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SLAVE TRADE.

R E P O R T

FROM THE

Select Committee on the Mauritius Slave Trade.

THE SELECT COMMITTEE appointed to inquire whether the SLAVE TRADE has prevailed at *The Mauritius*, and to what extent, and the Causes thereof, and to report thereon to The House; and who were empowered to report the MINUTES OF THE EVIDENCE taken before them; — HAVE, pursuant to the Order of The House, inquired into the Matter to them referred, and agreed to the following REPORT:

FROM the lateness of the period at which Your Committee were appointed, it has been impracticable to do more than to commence the investigation of the very important and extensive inquiry referred to them by the order of The House.

Your Committee are therefore unable, in the present stage of the proceedings, to do more than to report the Minutes of Evidence already taken; feeling it their duty to add, that they consider it to be as yet premature to suggest that their Minutes should be printed. These Minutes of Evidence may hereafter be made available for such purposes as Parliament may deem expedient.

Your Committee have learned with satisfaction, that every facility will be furnished by the Government for the purpose of affording means for prosecuting effectually, and bringing to a close, the inquiry in which Your Committee have been engaged.

31 *May* 1826.

SLAVE TRADE.

REPORT

From the SELECT COMMITTEE on the

MAURITIUS SLAVE TRADE.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed,
31 May 1826.