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

Name of Coal.	Output of Coal.		Increase or Decrease.	Approximate Total Output of Coal up to the 31st December, 1900.
	1899.	1900.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Bituminous	588,036	673,862	+ 85,826	7,946,824
Pitch	37,835	37,804	- 31	1,798,127
Brown	314,542	339,786	+ 25,244	4,318,947
Lignite	34,821	42,538	+ 7,717	488,972
Totals	975,234	1,093,990	+118,756	14,552,870

No. 10.

TABLE showing the NUMBER of COAL-MINES in OPERATION, the NUMBER of MEN EMPLOYED, and the OUTPUT of COAL per MAN.

Number of Mines working.	Number of Persons employed at each Mine.	Total Number of Persons employed.	Output of Coal during 1900.	Average Output per Person.
			Tons.	Tons.
114	1 to 4 men in each	189	49,299½	260·84
23	5 to 10 "	161	62,003½	385·11
12	11 to 20 "	185	77,188	417·23
18	21 men and upwards	1,925	905,499	470·38
167		2,460	1,093,990	444·71

No. 11.

RETURN showing the QUANTITY and VALUE of COAL IMPORTED INTO and EXPORTED FROM NEW ZEALAND during the Year ended the 31st December, 1900.

Imported.			Exported.		
Countries whence imported.	Quantity.	Value.	Countries to which exported.	Quantity.	Value.
	Tons.	£		Tons.	£
United Kingdom	2	7	United Kingdom	75,448	68,460
New South Wales	124,011	120,379	Victoria	431	432
Tasmania	20	20	New South Wales	6,552	5,289
			Cape Colony	2,604	2,604
			Natal	2,313	2,265
			United States of America—		
			On the West Coast	1,826	1,818
			Fiji Islands	5,724	4,075
			South Sea Islands	9,882	8,885
			Hongkong	9,578	5,746
Totals	124,033	120,406	Totals	114,358	99,574