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II.

**SLAVE POPULATION.**

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**PAPERS AND RETURNS,**

*PRESENTED PURSUANT TO ADDRESS,*

RELATING TO THE

Slave Population of Dominica, Grenada, St. Vincent,  
Barbadoes, Antigua, Tobago, Demerara, Berbice,  
St. Christopher, Trinidad, and Mauritius:—

&c.

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# THE HISTORY OF THE

## REPUBLIC OF THE UNITED STATES

OF AMERICA

BY

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RETURN to an Address presented to His Majesty by The Honourable the House of Commons, requesting that He would be graciously pleased to give directions that there should be laid before the House the following Returns from all His Majesty's Colonies in the West Indies; and from the Isle of France and the Cape of Good Hope; viz.

A Return of the number of Slaves imported under licenses, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year, and the sex of the Slaves so imported; together with the places from which they were brought.

A Return of the number of Slaves exported under licenses, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year, and the sex of the Slaves exported; and specifying the places for which they were cleared out.

A Return of all Manumissions effected by purchase, bequest, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year, and the sex of the Persons manumitted; together with a Statement of the amount of the Tax or Fine imposed on each manumission.

A Return of the number of Marriages legally solemnized between Slaves, and also between free Black or Coloured Persons since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year.

A List of all Persons committed to Gaols or Workhouses as Runaways, but who declared themselves to be free, since the 1st of January 1808; with an account of the final disposal of such Persons.

A Return of the Slaves escheated to the Crown since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year, and the Males from the Females; and stating the manner in which they have been disposed of; and if they have been sold, the manner and proceeds of their sale.

A Return of the Population in each year, from 1812 inclusive, to the latest period to which the same has been made up; with the number of Births and Deaths in each year; distinguishing the White, and the free Black, or Coloured, from the Slave population; distinguishing also the Sexes; and, as far as the same can be ascertained, the number of those below ten years of age, from the number of those above that age.

A Return of all Slaves taken and sold under execution for Debt in each year, from the 1st of January 1818 inclusive, till the latest period to which such Return can be made.

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LIST of the said Returns, as far as they have been respectively received.

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Colonial Office, }  
Downing Street, }  
4 March 1823. }

R. J. WILMOT.

II.

PAPERS AND RETURNS,

PRESENTED PURSUANT TO ADDRESS,

RELATING TO THE

Slave Population of Dominica, Grenada, St. Vincent, Barbadoes, Antigua, Tobago, Demerara, Berbice, St. Christopher, Trinidad, and Mauritius, &c.

N° 1. — DOMINICA.

COPY of a Letter from Governor Whittingham to the Earl Bathurst; dated Government-House, Dominica, 8th October 1821:—Enclosing 3 Returns.

My Lord, Government-House, Dominica, 8th October 1821.

HEREWITH I have the honour to transmit the Returns required, as near as can be made, by your Lordship's circular of the 18th of July last.

I regret that these Returns are not so complete as I could wish, but the reason thereof is stated on each Return, that is not in exact conformity to your Lordship's commands, and I trust will prove satisfactory.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) SANDFORD WHITTINGHAM.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

Port of ROSEAU, } (No. 1.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves Imported under  
DOMINICA. } Licence since 1st January 1808; distinguishing each Year, and  
the Sex of the Slaves so Imported, together with the Places from whence they were brought.

YEAR.	Vessel's Name.	Master's Name.	From whence.	Number of Slaves.			Total imported in each Year.							
				Males.	Females.	Total.								
1808, Jan. 6 -	Marq <sup>r</sup> Huntley	R. Martin -	Africa -	243	152	395	395							
1809 - - -	}	}	}	}	}	}								
1810 - - -														
1811 - - -														
1812 - - -														
1813 - - -														
1814 - - -														
1815 - - -								- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
1816 - - -								- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
1817 - - -								- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
1818 - - -								- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
1819 - - -								- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
1820 - - -								- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
1821, June 5								General Barnes	J. Smith -	Barbadoes -	1	3	4	4

Custom-House, Roseau, Dominica, }  
30th September 1821.

(signed) S. Bridgwater, Compt<sup>r</sup>.  
(signed) Dug. Laidlaw, A. Compt<sup>r</sup>.

Port of ROSEAU, } (N<sup>o</sup> 1.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves *Exported* under License,  
 DOMINICA. } since 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each Year, and the Sex of the  
 Slaves exported; and specifying the Places for which they were cleared out.

YEAR.	Vessel's Name.	Master's Name.	Where cleared for.	Number of SLAVES:			TOTAL Shipped in each Year.
				Males.	Females.	Total.	
1808 - - -	- - -	- - nil - -	- - -	-	-	-	-
1809 - - -	- - -	- - nil - -	- - -	-	-	-	-
1810, June 13	Lucy - - -	W. Price - -	St. Vincent -	10	10	20	20
1811, Feb. 8 Mar. 19	Amelia - - -	H. Darrell - -	Demerara - -	13	47	60	116
	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	37	19	56	
				50	66	-	
1812 - - -	- - -	- - nil - -	- - -	-	-	-	-
1813 - - -	- - -	- - nil - -	- - -	-	-	-	-
1814, Jan. 3 Mar. 16 May 26 Aug. 2 - 17 Sept. 1 Oct. 27 Nov. 14	Grimmer - - -	C. Minors - -	St. Croix - -	25	13	38	157
	Presid <sup>t</sup> Metcalf -	J. Roke - - -	Montserrat -	3	3	6	
	Endeavour - - -	G. Bailey - -	St. Vincent -	17	19	36	
	Victualler - - -	M. Deshon - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	10	9	19	
	Gig - - -	W. Derrickson -	Trinidad - -	9	6	15	
	Two Brothers - -	J. Campbell - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	10	4	14	
	Little Cherub - -	J. Briston - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	4	8	12	
	Zephyr - - -	G. Burton - - -	Martinique -	13	4	17	
				91	66	-	
1815, April 6 - 18 June 6 - 8 - 10 - 15 July 6 - 7 - 11 - - Aug. 5 Oct. 21 Nov. 16 - 18 Dec. 13	Two Brothers - -	P. Metz - - -	Trinidad - -	18	13	31	370
	Theresa - - -	J. Guenen - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	7	9	16	
	Catherine - - -	J. Gudroe - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	10	8	18	
	Two Brothers - -	P. Metz - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	12	15	27	
	Atalanta - - -	A. Marie - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	8	12	20	
	Searcher - - -	G. Gordon - - -	Antigua - -	5	5	10	
	L'Espeigle - -	R. Laroyne - -	Trinidad - -	9	11	20	
	Retrieve - - -	G. Cunningham	St. Vincent -	32	16	48	
	Victor Gordon -	L. Rolle - - -	Trinidad - -	15	6	21	
	Two Brothers - -	J. Molineux - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	9	12	21	
	Peace - - -	J. Gudroe - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	13	10	23	
	Gig - - -	F. Spencer - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	13	12	25	
	St. Joseph - - -	P. La Croix - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	27	19	46	
	Little Cherub -	P. Herring - -	St. Lucie - -	3	7	10	
Pegasus - - -	J. Duthy - - -	Trinidad - -	18	16	34		
			191	171	-		
1816, Jan. 5 Feb. 11 Mar. 9 - 19 - 26	St. Joseph - - -	J. Bowett - - -	Trinidad - -	17	13	30	115
	Gig - - -	J. Charles - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	9	10	19	
	Phoenix - - -	L. Lethre - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	22	13	35	
	Victor Gordon -	P. Finn - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	6	13	19	
	Gig - - -	J. Charles - - -	St. Vincent -	8	4	12	
			62	53	-		
1817, April 18 - - July 10 - 14 Aug. 12 - 16 - - - - - 22	Jackman - - -	J. Merchant - -	Demerara - -	25	26	51	538
	Jn <sup>o</sup> Catto - - -	J. Petrie - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	51	38	89	
	Delta - - -	A. Heyes - - -	St. Vincent -	42	55	97	
	General Barnes -	F. Willis - - -	Demerara - -	11	16	27	
	New Escape - - -	J. Bowes - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	19	25	44	
	Spring - - -	G. Burton - - -	Tobago - - -	22	13	35	
	Never Despair -	S. Wormington -	Demerara - -	60	60	120	
	St. Joseph - - -	J. Petit - - -	Trinidad - -	14	16	30	
	Success - - -	W. Pigott - - -	St. Vincent -	26	19	45	
			270	268	-		

IN THE WEST INDIA COLONIES.

YEAR.	Vessel's Name.	Master's Name.	Where cleared for.	Number of SLAVES :			TOTAL Shipped in each Year.	
				Males.	Females.	Total.		
1818, Feb. 24	Union - - -	B. Whissell - -	Trinidad - -	13	8	21	444	
July 29	Two Sisters - -	J. Duthy - - -	St. Vincent - -	26	28	54		
Aug. 17	Aunt Eliza - -	J. Cooper - - -	D° - - -	41	38	79		
Sept. 5	General Barnes -	F. Willis - - -	Trinidad - -	15	7	22		
- 9	Tho <sup>s</sup> Spencer - -	J. Libby - - -	Barbadoes - -	13	7	20		
Oct. 26	Hosepha - - -	J. Thomas - - -	D° - - -	26	23	49		
Dec. 12	Retrieve - - -	J. Baines - - -	Demerara - -	15	13	28		
- -	Rebecca - - -	W. Geidham - -	St. Vincent - -	27	30	57		
- 17	Eliz <sup>h</sup> Harvey - -	R. Sketton - - -	Demerara - -	32	35	67		
- -	Fame - - -	G. Chaplin - - -	D° - - -	19	28	47		
				227	217	-		
1819, Jan. 7	Fame - - -	G. Chaplin - - -	Demerara - -	22	18	40		818
Feb. 2	Waterloo - - -	R. Skelton - - -	Barbadoes - -	3	1	4		
- 9	Spring - - -	G. Burton - - -	St. Vincent - -	10	8	18		
Mar. 31	Thorn - - -	D. Edwards - - -	Trinidad - -	5	7	12		
May 20	Castor - - -	R. Somersall - -	Demerara - -	66	83	149		
- -	Retrieve - - -	W. Handley - - -	D° - - -	5	29	34		
June 11	Richard - - -	J. Williamson - -	D° - - -	58	68	126		
- -	Flying Fish - -	J. Cox - - -	D° - - -	19	28	47		
- -	Never Despair -	J. Leith - - -	D° - - -	36	44	80		
- 12	Bee - - -	F. Willis - - -	D° - - -	15	19	34		
- -	Aid - - -	G. Somersall - -	Barbadoes - -	2	-	2		
- 15	Lane - - -	J. Taylor - - -	Demerara - -	7	13	20		
- 24	Flying Fish - -	J. Cox - - -	D° - - -	20	19	39		
July 6	Lady Nelson - -	H. Curtis - - -	Barbadoes - -	14	8	22		
- -	Spring - - -	C. Gordon - - -	Trinidad - -	6	5	11		
- 8	Retrieve - - -	W. Handley - - -	Grenada - - -	30	30	60		
- 13	Hunter - - -	D. M <sup>c</sup> Arthur - - -	Trinidad - -	28	19	47		
Nov. 23	St. Joseph - -	J. Toussaint - -	Demerara - -	3	4	7		
- 16	Lane - - -	J. Borome - - -	Trinidad - -	22	4	26		
- 24	Ben - - -	J. Prest - - -	St. Vincent - -	23	17	40		
				394	424	-		
1820, Jan. 6	William Stowe -	G. Richardson - -	Trinidad - -	12	13	25	394	
- 8	Delta - - -	W. Morris - - -	St. Vincent - -	25	24	49		
- 18	Frances Russell -	H. Tuzo - - -	Grenada - - -	36	40	76		
- 21	Louisa - - -	T. Pollock - - -	Trinidad - -	67	93	160		
May 6	Atalie - - -	A. Borome - - -	Tobago - - -	1	3	4		
Dec. 28	Bella - - -	R. Bennetts - -	Demerara - -	23	21	44		
- 29	Bee - - -	J. King - - -	D° - - -	28	8	36		
				192	202	-		
1821, Sept. 14	Lune - - -	J. Keith - - -	Barbadoes - -	3	-	3	3	
TOTAL Number Exported since 1st January 1808 to this Date }				1,498	1,477	2,975	2,975	

Custom House, Roseau, Dominica,  
30th September 1821.

(signed) S. Bridgwater.  
(signed) Dug. Laidlaw,  
A. Compt.

DOMINICA.—(N<sup>o</sup> 3.)—A RETURN of all Manumissions effected by Purchase, Bequest, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each Year, and the Sex of the persons manumitted, taken from the records thereof, and made up to the 28th day of September 1821.

