

GOLD-DREDGING.
WORKING DREDGES INSPECTED.

Name of Dredge.	Owners.	Dredgemaster.	Remarks.	Date of Visit.
CLUTHA RIVER. Lioness, Rankleburn..	Lioness Gold-dredging Company	J. Templeton	Erecting machinery .. Light-lines and two boat-hooks required; main and pump driving-belts require fencing; regulations not posted ..	15/7/01. 18/9/01.
Paul's Beach, below Beaumont..	Paul's Beach Gold-dredging Company	William McLelland	Company notified on 30th July, 1901, to replace second boat, which had been lost; 200 ft. of light-line required, and three boat-hooks missing ..	16/7/01.
Golden Reward, below Beaumont	Golden Reward Gold-dredging Company	J. Herbert	Life-saving appliances out of place ..	23/8/01. 18/10/01.
Golden Gravel, Beaumont	Golden Gravel Gold-dredging Company	J. Cummings	Two boat-hooks missing .. One life-buoy and three boat-hooks required ..	23/8/01. 19/10/01.
Golden Run, Miller's Flat	Golden Run Gold-dredging Company	T. Barnes	Shifting dredge to lower claim; appliances in fair order ..	28/5/01. 17/7/01.
Pringle's, Miller's Flat	Pringle and party ..	P. Brandt	Erecting machinery .. Dredge and life-saving appliances in good order ..	19/10/01. 29/5/01.
Golden Gate, Miller's Flat	Golden Gate Gold-dredging Company	J. Pringle	Life-saving appliances not in proper order on dredge .. Hand-rail and foot-plank required as approach to elevator; otherwise in good order ..	18/10/01. 29/5/01.
Otago, Miller's Flat ..	Otago Gold-dredging Company	D. Ballantyne	Dredge and appliances in fair order .. Stopped by flood; appliances in good order ..	18/10/01. 29/5/01.
Golden Treasure, Miller's Flat	Golden Treasure Gold-dredging Company	R. Williamson	100 ft. light-line required for the boats; otherwise in good order .. Shifting to bottom of claim; dredge and appliances in good order ..	18/10/01. 30/5/01.
Majestic, above Miller's Flat ..	Majestic Gold-dredging Company	T. Cornish	Dredge and life-saving appliances in good order .. Light-lines and boat-hooks required; life-buoys need repairing ..	17/10/01. 30/5/01.
Golden Bed, Ettrick ..	Golden Bed Gold-dredging Company	W. Williamson	Boat-hooks and light-lines require renewal .. Dredge and life-saving appliances in good order ..	30/5/01. 17/10/01.
Ettrick, Ettrick ..	Ettrick Gold-dredging Company	A. Maitland	Boat-hooks and light-lines required on the dredge; also a buoy and boat-hook in the boat .. Life-saving apparatus out of order. The company was notified to provide a suitable boat in place of the second boat, which was too small ..	22/8/01. 18/7/01.
Excelsior, Ettrick ..	Excelsior Gold-dredging Company	T. Thompson	Erecting machinery .. Four life-buoys, with 15 in. inside measurement, were too small. I pointed this out to the dredgemaster, and the buoys were returned, and replaced with proper ones ..	18/7/01. 12/10/01.
Gibbs's Beach, Moa Flat	Gibbs's Beach Gold-dredging Company	J. Wallace	Screen and elevator driving-gear requires to be guarded; bar across coal-door needed; otherwise appliances in good order ..	30/5/01. 18/7/01.
Moa Flat, Moa Flat ..	Moa Flat Gold-dredging Company	T. Kitto .. T. Thompson	Ready to start .. Dredge and appliances in good order .. Longer handles required for the boat-hooks. Company notified on 28th June, 1901, that the second boat was too small for river-work ..	30/5/01. 22/8/01.
Gold Queen, Dumbarton Rock	Gold Queen Gold-dredging Company	C. Olsen ..	New boat provided; dredge closed down .. Dredge and life-saving appliances in good order ..	18/7/01. 16/10/01.
Gold King, Dumbarton Rock ..	Gold King Gold-dredging Company	G. Magnus	Ready to start. Some of the after driving-gear requires to be guarded; also main and pump driving-belts to be fenced; hatchway to be cut aft for access behind the pump ..	22/8/01. 17/10/01.
Endeavour, Dumbarton Rock..	Endeavour Gold-dredging Company	A. Rennie	Main and pump belting requires to be fenced off .. Bar required across the coal-door ..	31/5/01. 21/8/01.
Teviot, Roxburgh ..	Teviot Gold-dredging Company	J. Roy .. P. McVicar	Regulations not posted; only one boat; no life-saving apparatus; new dredge just starting .. Life-saving appliances now in good order .. Visited dredge in connection with fatal accident on 23rd September, 1901, and found dredge and life-saving appliances in good order. A. McCormack, fireman, was killed on 23rd September, 1901, caught by elevator driving-shaft while oiling machinery being in motion ..	25/9/01.