

No. 5.—RETURN of ACCIDENTS (not Fatal) in connection with Machinery—*continued.*

Name and Address of Owner.	Description of Machinery.	Name and Age of Person injured.	Date and Nature of Accident.	Cause of Accident, and Remarks.
John Murdoch and Co., Cumberland Street, Dunedin	Mill-saw	Wm. Mowbray; 20 years	17th May, 1906: arm cut	Mowbray, while engaged at a saw, allowed his arm to come into contact with saw, which caused the injury to it.
Otago Brush Company, St. Andrew Street, Dunedin	Wood - shaping machine	Fredk. Swan- son; 32 years	24th May, 1906: in- jury to right hand	Swanson was engaged at a wood-shaping machine, when he allowed his right hand to get in amongst the cutters of the machine.
John Murdoch and Co., Cumberland Street, Dunedin	Mill-saw	Arthur Tuffin; 29 years	28th May, 1906: struck in abdomen	Tuffin, while sawing a piece of timber, did not put it straight into the saw, and, the timber rebounding, struck him in the abdomen.
Zajonskowski Bros., Marton	Planing-machine	Jos. Zajons- kowski; 37 years	2nd June, 1906: little finger of left hand broken	While Zajonskowski was engaged planing a short piece of wood at the planing-machine the wood flew back, causing the injury to his finger.
Brown Bros., Mill Road, Invercargill	Portable engine	Thos. Bennett; 42 years	11th June, 1906: foot crushed, and ampu- tated later on	When Bennett went up on a platform to oil the engine, he placed his foot on the crank-shaft bracket, and when the crank came round it crushed his foot, causing the injury to it.
David Murray and Co., Wanganui	Shop-fan	S. Hodge; 21 years	14th June, 1906: three fingers crushed	Hodge was lowering the cover of the fan, and allowed his fingers to get between the flanges of the casing of the fan, crushing three of them.
W. Naismith, Hopper Street, Wellington	Collar - starching machine	Nellie Telfour; 18 years	20th July, 1906: hand jambled	Telfour attempted to move the lever which controls the starching-machine by putting her hand through the spokes of a worm-wheel, which was revolving very slowly. She got her hand jambled between the spokes and guard of pinion-wheel.
Aulsebrook and Co., St. Asaph Street, Christ- church	Dough-mixer	Abner Slack; 16 years	30th July, 1906: cut between second and third finger of left hand	Slack attempted to take some dough out of the mixer with his hand while the machine was in motion. He had been expressly forbidden to interfere with the machine in any way.
Smith and Smith, South Belt, Christchurch	Circular saw	Robert Boys; 45 years	31st July, 1906: top of finger cut off	Boys permitted his hand to come into contact with the saw while it was in motion.
S. S. Williams, 41 Tara- naki Street, Welling- ton	Wood-planer	W. C. Clark; 32 years	7th August, 1906: little finger of left hand severed from second joint	While Clark was feeding the planing-machine he inadvertently allowed his hand to get on the knives of the machine.
Aulsebrook and Co., St. Asaph Street, Christ- church	Lozenge - dough machine	Alfred Beken; 16 years	14th August, 1906: left arm squeezed	Beken attempted to get hold of the tray-conveyor while the machine was in motion, when his arm was caught by machine and bruised.
W. Strange and Co., Moorhouse Avenue, Christchurch	Planing-machine	W. Maxwell; 22 years	15th August, 1906: fingers of right hand severely cut	The piece of wood Maxwell was planing slipped, when his fingers came into contact with the knives of the machine.
Kauri Timber Company, Customs Street West, Auckland	Shaft of circular saw	Wm. Thomp- son; 18 years	30th August, 1906: injuries to lower part of abdomen	While engaged putting a belt on a small pulley he attempted to crawl under the shaft. While he was thus engaged his clothing was caught at the back and torn into shreds, causing injury to his abdomen.
Stratford, Blair, and Co., Greymouth	Wood - working machine	Walter Mur- tagh; 31 years	1st September, 1906: left hand badly cut; three fingers ampu- tated	Murtagh, while attending to machine, allowed his fingers to come into contact with the knives.
Cousins and Cousins, Limited, Lorne Street, Auckland	Sanding-machine	John Irwin; 17 years	3rd September, 1906: fingers and thumb of right hand burst	While sanding a splash-board Irwin evidently kept all weight and pressure on one corner of the wood. This caused the springing of the disc from the guard, and made a space large enough for his fingers to enter machine, which caused the injury to his hand.