

Waimea-Kumara Water-races.

The following tabulated statement shows the revenue, cost of maintenance, approximate quantity and value of gold obtained, and number of men employed on claims using water from the Waimea-Kumara and Callaghan's Races for the year ended 31st March, 1902:—

Month.	Sales of Water.	Cash received for Sales of Water.	Expenditure.	Outstanding Moneys at the End of each Month.	Number of Men employed.	Approximate Quantity of Gold obtained.	Value of Gold obtained.
1901.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		Oz.	£ s. d.
April	272 14 2	310 17 4	221 19 9	530 11 5	91	602	2,347 16 0
May	324 16 11	359 9 9	207 11 8	491 13 1	93	728	2,839 4 0
June	280 2 6	335 13 1	200 2 3	450 18 11	94	630	2,457 0 0
July	275 11 11	205 14 2	225 3 7	506 0 7	87	612	2,386 16 0
August	255 18 7	243 9 0	221 19 1	517 19 1	87	586	2,285 8 0
September	222 2 4	189 5 4	234 5 5	550 11 11	75	495	1,930 10 0
October	286 4 1	274 9 6	226 10 7	561 19 5	84	639	2,492 2 0
November	270 10 5	110 9 3	226 5 6	719 1 10	70	599	2,336 2 0
December	217 12 4	270 8 1	246 18 2	667 17 1	74	478	1,864 4 0
1902.							
January	204 19 10	150 5 10	216 17 10	721 6 1	71	475	1,852 10 0
February	267 1 8	159 4 7	223 18 7	829 8 2	68	589	2,297 2 0
March	305 16 2	271 14 10	239 9 4	864 8 3	84	731	2,850 18 0
Totals	3,183 10 11	2,881 0 9	2,691 1 9	..	81.5 (average)	7,164	27,939 12 0

The following statement shows the claims that have been sluicing on the Kumara goldfield during the year ended the 31st March, 1902; also the number of men in each claim, fall and width of boxes in each tail-race, number of sluice-heads used in sluicing, number of cubic yards sluiced away per hour, and race from which the water used was supplied:—

Name of Party.	Number of Men employed in each Claim.	Fall to 12 ft. in Tail-race.	Width of Boxes in Tail-race.	Number of Sluice-heads used in sluicing.	Auriferous Wash sluiced away per Hour.	Race from which the Water is supplied.	Remarks.
No. 2 channel—		In.	In.		Cub. yd.		
Dillon and party ...	4	7	24	12	84	Kumara Race	Sluiced six months.
No. 3 channel—							
Light and party ...	5	6	22	10	60	"	
Neame and party ...	3	5	22	9	45	"	
Rochford and party ...	4	8	22	10	80	"	
Rochford and party ...	3	4½	22	10	45	"	Late Neville's. Sluiced five months.
Williams and party ...	3	6	22	10	60	"	
Neame No. 2 ...	2	5	22	10	50	"	Sluiced one month.
No. 4 channel—							
Cullen and party ...	6	7	24	11	77	"	Sluiced ten months.
Long Tunnel Company ...	8	7	26	22	154	Private race	
No. 5 channel—							
Burger and party ...	5	8	24	10	80	Kumara Race	
Thomson and party ...	4	8	24	10	80	"	
Morgan and party ...	3	8	24	10	80	"	
Thorn and party ...	4	8	24	10	80	"	
Candy and party ...	4	8	26	10	80	"	
Giffney and party ...	5	7	26	11	77	"	
Private races—							
Lee and party ...	3	8	24	12	96	"	Sluiced four months.
Pascoe and party ...	6	7	26	16	112	"	
Bowden and party ...	3	8	24	10	80	"	Sluiced one month.
Roberts and party ...	3	8	22	8	64	"	Sluiced two months.
Moynihan and party ...	10	8	24	22	176	Private race	
Arnerich and party ...	3	8	24	15	120	"	
Carlssen and party ...	5	8	24	14	112	Kumara Race	Sluiced seven months.