YEARS.	SEX.		TOTAL.
	Males.	Females.	
1808 - - -	5	6	11
1809 - - -	-	3	3
1810 - - -	28	64	92
1811 - - -	32	59	91
1812 - - -	12	30	42
1813 - - -	29	40	69
1814 - - -	19	37	55
1815 - - -	28	49	77
1816 - - -	27	56	83
1817 - - -	33	52	85
1818 - - -	18	35	53
1819 - - -	30	61	91
1820 - - -	38	42	80
1821 - - -	14	20	34
Grand Total -	313	554	867

(signed) *F. H. Garraway*, Act<sup>s</sup> Reg<sup>r</sup> and Sec<sup>y</sup>.

STATEMENT of the amount of the Tax or Fine imposed on each Manumission under the existing law of the Island which regulates the same.

	Currency.
	£. s. d.
Tax on the manumission of each slave born in this island, or originally imported into this island from the coast of Africa, or imported into the same under the age of ten years - - - - -	16 10 -
Tax on the manumission of all other slaves not born on this island, or not imported as above - - - - -	33 - -
Tax on the manumissions or certificate of freedom of each free or manumitted person coming from another island or colony to this island - -	1 13 -

The tax in the years 1808 & 9, was 100 *l.* currency for each slave manumitted in this island.

Dominica,  
28th September 1821. }

(signed) *F. H. Garraway*, Act<sup>s</sup> Reg<sup>r</sup> and Sec<sup>y</sup>.

DOMINICA, } (N<sup>o</sup> 4.)—RETURN of the Number of Marriages solemnized between  
9th October 1821. } Free Black and Coloured Persons; and also between free Persons  
and Slaves, from the 1st day of January 1808 up to this Date.

1808 } The Number of Marriages during these two years cannot be ascertained, in con-  
1809 } sequence of there not having been any resident protestant clergyman in Dominica  
the whole of that period, when all marriages were solemnized by justices of the peace, who  
kept no register or record of them.

1810	-	-	-	16	
1811	-	-	-	11	
1812	-	-	-	10	
1813	-	-	-	7	
1814	-	-	-	7	
1815	-	-	-	20	
1816	-	-	-	22	
1817	-	-	-	15	
1818	-	-	-	9	also one between a free man and a slave.
1819	-	-	-	17	
1820	-	-	-	35	also one between a free woman and a slave.
1821	-	-	-	13	also one between a free man and a slave.
				<hr/>	
				190	

Total number of marriages solemnized by me between free persons of colour, }  
from the 1st day of January 1810 up to the above date - - - - } 190.

Total number of marriages between free persons and slaves during the same period 3.

(signed) *H. C. C. Newman,*  
Rector of the Parish of St. George and Town of Roseau.

DOMINICA :—Ide Lahon Ximeno, Rector of the Roman Catholic Church, states that his predecessors never registered marriages between coloured persons of whatever description, nor has he; but he conjectures that since his first arrival here on the 14th day of March 1819, he may have solemnized about sixty marriages between slaves.

Dominica, } (signed) *H. C. C. Newman.*  
9th October 1821. }

(N<sup>o</sup> 5.)—LIST of Slaves taken up as Runaways, but who said they were free, with their final disposal, from the 1st of January 1816 to 5th October 1821.

YEARS.	NAMES.	FINAL DISPOSAL.
1816	Andre Carib	Released by Governor Maxwell.
—	Mark Vidal	- D <sup>o</sup> - by Mrs. Buch.
1818	Touley	- D <sup>o</sup> - by W. W. Glanville, esq.
—	Thomas	- D <sup>o</sup> - by his Honor the Chief Justice.
—	Bartholomew	- D <sup>o</sup> - d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1821	Louis	- D <sup>o</sup> - by the Court of King's Bench.

Dominica, 6th October 1821.

I CERTIFY the above to be a correct copy of all slaves taken up as runaways, but who said they were free, from the 1st of January 1816 to the 5th of October 1821; previous to which I have no record in my office.

(signed) *Henry Trew, Provost Marshal.*

DOMINICA—(N° 6.)—A RETURN of Slaves escheated to the Crown, from the 1st of  
January 1808 to this date.

DATE.	NAMES of Former Proprietors.	NAMES of SLAVES.	Males.	Females.	TO WHOM SOLD.
From 1 Jan. 1808, to 22 Oct. 1819.	- - - -	- - - -	-	-	- - - - - (a)
1819 18 Nov.	Michone Bontemp	Romaine - Yaya - Guillaume - Paulin - Isaac - Sexième - Marie - Augustine -  Cerule - Louis - Jn° Pierre - Peggy -	- - 1 1 1 1 - 1  1 1 1 -	1 1 - - - - 1 -  - - - 1	William Tho° Rainy - - (b)  Manumitted by order of Mr. President Reid. Charlotte Largerite. Francis Lestrade. Lockhart Potter and Court. Mary Ann Lamark.
1820 1 Aug.	Susan Laville -	Lindor - Zabette - Joseph - Claremont - Arriette - Marseline -	- - 1 1 - -	- 1 - - 1 1	William Blane.  John Laidlaw - - - - (c) - - - -
			11	7	

DISPOSAL OF PROCEEDS.

(a) In consequence of the situation of casual Receiver having been vacant for a considerable time prior to my appointment to that office, and my several predecessors from the 1st of January 1808 having either died or left the Island without placing on record any return of Slaves escheated to the Crown, and sold by them during their administration, I am unable to furnish any return from the 1st of January 1808 to the 22d October 1819.

(b) As there were certain claims against the estate of Michone Bontemp, letters of administration were granted to me, subject to the payment of such debts; in consequence of which the property of the estate was disposed of, and the balance, after payment of the said debts, amounting to 578*l.* 18*s.* 3*d.* currency, was granted by his Excellency Governor Whittingham as a loan to the colony, for forwarding the building of the protestant church.

(c) As there were certain claims against the estate of Susan Laville, letters of administration were granted to me, subject to the payment of such debts; in consequence of which the property of the estate was disposed of, and the balance, after payment of the said debts, amounting to 409*l.* 19*s.* currency, was granted by his Excellency Governor Whittingham as a loan to the colony for forwarding the building of the protestant church.

Roseau, Dominica, }  
8th October 1821. }

(signed) Edward Holmes,  
Casual Receiver

(N<sup>o</sup> 7.)—POPULATION of DOMINICA from 1813 to 1821; taken agreeably to the Census Act.

1. YEARS.	2. White Persons.		3. Free Persons of Colour.		4. Slaves.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1813 - -	608	560	1,394	1,747	10,044	10,608
1814 - -	624	531	1,104	1,425	9,951	10,396
1815 - -	628	494	1,139	1,529	8,645	10,060
1816 - -	621	463	1,175	1,651	8,733	9,420
1817 - -	635	494	1,237	1,542	8,688	9,255
1818 - -	640	490	1,226	1,536	8,620	9,200
1819 - -	535	448	1,092	1,526	7,923	8,604
1820 - -	545	472	1,207	1,612	7,635	8,259
1821 - -	559	434	1,286	1,646	7,531	8,155

OBSERVATIONS:—The Returns previous to the year 1813 were lodged in the Court House, and lost by the destruction of that building in the hurricane of that year; the number of Births and Deaths, also the number of those under 10 years of age, cannot be ascertained, as no such Returns have ever been taken.

Treasury Office,  
Roseau, 6th October 1821. }

(signed) *James Corlet*, Treasurer.

(N<sup>o</sup> 8.)—RETURN of Slaves sold by virtue of Executions from the 1st of January 1808 to the 6th of October 1821.

YEARS.	SEX.		TOTAL.
	Males.	Females.	
1808 - - -	65	33	98
1809 - - -	38	26	64
1810 - - -	62	62	124
1811 - - -	36	30	66
1812 - - -	14	19	33
1813 - - -	45	43	88
1814 - - -	69	63	132
1815 - - -	21	22	43
1816 - - -	2	6	8
1817 - - -	30	18	48
1818 - - -	32	40	72
1819 - - -	8	2	10
1820 - - -	7	3	10
1821 - - -	2	1	3
Grand Total -	-	-	799

Dominica, 6th October 1821.

I CERTIFY the above to be a correct copy, from the records in my office, of all Slaves sold by virtue of Executions from the 1st of January to the 6th October 1821.

(signed) *Henry Treva*, Provost Marshal.



## N° 2.—GRENADA.

Copy of a Letter from Governor Riall to the Earl Bathurst, dated the 11th of October 1821 :—Enclosing 14 Returns.

My Lord,

Grenada, 11th October 1821.

I HAVE had the honour of receiving your Lordship's circular letter of the 18th of July last, signifying the King's pleasure that I should furnish your Lordship with the Returns required in an accompanying copy of an address, which had been presented to His Majesty by The House of Commons, in order to their being laid before the Honourable House; I now beg leave to transmit the Returns therein alluded to, which (with the exception of the number of slaves imported under license, or otherwise, into the port of Sr. George's, and of which no record is kept by the officers of His Majesty's customs) will, I trust, afford the information called for.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed)

P. RIALL, Gov<sup>r</sup>.

(N° 1.)

Sir,

Customs, St. George's, Grenada, 10th September 1821.

WE have the honour of your Excellency's commands, requiring us to furnish returns of slaves imported herein under license, and also of slaves exported from hence in a similar manner, from the 1st of January 1808 to the present date; in pursuance of a resolution of the Honourable the House of Commons of the 3d of July last.

In reply to which, we have the honour to state, that no directions having ever been received here to keep such accounts, there are no documents in this office from which such return of negroes imported could be made out; and with respect to negroes so exported, we should be similarly situated, but from the circumstance of the bonds entered into previous to such licenses being granted, enabling us to furnish the return required for the periods for which such bonds remain in the office.

We have the honour to be, &c.

His Excellency Major-General Riall,  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed)

{*Chas. Robinson, Coll<sup>r</sup>.*  
*Geo. Weare, Compt<sup>r</sup>.*

Port of GRENVILLE, } (N° 2.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves imported under License,  
GRENADA. } or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each Year,  
and the Sex of the Slaves so imported, together with the Places from whence they were brought.

Date.	Vessels Names.	Masters Names.	From whence,	Number of Slaves.		By what Authority Imported.
				Males.	Females.	
1812: 4 June	Hunter - -	Thos. Tobin -	St. Vincent -	8	22	- Under license granted by the Governor of St. Vincent.
1817: 1 April	Limlaco - -	J. B. De St. Hilaire.	Carriacou -	16	11	- Under license granted by the Collector and Comptroller of the Port of St. George.
12 May	Hannah - -	Jas. M'Conochu	D° - - -	44	51	D° - - d°.
1819: 26 June	Superior -	T. J. Cooper -	St. Vincent -	14	29	- Under license granted by the Governor of St. Vincent.
—	Alicia - -	Peter T. Hazell	D° - - -	18	20	D° - - d°.
12 July	Retrieve - -	W. P. Handley	Dominica -	30	30	D° by the Governor of Dominica.
1820: 31 Dec.	Superior -	T. J. Cooper -	St. Christopher	1	-	- - Under certificate granted by the Registrar of St. Christopher.
				131	163	

Given under my Hand and Seal of Office, the 18th day of Sept. 1821.

(signed)

P. Riall, Gov<sup>r</sup>.

(signed)

John Ash, Coll<sup>r</sup>.

GRENADA :—(N° 3.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves Exported under License from the Port of St. George, Grenada; in obedience to an Address of the Honourable the House of Commons of the 3d of July 1821.

To what Port exported.	Males.	Females.	TOTAL.
1808:			
To Trinidad - - - - -	sex unknown	-	25
- St. Vincent - - - - -	d°	-	3
28			
1809:			
To Trinidad - - - - -	sex unknown	-	18
- St. Vincent - - - - -	d°	-	4
- Dominica - - - - -	d°	-	20
- Antigua - - - - -	d°	-	4
46			
1810:			
To Trinidad - - - - -	sex unknown	-	8
8			
The Documents from 1810 to 1816 are wanting.			
1816:			
To Berbice - - - - -	sex unknown	-	6
- Demerary - - - - -	6	3	9
- Trinidad - - - - -	6	4	10
25			
1817:			
To St. Kitt's - - - - -	10	2	12
- Tobago - - - - -	3	2	5
- Trinidad - - - - -	28	10	38
- Barbadoes - - - - -	1	1	2
- St. Vincent - - - - -	16	22	38
- Berbice - - - - -	3	1	4
- Demerary - - - - -	14	3	17
- New Providence - - - - -	1	-	1
117			
1818:			
To Trinidad - - - - -	35	28	63
- New Providence - - - - -	2	2	4
- Demerary - - - - -	1	-	1
- St. Vincent - - - - -	1	-	1
69			
1819:			
To Trinidad - - - - -	39	30	
- Barbadoes - - - - -	14	11	25
- Antigua - - - - -	1	1	2
- St. Vincent - - - - -	1	-	1
- Tobago - - - - -	11	10	21
	1	1	2
51			
1820:			
To Tobago - - - - -	28	23	
- Trinidad - - - - -	2	2	4
- Barbadoes - - - - -	36	38	74
- St. Vincent - - - - -	2	1	3
- Nevis - - - - -	1	-	1
- St. Kitt's - - - - -	1	-	1
84			
1821 to the 29th August, the last exported.			
To Trinidad - - - - -	42	42	
- Tobago - - - - -	27	22	49
- St. Vincent - - - - -	13	15	28
- St. Lucia - - - - -	-	7	7
	-	2	2
86			
	40	46	
514			

St. George's, Grenada, }  
10th Sept. 1821.

