

STATEMENT SHOWING THE WHOLE OF THE QUARTZ-CRUSHING MACHINES, ETC., IN THE HAURAKI MINING DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR 1896-97—continued.

Locality where Machine is situated.	Name of Machine.	Name of Owners.	Number of Rock-breakers.	Number of Stamps.	Number of Ore-crushers and Lamberton Mills.	Number of Berdians.	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.	Concentrating Plant.	Driven by Steam-power.	Driven by Water-power or Hand-power.
<i>Thames C.—cntd.</i>																W. H.
Thames Borough ..	May Queen Extended	May Queen Extended Company	.. 23	.. 14	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2 4	1 ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
" ..	Fairmile ..	W. Manning ..	.. ..	.. 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 1	1 ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
<i>Ohinemuri County.</i>																
Paeroa ..	Bank of New Zealand	G. Burgess ..	1 ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2 1	1 1	1 ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	0 1
Karangahake ..	Crown ..	Crown Gold-mining Company	2 40	.. 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2 2	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
" ..	Woodstock ..	Woodstock Gold-mining Company	2 40	.. 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2 2	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
" ..	Talisman ..	Talisman Gold-mining Company	1 10	.. 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2 2	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
Owharoa ..	Smile of Fortune..	Ohinemuri Syndicate	.. 15	.. 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 2	1 ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
Waitekauri ..	Waitekauri ..	Waitekauri Gold-mining Company	2 40	.. 6	3 1	4 2	1 1	1 1	2 1	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
" ..	Jubilee ..	Jubilee Syndicate ..	.. 10	.. 5	2 1	1 2	1 1	1 1	2 1	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
" ..	Golden Cross ..	Waitekauri Gold-mining Company	1 10	.. 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2 2	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
" ..	Grace Darling ..	Grace Darling Gold-mining Company	.. 10	.. 3	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 2	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
" ..	Mangakura ..	Reginald Smith ..	.. 9	.. 3	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
Waihi ..	Waihi ..	Waihi Gold-mining Company	2 90	.. 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	3 6	1 1	2 ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
" ..	Silverton ..	Silverton Gold-mining Company	2 40	.. 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2 2	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
<i>Piako County.</i>																
Wairongomai ..	Te Aroha ..	New Zealand Exploration Company	1 10	.. 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 1	1 1	1 1	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
City of Auckland ..	Bank of New Zealand	..	1 ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2 6	4 2	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1 0
" ..	Stanley Street ..	George Fraser ..	.. ..	1 1	2 2	2 2	2 2	2 2	1 1	1 ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..

In addition to the batteries mentioned above there are twelve others in course of erection throughout the Hauraki district, viz.: COROMANDEL—Hauraki Associated Reefs, ten stamps; Southern Star, ten stamps: total, 20 stamps. THAMES—Moanataiari, twenty stamps; Hauraki Golden Age, forty stamps; Mahara Royal, ten stamps; Luck at Last, twenty stamps; Broken Hills, twenty stamps: total, 110 stamps. OHINEMURI—Waihi, one hundred stamps; Waitekauri Extended, forty stamps; Komata Reefs, twenty stamps; Talisman, twenty stamps; Royal Standard, forty stamps: total, 220 stamps. Grand total, 350 stamps.

STATEMENT SHOWING QUANTITY OF QUARTZ CRUSHED AND GOLD OBTAINED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1897.

Locality and Name of Mine.	Average Number of Men employed — Wages — men or Owners.	For Owners.			Tailings.			Estimated Value of Gold and Bullion.
		Quartz crushed.	Gold obtained.		Quantity treated.	Gold obtained.		
			Amalgamation.	Cyanide.		Amalgamation.	Cyanide.	

COROMANDEL COUNTY.								
Tokatea—		Tons cwt. lb.	Oz. dwt.	Oz. dwt.	Tons.	Oz. dwt.	Oz. dwt.	£ s. d.
Tokatea	35	16 0 0	43 0	..	..	..	..	120 18 9
Royal Oak	40	31 5 0	308 0	..	..	..	..	762 6 0
Golden Spark ..	4	1 10 0	7 2	..	..	..	..	20 2 5
Stirling Castle ..	1	0 5 0	20 0	..	..	..	..	58 0 0
Napier	6	14 0 0	100 5	..	..	..	..	300 0 0
Pride of Tokatea ..	10	34 0 0	403 10	..	..	..	..	1,129 16 0
Success	43	493 0 0	209 0	..	..	..	..	600 5 10
	139	590 0 0	1,090 17	..	..	..	..	2,991 9 0
Cabbage Bay—								
Criterion	6	14 3 14	113 17	..	..	..	..	315 18 8
Queen Victoria ..	4	2 1 0	3 0	..	..	..	..	8 6 6
Bay View	5	6 10 0	19 8	..	..	..	..	53 7 0
	15	22 14 14	136 5	..	..	..	..	377 12 2