CANTERBURY TILE-LAYERS.—AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of the Canterbury Tile-layers' award, dated the 16th day of August, 1938, and recorded in 38 Book of Awards 2192.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942, and of every other power in that behalf thereunto enabling it, this Court, for the purpose of giving effect to the pronouncement made by it on the 15th day of August, 1947, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award (as amended by order of the Court dated the 19th day of September, 1945) shall be further amended in the

manner following:-

(1) By deleting subclause (a) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting

therefor the following subclause:-

"(a) The minimum rate of pay for adult outside tile-fixers shall be 3s. 7d. per hour and for adults employed on tile surrounds and slabs shall be 3s. 3\frac{3}{4}d. per hour."

(2) By deleting clause 4, and substituting therefor the following

clause :-

" Youths

"4. Youths may be employed at not less than the following rates of wages:—

Per Week.

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"For the first six months	 	1 5	0
"For the second six months	 	1 10	0
"For the third six months	 	1 15	0
"For the fourth six months	 	2 0	0
"For the fifth six months	 		0
"For the sixth six months	 	2 12	6
"For the seventh six months	 	3 0	0
"For the eighth six months	 	3 6	0
"For the ninth six months	 	3 14	0
"For the tenth six months	 	4 2	6

"Thereafter adult rates:

"Provided that a worker of the age of twenty-one years or upwards shall be paid not less than the basic wage for the time being prevailing."

(3) By deleting clause 7, and substituting therefor the following

clause :-

" Wages

"7. The following shall be the minimum rates of wages:—
Per Hour.

			S.	d.
"Journeymen	 	 	3	7
" Assistants	 	 • •	3	$3\frac{3}{4}$
" Labourers	 	 	3	2

- "A journeyman shall mean a worker who has worked five years at his trade."
 - (4) By inserting, after clause 7 (Wages), the following new clause :-

" Exclusion from Operation of General Orders

"7A. The rates of remuneration provided for in this award shall not be subject to the provisions of the two general orders of the Court made under the Rates of Wages Emergency Regulations 1940, and dated the 9th August, 1940, and the 31st March, 1942, respectively."

2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of October,

1947.

Dated this 26th day of August, 1947.

[L.S.]

A. Tyndall, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

The rates of remuneration prescribed in the award are *not* to be increased by the application of the provisions of the Court's general orders of 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. Tyndall, Judge.