(signed) P. RIALI, Govr.

(signed)  
(signed)

Chas Robinson, Collr.  
Geo. Weare, Comp<sup>r</sup>.

Port of GRENVILLE, } (N<sup>o</sup> 4.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves Exported, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year, and the Sex of the Slaves so Exported, and specifying the Places for which they were cleared out.  
GRENADA.

THESE are to certify that no Slaves whatever have been exported from this Port since the 1st of January 1808.

Given under our hands and seals of office, the 18th day of September 1821.

(signed) John Ash, Collr.

(signed) F. J. Hewitson, Compt<sup>r</sup>.

(signed) P. RIAL, Gov<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 5.)

Sir,

Parsonage Cottage, Carriacou, 17 Sept. 1821.

THE honour of your Excellency's commands was not received till yesterday.

The legal solemnization of a marriage between slaves in this island is a thing unheard of; and if I might presume to offer my sentiments, would, in their present state of imperfect civilization, lead to no beneficial result. Their affection for each other, if affection it can be called, is capricious and short lived; restraint would hasten its extinction; and unity without harmony is mutual torment.

The total number of marriages between free coloured persons, (for there has occurred no marriage between free black persons), is, as your Excellency will observe by the inclosed detail, only nine, and two of that number not parishioners; but married by your Excellency's license. Our wealthy coloured population has dwindled away almost to nothing.

His Excellency Governor Rial,  
&c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) W<sup>m</sup> Nash.

(N<sup>o</sup> 6.)—A RETURN of the Marriages of Free coloured Persons in the Island of Carriacou, Government of Grenada, from the commencement of the year 1808 to the present date, the 17th of September 1821.

1808	- - - -	Two	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	2
1809	- - - -	None.	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	
1810	- - - -	None.	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	
1811	- - - -	One	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	1
1812	- - - -	None.	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	
1813	- - - -	None.	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	
1814	- - - -	None.	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	
1815	- - - -	Two	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	2
1816	- - - -	None.	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	
1817	- - - -	None.	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	
1818	- - - -	None.	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	
1819	- - - -	One	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	1
1820	- - - -	One (not parishioners)	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	1
1821	- - - -	Two (one couple not parishioners)	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	2
Total - -								9

(signed) William Nash, Rector.

(signed) P. RIAL, Gov<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 7.)—A RETURN of the number of Marriages legally solemnized in the united Parishes of St. Patrick, St. Andrew, and St. David, in the Island of GRENADA, between free Coloured, free Black Persons, and Slaves, since the 15th of September 1809 (the date of the Collation of the present Incumbent to the said benefice) to the 11th of September 1821.

YEARS.	ST. PATRICK.		ST. ANDREW.		ST. DAVID.	
	FREE.		FREE.		FREE.	
	Coloured.	Black.	Coloured.	Black.	Coloured.	Black.
1809	—	—	—	—	—	—
1810	—	—	—	—	—	—
1811	—	—	1	—	—	—
1812	—	—	—	—	—	—
1813	—	—	—	—	—	—
1814	—	—	—	—	—	—
1815	—	—	—	—	—	—
1816	—	—	—	—	—	—
1817	—	—	1	—	—	—
1818	—	—	—	—	—	—
1819	1	—	—	—	—	—
1820	—	—	—	—	—	—
1821	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1	—	2	—	—	—

N. B.—No application has ever been made to the present rector, during the period of twelve years incumbency, by Slaves, to be legally united by the ties of marriage; they appearing, in his opinion, to prefer, and being in the habit of living in, a state of concubinage, from which they disengage themselves at will.

(signed) *Benj<sup>r</sup> Webster,*

Rector of the United Parishes of St. Patrick, St. Andrew, and St. David.

(signed) P. RIALI, *Gov<sup>r</sup>.*

(N<sup>o</sup> 8.)—A RETURN of Marriages of free Black, or Coloured Persons, and Slaves, solemnized in the Parishes of St. George, St. John, and St. Mark, in the Island of GRENADA, from the 1st day of January 1808 to the 15th day of September 1821.

YEARS.	ST. GEORGE.		ST. JOHN.		ST. MARK.	
	Free Black or Coloured.	Slaves.	Free Black or Coloured.	Slaves.	Free Black or Coloured.	Slaves.
1808	4	—	1	—	—	—
1809	2	—	—	—	—	—
1810	2	—	—	—	—	—
1811	1	—	—	—	—	—
1812	—	—	—	—	—	—
1813	3	—	—	—	—	—
1814	—	—	—	—	—	—
1815	1	—	—	—	—	—
1816	1	—	—	—	—	—
1817	4	—	—	—	—	—
1818	7	—	—	—	—	—
1819	20	—	—	—	—	—
1820	16	—	—	—	—	—
1821	6	—	—	—	—	—
Total	67	—	1	—	—	—

During my ministry of thirty-seven years in this and other English colonies, I have never been required to marry Slaves, although it be well known that an application to perform that ceremony, either from the master, or the Slaves themselves, would be cheerfully attended to without expense to either.

(signed) *Francis Mc Mahon,*

Rector of the United Parishes of St. George, St. John, and St. Mark.

(signed) P. RIALI, *Gov<sup>r</sup>.*

(N° 9.)

Sir,

Mount St. John, St. Andrew's, 11th September 1821.

I HAD the honour of receiving yesterday evening your Excellency's communication, dated the 8th Instant; and, in obedience to your commands, lose no time in transmitting, enclosed herewith, the Return required, made out as far back as it is in my power to do it. I hold possession of no register to inform me of any marriages, of the description specified, solemnized between the 1st of January 1808 and the period of my obtaining my present living; and I am inclined to think that during that time it was without an incumbent.

I have the honour to be, &amp;c.

His Excellency Governor Riall,  
&c. &c. &c.*Benj<sup>n</sup>. Webster.*

(N° 10.)—A LIST of all Persons committed to Gaol as Runaways, but who declared themselves to be free, since the 1st of January 1808 to the 1st of October 1821; and an account of their final disposal.

1808, Feb. 7	- -	A runaway named John	- - - - -	Sold by the Marshal.
- Aug. 11	- -	Ditto	- - - no name	- - - ditto.
1809, June 13	- -	Ditto	- - named Louis	- - - ditto.
- - 30	- -	Ditto	- - - Nelson	- - - ditto.
- Dec. 9	- -	Ditto	- - - John	- - - ditto.
1810, July 24	- -	Ditto	- - - Jean Baptiste	- - ditto.
1811	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.
1812	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.
1813	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.
1814	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.
1815	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.
1816	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.
1817	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.
1818	- - - -	A runaway named Dominique Charles	- - - -	Sold by the Marshal.
1819	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.
1820	- - - -	A runaway named John Martin	- - - -	Sold by the Marshal.
1821	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	None.

TOTAL 8.

Grenada, }  
1 October 1821. }(signed) *J. Boucher,*  
P. M. G.

(N° 11.)—A RETURN of all Runaways recorded in the Registrar's Office of the Island of GRENADA, effected by Purchase, Bequest, or otherwise, since the 1st day of January 1808, with the amount of fines paid thereon.

YEARS.	Males.	Females.	Total.	State of Fines Paid.
1808	5	3	8	- - By an act which passed the legislature of Grenada on the 29th day of December 1797, a fine of 100 <i>l.</i> currency was imposed on all manumissions to be thereafter passed or made, before the same should be valid and effectual in law; which act continued in force, as far as related to such tax or fines, until the 27th day of July 1818, when the same was repealed. The repealing act declaring and enacting that all manumissions which had been recorded, or should thereafter be recorded, on which the tax or fine of 100 <i>l.</i> had not been paid, should be as valid and good as if the said tax or fines had been paid according to law. There is now therefore no tax or fine whatever imposed by law on any manumission: and out of upwards of four hundred manumissions which were recorded between the 1st of January 1808 and the 27th of July 1818, the fines were only paid on seventy-four deeds of manumission.
1809	3	6	9	
1810	9	9	18	
1811	3	4	7	
1812	1	2	3	
1813	7	9	16	
1814	2	11	13	
1815	8	22	30	
1816	32	54	86	
1817	55	120	175	
1818	43	47	90	
1819	44	85	129	
1820	36	39	75	
1821	19	25	44	
Total	267	436	703	

The above Return is made up to the 3d of July 1821.

Grenada, }  
1st October 1821. }

(signed) P. RIALL, Govr.

*Ousley Rowley,*  
D. Regr.

(N<sup>o</sup> 12.)—A RETURN of Slaves escheated to the Crown, in the Island of GRENADA, since the 1st of January 1808; with the manner of their Disposal, and of the Proceeds of such as have been sold.

YEARS.	Males.	Females.	How disposed of; Application of the Proceeds of Sale, and other Remarks.
1811 - -	2	-	- - Formerly the property of Marie Joseph Lair, free black woman, who died without heirs. One of these slaves was executed for the murder of his mistress; the other was sold, and the proceeds applied towards the payment of the inquest office, and other expenses incidental to the obtaining possession of them, &c.
1812 - -	-	3	- - Formerly the property of Nicholas Babonneau, who also died intestate, and without heirs; the slaves were however, at the time of the office, found in possession of one Moritz Hardman, who traversed the inquest, and in the year 1818 judgment was finally entered for the crown. One of these slaves, being an old woman, was permitted to live with the other two (her daughters) without any hire being demanded of her; the young women were also permitted to work for their own support and livelihood, but were directed to pay four dollars a month, until His Majesty's pleasure as to their disposal should be known. Laurencine (one of them) has a child, born some months after the office found; and Marie (the other) had also a child, but it died, and she has herself been ever since sickly: little hire has therefore been obtained from them, and as no answer has been received from His Majesty's Government they have become rather a burthen than a benefit to the Crown, and they now consider themselves as good as free.
1812 - -	3	3	- - Formerly the property of Margaret Lessly, a lunatic, who died so, and without heirs; but at the time of the inquest found the slaves were in the possession of the late president Adye; and after they were recovered from his widow, executrix and devisee, were, by order of His Majesty's Government, delivered over to the receiver of the forfeited estates, and placed on those properties; with the exception of one old blind woman, who was maintained by the casual receiver until her death, which happened in March last.
1817 - -	1	4	- - Formerly the property of one Javotte Alexander, who died intestate, and without heirs. One of these slaves, named Elizabeth, was manumitted by his Excellency Governor Riall, by the directions of Earl Bathurst; and the others suffered to remain in the possession of the illegitimate relations or connections of the deceased Javotte Alexander, until His Majesty's Government should decide on their petition praying a grant of them, they having entered into a bond to deliver them up in case their petition should be refused: no answer having been received, they still remain in possession of the family.
1821 - -	-	1	- - Late the property of Fanchine M'Dowall, a free coloured woman, who died intestate, and without heir; but left several illegitimate children, to whom this slave was given up, and granted by his Excellency the Governor, upon their paying the charges and fees of the inquisition, which amounted to nearly her value.

Grenada, 1st October 1821.

(signed) P. RIALL, Gov<sup>r</sup>.

(signed)

Ousley Rowley, Casual Receiver.

(N<sup>o</sup> 13.)

Sir,

St. George's, 10th October 1821.

I HAVE the honour to transmit to your Excellency returns of the population of this colony, in obedience to the directions of Earl Bathurst, as signified by your Excellency on the 8th ultimb.

In explanation of the delay that has taken place in making out these returns, I beg leave to observe, that the documents on which they are grounded, though lodged in my office, are not directed to be transcribed into any book of record, and are not so transcribed excepting when any of the objects specified therein are rated or taxed by the House of Assembly. I have in consequence been compelled to examine every return of each year, under what is termed the Population Act of 1801; and to remedy any defects or omissions therein by resorting to private and extraneous information, when within my reach. These circumstances, together with the requisite details and duties of the office, will, I trust, be received as an apology, not only for the lateness of this communication, but also for any inaccuracies that may be discovered in the returns, should any be found to exist.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed)

Geo. Erin. Munro.

RETURN of the Population of GRENADA and its Dependencies, for the years 1812, 1813, 1814, 1815, 1816, 1817, 1818, 1819, 1820.

