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TABLE showing the COMPARISON in QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY for EXPORTATION for the Years ending the 31st December, 1889 and 1890; also the TOTAL VALUE since January, 1853.

Name of Metal or Mineral.	For Year ending the 31st December, 1890.		For Year ending the 31st December, 1889.		Total from the 1st January, 1853, to the 31st December, 1890.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Precious metals—	Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Gold	193,193	773,438	203,211	808,549	11,818,221	46,425,629
Silver	32,637	6,162	24,105	4,043	554,610	134,997
Total gold and silver	225,830	779,600	227,316	812,592	12,372,831	46,560,626
Mineral produce, including kauri-gum—	Tons.	£	Tons.	£	Tons.	£
Copper-ore	..	..	..	..	1,394	17,862
Chrome-ore	..	..	..	..	5,666	37,967
Antimony-ore	515	11,121	493	5,319	2,373	36,190
Manganese-ore	482	1,004	1,080	2,569	15,303½	51,291
Hæmatite-ore	1½	5	..	..	52½	225
Mixed minerals	19	273	199	9,985	14,066	69,035
Coal exported	69,614	67,003	79,490	76,228	407,480	403,555
Coke exported	2,218	3,334	2,132	3,407	8,942	14,241
Coal, output of mines in colony	565,367	282,933	506,955	253,477	5,889,135	2,944,567
Kauri-gum	7,438	378,563	7,519	329,590	134,630½	5,394,687
Total quantity and value of minerals	646,154½	744,236	597,868	680,575	6,478,882½	8,973,020
Value of gold and silver, as above	..	779,600	..	812,592	..	46,560,626
Total value of minerals produced, including gold and silver	..	1,523,836	..	1,493,167	..	55,533,646