

Table No. 5.

TABLE showing the VALUE of the MINERAL PRODUCTIONS of the NATIONS and COLONIES enumerated for 1884, and the VALUE per HEAD of POPULATION.

Nation or Colony.	Value of Mineral Products.	Population estimated in 1884.	Value of Mineral Products per Head of Population.
	£	£	£ s. d.
United States of America	84,866,856	55,000,000	1 10 8
United Kingdom	61,800,819	36,325,115	1 13 7
Germany	23,247,150	45,222,113	0 10 3
France	15,703,703	37,672,048	0 8 4
Belgium	14,213,165	5,784,954	2 9 2
Chili	9,208,139	2,405,041	3 16 6
Austria	8,655,962	38,000,000	0 4 6
Spain	5,770,578	16,958,178	0 6 1
Victoria	3,231,163	973,403	3 6 4
New South Wales	3,003,870	927,268	3 4 9
Argentine Republic	2,560,575	2,830,000	0 18 1
Italy	2,223,616	29,361,032	0 1 6
New Zealand	1,630,610	572,136	2 17 0
Queensland	1,339,525	318,606	4 4 1
South Australia	495,096	312,781	1 11 7
Tasmania	420,985	130,541	3 4 6
Western Australia	6,640	32,988	0 4 6
Totals	237,878,452	272,826,204	0 17 5

Table No. 5a.

MINERAL PRODUCTION of the BRITISH COLONIES and POSSESSIONS, 1884.

Colony or Possession, and Description of Mineral.	Unit.	Quantity.	Value.	Total Value.
NORTH AMERICA :—				
DOMINION OF CANADA—				
Gold	Ounces	£ 55,000	£ 225,706	1,235,730
Silver ore	Tons	37	2,584	
Copper metal	"	1,762	42,979	
Iron ore	"	88,955	40,133	
Lead ore	"	50	200	
Gypsum	"	185,851	41,121	
Manganese ore	"	885	7,567	
Phosphate of lime	"	21,821	92,064	
Petroleum	Barrels	550,000	93,500	
Salt	"	145,000	22,800	
Slates	Squares	Not given	47,740	
Mica, pyrites, asbestos	..			
Stone, &c.	..			
Coals	Tons	1,876,643	619,336	
NEWFOUNDLAND—				
Copper and ore	Tons	4,454	19,825	21,265
Iron ore	"	950	1,440	
AFRICA :—				
CAPE OF GOOD HOPE—				
Diamonds	Carats	2,263,734	2,807,329	3,219,994
Copper ore	Tons	20,348	405,415	
Coal	"	9,000	7,250	
GOLD COAST—				
Gold-bearing quartz	Tons	13	242	52,677
Gold	Ounces	14,567	52,435	
ASIA :—				
INDIA—				
Coal	Tons	1,315,976	657,988	960,095
Salt	"	915,307	322,107	
(No information with regard to other minerals.)				