1812:	Total Number of Whites.	White Children under 15 Years.	Total Number of Coloured and Free Blacks.	Coloured and Free Black Children.	SLAVES.					TOTAL.
					Males.	Females.	Males and Females under 10 Years.	Increase by Birth, Sale or Removal.	Decrease by Death, Sale or Removal.	
Town of St. George -	293	104	686	242	1,116	1,131	424	42	37	2,247
Parish of - D° -	117	15	213	93	2,844	2,910	1,007	124	232	5,754
Parish of St. John -	73	23	147	46	1,215	1,077	401	58	112	2,292
Parish of St. Mark -	53	3	41	18	859	884	379	79	78	1,743
Parish of St. Patrick -	91	3	123	61	2,318	2,369	899	107	217	4,787
Parish of St. Andrew -	109	-	177	91	2,517	2,460	854	136	242	4,977
Parish of St. David -	31	-	109	44	1,112	1,149	441	62	74	2,261
Island of Carriacou -	74	6	192	82	2,371	2,459	369	29	101	4,830
Total - -	841	154	1,688	677	14,352	14,439	4,774	637	1,093	28,791
1813:										
Town of St. George -	288	68	720	319	1,123	1,205	404	55	69	2,328
Parish of - D° -	90	18	223	103	2,705	2,763	1,003	155	155	5,468
Parish of St. John -	79	30	149	71	1,254	1,103	470	141	88	2,357
Parish of St. Mark -	34	6	37	13	844	810	301	36	86	1,654
Parish of St. Patrick -	94	5	107	60	2,326	2,421	883	168	177	4,747
Parish of St. Andrew -	122	8	167	83	2,565	2,517	900	177	225	5,082
Parish of St. David -	39	2	82	27	1,026	1,068	318	67	67	2,094
Island of Carriacou -	73	4	191	73	2,183	2,269	1,905	143	113	4,452
Total - -	819	141	1,676	749	14,026	14,156	6,184	942	980	28,182
1814:										
Town of St. George -	282	104	507	262	1,066	1,210	464	168	169	2,276
Parish of - D° -	103	18	232	109	2,726	2,739	963	151	177	5,465
Parish of St. John -	72	15	158	79	1,210	1,123	432	104	115	2,333
Parish of St. Mark -	53	16	54	20	731	744	329	54	78	1,475
Parish of St. Patrick -	91	3	114	60	2,312	2,518	933	258	165	4,830
Parish of St. Andrew -	112	4	193	97	2,456	2,413	903	201	217	4,869
Parish of St. David -	41	3	74	6	1,008	943	401	74	73	1,950
Island of Carriacou -	71	7	190	80	2,165	2,316	1,220	133	419	4,481
Total - -	823	170	1,722	713	13,674	14,005	5,655	1,143	1,413	27,679
1815:										
Town of St. George -	355	129	714	260	1,089	1,199	516	136	130	2,288
Parish of - D° -	96	19	228	114	2,673	2,700	891	165	198	5,375
Parish of St. John -	68	18	164	78	1,191	1,115	387	92	99	2,306
Parish of St. Mark -	38	10	36	11	713	750	313	51	62	1,463
Parish of St. Patrick -	91	9	106	54	2,267	2,283	904	126	87	4,550
Parish of St. Andrew -	108	7	205	110	2,498	2,421	892	239	88	4,919
Parish of St. David -	29	-	76	37	1,009	1,077	340	112	215	2,086
Island of Carriacou -	66	8	191	75	2,044	2,221	520	187	306	4,265
Total - -	852	200	1,716	735	13,484	13,766	4,763	1,108	1,185	27,250
1816:										
Town of St. George -	305	102	717	283	1,140	1,252	438	139	179	2,392
Parish of - D° -	84	14	145	57	2,583	2,520	1,029	172	218	5,103
Parish of St. John -	79	25	109	49	1,853	1,859	688	149	252	3,712
Parish of St. Mark -	30	4	59	31						
Parish of St. Patrick -	89	3	95	39	2,361	2,448	921	152	275	4,809
Parish of St. Andrew -	110	12	208	106	2,341	2,313	809	222	201	4,654
Parish of St. David -	34	-	98	27	1,143	1,157	433	70	82	2,300
Island of Carriacou -	63	8	144	56	2,030	2,234	1,217	170	115	4,264
Total - -	794	168	1,575	648	13,451	13,783	5,535	1,074	1,322	27,234

	Total Number of Whites.	White Children under 15 Years.	Total Number of Coloured and Free Blacks.	Coloured and Free Children.	SLAVES.					TOTAL.
					Males.	Females.	Males and Females under 10 Years.	Increase by Birth, Sale or Removal.	Decrease by Death, Sale or Removal.	
<b>1817:</b>										
Town of St. George -	304	73	893	372	1,183	1,424	508	151	217	2,607
Parish of - D° -	103	16	172	76	2,601	2,635	921	186	450	5,236
Parish of St. John } united	89	20	152	66	1,788	1,817	653	239	176	3,605
Parish of St. Mark } united	25	6	51	19						
Parish of St. Patrick -	100	6	101	46	2,297	2,379	900	191	268	4,676
Parish of St. Andrew -	113	12	206	106	2,392	2,400	821	341	263	4,792
Parish of St. David -	31	-	87	32	1,137	1,155	380	102	119	2,292
Island of Carriacou -	59	5	215	85	2,112	2,378	1,033	208	255	4,490
<b>Total - -</b>	<b>824</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>1,871</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>13,510</b>	<b>14,188</b>	<b>5,216</b>	<b>1,418</b>	<b>1,748</b>	<b>27,698</b>
<b>1818:</b>										
Town of St. George -	339	72	1,054	428	1,171	1,431	463	398	403	2,605
Parish of - D° -	98	8	236	97	2,495	2,522	763	209	428	5,017
Parish of St. John } united	80	24	169	69	1,717	1,735	637	230	383	3,452
Parish of St. Mark } united	32	5	73	34						
Parish of St. Patrick -	102	6	118	48	2,304	2,415	893	478	435	4,719
Parish of St. Andrew -	124	16	230	121	2,419	2,435	824	338	276	4,854
Parish of St. David -	37	1	89	-	1,114	1,152	400	69	95	2,266
Island of Carriacou -	56	6	176	60	2,108	2,397	828	270	255	4,505
<b>Total - -</b>	<b>868</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>2,145</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>13,328</b>	<b>14,087</b>	<b>4,808</b>	<b>1,992</b>	<b>2,275</b>	<b>27,415</b>
<b>1819:</b>										
Town of St. George -	342	81	901	336	1,154	1,397	485	411	462	2,551
Parish of - D° -	96	15	181	83	2,423	2,461	797	232	365	4,884
Parish of St. John } united	83	23	176	68	1,735	1,739	636	222	200	3,474
Parish of St. Mark } united	33	5	66	31						
Parish of St. Patrick -	100	5	118	49	2,265	2,391	888	219	284	4,654
Parish of St. Andrew -	120	13	250	124	2,419	2,408	801	292	319	4,827
Parish of St. David -	38	-	116	40	1,076	1,125	360	87	152	2,201
Island of Carriacou -	64	12	189	79	2,085	2,384	956	180	216	4,469
<b>Total - -</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>1,997</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>13,155</b>	<b>13,905</b>	<b>4,923</b>	<b>1,643</b>	<b>1,998</b>	<b>27,060</b>
<b>1820:</b>										
Town of St. George -	341	84	1,494	545	1,106	1,375	290	285	355	2,481
Parish of - D° -	108	25	314	131	2,428	2,483	742	278	251	4,911
Parish of St. John } united	79	30	167	63	1,690	1,728	662	187	243	3,418
Parish of St. Mark } united	27	2	59	23						
Parish of St. Patrick -	94	3	134	65	2,225	2,395	833	217	251	4,620
Parish of St. Andrew -	131	19	277	134	2,446	2,413	814	257	225	4,859
Parish of St. David -	40	2	88	-	1,086	1,140	404	120	95	2,226
Island of Carriacou -	63	5	209	93	2,051	2,344	985	212	286	4,395
<b>Total - -</b>	<b>883</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>2,742</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>13,032</b>	<b>13,878</b>	<b>4,731</b>	<b>1,556</b>	<b>1,706</b>	<b>26,910</b>

GENERAL ABSTRACT:

	Total Number of Whites.	White Children under 15 Years.	Total Number of Coloured and Free Blacks.	Coloured and Free Black Children.	SLAVES.					TOTAL.
					Males.	Females.	Males and Females under 10 Years.	Increase by Birth, Sale or Removal.	Decrease by Death, Sale or Removal.	
1812 - - - -	841	154	1,688	677	14,352	14,439	4,774	637	1,093	28,791
1813 - - - -	819	141	1,676	749	14,026	14,156	6,184	942	980	28,182
1814 - - - -	823	176	1,722	713	13,674	14,005	5,655	1,143	1,413	27,679
1815 - - - -	852	200	1,716	735	13,484	13,756	4,763	1,108	1,185	27,250
1816 - - - -	794	168	1,575	648	13,451	13,783	5,535	1,074	1,322	27,234
1817 - - - -	824	138	1,871	802	13,510	14,188	5,216	1,418	1,748	27,698
1818 - - - -	868	138	2,145	857	13,328	14,087	4,808	1,992	2,275	27,415
1819 - - - -	876	154	1,997	810	13,155	13,905	4,923	1,643	1,998	27,060
1820 - - - -	883	170	2,742	1,053	13,022	13,878	4,731	1,556	1,706	26,910



(N<sup>o</sup> 14.)—A RETURN of all Slaves taken and sold under execution for debt, from 1st January 1808 inclusive, to the 1st day of October 1821.

Y E A R S.	Males.	Females.	TOTAL.
1808:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached to any estate -	34	29	63
1809:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	12	8	20
- - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - slaves attached to estates - - - -	-	-	354
1810:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	4	4	8
- - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - attached slaves - - - -	-	-	209
1811:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	3	4	7
- - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - attached slaves - - - -	-	-	102
1812:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	18	5	23
- - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - attached slaves - - - -	-	-	524
1813:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	13	6	19
1814:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	4	2	6
- - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - attached negroes - - - -	-	-	144
1815:			
By virtue of sundry executions, attached slaves - - - -	-	-	115
1816:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	-	1	1
- - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - attached slaves - - - -	-	-	230
1817:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	3	3	6
1818:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	15	1	16
1819:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	4	-	4
1820:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	14	12	26
1821 to the 1st October:			
By virtue of sundry executions, unattached slaves - - - -	15	16	31
- - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - attached slaves - - - -	-	-	67
Total - - - -	-	-	1,975

Grenada, 1st October 1821.

I CERTIFY that the above extracts from the records in the office of the Provost Marshal General of the colony, are here from the 1st of January 1808 inclusive, to this present date.

(signed) J. Boucher, P. M. Gen<sup>l</sup>.

(signed) P. RIALL, Gov<sup>r</sup>.

N. B.—The unattached negroes are distinguished from those attached to estates, the latter being sold as part of the estate, and never removed. Unattached slaves are those belonging to individuals.

(signed) J. Boucher.

N<sup>o</sup> 3.—ST. VINCENT.

Copy of a Letter from Governor Sir Cha<sup>s</sup> Brisbane to the Earl Bathurst, dated St. Vincent, the 3d of November 1821 :—Enclosing 7 Returns.

My Lord, Government House, St. Vincent, 3d November 1821.

I HAVE the honour to transmit to your Lordship the several returns required by the Resolutions of the House of Commons of the 3d of July last. I have to observe, that it was a work of great labour, in some of the offices, to go back so many years, which will account for the time that has elapsed since the receipt of your Lordship's despatch, dated the 18th of July last. Every exertion has been used to make out the information required, with as much accuracy as possible; and I trust your Lordship will be satisfied that no time has been lost in endeavouring to comply with your Lordship's directions.

I have the honour to be,

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) CHA<sup>s</sup> BRISBANE.

(N<sup>o</sup> 1).—A RETURN of Slaves Imported under Licenses, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808, at the Port of KINGSTON, ST. VINCENT.

