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TABLE SHOWING THE INCREASE OR DECREASE IN THE ANNUAL PRODUCTION OF COAL AND OIL-SHALE IN THE DOMINION, AND THE QUANTITY OF COAL IMPORTED SINCE 1878.

Year.	Coal and Shale raised in the Dominion.		Coal imported.		
	Tons.	Yearly Increase or Decrease.	Tons.	Increase over Preceding Year.	Decrease below Preceding Year.
Prior to 1878	709,931	..	..	..	..
1878	162,218	..	174,148	..	..
1879	231,218	Inc. 69,000	158,076	..	16,072
1880	299,923	.. 68,705	123,298	..	34,778
1881	337,262	.. 37,339	129,962	6,664	..
1882	378,272	.. 41,010	129,582	..	380
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	Dec. 27,450	128,063	26,722	..
1890	637,397	Inc. 50,952	110,939	..	17,124
1891	668,794	.. 31,397	125,318	14,379	..
1892	673,315	.. 4,521	125,453	135	..
1893	691,548	.. 18,233	117,444	..	8,009
1894	719,546	.. 27,998	112,961	..	4,483
1895	726,654	.. 7,108	108,198	..	4,763
1896	792,851	.. 66,197	101,756	..	6,442
1897	840,713	.. 47,862	110,907	9,151	..
1898	907,033	.. 66,320	115,427	4,520	..
1899	975,234	.. 68,201	99,655	..	15,772
1900	1,093,990	.. 118,756	124,033	24,378	..
1901	1,239,686	.. 145,696	149,764	25,731	..
1902	1,365,040	.. 125,354	127,853	..	21,911
1903	1,420,229	.. 55,189	163,923	36,070	..
1904	1,537,838	.. 117,609	147,196	..	16,727
1905	1,585,756	.. 47,918	169,046	21,850	..
1906	1,729,536	.. 143,780	207,567	38,521	..
1907	1,831,009	.. 101,473	220,749	13,182	..
1908	1,860,975	.. 29,966	287,808	67,059	..
1909	1,911,247	.. 50,272	258,185	..	29,623
1910	2,197,362	.. 286,115	232,378	..	25,807
1911	2,066,073	Dec. 131,289	188,068	..	44,310
1912	2,177,615	Inc. 111,542	364,359	176,291	..
1913	1,888,005	Dec. 289,610	468,940	104,581	..
1914	2,275,614	Inc. 387,609	518,070	49,130	..
1915	2,208,624	Dec. 66,990	353,471	..	164,599
1916	2,257,135	Inc. 48,511	293,956	..	59,515
1917	2,068,419	Dec. 188,716	291,597	..	2,359
1918	2,034,250	.. 34,169	255,332	..	36,265
1919	1,847,848	.. 186,402	391,434	136,102	..
1920	1,843,705	.. 4,143	476,343	84,909	..
1921	1,809,095	.. 34,610	822,459	346,116	..
1922	1,857,819	Inc. 48,724	501,478	..	320,981
1923	1,969,834	.. 112,015	445,792	..	55,686
1924	2,083,207	.. 113,373	674,483	228,691	..
1925	2,114,995	.. 31,788	572,573	..	101,910
1926	2,239,999	.. 125,004	483,918	..	88,655
1927	2,366,740	.. 126,741	378,090	..	105,828
1928	2,436,753	.. 70,013	247,861	..	130,229