

BATTERIES IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION, AUCKLAND DISTRICT.

Locality.	Name of Company.	Number of Stamps.	Remarks.
<i>Coromandel County.</i>			
Tokatea	West Tokatea	3	
<i>Thames County.</i>			
Whangamata	Chelmsford	10	Not completed.
Hape Creek	Ethel Reefs	20	"
<i>Ohinemuri County.</i>			
Karangahake	New Zealand Crown	20	Not completed.
"	New Zealand Talisman	50	"
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STATEMENT showing the Whole of the QUARTZ-CRUSHING MACHINES and APPLIANCES for treating Auriferous Ores in the MARLBOROUGH, NELSON, and WEST COAST MINING DISTRICTS for the Nine Months ended the 31st December, 1900.

Locality where Machine is situated.	Name of Machine	Name of Owner.	Number of Rock-breakers.	Number of Stamps.	Number of Ore-crushers.	Number of Berdams.	Number of Pans.	Number of Settlers.	Number of Mortars.	Number of Retorts.	Number of Furnaces for Gold-melting.	Number of Furnaces for Assay Purposes.	Number of Plants for Cyanide Process.	Number of Plants for Chlorination.	Number of Concentrating Plants.	Driven by Steam-power.	Driven by Water-power or Hand-power.
<i>Marlborough County.</i> Top Valley	Jubilee	Jubilee Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	10 ..	1 ..	..	..	..	1 ..	..	..	..	..	..	1 ..	W. H.	..
<i>Collingwood County.</i> West Wanganui, or Taitapu	Taitapu	Taitapu Gold-mining Co.	2	20 ..	4 ..	1	1	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	0
Ditto	Golden Blocks	Golden Blocks Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	8 ..	..	1	1	*2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
<i>Greymouth County.</i> Paparua Ranges	Taffy	Taffy Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	5 ..	1 ..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
"	Crcesus (Paparua)	Crcesus (Paparua) Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	10 ..	1 ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
Lower Paparua	Julian	Julian Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	5 ..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
<i>Buller County.</i> Lyell	Alpine Extended	Alpine Extended Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	20 ..	4 ..	1	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	0
"	Crcesus	Crcesus Syndicate .. .. .	..	10 ..	2 ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
Stony Creek, West-port	Britannia	Britannia Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	2 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
Waimangaroa	Republic	Republic Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	10 ..	2 ..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
<i>Inangahua County.</i> Reefton	Progress	Progress Mines of New Zealand	3	65 ..	1 ..	..	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	0
"	Wealth of Nations	Consolidated Goldfields of New Zealand .. .. .	..	20 ..	1 ..	..	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	0
"	Golden Fleece	Ditto	1	20 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..
"	Keep-it-Dark	Keep-it-Dark Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	20 ..	4 ..	1	1	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	0
"	New Inkerman	New Inkerman Mines .. .. .	..	15 ..	3 ..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..
Merrijigs	Golden Lead	Golden Lead Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	10 ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
"	Cumberland	Cumberland Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	10 ..	1 ..	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	0
"	New Scotia	New Scotia Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	10 ..	1 ..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
"	Last Chance	Last Chance Syndicate .. .. .	..	5 ..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Big River	Big River	Big River Gold-mining Co. .. .. .	..	10 ..	4 ..	..	2	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	0
"	King George	St. George .. .. .	..	5 ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
Capleston	Welcome	Consolidated Goldfields of New Zealand .. .. .	..	10 ..	2 ..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
Bourke's Creek	Gardiner's	W. P. Gardiner and Sons .. .. .	..	..	12 ..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0
			6	300 ..	44 ..	4	22	31	4	4	8	2	3	6	17	0	0

* The gold from the retort is placed in the crucible and operated on in the smith's fire.

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Top Valley, Marlborough	Wellington Gold-mining Co.	10	Driven by water-power.