

RETURN OF NON-FATAL ACCIDENTS IN CONNECTION WITH MACHINERY DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1919.

Name and Address of Owner.	Description of Machinery.	Name and Age of Person Injured.	Date of Accident.	Nature of Injury.	Cause of Accident, and Remarks.
Oamaru Woollen Factory Company (Limited), Oamaru	Power loom	Stella Pygall; 16 years	6/4/18	Fingers injured	When engaged cleaning the shuttles with a piece of waste Pygall's right hand came into contact with the gearing of the loom.
A. and T. Burt (Limited), Dunedin	Electric motor	Cyril Hart; 17 years	19/4/18	Finger lost	Hart was at the time feeling the bearing when his under finger of right hand was caught in the moving motor.
The Mosgel Woollen Factory Company (Limited), Mosgel	Yarn-breaking	P. M. Gilligan; 35 years	20/4/18	Hand injured	While feeding the machine Gilligan's left hand was drawn into it. The hand was bruised and he lost the little finger.
Leggatt and Campbell, Papatowai	Log-hauler	J. W. Smith; 15 years	24/4/18	Leg injured	Smith's leg was crushed between the hauler and some other plant. The leg was so injured that it had to be amputated
The Wellington Woollen Manufacturing Company (Limited), Petone	Wool-carding	Robert Bates; 17 years	1/5/18	Arm injured	Bates put his right arm into the machine to remove a piece of wool. The gearing of the machine caught his shirt-sleeve and drew his arm in, lacerating it
C. and W. Hayward (Limited), Dunedin	Rip-saw	A. G. Roberts; 28 years	3/5/18	Fingers and thumb injured	When sawing a piece of wood Roberts's left hand came into contact with the saw.
The New Zealand Shop Fronts (Limited), Wellington	Circular saw	James Sexton; 41 years	13/5/18	Fingers injured	Sexton accidentally allowed his left hand to be caught by the saw. He lost one finger and part of another.
The Phoenix Company (Limited), Dunedin	Wrapping machine	Violet Thompson; 16 years	21/5/18	Fingers injured	By misplacing the fingers of her right hand, Thompson had them caught in the machine and bruised.
Canterbury Frozen Meat Company (Limited), Pareora	Mincing	Alexander Meikle; 56 years	25/5/18	Head injured	Meikle was repairing the machine when the fastener of the belt came round and struck him on the head.
The Phoenix Company (Limited), Dunedin	Printing	George Shelton; 16 years	27/5/18	Hand injured	Shelton fainted while working at the machine. His right hand was caught in it and was badly crushed.
J. Wilkie and Co. (Limited), Dunedin	Book-jointing	Charles Tourelles; 16 years	1/6/18	Finger injured	Tourelles's forefinger of his right hand was caught by the machine, cutting it.
Henry Brown and Co. (Limited), New Plymouth	Planing	John Storrington; 54 years	5/6/18	Fingers injured	When engaged taking chip out of the machine Storrington allowed the second and third fingers of his left hand to come into contact with the knives. He lost the tips of both fingers.
Hallenstein Bros. (Limited), Dunedin	Electric lift	V. Ellis; 16 years	11/6/18	Head injured	After he had started the lift Ellis put his head partly over the gate, and the top part of lift caught his head and crushed it.
R. Hudson and Co., Dunedin	Biscuit-cutting	Charles Smith; 54 years	14/6/18	Hand injured	Through inattention Smith allowed his left hand to be caught in the machine and got it badly crushed.
Hintons Limited, Dunedin	Power press	J. H. Hinton; 44 years	17/6/18	Fingers injured	Hinton placed his fingers under the press and lost the tips of the third and fourth fingers of his right hand.
S. Kirkpatrick and Co. (Limited), Nelson	Capping machine	Philip Way; 15 years	17/6/18	Arm injured	The top of the tin flew off the machine and cut Way's arm.
S. Kirkpatrick and Co. (Limited), Nelson	Making screwed tops for glass jars	Philip Way; 15 years	27/6/18	Arm injured	Way's arm was caught in the machine and bruised.
F. H. Reilly, Wellington	Wood-working	R. E. Flan; 30 years	1/7/18	Finger injured	Flan's right hand slipped and came into contact with the knives of the machine. He lost two joints of the index finger.
C. H. Furness and Co. (Limited), Auckland	Electric lift	Harold Thomas; 16 years	2/7/18	Heel injured	Thomas was riding on the lift when his heel was caught by one of the stringers and crushed while passing one of the floors.
Wellington Technical Educational Board, Wellington	Lathe	L. E. Pudney; 14 years	3/7/18	Finger injured	Pudney had the index finger of his left hand crushed between the gearing of the lathe, and had to have it amputated.
Waitemata Sawmill Company, Auckland	Crosscut saw	Alfred McCormack; 44 years	3/7/18	Thumb injured	When sawing wood McCormack permitted the thumb of his right hand to come into contact with the saw.
C. and W. Hayward (Limited), Dunedin	Planer	Thomas Palmer; 28 years	8/7/18	Fingers injured	The timber Palmer was planing slipped and two fingers of his left hand were caught in the knives of the planer, and the tops were taken off.