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TABLE showing the INCREASED PRODUCTION of COAL, Year by Year, during the last Ten Years, and the DECREASE of COAL IMPORTED for the same Period.

Year.	Coal raised in the Colony.		Coal imported.		
	Tons.	Yearly Increase.	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	-	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	480,631	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

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TABLE showing the OUTPUT of COAL from the various Mining Districts, and the Comparative INCREASE and DECREASE, for the Years 1887 and 1888, 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, 1888.
	1887.	1888.			
	Tons.	Tons.		Tons.	Tons.
Kawakawa	35,078	33,145	-	1,933	683,625
Whangarei, Kamo, and Whauwhau ..	15,265	19,091	+	3,826	214,685
Waikato	48,367	56,302	+	7,935	423,990
Pelorus	711
West Wanganui	3,783	4,181	+	398	29,120
Westport	116,242	130,486	+	14,244	648,244
Reefton	1,786	3,255	+	1,469	33,703
Greymouth	162,170	188,448	+	26,278	1,119,928
Malvern	11,681	12,631	+	950	232,276
Timaru	172	300	+	128	2,048
Otago	144,741	148,984	+	4,243	1,727,223
Southland	19,335	17,072	-	2,263	117,279
Totals	558,620	613,895	+	55,275	5,232,832

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TABLE showing the DIFFERENT CLASSES of COAL from the MINES in the COLONY.

Name of Coal.	Output of Coal.		Plus or Minus.	Increase or Decrease.	Approximate Total Output of Coal up to the 31st December, 1888.
	1887.	1888.			
	Tons.	Tons.		Tons.	Tons.
Bituminous	317,273	359,555	+	42,282	2,484,687
Pitch	81,048	81,309	+	261	803,948
Brown	142,113	156,136	+	14,023	1,797,725
Lignite	18,186	16,895	-	1,291	146,472
Totals	558,620	613,895	+	55,275	5,232,832