

STATEMENT SHOWING THE QUANTITY OF QUARTZ CRUSHED AND BULLION OBTAINED IN THE WEST COAST INSPECTION DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1928.

Locality and Name of Mine	Average Number of Men employed.	Quartz crushed.	Bullion obtained by		Values.	
			Amalgamation.	Cyanidation and Concentration.		
MARLBOROUGH.						
Wakamarina—		Tons. cwt. gr.	Oz. dwt. gr.	Oz. dwt. gr.	£	s. d.
Dominion Consolidated ..	8	2,358 0 0	619 18 4	..	2,390	11 7
NELSON.						
Waiuta—						
Blackwater Mine	164	39,907 0 0	13,241 7 0	3,367 16 0	70,524	12 5
Crushington—						
Wealth of Nation	6	2,730 0 0	..	366 3 0	1,670	1 9
Hercules	12	1,115 0 0	174 7 0	90 16 0	915	10 1
Globe Hill—						
Progress	1	303 0 0	..	426 11 0	1,812	9 10
Alexander River—						
Alexander	17	285 0 0	334 0 0	..	1,400	12 11
Big River—						
Big River	3	19 0 0	..	103 0 0	330	6 11
Totals, 1928 ..	211	46,717 0 0	14,369 12 4	4,354 6 0	79,044	5 6
Totals, 1927 ..	263	46,168 0 0	16,173 15 0	5,377 13 14	83,242	17 3

STATEMENT SHOWING THE QUANTITY OF QUARTZ CRUSHED AND BULLION OBTAINED IN THE SOUTHERN MINING DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1928.

Locality and Name of Mine.	Average Number of Men employed.	Quartz crushed.	Bullion obtained by		Value.
			Amalgamation.	Concentration.	
WAIHEMO COUNTY.					
Stoneburn—		Tons cwt. gr.	Oz. dwt. gr.	Oz. dwt. gr.	£ s. d.
Golden Bar	3	100 0 0	4 7 0	..	17 5 9
Ounce	1	20 0 0	3 19 0	..	15 8 1
Totals, 1928	4	120 0 0	8 6 0	..	32 13 10
Totals, 1927	6	28 0 0	4 10 0	..	17 6 6

SUMMARY OF INSPECTION DISTRICTS.

Inspection District.			Average Number of Persons employed.	Quartz crushed.	Bullion obtained.	Value.		
				Statute Tons.	Oz. dwt. gr.	£	s.	d.
Northern (North Island)			626	205,271	487,740 8 22	366,937	5	10
West Coast (South Island)			211	46,717	18,723 18 4	79,044	5	6
Southern (Otago and Southland).. ..			4	120	8 6 0	32	13	10
Totals, 1928			841	252,108	506,472 13 2	446,014	5	2
Totals, 1927			938	254,568	480,977 15 14	449,281	0	5

In addition, 120 persons were employed at unproductive quartz-mining.