

GOLD AND SILVER OUTPUT.—The director of the United States Mint gives the gold and silver production in 1904 as, United States gold, \$84,551,300. Klondike gold, \$10,300,000, home, \$4,878,500. Of silver, the production was 53,643,300 fine ounces of silver. In 1903 the production of gold in U.S. was \$73,591,700, against \$84,551,300 last year, and 54,300,000 ounces of silver, against 53,603,000 in 1904

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Years.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths.
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1862-70.....	35.4	20.3	24.4
1871-80.....	35.4	19.0	22.5
1881-90.....	33.2	17.5	20.5
1891.....	31.8	17.7	21.0
1892.....	30.9	17.4	20.3
1893.....	31.0	17.2	21.0
1894.....	30.1	17.0	17.4
1895.....	30.6	17.2	19.5
1896.....	30.2	18.0	18.2
1897.....	30.1	19.5	17.8
1898.....	29.7	18.8	19.4
1899.....	29.7	18.6	19.6
1900.....	29.1	18.0	18.6
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1902.....	28.5	17.8	17.2
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