

No. 5.—RETURN of NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS in connection with Machinery, &c.—continued.

Name and Address of Owner.	Description of Machinery.	Name and Age of Person Injured.	Date of Accident and Nature of Injury.	Cause of Accident, and Remarks.
P. and D. Duncan (Limited), Christchurch	Planing ..	G. P. Thompson; 17 years ..	29th October, 1910; wrist injured	Thompson was trying to put a belt on a pulley when his hand was caught between the belt and the pulley, a small bone of his right wrist being broken.
A. and T. Burt (Limited), Dunedin ..	Turret lathe ..	J. Rishworth; 15 years ..	31st October, 1910; thumb injured	While changing the belt Rishworth's thumb was caught between the pulley and the belt, and crushed.
C. and W. Hayward; Dunedin ..	Circular saw ..	Archibald Mackay; 20 years ..	10th November, 1910; fingers and thumb cut	Mackay was using a circular rip-saw when his hand came in contact with the top of the saw, which cut across the fingers and the thumb of his left hand.
Otago Hospital and Charitable Aid Board, Dunedin	Hydraulic lift ..	Nurse E. Owen; 21 years ..	14th November, 1910; back injured	The nurse released the lift and then tried to get out when it was ascending; the top of the lift pinned her on the floor of the top landing, causing injury to her back.
John Coutts and Co., Dunedin ..	Screw-cutting turning-lathe ..	J. R. Jardine; 14 years ..	22nd November, 1910; nail injured	Jardine was cleaning and oiling the lathe when the third finger of his left hand was caught in the gearing.
New Zealand Farmers' Co-operative Association, Christchurch	Gas-engine ..	Charles Hern; 43 years ..	23rd November, 1910; shoulder injured	When starting this engine Hern pulled the fly-wheel round, but the back-pressure in the cylinder being too strong, the wheel went back and caught his right arm between the belt and fly-wheel. It drew him round and fractured his shoulder-blade, also bruised his right arm and chest.
Kaipoi Woollen-manufacturing Company (Limited), Christchurch	Diesel machine ..	George Havord; 51 years ..	24th November, 1910; head injured	While Havord was working at the engine part of the turning-gear broke, and a piece of it struck him on the side of the head.
P. and D. Duncan (Limited), Christchurch	Lathe ..	F. G. A. Smith; 24 years ..	28th November, 1910; eye injured	Smith was struck on his right eye by a small spindle he was turning through its springing out of the centres of the lathe.
Andersons (Limited), Christchurch ..	Planing ..	Archie Brown; 50 years ..	30th November, 1910; loss of thumb	When planing a piece of bevelled timber Brown's left hand slipped, when his thumb came in contact with the knives of the machine, cutting off part of it.
Ross and Glendining (Limited), Roslyn	Wool-card ..	Stanley McDonald; 23 years ..	3rd December, 1910; finger injured	While cleaning the machine when in motion McDonald's finger was caught in one of the cogs.
The Leyland O'Brien Timber Company (Limited), Auckland	Circular-saw bench ..	Andrew McKay; 26 years ..	12th December, 1910; finger injured	McKay had his finger injured through getting it crushed when adjusting the timber on the saw-bench before it was cut up by the saw.
S. Kirkpatrick and Co. (Limited), Nelson	Tin-making ..	Henry Young; 30 years ..	16th December, 1910; hand crushed	Young accidentally got his hand into the machine while adjusting it.
Baxter Bros., Greymouth ..	Locomotive ..	R. McKenzie; 27 years ..	19th December, 1910; legs scalded	The thread of the wash-out plug having wasted somewhat it suddenly blew out while steam was on the boiler, and the contents escaped, scalding McKenzie's legs.
S. Aburn and Sons, Dunedin ..	Woodworking ..	Ernest Higgs; 30 years ..	23rd December, 1910; hand injured	Higgs's right hand slipped off the timber on to the sand-drum, and was caught between the drum and the table, and severely cut.
S. Kirkpatrick and Co. (Limited), Nelson	Tin-making ..	Edward Adams; 28 years ..	28th December, 1910; thumb injured	In stamping out tin-ends the press came down on Adams's thumb, taking off the top of it.
James Smith, Greymouth ..	Sheep-shearing ..	Edwin Dolby Smith; 18 years ..	31st December, 1910; arm broken	Smith was engaged cleaning the shaft with a piece of sacking while the machine was in motion. The sacking was caught in one of the wheels and drew his right arm round the shaft, and broke his arm in three places.
Kamatua Sawmill Company, Greymouth	Buzz planer ..	Thomas McKain; 22 years ..	14th January, 1911; fingers lost ..	McKain lost four fingers of his left hand through the timber slipping, and causing his hand to come into contact with the knives of the machine.