

STATISTICS OF WORKINGS IN COAL-MINES, 1943—continued

Name of Mine and Locality.	Title held (Crown lease or otherwise).	Name of Mine-manager and Class of Certificate.	Name and Address of Owner.	Number of Years worked.	Classification of Coal.	Number of Seams worked.	Thickness of Coal-seams	Thickness worked.	System of underground Working.	Depth of Shaft or Length of Drive (if any) to reach Coal-seam.	Total Output for 1943.	Total Output to 31st December, 1942.	Total Output to 31st December, 1943.	Number of Persons ordinarily employed.		Means of Ventilation.
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WEST COAST INSPECTION DISTRICT—continued																
<i>Buller District</i>																
Alban's Charleston	Crown lease	T. D. Allan	T. D. Allan, Charleston	11	Lignite	1	40'	40'	Opencast	..	Tons, 6	Tons, 84	90	1	..	Natural.
Bowater and Bryan, Charleston	"	E. M. Mitchell (P.)	Bowater and Bryan, Westport	13½	"	1	40'	40'	"	..	471	3,526	3,726	2	..	"
Brighton, Fox River	"	A. Hunter (P.)	A. Hunter, Tiromoana	11	"	1	12' to 16'	16'	Bord and pillar	..	62	3,733	3,795	..	2	"
Cascade, Cascade Creek	"	W. Brown (1st C.)	Cascade-Westport Coal Co., Ltd., Westport	17	Bituminous	1	30'	7'	Ditto	..	17,753	257,932	275,715	10	10	"
Charming Creek, Ngakawau	"	R. J. Wearn (1st C.)	Charming Creek - Westport Coal Co. Ltd., Westport	16	"	1	8' to 20'	10'	"	20 ch.	39,104	296,429	335,533	27	37	Fan.
Coal Creek, Seddonville	"	T. Quinn (D.)	Coal Creek mining party, Seddonville	26	"	1	22'	8'	"	..	3,305	118,378	121,683	1	5	Natural.
Hydro, Seddonville	"	E. Martin (U.)	Hydro Coal-mines, Ltd., Westport	8	"	1	20'	Full	"	22 ch.	13,661	67,568	81,229	2	8	Fan.
Dove's, Seddonville	"	T. Dove (D.)	T. Dove, Seddonville	13	"	1	20'	8'	"	..	15	119,672	119,687	..	1	Natural.
Mitchell's, Charleston	"	F. M. Mitchell (P.)	F. T. Mitchell, Charleston	18	Lignite	1	40'	8'	Opencast	..	48	1,547	1,595	..	1	"
Warne's, Charleston	"	C. N. Warne (P.)	C. N. Warne, Charleston	18	"	1	40'	8'	"	..	6	1,162	1,168	1	..	"
Rocklands, Buller Gorge	"	N. B. Paine (U.)	Paine Bros., Buller Gorge	41	Brown	1	12' to 18'	9'	Bord and pillar	..	2,610	19,249	21,859	1	4	Fan.
Glencrag, Buller Gorge	"	N. Forsyth (2nd C.)	Forsyth and Bateson, Westport	20	"	1	20'	10'	Ditto	..	2,256	10,950	13,206	1	2	Natural.
Denniston, Denniston	"	A. Openshaw (1st C.) and R. Marshall (1st C.)	Westport Coal Co., Ltd., Dunedin	63	Bituminous	7	3' to 30'	Full	"	..	163,304	11,714,655	11,877,959	86	266	Fans.
Millerton, Granity	"	O. J. Davis (1st C.)	Westport-Stockton Coal Co., Ltd., Christchurch	52	"	1	4' to 40'	12'	"	198 ch.	108,990	8,933,280	9,042,270	48	107	Fan.
Stockton, Ngakawau	"	T. McGhie (1st C.)	Stockton Coal Co., Ltd., Christchurch	35	"	3	4' to 20'	10'	"	28 ch.	120,262	4,296,589	4,416,851	98	190	"
Harris', Karamea	Freehold	J. Harris (P.)	John Harris, Karamea	7	Lignite	1	12'	8'	"	..	34	27	61	..	3	Natural.
