

No. 5.—RETURN of ACCIDENTS not Fatal—*continued.*

Name and Address of Owner.	Description of Machinery.	Name and Age of Person injured.	Date and Nature of Accident.	Cause of Accident, and Remarks.
Stratford, Blair, and Co., Saw-millers, Grey-mouth	Steam-winch ..	William Corkill; aged 40	23rd October, 1902: right thumb crushed	Hand caught in winch-cogs.
James Macalister, Invercargill	Emery-wheel ..	D. W. Hursthouse; aged 24	24th October, 1902: top of thumb ground off	Holding washers in his hands instead of in tongs.
W. Cable and Co., Foundry, Wellington	Lathe	R. Priddey; aged 19	1st November, 1902: top of finger taken off	Carelessness.
S. Luke and Co., Engineers, Wellington	Drilling-machine ..	N. A. McLean; aged 18	20th November, 1902: finger crushed and amputated from first joint	Wiping cog-wheels of machine in motion unknown to fireman.
W. Cable and Co., Foundry, Wellington	Lathe	R. Flint, jun.; aged 19	3rd December, 1902: top of finger crushed	Carelessness.
Bowron and Butcher, Flaxmill, Tuhara	Stripper	Nepia Peta; aged 21	22nd December, 1902: left elbow wounded	Cover of stripper fell on elbow and cut it.
L. E. Avery, Spring Grove, Nelson	Planing-machine ..	Leonard Fowler; aged 31	6th January, 1903: loss of arm	Accidentally placed his hand on the knives.
Prouse Bros., Timber-merchants, Wellington	Moulding-machine	David Chapman; aged 16	7th January, 1903: belt breaking	Belt-fastener struck Chapman on cheek; flesh wound only.
Aulsebrook and Co., Christchurch	Caramel-machine ..	Edith Rogerson; aged 20	12th January, 1903: crushed and cut right hand	Reaching over machine with left hand while right hand was feeding the dough into the machine; right hand caught between the rollers.
Strand Bros., Builders, Lower Hutt	Planing-machine ..	Edwin Spilman	13th January, 1903: loss of three fingers	Lost his balance, and put out his hand to prevent falling; his hand was caught in the knives.
Waihi Gold-mining Company, Waihi	Filter-press ..	A. Stroom, aged 36; and B. Connell, aged 40	21st January, 1903: three fingers crushed each	Working filter-press. Fingers crushed between spur and pinion of closing-gear, though warned not to put their hands on wheel.
Chapman, O'Neil, and Co., Saw-millers, Waitaha	Breaking-down bench	D. Stewart; aged 28	21st January, 1903: cut on small finger right hand	Hands slipped on to saw.
W. Cable and Co., Foundry, Wellington	Drilling-machine ..	H. Hutcheson; aged 21	28th January, 1903: flesh taken off fingers	Whilst drilling a flange the flange slipped, and his fingers were caught. Carelessness.
J. K. Christenson, Butter-factory, Rookville	Force-pump ..	George Rowe; aged 17	20th February, 1903: arm broken	Trying to pull off belt while in motion. Sleeve caught, and arm was drawn in between belt and pulley.
W. Cable and Co., Foundry, Wellington	Emery stone ..	J. Smith; aged 17	24th February, 1903: nail taken off finger	Carelessness.
Griffin and Sons (Limited), Biscuit, &c., Manufacturers, Nelson	Dough-roller ..	George Ruff; aged 22	24th February, 1903: hand crushed slightly	Hand drawn into rollers.
Aulsebrook and Co., Christchurch	Chocolate-refiner ..	Alfred George Linn; aged 22	26th February, 1903: fore-finger left hand crushed in cog-wheels and amputated at second joint	Taking tin from under right-hand side of machine with left hand instead of right hand.
A. H. Webb, Builder, Montreal Street, Sydenham	Surface-planer ..	William Webb; aged 19	26th February, 1903: two fingers left hand cut off, second finger at middle, third at first joint	Planing-wood slipped, and took his fingers on to knife.
Waimumu Gold-dredging Company (Limited), Dunedin	Dredge	W. White; aged 29	8th March, 1903: scalded face, neck, hands, and one foot	Taking off manhole-door of boiler before pressure was gone.