YEARS.	FROM WHAT PLACE.	Males.	Females.	Children under Fourteen.		Total.	TOTAL each Year.	YEARS.
				Males.	Females.			
1808 - Feb. 9	Cape Mount - - -	121	32	19	20	192	220	1808
- Oct. 19	Bahamas - - -	-	-	-	-	28		
1809 - June 15	Trinidad - - -	-	-	-	-	37	46	1809
- Sept. 2	Martinique - - -	-	-	-	-	9		
1810 - June 21	Dominica - - -	-	-	-	-	20	80	1810
- July 31	Nevis - - -	-	-	-	-	60		
1811 - May 16	Nevis - - -	-	-	-	-	10	10	1811
1812 - Feb. 20	Trinidad - - -	-	-	-	-	21	38	1812
- April 6	St. Kitts - - -	-	-	-	-	10		
- Dec. 7	Antigua - - -	5	2	-	-	7		
1813 - May 24	Grenada - - -	-	-	-	-	96	162	1813
- - 30	Dominica - - -	-	-	-	-	36		
- Aug. 8	Antigua - - -	-	-	-	-	30		
1814 - Aug. 8	Dominica - - -	-	-	-	-	19	95	1814
- - -	Antigua - - -	-	-	-	-	26		
- Sept. 12	Dominica - - -	-	-	-	-	15		
- Oct. 12	Antigua - - -	-	-	-	-	24		
- - 15	Montserrat - - -	-	-	-	-	11	11	1815
1815 - May 1	Grenada - - -	-	-	-	-	80	80	1815
1816 - Mar. 29	Dominica - - -	-	-	-	-	12	15	1816
- July 15	St. Kitts - - -	2	1	-	-	3		

## II.—PAPERS RELATING TO THE SLAVE POPULATION

YEARS.	FROM WHAT PLACE.	Males.	Females.	Children under Fourteen.		Total.	TOTAL each Year.	YEARS.		
				Males.	Females.					
1817 - Feb. 6	Nassau, New Providence -	-	-	-	-	51	834	1817		
- Mar. 6	D° - - - -	-	-	-	-	175				
- - 25	Anguilla - - -	1	3	-	-	4				
- April 12	Nassau, New Providence -	-	-	-	-	68				
- - 14	D°, say Crooked Island	26	42	-	-	68				
- - 22	Nassau, New Providence -	26	21	-	-	47				
- - 25	D° - - - -	51	56	-	-	107				
- May 30	D° - - - -	105	97	-	-	202				
- June 12	Grenada - - -	8	7	-	-	15				
- - 14	Dominica - - -	42	55	-	-	97				
1818 - Mar. 17	Anguilla - - -	-	-	-	-	11			87	1818
- - 23	New Providence - - -	2	5	1	6	14				
- Dec. 18	Dominica - - -	17	18	10	12	57				
- - 30	{Grand Cayacas; returned, being the same taken away 17th November for benefit of health - -}	5	-	-	-	5				
1819 - Feb. 13	Dominica - - -	7	5	3	3	18				
- Mar. 1	Grenada - - -	-	4	-	-	4	72	1819		
- April 23	{St. Lucia; brought there to be vaccinated - -}	7	-	-	-	7				
- June 29	Trinidad - - -	-	5	-	-	5				
- Dec. 28	Dominica - - -	8	9	14	7	38				
1820 - Jan. 11	Dominica - - -	16	15	8	9	48	48	1820		
						1,787	1,787			

Custom House, St. Vincent, }  
15th September 1821.

(signed)

Peter Armstrong,  
Act<sup>g</sup> Coll<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves Exported under Licenses, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808, from the Port of KINGSTON, ST. VINCENT.

YEARS.	FOR WHAT PLACE.	Males.	Females.	Children under Fourteen.		Total.	TOTAL each Year.	YEARS.
				Males.	Females.			
1808 - Feb. 8	Demerara - - -	-	-	-	-	50	50	1808
1809 - Jan. 11	Trinidad - - -	-	-	-	-	33		
- Aug. 30	St. Lucia - - -	-	-	-	-	56	89	1809
1810 - Jan. 5	Trinidad - - -	-	-	-	-	39		
1812 - June 2	Grenada - - -	-	-	-	-	31	31	1812
1813 - Jan. 9	Trinidad - - -	-	-	-	-	9		
- July 7	D° - - - -	-	-	-	-	27	36	1813

YEARS.	FOR WHAT PLACE.	Males.	Females.	Children under Fourteen.		Total.	TOTAL each Year.	YEARS.
				Males.	Females.			
1815 - June 27	Tobago - - - -	-	-	-	-	5	76	1815
- Aug. 15	Demerara - - - -	-	-	-	-	49		
- Sept. 23	Trinidad - - - -	1	-	-	-	1		
- Oct. 21	D° - - - -	5	-	-	-	5		
- Dec. 2	Demerara - - - -	-	-	-	-	9		
- - 6	Trinidad - - - -	-	-	-	-	7		
1816 - April 22	Trinidad - - - -	3	4	2	-	9	37	1816
- May 28	Demerara - - - -	5	3	-	1	9		
- Aug. 16	Trinidad - - - -	-	-	-	-	15		
- Nov. 5	Demerara - - - -	3	1	-	-	4		
1817 - Feb. 26	Demerara - - - -	-	1	-	-	1	165	1817
- April 9	D° - - - -	-	-	-	-	9		
- May 13	D° - - - -	-	-	-	-	36		
- - -	St. Lucia - - - -	-	-	-	-	41		
- June 24	Demerara - - - -	-	8	-	-	8		
- Aug. 20	D° - - - -	6	10	2	1	19		
- Sept. 30	D° - - - -	6	-	-	-	6		
- Nov. 4	D° - - - -	30	11	-	-	41		
- - 10	Jamaica - - - -	-	2	-	-	2		
- Dec. 9	Demerara - - - -	-	-	2	-	2		
1818 - Jan. 31	Demerara - - - -	-	-	-	-	22	77	1818
- Feb. 3	D° - - - -	-	-	-	-	13		
- April 15	D° - - - -	9	8	4	4	25		
- May 8	Grenada and Carriacou - - - -	-	1	2	1	4		
- Aug. 11	St. Lucia - - - -	2	3	-	1	6		
- Oct. 12	{Porto Rico; convicts sen- tenced to transportation}	2	-	-	-	2		
- Nov. 12	{Grand Cayas, for benefit of health}	5	-	-	-	5		
1819 - Jan. 18	Antigua - - - -	-	-	-	-	5	118	1819
- April 23	{St. Lucia; brought here to be vaccinated, and re- turned}	-	-	-	-	7		
- May 3	{Grenada; runaway; re- turned}	1	-	-	-	1		
- June 23	Grenada - - - -	32	49	-	-	81		
- Oct. 11	Trinidad - - - -	-	1	2	2	5		
- - 25	D° - - - -	-	-	-	-	19		
1820 - May 16	Trinidad - - - -	16	18	-	-	34	34	1820
						75 <sup>2</sup>	75 <sup>2</sup>	

Custom House, St. Vincent,  
15th September 1821.

(signed)

Peter Armstrong,  
Act<sup>g</sup> Coll<sup>r</sup>.

ST. VINCENT:—(N<sup>o</sup> 3.)—RETURN of Manumissions recorded in the Secretary and Registrar's Offices of this Island, since the 1st day of January 1808.

## SECRETARY'S OFFICE:

Males Manumitted.	Females Manumitted.	Males Manumitted.	Females Manumitted.
1808: Charles. Hypolite Amant. James. Charles. Thomas. Jacobus. Joseph. Adam.	Margaret. Harriett. Sally. Catherine. Emily. Mary Rose. Susanne. Francoise. Harriet. Jane. Elizabeth Haynes. Penny. Anna. Jenny. Minna. Maly. Jane Nusman. Luce. Priscilla.	1811: David Lewis. Charles. Joseph.	Sophia. Jane Rollins. Josephine. Sally. Melantha. Jane Ann. Margaret. Margaret Trocher.
1809: Bristol Bruce.	Peggy Benny. Kitty. Amaryllis. Ann. Penny. Venilia. Cetty. Mary Griffin. Joannah. Marie Mathe. Rachel Cox. Joan. Moll. Patty. Mary. Nancy.	1812: Cork. Joe Connor.	Rosalie. Eliza.
1810: John. William Collow. John Jeley. Andrew. Mark. William. Laurence. Samuel. Thomas. William. Frederick. James.	Jane. Peggy. Betsey. Martha. Fanny. Olivia. Margaret. Betsey. Sally. Sally. Joan. Cecilia. Harriet. Celia. Sally. Frances. Margaret. Ann Collottes. Phillis Mary. Elizabeth. Charlotte. Mary Ann. Peggy. Ann.	1813: Sam. John. Robert. Joseph. Henry. John. John. Jem. Thomas Clapham. Alexander Dunlop. Solomon Robertson.	Charlotte. Polly. Charlotte. Ann. Clarissa. Elizabeth. Sarah Hatfield. Eliza. Fanny. Polly. Peggy. Mary. Nancy. Emily.
		1814: Richard. Thomas. Henry. John. James. Alexander. John Herbert. John Tobin. Pollydore. Thomas. Ben. John. Leonard. Samuel Warner. James Darrell. Joseph Darrell. Providence Barker. Henry.	Jenny Wilkie. Jeannette. Ann. Elizabeth. Mary. Ann. Elizabeth Herbert. Charlotte Nenville. Patience. Mary. Kitty. Betty. Kitty. Sally Begroe. Anna Maria. Elizabeth Jane. Mary Ann. Betsey Charlotte. Penny. Betty. Polly. Harriet Morgan.
		1815: John. Henry. Henry. Robert. Edward. John. George. John. James Nichol. William Moss.	Phillis. Mary. Nancy. Peggy. Eliza. Rosalie. Ancilla. Bell Robertson. Dido. Hester.

Males Manumitted.	Females Manumitted.	Males Manumitted.	Females Manumitted.
1815: Sylvester.	Charlotte Spencer. Susanna. Janette. Betsey. Frances. Betsy. Frances. Mary King. Frances Tremingham.	1818: John. Nepburn. Thomas. Frank. Roger. Richard.	Penda. Elizabeth. Genise. Charlotte. Betsy Hunt. Nancy French. Hester. Phinetta. Ann. Catherine Bellew. Mary Sus <sup>b</sup> Questel. Venus. Zabette. Sally. Nanny Morgan. Charlotte. Nelly. Rose.
1816: Henry. William. Alexander. Alexander. John. James.	Sally. Helen. Annette. Margaret. Constantia. Isabella. Cordelia. Sarah. Rachael. Frances. Silvy. Maria Welch.	1819: Moses. Dublin. William.	Harriet. Susannah.
1817: John. John Pierre. William. Dennis Crosbie. Hodge. John. William.	Jane. Polly. Nancy Craig. Penny. Juliet. Eleanor. Jenny. Sophy. Marguerite. Hannah. Polly. Rachael. Elinor.	1820: Richard. Tom. Jean Pierre.	Charlotte. Hannah. Grace. Betsey.
		1821: John Pierre Angier. William John. Robert.	Sarah. Jenny. Eliza. Letitia. Amelia. Catherine. Rose. Elizabeth. Nanny. Mary Ann.

Total Number of Males manumitted in Secretary's Office is - - 94  
Total Number of Females manumitted in Secretary's Office is - - 185

Total - - - 279

## REGISTRAR'S OFFICE.

Males Manumitted.	Females Manumitted.	Males Manumitted.	Females Manumitted.
1808: Jack. Peter. Alexander Clunes. Thomas Fairbairn.	Lucy. Geanvieve and Bridget Junon. Marie Joseph. Ellis, or Eliza. Veronique. Jenny. Elizabeth Clunes. Nancy Fairbairn. Janet Burrage.	1811:  1812: Bundel, or John.  1813: Josias Morgan.  1814: John.	Sarah Roberts. Betty.  Polly.   Frances. Constance.
1809: Tom.	Betsey Huddebert. Jenny.	1815:  1815:	Jessy.
1810:  89.	Diana.		

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Males Manumitted.	Females Manumitted.	Males Manumitted.	Females Manumitted.
1816: Tom. John. Anthony. John Smith.		1821: Cudjoe. John Crosbie. Thomas Allen Lewes. Will <sup>m</sup> Henry Lewes. Nathaniel Lewes. George. Thomas. Job. Nelson. Neptune. William. Dick. Robert Johnson. James. Henry. Henry. Peter Macadie. Edward. Henry. John. Robert. Tom Scott. Tom. John. Adam. Joseph. Isaac.	Frances. Frances. Mary Stewart. Fanny. Jenny Keane. Peggy. Mary Ann. Cleone. Eliza. Phibba. Fanny. Ann. Mary. Louise. Fanny. Betsy. Grace. Pamela. Georgiana. Nelly. Jane. Elizabeth Derrick. Joan. Mall. Pelagie, alias My- rose. Nancy. Sarah. Mary. Maria. Mary Magdelaine. Love. Louisan. Nancy. Penny. Louise. Hannah. Dido. Betsey. Catherine Fraser. Betty. Mary Mart. Eloise. Diana Webb.
1817: Francois.	Letitia.		
1818: Quao.	Angel. Louisa. Lavinia. Virginia.		
1819: Robert White. John.	Fanny.		
1820: Fortune. Bob. John Mather. John Glover. Ned Brown. Tom. Thomas. John. Robert.	Patty. Mary. Elizabeth. Joana. Rosalind. Jennette. Sarah. Polly. Penny. Jane. Elizabeth. Amelia Glover. Fanny. Sally. Maria.		
1821: William Primus. Jean Jacques. Tommy. John. Thomas James. Andrew Malzac. George. John James Grant.	Nanny. Jean Rose. Rachael. Polly. Phillis. Mary. Nancy. Sarah Lewis.		

Total Number of Males manumitted in the Registrar's Office is - - 60

Total Number of Females manumitted in the Registrar's Office is - - 91

Total - - - 151

#### RECAPITULATION.

Total Number of Persons manumitted }  
in the Secretary's Office - - } 279 by 145 Deeds of Manumission.

Total Number of Persons manumitted }  
in the Registrar's Office - - } 151 by 103 Deeds of Manumission.

Persons - - - - - 430.  
Deeds - - - - - 248.

