

RETURN of MACHINERY INSPECTED in the Nelson South District during the Financial Year ending the 31st March, 1884.

Description.	Steam.	Steam and Water.	Water.	Steam and Wind.	Other Kinds.
Saw-mills ...	2	...	...	...	...
Quartz-crushing ...	3	...	...	...	...
Coal-mining ...	2	...	...	...	...
Winding ...	1	...	...	...	...

As I was engaged inspecting in these districts on the 31st March, neither are complete in these returns.

RETURN of MACHINERY INSPECTED in the Canterbury District during the Financial Year ending the 31st March, 1884.

Description.	Steam.	Steam and Water.	Water.	Steam and Wind.	Gas, &c.
Saw-mills ...	35	...	...	...	...
Threshing machines ...	102	...	...	...	...
Foundries and ironworks ...	26	...	...	...	...
Flour-mills ...	8	...	5	1	...
Brick and pottery works ...	5	...	...	...	...
Coal-mining ...	2	...	...	...	...
Flax-dressing ...	4	...	1	...	...
Soap-works ...	2	...	...	...	...
Coffee works ...	2	...	...	...	...
Stone-sawing ...	1	...	...	...	...
Chaff-cutting ...	15	...	...	...	...
Wood-working ...	10	...	...	...	...
Brewery ...	6	...	...	...	...
Coach factories ...	2	...	...	...	...
Sawing firewood ...	8	...	...	...	...
Tramway engines ...	8	...	...	...	...
Butchers ...	17	...	...	...	...
Cranes and winches ...	12	...	...	...	...
Cordials and confectioners ...	6	...	...	...	...
Traction engines ...	12	...	...	...	...
Baths ...	1	...	...	...	...
Printing ...	1	...	...	...	Gas 4
Boiling-down ...	4	...	...	...	...
Laundry ...	1	...	...	...	...
Wool-dumping ...	2	...	...	...	...
Wool-washing ...	2	...	...	...	...
Woollen-mills ...	1	...	...	...	...
Tanneries ...	3	...	...	...	...
Glue works ...	1	...	...	...	...
Meat-preserving ...	1	...	...	...	...
Refrigerating works ...	1	...	...	...	...
Chemical works ...	1	...	...	...	...
Road roller ...	1	...	...	...	...
Fire engines ...	3	...	...	...	...
Gasworks ...	1	...	...	...	...
Pumping ...	3	...	...	...	...
Dredge ...	1	...	...	...	...
Dock ...	1	...	...	...	...
Stone-breaking ...	2	...	...	...	...
Sand-cleaning ...	1	...	...	...	...
Concrete-mixing ...	1	...	...	...	...
Landing service ...	1	...	...	...	...
Cheese and butter works ...	1	...	...	...	...