OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND **COACH AND MOTOR-BODY BUILDERS.**—AMENDMENT OF APPRENTICESHIP ORDER.

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand, Otago and Southland Industrial District.—In the matter of the Apprentices Act, 1923, and its amendments; and in the matter of the Otago and Southland Coach and Motor-body Builders' Apprenticeship Order, dated the 16th day of December, 1925, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXVA, p. 1372.

Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 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 has been made to the Court for an amendment of the Otago and Southland Coach and Motor-body Builders' Apprenticeship Order, dated the 16th day of December, 1925, and recorded in Book of Awards, Vol. XXVA, p. 1372: 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 the said apprenticeship order shall be amended by adding the fellowing proviso to clause 6 thereof:—
- "Provided that the proportion of apprentices in the panel-beating department shall be one apprentice to each panel-beater employed."
- 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.

MEMORANDUM.

This amendment brings the proportion in respect of the panel-beating branch of the industry into conformity with that in operation at Auckland and Wellington.

J. A. GILMOUR, Stipendiary Magistrate.