Cardiff, Mokihini	Crown lease	J. Boyd (D.)	Cardiff Coal Co., Ltd., Westport	74	Bituminous	1	10' to 12'	10'	"	..	3,080	23,009	26,089	..	5	"
Buller Gorge, Rahui	"	R. Chester (D.)	Buller Coal-mining Co., Westport	11	Brown	1	11'	7'	"	..	3,439	790	4,229	1	3	"
<i>Reefton District</i>																
Alborn's (late Archer's)	Crown lease and freehold	N. R. Alborn (D.), J. J. Moran (P.), and P. McCormack (D.)	V. W. Alborn, Christchurch	48	Brown	3	8' to 18'	9'	Bord and pillar	350' and 450'	10,704	114,466	125,170	1	15	Natural.
Burke's Creek, Reefton	Crown lease	C. D. Buist (1st C.)	Burke's Creek Collieries Ltd., Reefton	42	"	1	8' to 12'	9'	Ditto	..	30,497	411,105	441,602	15	54	Fan.
Glele, Merrijigs	"	R. V. Alborn (1st C.)	R. V. Alborn, Christchurch	57	"	2	4' and 5'	Full	"	30' and 250'	3,762	104,055	107,817	1	6	Natural.
Coghlan's, Capleston	Crown lease and freehold	J. Banks and E. Patterson (U.)	J. H. Coghlan, Reefton	46	"	2	10' to 40'	10'	"	..	3,815	53,461	57,276	5	13	"
Defiance, Murray Creek	Crown lease	G. Turner (2nd C.)	McClatchie and Co., Ltd., Christchurch	15	"	1	6'	Full	"	..	11,217	38,472	49,689	3	15	Fan.
Morrisvale, Reefton	"	C. D. Curtis (2nd C.)	W. J. Morris, Reefton	31	"	1	12'	10'	"	..	10,376	194,560	204,936	3	14	"
Burnwell, Reefton	"	A. D. Wright (U.)	Burnwell Coal Co., Reefton	15	"	1	40'	10'	"	90'	5,637	14,893	20,530	..	7	"
Waitahu, Reefton	"	A. D. Williams (1st C.)	A. D. Williams, Reefton	34	"	1	6' to 13'	Full	"	..	11,871	47,896	59,767	3	14	"
Terrace, Reefton	"	G. H. Millar (U.)	Terrace Coal-mine, Ltd., Reefton	16	"	1	40' to 9'	8'	"	..	7,393	20,517	27,910	..	10	"
Comet, Reefton	"	C. Taylor (D.)	Comet mining party, Inangahua Junction	21	"	1	10'	8'	"	..	3,024	3,674	6,608	..	6	Natural.
Nicholls, Capleston	"	W. Nicholls (D.)	W. Nicholls, Reefton	3	"	1	6'	Full	"	..	877	..	..	..	3	"
<i>Grey District</i>																
Cliffdale (formerly known as Bellbird)	State reserve	A. Coppersmith (2nd C.)	Stuart and party, Runanga	16	Bituminous	1	6'	Full	Bord and pillar	100'	5,736	48,878	54,614	..	7	Fan.
Bellvue, Rapahoe	"	W. Hughes (D.)	Bellvue Mines, Ltd., Greymouth	17	"	1	11'	8"	Ditto	..	4,101	97,646	101,747	2	5	"
Blackball, Blackball	"	L. C. Cook (1st C.)	New Zealand Government, Wellington	52	"	2	3' to 17'	8"	"	800'	37,060	4,210,388	4,247,443	26	63	94
Blackball Creek, Blackball	"	R. J. Bowman (U.)	Harrison and party, Runanga	12½	"	1	5'	4' 6"	"	6 ch.	6,171	157,889	164,060	2	10	12
Harrison's, Ten-mile	"	G. H. Gaskell (2nd C.)	Boote and party, Dunollie	23	"	1	6' to 9'	Full	"	14 ch.	3,022	37,022	37,022	1	9	10
Braehed, Dunollie	"	T. Howard (1st C.)	Brandale Collieries, Ltd., Christchurch	17	"	1	6'	Full	"	11 ch.	6,386	150,628	157,214	1	10	11
Brandale, Ten-mile	Crown lease	T. Howard (1st C.)	Brandale Collieries, Ltd., Christchurch	17	"	1	6'	Full	"	11 ch.	1,538	98,929	100,467	3	3	6