

No. 16.

RETURN of the NUMBER of MINING LEASES or LICENSES in Force on the 31st December, 1908,
the EXTENT of GROUND LEASED or held under LICENSE, and RENTAL per Annum.

Mining Leases.

District.	No.	Gross Acreage.		Rental per Annum.		
		A.	R. P.	£	s.	d.
AUCKLAND—						
Coromandel	117	4,167	3 32	476	0	0
Thames	20	971	0 14	312	7	6
Te Aroha	172	10,611	2 13	1,702	14	0
Paeroa	81	4,982	0 3	1,350	7	6
Puhipuhi	31	3,314	0 0	242	1	0
Waihi	55	4,458	3 25	1,276	12	0
MARLBOROUGH—						
Havelock	4	55	0 0	16	18	9
Blenheim	32	1,564	0 0	173	13	0
NELSON—						
Collingwood	11	7,082	0 0	544	0	0
Reefton	169	5,190	0 30	1,000	17	3
Charleston	9	60	0 0	17	0	0
Lyell	19	389	0 0	109	5	0
Murchison	25	593	2 0	135	2	0
Westport	37	503	0 0	119	5	0
Motueka	3	194	0 0	47	4	7
WESTLAND—						
Kumara	2	327	3 11	173	14	6
Hokitika and Kanieri	80	925	0 0	201	3	9
Ahaura	250	6,000	0 0	1,500	0	0
Greymouth	123	17,090	0 0	1,115	0	0
Ross	17	194	0 0	55	12	6
Okarito	10	829	0 0	64	7	6
OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND—						
Cromwell	120	2,381	0 0	602	6	8
Wyndham	4	58	0 0	18	0	0
Waikaia	49	1,250	0 0	438	0	0
Black's	10	408	0 0	116	10	0
Clyde and Alexandra	107	4,686	0 0	1,327	12	6
Roxburgh	79	1,419	2 39	389	10	0
Arrow (Wakatipu Goldfield)	556	2,206	0 0	251	8	6
Queenstown	300	3,746	2 0	341	17	0
Riverton and Orepuki	58	2,387	1 9	244	7	0
Tuapeka	85	2,450	0 0	760	0	0
Middlemarch	1	52	0 0	6	10	0
Livingstone	18	98	0 7	29	12	6
Totals	2,654	90,644	2 23	15,159	0	0