Carefully extracted.

(signed) *Thomas Gaskin.*

*Note*.—Previous, and up to, the month of September in the year 1820, there was a tax, or fine, of 100 *l.* currency, paid into the public treasury on the manumission of every person manumitted in the Registrar's Office, agreeable to the act in such case made and provided; but since that time there has not been any tax or fine, except the usual fee allowed for recording.

(signed) *Thomas Gaskin,*  
Dep<sup>y</sup> Pub. Sec<sup>y</sup> and Registrar.

(N° 4.)—MANUMISSIONS for which One Hundred Pounds currency each have been paid into this Office, which entitles the Person so manumitted to Eight Pounds per Annum, payable half-yearly.

Date of Manumission.	Names of Persons Manumitted.	By whom Manumitted.
1808 - Feb. 2	Jack Burke - - - -	The executor of John Burke.
-	Lucy - - - -	- - - D°.
March 21	Veroni - - - -	Thomas Jackson.
- 23	Peter Desforge - - - -	Peter Desforge, sen.
April 16	Marie Joseph - - - -	Executor of John Vidul.
May 27	Eliza Cobham - - - -	Executor of Judith Slater.
July 27	Hope - - - -	James Bruce.
- 30	Jenny Clunes - - - -	} Alexander Clunes.
-	Alexander Clunes - - - -	
-	Elizabeth Clunes - - - -	
Aug. 16	Nancy Fairbairn - - - -	} Thomas Fairbairn executor to Judith Slater.
-	Thomas Fairbairn - - - -	
-	Janet Benidge - - - -	
1809 - Aug. 5	Betsey Audibert - - - -	James Adams.
Sept. 21	Jenny M°Neay - - - -	Samuel M°Neay.
Nov. 13	Agnes - - - -	William Patterson.
1810 - June 30	Bendal - - - -	} Richard Rees, executor to Mad <sup>e</sup> Mitchell.
-	Polly - - - -	
Aug. 15	Diana - - - -	T. R. Dasent, executor to J. Anderson.
Sept. 18	Bridget - - - -	} W <sup>m</sup> Alexander and Walter Coningham, executors to Mad <sup>e</sup> Lombard.
-	Jeanveur - - - -	
1811 - May 4	Sally Roberts - - - -	Anna Roberts.
Sept. 21	Betty Grant - - - -	James Grant.
1813 - July 10	Josias Morgan - - - -	Executors of J. G. Morgan.
1814 - Jan. 4	Frances - - - -	Sir Richard Ottley.
- 12	John - - - -	T. R. Dasent.
Sept. 28	Constance - - - -	John M°Neay.
1815 - Feb. 15	Jessy - - - -	James M°Coul.
1816 - April 16	Tom - - - -	} N. B. Cropper, attorney to T. Slater.
-	John - - - -	
-	Anthony - - - -	
Oct. 4	John Smith - - - -	John Grant, executor to J. Smith.
1817 - April 8	Letitia - - - -	W <sup>m</sup> Jackson.
Oct. 17	Fra <sup>s</sup> D'Ageville - - - -	George Hartley, executor to J. Johnston.
1818 - Feb. 25	Quao - - - -	Robert Sutherland.
Sept. 3	Angel - - - -	N. B. Cropper, executor to Mrs. Kearton.
-	Louisa - - - -	} D° executor to Adam Cuthbert.
-	Lavinia - - - -	
-	Virginia - - - -	
1819 - Sept. 4	Fanny Whitehead - - - -	Geo. Hartley and W <sup>m</sup> M. Cox, executors to John Whitehead.
- 7	Robert White - - - -	E. Caines, attorney to S. Greathead.
Nov. 30	John - - - -	N. B. Cropper, executor to Eleanor Doyle.
1820 - Mar. 15	Jesse Lawson - - - -	} D. Macdowall, executor to J. Lawson.
-	Jane Lawson - - - -	
-	Mary Lawson - - - -	

No General Population Returns has been made here since 1811.

Treasurer's Office, St. Vincent, }  
20th September 1821.

(signed) G. Hartley,  
Dep<sup>y</sup> Treasurer.



Sir,

(N° 5.)

Kingstown, 1st October 1821.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's letter, containing the resolutions of the House of Commons. I subjoin for your information the most accurate returns it was possible to make. The age of free coloured persons and slaves which has been required I have been unable to add to the second table. I beg to refer your Excellency to the Treasurer for a full return of births and deaths which have taken place, which it is hardly in the power of the clergyman to supply.

I have the honour to be, &amp;c.

(signed) *Lansdown Guilding,*

Rector of the United Parishes of St. George and St. Andrew.

His Excellency Sir Charles Brisbane, K. C. B.

&amp;c. &amp;c. &amp;c.

A Return of Marriages legally solemnized between Free Black or Coloured Persons since the 1st of January 1808 ; all by licence.

Y E A R.				N u m b e r o f M a r r i a g e s.					
1808	-	-	-	1	1816	-	-	-	3
1809	-	-	-	1	1817	-	-	-	10
1810	-	-	-	3	1818	-	-	-	1
1811	-	-	-	1	1819	-	-	-	4
1812	-	-	-	4	1820	-	-	-	3
1813	-	-	-	1	1821	-	-	-	-
1814	-	-	-	7	Total	-	-	-	50
1815	-	-	-	11					

No marriage has been legally solemnized between slaves.

(L. s.)

A Return of Free Persons and Slaves buried in the Church-yard in the Parish of St. George, since the Year 1812.

Y E A R S.				F r e e P e r s o n s.				S l a v e s.			
1812	-	-	-	26	-	-	-	51	-	-	-
1813	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	33	-	-	-
1814	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	33	-	-	-
1815	-	-	-	26	-	-	-	41	-	-	-
1816	-	-	-	35	-	-	-	43	-	-	-
1817	-	-	-	40	-	-	-	58	-	-	-
1818	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	18	-	-	-
1819	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	20	-	-	-
1820	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	22	-	-	-
1821	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	14	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	203	-	-	-	333	-	-	-

(L. s.)

(N° 6.)

Sir,

Kingstown, 13th September 1821.

I BEG leave to acknowledge the receipt of your favour of the 7th September, with copy of the resolutions of the House of Commons of the 5th July; in answer to which I beg leave to state that no negroes have been sold that were escheated to the Crown, between the year 1808 and the present year.

I have the honour to be, &amp;c.

(signed)

*Herbert P. Coxe, Escheator Genl, &c.*

W<sup>m</sup> Reed, Esq.  
Act<sup>g</sup> Govern<sup>r</sup> Sec<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 7.)—RETURN of all Slaves taken and sold under Execution for Debt in each year, from the 1st of January 1818 to the 1st October 1821 inclusive.

YEAR.	NAMES.	
1818:		
28th Feb. -	Nancy - -	- - A negro woman, committed to the common jail as a runaway on the 18th October 1817, and sold by virtue of an order from two justices, under the 15th clause of the Slave Act.
21st April	Quaco - Drummond - John -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of James Stranack against Benjamin Clarke.
19th May	Billy - Windsor - Pompey - Little Billy - Nelly - Thomas -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Alexander Mackie against James and Alexander Hutcheon.
- -	Fanny -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Benjamin Clark.
30th June	Belinda, an in- fant child -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against John R. Goodrow.
8th Aug. -	Ann - -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of William Mackenzie and Thomas Pattinson, against the executors of Antoine Reina.
14th Sept.	Judy - -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of James Punnelt and George Davidson, against the executors of James Meik.
10th Nov.	Brass - Reilley -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Daniel Parr Bernard.
1819:		
13th April	Moddaine -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against William R. Wildes.
3d Aug. -	George - -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against John Horne.
7th Sept. -	Sophy - -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Thomas Fry.
6th Oct. -	Jack - -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of William Hepburn against William Lloyd.
25th Oct. -	Providence -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Thomas Fry, deceased.
9th Nov. -	Grant - Billy -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of P.M. Lucas, against William Thomson.
30th Nov.	Fortune -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of P.M. Lucas, against William Thomson.
1820:		
4th April -	Culruna - -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of John Small, and a warrant from the public treasury, for arrears of public taxes against John Chichie.
11th April	Fanny - -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Thomas Casman.
23d April -	Jenny and child	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Daniel Parr Bernard, deceased.
22d April -	Ned - Mary - Orseline -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of John Leadbetter, Alexander Stewart, and Hay Wright, against William Thomson and Francis Prescott.
2d May -	John - -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against John Theobalds.
23d June -	Tom - Betsy - Evander -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against William Bruce.
18th July -	Francois - -	- - A negro woman, committed to the common jail as a runaway on the 30th of March 1820, and sold by virtue of an order from two justices, under the 15th clause of the Slave Act.

YEAR.	NAMES.	
1820:		
1st Aug. -	Akra - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against William Bruce.
8th Aug. -	Sally - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Peter Edward Jennings.
- -	William - -	
- -	Steven - -	
- -	Peter - -	-- Sold by virtue of a warrant, issued from the public treasury, for arrears of public taxes, and sundry executions against Sarah Estcourt.
- -	George - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against William Bruce.
- -	Bella and child } Francis - - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Mary Berkley.
- -	Princess - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution at the suit of James and William Scott against Thomas Barrythan.
28th Aug.	Bella and child } Francois - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against John Berkley.
19th Sept.	Pierre - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against James Punnelt.
26th Sept.	Mary - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Abraham Warner against Rosalie-Simon.
- -	Polly - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against the executor and executrixes of Sarah Estcourt.
- -	Robert - -	
- -	Princess - -	
9th Oct. -	Nanoy - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of William White against John Thomas Jones.
13th Oct.	Hector - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Charles Pocking against George Davidson.
- -	Paisley - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against James Punnelt.
- -	John - -	
- -	Nanny - -	
- -	Affy - -	
- -	Patty - -	
- -	Infant Sam - -	
- -	Jacob - -	
- -	Matilda - -	
- -	Mary - -	
- -	Charlotte - -	
- -	Marose - -	
- -	Argus - -	
- -	Philip - -	
- -	Hector - -	
- -	Fraxien - -	
- -	Vincent - -	
- -	Madlaine - -	
- -	Madlone - -	
- -	Mary Noel - -	
- -	Wellington - -	
- -	Waterloo - -	
- -	Nelson - -	
- -	Charlotte - -	
- -	Andrew - -	
- -	William - -	
- -	Tom - -	
- -	Baptiste - -	
14th Oct.	Harriet - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against the administrator of John Pope.
- -	Princess - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Henry Charles.
- -	Providence - -	
17th Oct.	Phœbe - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against James M. Deshan.
- -	Miranda - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Baillie and others against Thomas F. Arrendell.
- -	Kitt - -	
- -	Priscilla & Child - -	
- -	Adelaide - -	
- -	Penny - -	
- -	Present - -	
- -	Thomas - -	

YEAR.	NAMES.	
1820:		
7th Nov. -	Nancy - - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of William White against John Tho' Jones.
14th Nov.	Polly and Child } Sam - - - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against the executor and executrixes of Sarah Estcourt.
28th Nov.	Chance - - -	-- A negro man, committed to the common jail as a runaway on the 16th of August 1820, and sold by virtue of an order from two justices, under the 31st clause of the slave act.
- -	Joseph - - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against the executor and executrixes of Sarah Estcourt.
1821:		
23d Jan. -	Boatswain } Fanny - - - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against James Punnelt.
27th Feb -	James - - - } Mary - - - } Priscilla - - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against William Bruce.
22d Mar. -	Jack - - - } Fortune - - - } Smart - - - } Hope - - - } Chance - - - } Sam - - - } Arthur - - - } Hannah - - - } Victoir - - - } Garrick - - - } Toussaint - - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Robert Hares.
	George - - - } Billy - - - } Joe - - - } Old Nanny - - }	
	Bahama Nanny } Harriett - - - }	
	Josephine - - - }	
27th Mar.	Fanny - - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of James Campbell against Peter Edward Jennings.
23d April -	Jeffry - - - } Louis Ann - - }	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Hugh Duncan, Baillie & Co. against Thomas F. Arrendell.
2d May -	Bristol - - - } John - - - }	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of John St. Fois, against Richard Llewellyn.
2d May -	Nancy - - - } Thomas - - - } Aurilla - - - }	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of James Scott and William Scott, against Walker Thomas Reighley and Mary Slater.
22d May -	Margaret - - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Baillie and others against Thomas F. Arrendell.
29th May	Jacob - - - } Henry - - - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against John Theobalds.
12th June	Kitty - - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against John Theobalds.
6th July -	Melville - - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Hector Calder and others, against William Taylor.
- -	Fanny - - -	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against John Warner Arrendell.
- -	Prince - - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of William Kladen against Mary T. Robinson.
12th July	Joseph - - - } Phœbe - - - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against William Kladen.
24th July	Reinne - - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of John Dalzell & Co. against Rose Sample.
- -	Sally - - - } Bella - - - }	-- Sold by virtue of sundry executions against William Kladen.
13th Aug.	Kitty - - -	-- Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of John Caulso against Addy Dunker.

