

RETURN of DEFECTS found on the INSPECTION of BOILERS and FITTINGS in the NELSON SOUTH DISTRICT during the Financial Year ended the 31st March, 1885.

Description of Defect.	Dangerous.	Ordinary.	Total.
Corrosion from leakage of joints	1	1
Internal corrosion and pitting	4	4
Stays wasted	1	...	1
Total	1	5	6

RETURN of NOTICES given to REPAIR BOILERS in the CANTERBURY DISTRICT during the Financial Year ended the 31st March, 1885.

Date of Notice.	Description of Boiler.	Nature of Repairs ordered.
1884.		
May 14 ...	Vertical	Verbal. New uptake in boiler.
June 9 ...	Tubular	Verbal. Gusset-stays properly secured.
June 9 ...	Cornish	Verbal. Five rivets renewed and re-caulked.
June 10 ...	Cornish	Verbal. Re-caulk three ring-seams on bottom.
June 11 ...	Portable	Verbal. Two new screw-stays in fire-box.
June 18 ...	Portable	Written. Twelve new screw-stays in fire-box.
June 18 ...	Locomotive-type	Written. New back tube-plate.
June 30 ...	Vertical	Verbal. New foundation-ring and bottom plates.
July 24 ...	Tubular	Verbal. New plates on bottom over fire.
Aug. 4 ...	Tubular	Verbal. New plates on bottom over fire.
Sept. 16 ...	Portable	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.
Sept. 22 ...	Traction	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.
Oct. 4 ...	Tubular	Written. Renew all joints on top of boiler, and a proper weight for safety-valve.
Oct. 23 ...	Tubular	Verbal. New sludge-hole door, and rebuild flues.
Oct. 24 ...	Vertical	Verbal. Re-caulk seams in fire-box.
Dec. 3 ...	Portable	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.
Dec. 3 ...	Portable	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.
Dec. 4 ...	Portable	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.
Dec. 22 ...	Vertical	Written. New plate in furnace.
1885.		
Jan. 29 ...	Portable	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.
Feb. 5 ...	Portable	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.
Feb. 5 ...	Portable	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.

RETURN of NOTICES given to REPAIR BOILERS in the WESTLAND DISTRICT during the Financial Year ended the 31st March, 1885.

Date of Notice.	Description of Boiler.	Nature of Repairs ordered.
1885.		
Feb. 20 ...	Tubular	Verbal. New blow-off-cock and pipe.
Feb. 23 ...	Cornish	Verbal. Bolted patch on bottom to be removed, and wasted plate and angle-iron renewed before next inspection.
Feb. 23 ...	Cornish	Verbal. To be replaced by new boiler before next inspection.
Feb. 26 ...	Vertical	Written. New fire-box.
Feb. 27 ...	Vertical	Verbal. Four stays in crown of boiler.
Feb. 27 ...	Vertical	Written. New uptake.
Mar. 4 ...	Locomotive	Verbal. New set of tubes.
Mar. 16 ...	Portable	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.
Mar. 16 ...	Vertical	Verbal. New pressure-gauge.