

1910.
NEW ZEALAND

ACCIDENTS AT STATE COLLIERIES

(RETURN OF), FOR THE TWO YEARS ENDED 31ST OCTOBER, 1909.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 2nd December 1909.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing the number of accidents which have occurred at the State Collieries at Point Elizabeth, Greymouth, for the period of two years ended 31st October, 1909; such return to show (1) the names of the miners and workers injured, and (2) the nature of the injury in each case."—(Mr. WILFORD, for Hon. Mr. GUINNESS.)

RETURN OF ACCIDENTS AT STATE COLLIERIES AT POINT ELIZABETH, GREYMOUTH, FOR THE
TWO YEARS ENDED 31ST OCTOBER, 1909.

Names of Miners and Workers injured.	Nature of Injury in each Case.
W. Jones	Foot injured by falling coal when pulling out sprag.
J. Annesley	Finger injured between two pieces of stone whilst throwing one piece away.
R. Taafe	Arm burnt with gas.
L. Cleveland	Back injured by falling on main dip road.
T. Thorpe	Finger injured between truck and side of pillar.
J. McBride	Head injured by fall of stone from roof.
V. Manson	Foot cut by axe slipping whilst splitting cap.
E. Wilkinson	Leg and foot injured by piece of coal bursting out from face.
F. Henderon	Finger injured between truck and roof.
W. Glynn	Leg injured when crossing in front of empty truck coming up bank.
J. E. Marsh	Shoulder-bone broken as result of bar slipping when putting in timber.
G. Little	Finger injured by blow from piece of coal when pushing truck.
J. Callow	Finger injured between jig-prop and chain.
F. Marshall	Ribs injured as result of fall on tea-bottle.
J. Pitman	Finger injured between jig-prop and chain.
G. Cooper	Arm injured by fall on flatsheet.
A. Parker	Foot injured by nail running in same.
B. Palmer	Finger injured between truck and roof.
D. Connole	Finger injured by mate striking it with pick.
G. Back	Hand struck by piece of coal.
A. O'Neill	Eye injured by blow from piece of coal bursting out from face.
J. Brady	Injured by piece of coal falling from roof.
S. Arlow	Hand injured as result of slipping in working-face.
J. Jordan	Leg injured by piece of stone.
R. Lumsden	Killed by fall of stone.
F. Ellis	Hand injured in working-face.
D. A. Parker	Leg injured by blow from piece of coal.
G. Gofton	Back injured by piece of stone.
W. Toner	Finger injured when lifting prop on shoulder, as result of foot slipping.
A. Taylor	Back injured by falling lath when putting up set of timber.
J. Sweeney	Groin injured by end of pick-handle.
A. McGee	Hand injured by piece of coal whilst putting in prop.
J. Hughes	Back injured whilst lifting prop.
S. Stott	Back injured as result of slipping when twisting truck on flatsheet.
J. Allan	Hand injured as result of being knocked over by piece of coal from roof whilst working on ladder.
J. Young	Foot injured by falling stone.

RETURN OF ACCIDENTS—*continued.*

Names of Miners and Workers injured.	Nature of Injury in each Case.
P. Cruickshank ...	Foot injured with pick.
J. Harrison ...	Foot injured by fall of coal.
W. Vallance ...	Finger crushed between two props.
A. Keddie ...	Finger injured by jig chain.
W. Marshall ...	Leg struck by piece of coal.
R. Southward ...	Leg injured as result of slipping.
J. Yates ...	Chest injured while lifting prop.
R. Ward ...	Hand injured by mate dropping piece of coal on same.
T. Satterthwaite ...	Foot injured by truck dropping over end of rail in working-face.
M. Finlay ...	Hand injured by blow from piece of coal.
T. Thorpe ...	Injured by blow from truck sent from face by mate.
J. Laird ...	Ankle sprained as result of slipping.
J. Stewart ...	Foot injured with pick.
F. Tomlinson ...	Foot injured by piece of stone rolling on it.
H. Routledge ...	Side injured by falling on truck.
P. Davis ...	Leg grazed by falling timber bar.
J. Pitman ...	Injured by falling off ladder.
P. Rogers ...	Hand injured by piece of coal.
E. Watson ...	Face injured by piece of stone falling from roof.
E. Hill ...	Fingers injured as result of foot slipping when putting up timber with mate.
J. Schofield ...	Knee injured by striking rail when pushing truck.
J. Coen ...	Back injured whilst twisting truck.
G. Galland ...	Foot injured with pick.
O. J. Lunn ...	Leg injured by falling over bucket.
W. Tait ...	Finger injured between truck and jig-prop.
P. Croft ...	Foot injured with pick.
W. Kennedy ...	Eye injured by coal bursting from working-face.
R. Wilson ...	Back injured by falling whilst going down dip to work.
W. Jones ...	Finger injured between truck and roof in working-face.
J. E. Marsh ...	Hand injured between truck and roof whilst taking truck to flatsheet.
W. Tait ...	Finger injured between truck and jig-prop.
J. McBride ...	Back injured as result of foot slipping when assisting to push truck up incline.
S. Arlow ...	Foot injured by falling piece of coal.
W. Richards ...	Foot injured with pick.
F. Rosel ...	"
G. Dinsdale ...	Wrist injured by truck coming back whilst being put on road.
J. Harrison ...	Foot injured by falling piece of coal.
P. Manderson ...	Hand injured by falling piece of coal.
C. Strongman ...	Wrist sprained.
J. Lemon ...	Abscess on arm.
L. Cleveland ...	Back injured by falling on main dip road.
W. Strongman ...	Foot injured by falling piece of coal.
J. Brown ...	Struck with piece of coal.
J. Pohl ...	Feet injured.
F. Patz ...	Knee injured by fall in working-place.
G. Muirhead ...	Eye injured by piece of coal.
C. Kaye ...	Back sprained as result of slipping.
M. Kavanagh ...	Hand bruised.
M. Wallwork ...	Knee injured.
W. Ward ...	Hand injured between truck and roof.
W. Eddy ...	Head injured by falling piece of stone.
A. Debenham ...	Knee injured as result of falling on rail.
J. Dunn ...	Thumb bruised with dogging-hammer.
W. Eddy ...	Hand injured between two trucks.
E. Kear ...	Hand jammed between two trucks.
J. Haderoft ...	Eye injured by blow from piece of coal.
J. Jones ...	Shoulder injured by falling prop.
C. Pattinson ...	Back injured by falling stone.
M. Griffin ...	Leg injured by being struck with hammer.
J. Low ...	Back strained as result of slipping.
W. Murray ...	Knee struck on piece of stone—result of fall.
J. Southward ...	Back injured by fall of stone.
A. Debenham ...	Finger injured while lifting flatsheet.
" ...	Struck by falling piece of stone.
W. Whitesmith ...	Back strained while twisting truck.
S. McIvor ...	Struck by broken chain.
T. Callahan ...	Leg injured—full truck passed over same.

