

GOLD PRODUCE OF THE WORLD, 1882 TO 1885.

COUNTRY.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.
Australasia	1,553,542	1,430,501	1,502,543	1,442,437
United States.....	1,572,199	1,451,251	1,489,928	1,537,930
Russia.....	1,154,603	1,154,603	1,055,452	1,225,414
Other Countries	661,454	668,945	683,155	707,063
Total.....	4,941,798	4,705,300	4,731,078	4,912,844

510. The gold produce in Australasia in 1886 was 1,389,048 oz. (Victorian Year Book, 1886-87, p. 471), which, if valued at £4 per ounce, would represent a total value in our currency of \$27,040,154. The gold produce in the United States in 1886 was 1,881,250 ounces, valued at \$34,869,000. According to Mr. Hayter, the total quantity of gold, raised in the Australasian Colonies from 1851 (the year of the first discovery of gold) to 1886, has been 81,024,307 ounces, which may be valued at \$1,577,273,176, and according to Mr. Day the total value of the gold produce of the United States since 1804 has been \$1,743,715,670. From 1804 to 1848, however, the amount is only placed at \$13,243,475.

Gold produce of the Australasian colonies and the United States.

511. The following table shows the amount of coal produced in British Columbia and Nova Scotia in each year since 1874:—

Production of coal in Nova Scotia and British Columbia.