2 0	
"Fourth year—			
"First six months		2 5	0
"Second six months		$\begin{array}{cc} 2 & 5 \\ 2 & 10 \end{array}$	0
"Fifth year—			
"First six months		2 15	0
"Second six months		3 0	0

"For a commencing age of eighteen years and over— "First year— "First six months	Per We £ s. 1 10	d.
	1 15	
"Second year— "First six months" Second six months	$\begin{array}{ccc} 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 \end{array}$	0
	2 10 2 15	
"Fourth year— "First six months" Second six months	3 0 3 5	0
"Fifth year— "First six months "Second six months	3 10 3 15	0 0."

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

J. A. GILMOUR, Stipendiary Magistrate,
[L.S.]

Acting as a duly appointed delegate
of the Court of Arbitration.