RETURN OF ACCIDENTS—*continued.*

Names of Miners and Workers injured.	Nature of Injury in each Case.
F. Roberts	Fell from horse whilst going to stable from work.
P. Flannagan	Leg jammed between water-tank and prop.
W. Manderson	Leg injured by knock against truck.
B. Blewett	Finger crushed between truck and coal.
G. McAllister	Injured by truck getting off road.
S. Millard	Finger injured by piece of coal.
A. Kyle	Arm injured—run over by truck.
W. Hopkins	Leg jammed as result of truck getting off road.
C. Blewett	Arm caught between truck-buffers.
E. Keating	Knee injured between water-tank and prop.
T. Braithwaite	Leg injured by truck-chain.
J. Waters	Injured whilst lifting rope on wheel.
H. Boyns	Leg injured with a prop.
A. O'Donnell	Foot injured by piece of wire.
J. Watson	Leg injured by truck.
F. Simpson	Finger injured—lifting props off trolley.
A. Boanas	Injured by fellow-workman swinging pick.
C. Collins	Hand injured by timber falling from truck.
W. Robson	Finger bruised by truck getting off road.
W. Henderson	Finger injured between two trucks.
W. Manderson	Leg injured between truck-buffers.
J. Kyle	Hip and knee injured as result of truck getting off road
J. McGurk	Leg injured between truck-buffers.
H. Debenham	Knee injured.
A. Johnston	Muscular strain.
H. Speakman	Finger injured.
W. McKay	Groin injured.
J. Fitzgibbon	Hand injured with chain.
W. Glover	"
A. Rogers	"
R. Harvey	Leg injured—run over by truck.
J. Fitzgibbon	Hand injured with chain.
T. Dunn	"
J. Garvin	"
J. McEwan	Arm injured between two trucks.
R. Smith	Hand injured.
P. Hennessey	"
A. Schultze	"
J. O'Brien	Foot injured—run over by trolley.
T. Ryan	Hand injured by wire rope.
W. Rooney	Ankle strained.
T. Jones	Foot scalded.
J. Coulthard	Foot injured by falling iron.
J. Lauder	Finger jammed in boiler door.
J. Conaghan	Eye struck by flying stick.
E. Beckingsale	Leg fractured—caught by truck.
J. Ives	Finger injured whilst loading timber.
W. Dalzell	Hand injured with chain.
J. Yates	Eye struck with piece of coal.
G. Hodson	Finger crushed—truck off road.
J. Ritson	Head struck by coal when jiggling.
T. McGahan	Finger injured between truck and prop.
J. Guy	Leg injured with pick.
J. Glover	Fell in working-place.
J. Anderson	Eye struck with piece of coal.
S. Warlow	Hand injured by nail.
M. Griffin	Leg injured by pick.
J. Fisher	Shoulder struck with prop.
W. Robson	Finger jammed between jig-prop and chain.
G. Foster	Leg injured by slipping when lifting.
J. Anderson	Eye struck with piece of coal.
J. Price	Arm injured by falling stone.
J. Smith	Head injured by falling stone.
A. Boddy	Injured by fall of coal.
T. McGahan	"
H. Knight	Eye struck with piece of coal.
J. Dymond	Struck by piece of coal.
V. Manson	Finger injured.
S. Warlow	Strain.

RETURN OF ACCIDENTS—*continued.*

Names of Miners and Workers injured.	Nature of Injury in each Case.
F. Short	Finger injured.
J. Birch	Injured by fall of stone.
J. Harrison	"
P. Rogers	"
C. Rogers	"
R. Pickup	Bowels struck by blow.
J. Masters	Foot injured—run over by truck.
T. Isherwood	Hand injured between two trucks.
J. Tyson	Jammed against timber by truck.
W. Seddon	Leg injured against truck-buffer.
H. Martin	Thumb injured between two buffers.
D. Satterthwaite	Thumb injured by truck.
G. Strongman	Back strained.
C. Pattinson	Leg injured whilst bending a rail.
W. Stevens	Foot injured by falling rail.
E. Kear	Eye struck.
J. Southward	Leg injured by set of timber falling.
J. Garvin	Hand jammed between two trucks.
J. Parker	Finger injured—caught in clip-chain.
D. McCarthy	" "
J. Parker	" "
R. Smith	Arm fractured between two trucks.
A. Nelson	Kicked by horse.
J. Sheard	Leg knocked against truck.
W. Caldwell	Eye struck by piece of coal.
A. Davis	Killed whilst riding on trucks against regulations.
F. Fletcher	Killed by fall of stone.

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