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TABLE showing the COMPARISON in QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for EXPORTATION, and also the QUANTITY and VALUE of other MINERALS produced, for the Years ending the 31st December, 1891 and 1892; as well as the TOTAL VALUE since January, 1853.

Name of Metal or Mineral.	For Year ending the 31st December, 1892.		For Year ending the 31st December, 1891.		Total from the 1st January, 1853, to the 31st December, 1892.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Precious metals—	Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Gold	238,079	954,744	251,996	1,007,488	12,308,296	48,387,861
Silver	22,053	3,996	28,023	5,151	604,686	144,144
Total gold and silver	260,132	958,740	280,019	1,012,639	12,912,982	48,532,005
Mineral produce, including kauri-gum—	Tons.	£	Tons.	£	Tons.	£
Copper-ore	..	..	$\frac{3}{20}$	4	$1,394\frac{3}{20}$	17,866
Chrome-ore	..	..	..	..	5,666	37,367
Antimony-ore	364	4,900	413	4,950	3,150	46,040
Manganese-ore	521	1,239	1,153	2,634	$16,977\frac{1}{2}$	55,164
Hæmatite-ore	..	..	$\frac{1}{20}$	1	$52\frac{1}{20}$	226
Mixed minerals	84	631	$2\frac{2}{20}$	6	14,152	69,672
Coal exported	78,911	80,225	91,664	91,173	589,275	587,183
Coke exported	4,306	5,691	2,544	3,658	15,792	23,590
Coal, output of mines in colony	594,404	297,202	577,130	288,565	7,062,585	3,531,202
Kauri-gum	8,705	517,678	8,388	437,056	$151,723\frac{1}{2}$	6,349,421
Total quantity and value of minerals	687,295	907,566	$681,294\frac{4}{20}$	828,047	$7,860,767\frac{1}{2}$	10,717,731
Value of gold and silver, as above	..	958,740	..	1,012,639	..	48,532,005
Total value of minerals produced, including gold and silver	..	1,866,306	..	1,840,686	..	59,249,736