

the disputes being referred to the Arbitration Court. The following industrial unions of workers were concerned :—

Christchurch Tailors.
 Canterbury Maltsters.
 Otago Timber-yards and Sawmillers.
 Dunedin and Mosgiel Woollen-mills.
 Dunedin Furniture Trades.
 Christchurch Iron and Brass Moulders.
 Christchurch Performing Musicians.
 Christchurch Hairdressers' Assistants.
 Otago Certificated Engine-drivers.
 Kaitangata Coal-miners.
 Canterbury Motor-car Drivers.
 Dunedin Drivers.
 Otago Hairdressers' Assistants.
 Canterbury Coachbuilders.
 Canterbury Bakers and Pastrycooks.
 North Canterbury Threshing - machine Owners.
 Christchurch Plumbers and Gasfitters.
 Dunedin Plumbers and Gasfitters.
 Otago Coach-workers and Wheelwrights.
 Canterbury Timber-yards.
 Dunedin Painters.
 Southland Plumbers, Gasfitters, Tinsmiths, and Sheet-metal Workers.

Invercargill Mercantile Storemen.
 Christchurch Amalgamated Society of Engineers.
 Otago Operative Plasterers.
 Southland Painters.
 Canterbury Cycle-makers.
 Dunedin Brewers, Bottlers, and Aerated-water Workers.
 Mataura Paper Mills.
 Otago and Southland Operative Tailors.
 Otago Grocers' Assistants.
 Otago and Southland Gold-miners.
 Christchurch Aerated-water Workers.
 Waimate Threshing-mill Workers.
 Dunedin Journalists.
 Canterbury Grocers' Assistants.
 Invercargill Drivers.
 Gore Drivers.
 Gore Wool and Grain Store Workers.
 Dunedin Trawlers.
 Canterbury Biscuit, Bakers, and Confectioners.

I have, &c.,

J. R. TRIGGS,

Conciliation Commissioner.

The Secretary of Labour, Wellington.

REQUISITIONS FROM SHOPKEEPERS FIXING THEIR OWN CLOSING-HOURS UNDER SECTION 25 OF THE SHOPS AND OFFICES ACT, 1908, IN FORCE UP TO AND INCLUDING THE 31ST MARCH, 1913.

Place.	Trades.	Place.	Trades.
Amberley ..	All shops, except fishmongers.	Christchurch ..	Grocers.
Arch Hill Road District	Grocers.	" ..	Motor-car, motor-cycle, and cycle shops.
Ashburton ..	Grocers and ironmongers.	" ..	Watchmakers, jewellers, &c. (articles over value of 3s.).
" ..	Cycle-dealers.	" ..	Hairdressers and tobacconists.
" ..	Drapers, clothiers, and boot-merchants.	Clive Riding, Hawke's Bay County	All shops.
" ..	Booksellers, stationers, fancy-goods and toy dealers.	Dannevirke ..	All shops.
" ..	Hairdressers and tobacconists.	" ..	Hairdressers and tobacconists.
Auckland ..	Bicycle dealers and repairers (retail).	" ..	Fishmongers.
" ..	Bootmakers (retail).	" ..	Pork-butchers.
Auckland and New-market	Chemists.	" ..	Chemists.
Auckland ..	Hairdressers.	" ..	Fruiterers, confectioners, bakers, and pastrycooks.
" ..	Furniture and house-furnishing shops.	Devonport ..	Grocers.
" ..	Tailors.	Dunedin ..	Chemists and druggists.
" ..	Tobacconists.	" ..	Hairdressers and tobacconists.
" ..	Grocers.	" and Roslyn	Furniture-dealers.
Avondale ..	All shops.	Eden Terrace Road District	Grocers.
Awarua Riding ..	All shops.	Ellerslie ..	Grocers.
Balclutha ..	All shops.	Eltham ..	All shops, except refreshment-room keepers, fruiterers, and confectioners.
" ..	Hairdressers and tobacconists.	" ..	Chemists and druggists.
" ..	Fancy-goods dealers and book-sellers.	" ..	Hairdressers and tobacconists.
Blenheim ..	Tailors, clothiers, drapers, milliners, jewellers, fancy-goods dealers, stationers, grocers, bootmakers, ironmongers, furniture-dealers, butchers, bicycle-makers.	" ..	Pork-butchers and small-goods men.
" ..	Chemists.	Epsom Road District	Grocers.
" ..	Tobacconists.	Featherston ..	Grocers, drapers, bootmakers, crockery-dealers, seed and produce dealers, clothiers, tailors, and mercers.
Bull's ..	All shops.	Feilding ..	All shops, except butchers, hairdressers and tobacconists, photographers, confectioners, oyster-saloon keepers, fruiterers, and jewellers.
" ..	Hairdressers and tobacconists.	" ..	Chemists.
Brunnerton ..	All shops.	" ..	Saddlers and harness-makers.
Carterton ..	Clothiers, mercers, milliners, ironmongers, drapers, grocers, stationers, and bootmakers.	Fitzroy ..	All shops.
" ..	Hairdressers and tobacconists.		
Christchurch ..	Boot and shoe shops.		
" ..	Butchers.		
" ..	Chemists and druggists.		