

APPENDICES TO THE MINES STATEMENT.

APPENDIX A.

REPORTS RELATING TO METALLIFEROUS MINES AND STONE-QUARRIES.

The INSPECTING ENGINEER OF MINES to the UNDER-SECRETARY OF MINES.

SIR,—

Wellington, 11th May, 1921.

I have the honour to present my fourteenth annual report on metalliferous mines and stone-quarries, together with annexures and statistical information, for the year ended 31st December, 1920.

In accordance with the usual practice, the tables showing expenditure on roads, bridges, tracks, prospecting operations, &c., are for the period covered by the financial year—viz., from the 1st April, 1920, to the 31st March, 1921.

The reports, &c., are divided into the following sections:—

- I. Minerals produced and exported.
- II. Persons employed.
- III. Accidents.
- IV. Gold-mining.
 - (1.) Quartz-mining.
 - (2.) Dredge Mining.
 - (3.) Alluvial Mining.
- V. Minerals other than Gold.
- VI. Stone-quarry Inspection and Statistics.
- VII. State Aid to Mining.
 - (1.) Subsidized Prospecting.
 - (2.) Government Prospecting-drills.
 - (3.) Subsidized Roads on Goldfields.
 - (4.) Government Water-races.
 - (5.) Schools of Mines.

Annexures:—

- (A.) Summary of Reports by Inspectors of Mines.
- (B.) (1.) Report on a Konimeter Test of Mine-dust at Waihi, by A. H. V. Morgan, M.A.
- (2.) Notes on the Katathermometer, by Frank Reed, M.I.M.M.
- (C.) Summary of Reports by Water-race Managers.
- (D.) Summary of Report by the Inspector of Stone-quarries for the North Island.
- (E.) Mining Statistics.