

NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT **ENGINEERING TRADES.**—
AMENDMENT OF APPRENTICESHIP ORDER.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Northern Industrial District.—In the matter of the Apprentices Act, 1923, and its amendments; and in the matter of the Northern Industrial District Engineering Trades' apprenticeship order, dated the 7th day of March, 1939, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXXIX, p. 166.

Thursday, the 7th day of March, 1940.

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 for amendment of the Northern Industrial District Engineering Trades' apprenticeship order has been made by the Northern Industrial District Engineering and Related Trades' Industrial Union of Workers: And whereas the Court has heard the duly appointed representatives of the employers and workers bound by the said order: Now, therefore, the Court, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the said Act, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said apprenticeship order shall be amended by adding the following proviso to clause 16 thereof:—

“ Provided that where the hours worked by journeymen in accordance with any such aforesaid provisions are in excess of forty per week the wages of apprentices shall be increased by one-fortieth for each hour worked in excess of forty: Provided, further, that when a holiday occurs in any week the number of hours which would ordinarily be worked on such day shall be counted as time worked for the purpose of computing the weekly hours.”

2. That this order shall operate from the day of the date hereof.

[L.S.]

P. J. O'REGAN, Judge.