KAURI-GUM INDUSTRY ACCOUNT.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1923.

	Receipts and	d Payments.	
Receipts. To Cash in hand, 1st April, 1922 Sales of kauri-gum Miscellaneous receipts and proceeds from consignments	£ s. d. 1,945 6 2 32,814 9 9 986 2 8	Payments. By Wages to workmen, overseers, and gum-buyers Plant, machinery, stores, &c. Purchases of kauri-gum Freights, &c. General and office expenses, administration, &c. Interest on loan debentures and sinking fund Cash in hand at Treasury, 31st March, 1923	£ s. d. 2,537 5 9 367 6 7 21,157 7 11 3,471 13 6 1,288 7 11 4,835 5 10 2,088 11 1 £35,745 18 7
	235,745 16 7		230,740 18 7
To Gum on hand, 1st April, 1922 Purchases of gum	°£ s. d. 60,276 18 7 20,883 11 9	Sales of gum	
Wages Freights inward Balance, being gross profit, to Profit and Loss Account	2,679 0 1 980 18 1 8,859 8 11		111 17 11
	£93,679 17 5		£93,679 17 5
	PROFIT AND L	OSS ACCOUNT.	£s.d.
To Freights outward	2,657 16 4 136 19 8 77 6 5 787 8 2 210 16 10 37 19 5 69 15 0 300 0 0 481 10 11 242 14 1 3,971 4 9	By Trading Account Profit from sales of stores, &c	8,859 8 II 114 2 8
To Balance on 1st April, 1922	£8,973 11 7 £ s. d. 5,873 4 8 3,275 0 0 £9,148 4 8	By Balance brought down Balance as per balance-sheet	£ s. d. 3,971 4 9 5,176 19 11 £9,148 4 8
BALANCE-SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1923. Liabilities. Assets. £ s. d.			
Loan Account—Debentures issued under Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1914	74,652 12 0 500 0 0 923 6 2 509 17 9	Land at face-works and elsewhere, with buildings, fences, and improvements. Vacuum-tank, fittings and plant, and royalties, short-workings Plant and store fittings Tools, Auckland and depots Live and dead stock Furniture and office fittings. Sacks, gum-cases, and consumable stores. Charges paid in advance Gum on hand Gum on consignment Sundry debtors Cash on hand Profit and Loss Account	5,127 12 6 2,900 6 10 251 3 10 44 3 4 52 14 3 107 11 5 364 6 6 102 11 0 60,753 9 9 894 15 1 64 2 8 2,088 11 1 5,176 19 11 £77,928 8 2
			,020 0 2

R. P. GREVILLE, Kauri-gum Superintendent.

I hereby certify that the balance-sheet and supporting statements have been duly examined and compared with the relative books and documents submitted for audit and correctly state the position as thereby disclosed; also that the stocks on hand are as certified by the Kauri-gum Superintendent.—G. F. C. Campbell, Controller and Auditor-General.