YEAR.	NAMES.	
1821: 13th Aug.	Betsey - -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Bushe and Woodburn against John R. Douglas.
14th Aug.	Caroline - -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against William Kladen.
16th Aug.	Labelte and child } George - - }	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of William Kladen against Mr. T. Robinson.
1st Sept. -	Nancy - - } Samuel - - } Matthew - - } Harriett - - } Thomas - - } Eliza - - } Catherine - - } Sarah - - }	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Thomas Fleming Arrendell.
8th Sept. -	William - -	- - A negro man, committed to the common jail as a run-away on the 6th day of December 1820, and sold by virtue of an order from two justices under the 31st clause of the slave act.
3d Sept. -	Cecile - -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Alexander Fraser against John Gleadon.
18th Sept.	Zabette and child } Molly - - }	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against George Powell.
25th Sept.	Jane - - } Phœbe - - } Nelson - - } Jenny - - } Venus - - } Violet - - } Peggy - - }	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Thomas Adams.
- -	Jane - -	- - Sold by virtue of an execution, at the suit of Thomson and Stewart against Rebecca Hazell.
- -	Catherine - -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Mary Berkeley.
- -	John - -	- - Sold by virtue of sundry executions against Peter Edward Jennings.

(signed) *L. P. Nanton,*  
Provost Marshal General.

(N° 8.)—RETURN of all Persons committed to the common jail as Runaways, who declared themselves to be free, with the disposal of them, from January 1808 to the 1st of October 1821.

YEAR.	NAMES.	How disposed of.
1814: 31st May -	- - A negro man, named Samuel Rawles, says he is an American.	31 Aug.—Released, and his fees charged by order of the governor, to the public.
9th Sept. -	- - Charles.—A negro man taken up at sea, and committed by the honourable John Grant; says he is a free man of Martinique.	2 Dec.—Died in prison.
1815: 26th June	- - A black man, named Nicholas Gausar, a Frenchman, committed by the honourable James Grant, per warrant, for having landed in the colony without permission of the governor.	1815: 5 Sept.—Released, and sent off the island by His Excellency Sir Charles Brisbane.

YEAR.	NAMES.	How disposed of.
1815: 25 Aug.	- - A black man, named Piere, a Frenchman, picked up in an open boat in the channel between St. Lucia and this island, and committed by Richard Arrindell, J. P.	11 Dec.—Sold. The purchaser is to enter into recognizances to the treasurer, with good and sufficient security in the sum of 330 <i>l.</i> currency; conditioned that the said negro shall be sent off the island in the space of ten days after his delivery; the net proceeds of the sale carried to the credit of the public, and afterwards paid over to the attorney of the owner, Pierre La Croix, of St. Lucia.
28 Sept.	- - A negro man, named John Louis, committed by the town-wardens to ascertain whether free, or belonging to the Gelliveaus.	No return appears of the disposal of this man.
31 Oct.	- - A negro man, named Francois, taken up on Bellisle estate, and committed as a runaway, who proved to be a free man.	31 Oct.—Released per order of the sitting magistrates, and fees paid by the public.
1816: 23 April	- - A free coloured man, named Charles, committed by his Excellency the Governor as an alien.	1816: 29 April.—Released per order of the governor, and the fees paid by the public.
- -	- - A coloured man, named Pitt Peter, committed by his Excellency the governor as an alien.	10 May.—Released per order of the governor, on condition of leaving the island in two days, and the fees paid by the public.
24 April	- - A black man, named Joseph V. Blondell, committed by his Excellency the governor as an alien.	25 April.—Released per order of the governor; recommitted on the 29th, and again released by order of the governor, and sent off the island. The fees paid by the public.
1819: 1 July	- - A negro girl, named Betsy, says she is free; committed by William Hepburn, J. P.	5 July.—Released.
1820: 11 Aug.	- - A negro, named Guy, belonging to the estate of George Ottley; committed as a runaway.	1821: 18 July.—Released to the executors of George Ottley, deceased, the prisoner proving to be an insane slave belonging to the estate of Ottley.
4 Nov.	- - A negro man, named Joseph, says he is free.	23 Feb.—Applied for a meeting of magistrates to inquire into the man's claim to freedom. 8 March.—Discharged as a free man by the magistrates, and fees paid by the public.
1821: 2 July	- - A black man, named Jack, says he is free; committed as a runaway.	1821: 4 July.—Taken before the magistrates and remanded. 18 July.—Released by order of the magistrates, and fees paid by the public.

(signed) L. P. Nanton, P. M. General.

## N° 4.—BARBADOES.

COPY of a Letter from Governor Sir Henry Warde to the Earl Bathurst, K. G. dated Barbadoes, the 9th of November 1821 :—Enclosing 14 Returns.

My Lord,

Barbadoes, 9th Nov. 1821.

WITH reference to the letter your Lordship did me the honour to write on the 18th of July, which conveyed the copy of an address to His Majesty from the House of Commons, requesting certain returns from the colonies; immediately on the receipt of which I gave directions to have the returns prepared, in compliance with your Lordship's instructions: I have, however, to regret, that in consequence of there being no law in this colony for taking a census of the people, I am solely under the necessity of depending on the information of the several clergymen of parishes, as stated in the accompanying eleven returns received from them.

I have further to state, for your Lordship's information, that I am unable to comply with the paragraph requiring a list of persons committed to gaol or work-houses as runaways, but who declared themselves free, there being no such persons on record at the provost marshal's office.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) HENRY WARDE.

(N° 1.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves Imported from the 1st day of January 1808, to the present time; distinguishing the Sex for each year, together with the Place from whence Imported, and by what Authority.

## IMPORTATION.

YEAR and DATE.	Vessels Names.	From whence.	Slaves.		By what Authority Imported.
			Males.	Females.	
1808 - - -	nil.				
1809 - - -	—				
1810 - - -	—				
1811 - - -	—				
1812 - - -	—				
1813 - - -	—				
1814 - - -	—				
1815 - Dec. 18	Demerary Packet	Demerary - -	11	-	- By license of President Spooner and Governor Murray returned.
1816 - Jan. -	Horatio - -	D° - -	4	-	- - D° - - d° - - d°.
1817 - Sept. 29	Elizabeth - -	Antigua - -	6	-	- - The property of Alex. Petrie removed here by license.
1818 - - 18	Thomas Spencer	Dominica - -	13	7	- - By license of the Right hon. Lord Combermere and Governor Maxwell.
- Oct. 31	Hosepha - -	D° - -	26	23	- - D° - - d° - - d°.
1819 - Feb. 1	Grenada - -	Grenada - -	1	-	- - By license of the Right hon. Lord Combermere.
- - 6	Waterloo - -	Dominica - -	3	1	- - By license of the Right hon. Lord Combermere and Governor Maxwell.
- June 17	Aid - -	D° - -	2	-	- - D° - - d° - - d°.
- July 10	Lady Nelson - -	D° - -	22	-	- - D° - - d° - - d°.
1820 - Aug. 15	Petrie - -	Berbice - -	4	-	- - By license of the Right hon. Lord Combermere.
1821 - - 20	Matchless - -	Demerary - -	2	6	- - By certificates, as the domestics of four passengers.
		Total - -	94	37	

Certified.

(signed)

Tho' Spencer, Act<sup>e</sup> Coll<sup>r</sup>.

(signed)

John Straker, Compt<sup>r</sup>.

Custom-house, Bridgetown, Barbadoes, }  
the 17th September 1821.

(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves Exported from the 1st day of January 1808, to the present time; distinguishing the Number for each Year, together with the Place where Exported, and by what Authority.

EXPORTATION.

YEAR and DATE.	Vessels Names.	Where Bound.	Number of Slaves.	By what Authority Exported.
1808 - Feb. 13	Princess Royal -	Berbice -	220	- - By license from President Spooner.
- - 15	Minerva -	D <sup>o</sup> -	179	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- - 21	Marquis Huntley	Dominica -	360	- - Part of her inward cargo not landed here.
- - 25	Providence -	St. Lucia -	100	- - By license from President Spooner.
1809 - - -	nil.			
1810 - - -	—			
1811 - - -	—			
1812 - - -	—			
1813 - - -	—			
1814 - Jan. 18	Alert -	Demerary -	8	- - By license from President Spooner and Governor Murray.
1815 - Aug. 10	Joseph -	D <sup>o</sup> -	9	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- - Nov. 23	Demerary Packet	D <sup>o</sup> -	11	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- - Dec. 9	Rose -	D <sup>o</sup> -	12	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- - 18	Horatio -	D <sup>o</sup> -	4	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1816 - Jan. 6	Mary Ann -	D <sup>o</sup> -	7	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- - 24	Alert -	D <sup>o</sup> -	10	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- - Feb. 19	Three Friends -	D <sup>o</sup> -	8	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- - April 6	Horatio -	D <sup>o</sup> -	14	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1817 - Jan. 17	Demerary Packet	D <sup>o</sup> -	11	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- - 25	Francis Mary -	Honduras -	118	- - Convicts, transported by direction of the Earl Bathurst.
- - Nov. 20	Demerary Packet	Demerary -	15	- - By license from President Alleyne and Governor Murray.
1818 - - -	nil.			
1819 - - -	—			
1820 - - -	—			
1821 - Jan. 20	Bella -	Demerary -	3	- - By the authority and license granted to John Murray and George Bagnot, by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, dated the 19th June 1817.
- - June 2	General Barnes -	Dominica -	4	- - By license from President Hinds.
		Total	1,093	

Certified. (signed) Tho<sup>s</sup> Spencer, A<sup>s</sup> Coll<sup>r</sup>.  
(signed) John Straker, Compt<sup>r</sup>.

Custom-house, Bridgetown, Barbadoes, }  
the 17th of September 1821. }

(N<sup>o</sup> 3.)—RETURN of Slaves escheated to the Crown in the Island of Barbadoes, from the 1st of January 1808.

DATE.	Males.	Females.	Purchasers Names at Public Auctions.	Gross Amount of Sales.
1808 - Oct. 28	- - -	Mary Dennis -	William Archer - - -	£. s. d. 30 6 3
- - -	Obing - - -	- - -	Edward Greaves - - -	93 15 -
1811 - Aug. 30	James - - -	- - -	Seed, Cummins, M <sup>c</sup> Clure & Son	87 10 -
- - -	Cudjoe - - -	- - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - D <sup>o</sup> -	67 10 -
- - -	- - -	Sarey - - -	Joseph Skinner - - -	72 10 -
1812 - May 25	Indom - - -	- - -	Ann Sandiford - - -	42 10 -
- - 26	- - -	Lubbak Rose	William Christy - - -	87 10 -
1816 - Aug. 26	Davy - - -	- - -	Deborah Hall - - -	37 10 -
- - Sept. 11	Killis - - -	- - -	Stephen Agard - - -	105 - -
1818 - July 30	Mul <sup>o</sup> Boy - -	- - -	Richard A. Busby - - -	160 - -
- - -	- - -	Mul <sup>o</sup> Girl -	Henry Cheeks - - -	175 - -

After deducting expenses, the balance has been duly accounted for by the Casual Receiver General, in his accounts transmitted to A. H. Bradshaw, esq. Deputy Auditor General.

(signed) James Cummins, Casual Receiver.

Barbadoes, }  
8th October 1821. }



(N<sup>o</sup> 4.)—A RETURN of all Enfranchised Slaves whose manumissions are on record in the Secretary's Office of the Island of Barbadoes, from the 1st of January 1808 to the 30th of September inclusive.

YEARS.	Males.	Females.	TOTAL.	YEARS.	Males.	Females.	TOTAL.
1808 - -	34	78	112	1816 - -	63	87	150
1809 - -	54	79	133	1817 - -	67	98	165
1810 - -	57	93	150	1818 - -	56	91	147
1811 - -	57	91	148	1819 - -	68	99	167
1812 - -	11	21	32	1820 - -	43	55	98
1813 - -	34	64	98	1821 - -	19	33	52
1814 - -	43	63	106	Total - -	667	1,046	1,713
1815 - -	61	94	155				

May it please Your Excellency,

IN obedience to the resolution of the House of Commons, transmitted by Lord Bathurst, I have caused the records of the Secretary's Office to be diligently searched, and find the number of persons manumitted, according to the above statement, to be 1,713. From 1808 to 1816, the fine or tax paid by the person manumising a slave was for a female 300*l.* and for a male 200*l.*; and during that period there appears to have been only fifteen persons manumitted, according to the colonial law. On the 19th of August 1816, the above Act was repealed, and an Act limiting the fine or tax on persons manumising slaves to 50*l.* revived; from which period to the 30th of September last, there appears to have been 250 persons manumitted according to the colonial law; the remaining number has been (with few exceptions) enfranchised by persons in England, who have there granted manumissions to Slaves conveyed to them for that purpose; which manumissions being proved before some mayor, or other proper constituted authority, are sent here; and on being recorded are allowed to be valid. These last manumissions are effected at a very trifling expense.

