

For the Douai bed he is inclined to think that the estimate of 18,000,000 tons, given by Koeppen, should be considerably increased.

Mining Engineer Kosloff estimates the reserve in the M'Gatch-Douai areas at 42,000,000 tons, on the assumption that the seams continue without interruption for a distance of twenty miles along the strike and to a depth of 700 feet. In his estimate he includes three seams with an average thickness of 5 feet 10 inches.

Mr. Polevoy estimates the total reserve of one mining district to a depth of 700 feet as follows:

Douai series.....	12,000,000 tons.
Alexandrov (mulda).....	25,000,000 "
Coast Anticline.....	125,000,000 "
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	162,000,000 tons.

The total reserve has been estimated as follows:

#### TERTIARY COAL

1. Mining district.....	161,200,000 tons.
2. South-west district.....	133,600,000 "
3. North-west district.....	121,000,000 "
4. North-east district.....	64,500,000 "
5. South-east district.....	48,300,000 "
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Total.....	528,600,000 tons.

#### CRETACEOUS COAL

1. Investigated area.....	3,600,000 tons.
2. Pilevo area.....	8,000,000 "
3. Jonquière area.....	8,000,000 "
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Total.....	19,600,000 tons.
Tertiary coal.....	528,600,000 tons.
Cretaceous coal.....	19,600,000 "
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Total.....	548,200,000 tons.