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RETURN showing the QUANTITY and VALUE of COALS IMPORTED into NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended the 31st March, 1893.

Country whence Imported.						Quantity.	Value.
						Tons.	£
United Kingdom	..	..	..	..	..	667	721
New South Wales	..	..	..	..	..	26,546	25,753
Totals	..	..	..	..	..	27,213	26,474

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TABLE showing the INCREASE or DECREASE in the PRODUCTION of COAL in the Colony, and Imported, Year by Year, during the last Fifteen Years.

Year.	Coal raised in the Colony.		Coal imported.		
	Tons.	Yearly Increase or Decrease.	Tons.	Plus or Minus.	Increase and Decrease.
1878	162,218	..	174,148	..	..
1879	231,218	+ 69,000	158,076	—	16,072
1880	299,923	+ 68,705	123,298	—	33,778
1881	337,262	+ 37,339	129,962	+	6,664
1882	378,272	+ 41,010	129,582	—	880
1883	421,764	+ 43,492	123,540	—	6,042
1884	480,831	+ 59,069	148,444	+	24,904
1885	511,063	+ 30,232	130,202	—	18,242
1886	534,353	+ 23,290	119,873	—	10,329
1887	558,620	+ 24,267	107,230	—	12,643
1888	613,895	+ 55,275	101,341	—	5,889
1889	586,445	— 27,450	128,063	+	26,722
1890	637,397	+ 50,952	110,939	—	17,124
1891	668,794	+ 31,397	125,318	+	14,379
1892	673,315	+ 4,521	125,453	+	135

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TABLE showing the OUTPUT of COAL from the various Mining Districts, and the Comparative INCREASE and DECREASE, for the Years 1891 and 1892, together with the TOTAL APPROXIMATE QUANTITY of COAL produced since the Mines were opened.

Name of District.	Output of Coal.		Plus or Minus.	Increase or Decrease.	Approximate Total Output of Coal up to 31st December, 1892.
	1891.	1892.			
	Tons.	Tons.		Tons.	Tons.
Kawakawa	28,254	18,515	—	9,739	787,761
Whangarei, Kamo, and Whauwhau	16,228	9,924	—	6,304	275,784
Waikato	55,869	57,894	+	2,025	654,423
Mokau	3,713	1,823	—	1,890	6,724
Pelorus	..	..	..	..	711
West Wanganui	3,328	1,981	—	1,347	42,095
Westport	206,184	208,076	+	1,892	1,399,943
Reefton	4,556	4,368	—	188	52,108
Greymouth	145,351	178,244	+	32,893	1,700,274
Malvern	14,775	11,101	—	3,674	285,429
Timaru	1,488	1,446	—	42	6,888
Otago	164,870	157,610	—	7,260	2,376,592
Southland	24,178	22,333	—	1,845	216,569
Totals	668,794	673,315	+	4,521	7,805,301