

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for the same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: 24,000 shares at 5s.; £6,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 88,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 88,000.  
 Amount paid per share:  
 Amount called up per share: 2s. 3d. on 25,200 shares; 2s. on 30,800 shares.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 8,000.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 10,800; £780.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 65.  
 Present number of shareholders: 223.  
 Number of men employed by company: 1.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,637.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £5,830.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank: £348 1s. 9d.  
 Amount of cash on deposit: £525 5s. 9d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Ernest Dowell, of Auckland, the Secretary of the Great Northern Waihi Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1918; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

ERNEST DOWELL.

Declared at Auckland this 7th day of January, 1919, before me—George J. Garland, J.P. 29

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Rising Sun Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 1st October and 11th December, 1908.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Tyrone Buildings, Customs Street East, Auckland; John Hughlings Jackson.  
 Nominal capital: £18,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £16,555 4s.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £11,125 3s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £2,750; £520 17s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,229 2s. 6d.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 120,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 110,368.  
 Amount paid per share: 2s. 8d.  
 Amount called up per share: 2s. 8d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 136.  
 Present number of shareholders: 179.  
 Number of men employed by company: 30.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 2,537 oz. 13 dwt.; £4,783 5s. 10d.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 12,485 oz. 19 dwt.; £24,332 4s. 3d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £6,766 1s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £35,470 0s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £2,759 4s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £2,759 4s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £2,277 13s. 8d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, John Hughlings Jackson, of Auckland, the Secretary of the Rising Sun Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1918; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

J. H. JACKSON.

Declared at Auckland this 8th day of January, 1919, before me—W. M. Jackson, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 31

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Ourawera Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 23rd May, 1895.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Manager: Invercargill; Robert Erskine.  
 Nominal capital: £3,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £3,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and the amount of cash received for same (if any): £3,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 3,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 3,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 12.  
 Present number of shareholders: 17.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 314 oz. 3 dwt. 15 gr.; £1,244 8s. 6d.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 14,512 oz. 13 dwt. 23 gr.; £57,862 14s. 11d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,568 2s. 7d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £47,285 16s. 2d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £14,815.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £14,815.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at bank: £108 1s. 5d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Robert Erskine, the Manager of the Ourawera Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1918; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

R. ERSKINE.

Dated at Invercargill this 7th day of January, 1919, before me—Wm. Smith, J.P. 34

### BRITISH DISTILLATE (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the company to which all communications and notices should be addressed has been changed from No. 8 Cathedral Square, Christchurch, to No. 77 Hereford Street, Christchurch.

ARNAUD McKELLAR, Secretary.

### SUMNER BOROUGH COUNCIL.

#### RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Sumner Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £3,750, authorized to be raised, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of repaying the Waterworks Extension Loan of £3,750 (1904), the said Sum-