

Number of Subsidized Prospectors, Amount of Subsidy granted and paid, also the Character and Result of such Prospecting Operations from the 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920.

Name of Prospecting Party.	Number of Prospectors.	Locality of Operations.	Amount of Subsidy granted.	Amount of Subsidy expended.			Distance driven.	Nature of Claim.	Character of Operations.	Remarks.
				£	s.	d.				
<i>Northern Inspection District.</i>										
Waifangi Gold-mining Company	7	Thames	£166 13s. 4d., at 6s. 8d. per foot	100	0	0	300	Quartz	Driving	Driving on 4 ft. lode. Average assay value, £1 per ton.
C. Wells and G. Blythe	2	Cabbage Bay	£39, at £1 10s. a week each for three months	6	0	0	..	..	Surface prospecting	Several lodes intersected. Picked samples assayed £3 per ton.
John Anderson and Son	2	Waikoromiko	£36, at £1 10s. a week each for three months	36	0	0	..	..	"	Nothing payable discovered.
J. McClair and mate	2	Thames	£66 13s. 4d., on 200 ft. each for three months	13	6	8	40	Quartz	Driving	Driving crosscut to intersect lode. Work in progress.
C. and J. Carroll	2	Kuaotunu	£39, at £1 10s. a week each for three months	12	0	0	..	..	Surface prospecting	After working one month operations suspended.
Lindsay and Strongman	2	Matawai	£33 6s. 8d., on 100 ft. driving at 6s. 8d.	10	0	0	30	Quartz	Driving	Small lode intersected. Gold freely seen in quartz broken.
Glass and Calder	2	Taupo	£51, at £1 10s. a week each for four months	24	0	0	..	..	Surface prospecting	Work in progress.
A. and H. McNeil	2	Coromandel	£66 13s. 4d., on 200 ft. driving at 6s. 8d.	13	6	8	40	Quartz	Driving	Lode intersected. Values low.
Regan and Sullivan	2	Tokatea	£50, on 150 ft. driving at 6s. 8d.	16	6	8	49	"	"	Work in progress. No discovery of importance made.
Madill and Andrews	2	Mahakirau	£39, at £1 10s. a week each for three months	27	0	0	..	..	Surface prospecting	Work in progress. Nothing payable discovered
Campbell Bros.	2	Puru	£39, at £1 10s. a week each for three months	12	0	0	..	..	"	Several reefs located, some giving high assay values.
Ohinemuri Gold and Silver Mines	12	Maratoto	£100, on 300 ft. driving at 6s. 8d.	100	0	0	300	Quartz	Crosscutting	Reef 24 ft. wide intersected. For average assay value see Inspector's report, Annexure A.
Wilson and Sadgrove	2	Waitaia	£39, at £1 10s. a week each for three months	..	..	..	..	..	Surface prospecting	Work in progress.
Kuranui Gold-mining Company	4	Tararu	£166 13s. 4d., on 500 ft. driving at 6s. 8d.	166	13	4	500	Quartz	Driving	Lode intersected. Gold frequently seen. No important discovery made
Rising Sun Gold-mining Company	4	"	£100, on 300 ft. driving at 6s. 8d.	..	..	..	..	..	"	In progress.
	12	Owharua	£100, on 300 ft. driving at 6s. 8d.	56	13	4	170	"	"	Crosscutting for lode. Work in progress.
<i>West Coast Inspection District.</i>										
Alpine Consols	4	Lyell	£	51	13	4	155	Quartz	Driving	Driving low-level tunnel on reef-track. Nothing of value found.
P. J. Larkin and party	3	Enchanted Creek	100 0 0	100	0	0	..	Alluvial	Surface prospecting	Prospecting to develop a sluicing claim.
Blackwater Miners' Association	6	Waitata	200 0 0	63	0	0	..	Quartz	"	General prospecting. No discovery of any value.
H. F. Chaffey	..	Takaka	100 0 0	..	..	..	..	Asbestos	"	Prospecting for asbestos.
Fiddes and Doolan	2	Ahaura	48 0 0	12	0	0	..	Quartz	"	General prospecting. Number of small reefs located; none of special value.
Howat and Hyndman	2	Woodstock	100 0 0	42	15	0	342	Alluvial	Driving	Driving preparatory to blocking out ground at Brighton Terrace.