I have further to inform your Excellency, that the fines of 300*l.* and 200*l.* entitled the persons manumitted under them, the one to an annuity of 18*l.* and the other to 12*l.*, and the fine of 50*l.* to an annuity of 4*l.* annually, during their natural lives.

I have the honour to be, &c.

His Excellency Sir Henry Warde, K. C. B. } (signed) *W<sup>m</sup> Husbands*, D<sup>y</sup> Secretary.  
&c. &c. &c.

(N<sup>o</sup> 5.)—A RETURN of all Slaves taken and sold under Execution for Debt in each year, from the 1st of January 1818 to the 28th September 1821, inclusive.

YEARS.	Males.	Females.	TOTAL.
1818 - - - -	75	104	179
1819 - - - -	38	43	81
1820 - - - -	84	113	197
1821 - - - -	130	159	289
Total - - -			746

I HAVE no recollection of any persons committed as Runaways, who declared themselves to be free; nor is there any record of such.

Marshal's Office, Barbadoes, }  
September 1821.

Certified by  
(signed) *J. Walton*, D<sup>y</sup> P. M.

BARBADOES, } (N<sup>o</sup> 6.)—A RETURN of the Number of Baptisms in this Parish, from January  
Parish of St. Joseph. } the 1st 1812, to December 31, 1820, as extracted from the Register of the  
said Parish.

YEARS:	Whites.			Free Coloured Persons.			Slaves.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1812 - - -	16	10	26	2	3	5	-	3	3
1813 - - -	15	15	30	-	1	1	-	-	-
1814 - - -	18	16	34	-	1	1	1	2	3
1815 - - -	10	12	22	2	2	4	6	4	10
1816 - - -	20	12	32	2	3	5	3	-	3 (a)
1817 - - -	13	10	23	2	4	6 (b)	9	9	18 (c)
1818 - - -	11	17	28	5	8	13	7	5	12 (d)
1819 - - -	13	16	29 (e)	1	3	4	14	19	33 (f)
1820 - - -	5	12	17	1	2	3	-	2	2 (g)
Total for the whole period - -			241	-	-	42	-	-	84
	Over ten years, one.			Over ten years, seven.			Over ten years, fifteen.		

I do hereby certify that the above number of baptisms of whites, free coloured persons, and slaves, during each year specified, are entered on the register of the above said parish.

N. B. From the year 1812 to the month of December 1815, the age of baptized persons is not mentioned in the register. It is probable that some adults were among the number of slaves baptized during that time.

(signed) W. P. Hinds, Rector.

A Return of the Number of Funerals in this Parish from January the 1st, 1812, to December the 31st, 1820, as extracted from the Register of the said Parish.

YEARS:	Whites.					Free Coloured Persons.					Slaves.				
	Males.	Females.	Male Children	Female Children	Total.	Males.	Females.	Male Children	Female Children	Total.	Males.	Females.	Male Children	Female Children	Total.
1812 - - -	14	8	7	3	32	1	1	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
1813 - - -	3	6	3	1	13	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1
1814 - - -	2	4	2	-	8	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
1815 - - -	6	6	-	2	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1816 - - -	15	6	-	1	22	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
1817 - - -	6	9	3	4	22	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
1818 - - -	8	1	1	1	11	2	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	2
1819 - - -	7	1	-	3	11	-	1	2	-	3	1	-	-	-	1
1820 - - -	3	7	-	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Total for the whole period - -					144	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	5

I do certify that the above number of funerals of whites, free coloured persons, and slaves, during each year specified, are entered on the register of the above parish.

N. B. As the ages of children are not mentioned, it is impossible to ascertain, except in a few cases where they are termed infants, how many were under ten years of age. I believe that a very large part of those entered as children would, on inquiry, be found to have been under that age.

(signed) W. P. Hinds, Rector.

BARBADOES, } (N<sup>o</sup> 7.)—A RETURN of the Population of this Parish in each Year,  
Parish of St. George. } from January 1st 1812 to the 1st January 1821.

YEARS:	Whites.			Free Black or Coloured.			Slaves.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1812	443	563	1,006	67	65	132			
1813	428	556	984	65	63	128			
1814	429	549	978	65	63	128			
1815	433	551	984	65	61	126			
1816	437	543	980	66	68	134			
1817	430	538	968	65	68	133			
1818	409	526	935	74	77	151			
1819	406	524	930	81	83	164			
1820	407	516	923	82	84	166			
1821	404	524	928	87	88	175			

A Return of the Number of Marriages legally solemnized between Slaves, and also between Free Black, or Coloured Persons, since 1st January 1808 to the 31st December 1820.

YEARS:	Free Black or Coloured.	Slaves.	YEARS.			Free Black or Coloured.	Slaves.
			1815	1816	1817		
1808	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1809	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1810	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1811	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1812	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1813	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1814	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
			1818	—	—	—	—
			1819	—	—	—	—
			1820	—	—	one coloured	—

A Return of the Baptisms in each Year, from 1812 inclusive to the 31st December 1820.

YEARS:	Whites.			Free Black or Coloured.			Slaves.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1812	18	26	44	3	2	5	5	13	18
1813	15	12	27	4	—	4	6	7	13
1814	16	15	31	1	—	1	13	11	24
1815	19	17	36	3	9	12	19	16	35
1816	23	15	38	—	—	—	13	22	35
1817	16	15	31	9	12	21	19	21	40
1818	12	20	32	8	8	16	9	13	22
1819	21	16	37	2	1	3	19	14	33
1820	16	22	38	7	5	12	15	19	34
Total	156	158	314	37	37	74	118	136	254

A Return of Burials in each Year, from 1812 inclusive to the 31st of December 1820.

YEARS:	Whites.			Free Black or Coloured.			Slaves.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1812	33	33	66	5	4	9	—	1	1
1813	14	19	33	4	—	4	2	1	3
1814	12	13	25	1	2	3	1	1	2
1815	15	25	40	2	2	4	4	1	5
1816	30	20	50	1	—	1	—	4	4
1817	37	27	64	—	3	3	4	1	5
1818	15	22	37	1	2	3	1	1	2
1819	20	24	44	1	—	1	6	1	7
1820	19	14	33	2	1	3	3	2	5
Total	195	197	392	17	14	31	21	13	34

(signed) W. L. Pinder, A. M. Rector.

BARBADOES. } (N<sup>o</sup> 8.)—A RETURN of the Population, Baptism and Burials,  
Parish of St. John. } from 1812 to 1820.

WHITES:

1. YEARS:	2. Population.			3. Baptisms.			4. Burials.		
	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.
1812 - -	-	-	-	5	10	15	19	21	40
1813 - -	-	-	-	11	18	29	11	7	18
1814 - -	-	-	-	20	16	36	6	9	15
1815 - -	-	-	-	24	14	38	4	4	8
1816 - -	-	-	-	19	16	35	13	13	26
1817 - -	-	-	-	24	19	43	19	13	32
1818 - -	-	-	-	15	24	39	8	14	22
1819 - -	-	-	-	14	18	32	11	10	21
*1820 - -	520	505	1,025	16	18	34	11	14	25

\* N. B. There is no possibility of making an accurate Return of the population of preceding years. In 1801, a census was taken, and the return was,—males 518; females 630.

FREE COLOURED:

1. YEARS:	5. Population.			6. Baptisms.			7. Burials.		
	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.
1812 - -	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	2
1813 - -	-	-	-	7	11	18	-	-	-
1814 - -	-	-	-	3	-	3	2	-	2
1815 - -	-	-	-	1	2	3	1	-	1
1816 - -	-	-	-	4	2	6	2	1	3
1817 - -	-	-	-	7	6	13	2	4	6
1818 - -	-	-	-	1	2	3	4	2	6
1819 - -	-	-	-	2	6	8	1	2	3
*1820 - -	64	66	130	2	4	6	-	3	3

There is no marriage on record from the earliest period.

\* The same remark applies to the free-coloured population. The return in 1801 was 123 total.

SLAVES:

1. YEARS:	8. Baptisms.			9. Burials.		
	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.
1812 - -	4	7	11	3	1	4
1813 - -	4	7	11	1	2	3
1814 - -	10	9	19	1	-	1
1815 - -	4	4	8	2	1	3
1816 - -	2	-	2	-	2	2
1817 - -	15	28	43	3	3	6
1818 - -	59	77	136	5	1	6
1819 - -	89	112	201	3	4	7
*1820 - -	4	6	10	3	2	5

There is no marriage on record from the earliest period.

\* N. B. The slave population can only be ascertained with accuracy by a reference to the Registrar's office.

BARBADOES, } (N<sup>o</sup> 9.)—A RETURN of the Population, Baptisms and Burials in this  
 Parish of ST. JAMES. } Parish, from the 1st of January 1812 to the 31st of December 1820;  
 also a Return of the number of Marriages legally solemnized between Slaves, and Free Coloured  
 or Black Persons, since the 1st of January 1808.

## WHITES:

1. YEARS:	2. Population.			3. Baptisms.			4. Burials.			
	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.	
1812 - -	341	383	724	12	18	30	5	9	14	Census taken in 1811 Deduct 70 to 80 for emigration.
1813 - -	348	392	740	8	5	13	3	4	7	
1814 - -	353	393	746	10	7	17	9	4	13	
1815 - -	354	396	750	12	11	23	4	2	6	
1816 - -	366	405	771	4	11	15	4	7	11	
1817 - -	366	409	775	15	7	22	9	9	18	
1818 - -	373	407	780	4	5	9	6	5	11	
1819 - -	371	407	778	7	9	16	13	2	15	
1820 - -	365	414	779	9	8	17	9	8	17	

## FREE COLOURED:

1. YEARS:	5. Population.			6. Baptisms.			7. Burials.			
	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.	
1812 - -	17	16	33	1	-	1	1	-	1	1 Adult, and 10 infants baptized.
1813 - -	17	16	33							
1814 - -	17	16	33	1	-	1				
1815 - -	18	16	34							
1816 - -	18	16	34							
1817 - -	18	16	34							
1818 - -	18	16	34							
1819 - -	18	16	34	3	2	5	1	-	1	
1820 - -	22	22	44	3	1	4	1	-	1	

## SLAVES:

1. YEARS:	8. Population.		9. Baptisms.			10. Burials.			Marriages.	
	Males and Females.		Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.		
1812 - -	-	4,238	-	3	2	5	-	2	2	32 adults, and 87 infants baptized.
1813 - -	-	4,221	-	1	3	4	-	2	2	
1814 - -	-	4,218	-	2	1	3	1	-	1	
1815 - -	-	4,079	-	3	2	5	-	1	1	
1816 - -	-	4,166	-	3	3	6	1	2	3	
1817 - -	-	3,908	-	6	9	15	1	2	3	
1818 - -	-	4,257	-	10	8	18	1	-	1	
1819 - -	-	4,242	-	10	14	24	-	5	5	
1820 - -	-	4,479	-	17	21	38	-	-	-	

N. B.—The probable amount of the emigration of the White Population from 1812 to 1820 has been about 70 to 80, to be deducted from the within statement.

(signed) J. F. Pilgrim, Rector of St. James's.

BARBADOES, Parish of ST. MICHAEL'S. } (N<sup>o</sup> 10.)—A RETURN of Marriages, Baptisms, and Burials from 1808 to 1820.

MARRIAGES.			BAPTISMS.									BURIALS.								
YEARS:	Slaves	Free Coloured Persons.	Whites:			Free Coloured Persons:			Slaves:			Whites:			Free Coloured Persons:			Slaves:		
			Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.
1808	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1809	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1810	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1811	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1812	-	4	79	70	149	69	74	143	112	164	276	133	153	286	60	56	116	70	116	186
1813	-	4	87	75	162	60	65	125	88	123	211	92	110	202	34	54	88	52	49	101
1814	-	3	90	79	169	55	66	121	88	151	239	90	100	190	43	46	89	34	73	107
1815	-	1	96	80	176	89	107	196	139	191	330	103	106	209	42	55	97	60	63	123
1816	-	1	90	76	166	85	94	179	133	216	349	202	146	348	42	70	112	60	93	153
1817	-	6	82	73	155	71	90	161	159	216	375	221	147	368	68	80	148	81	88	169
1818	-	2	75	61	136	80	112	192	121	189	310	110	117	227	43	67	110	56	82	138
1819	-	3	64	62	126	57	70	127	131	157	288	112	117	229	46	84	130	90	78	168
1820	-	3	80	65	145	84	91	175	120	158	278	138	136	274	59	60	119	66	81	147
Total	1	36	743	641	1,384	650	769	1,419	1,091	1,565	2,656	1,201	1,132	2,333	437	572	1,009	569	723	1,292

The above is a true Extract from the Register of the above Parish.

Given under my hand this 29th day of September 1821.

(signed) *W. Garnett, Rector.*

BARBADOES, Parish of ST. ANDREW. } (N<sup>o</sup> 11.)—A RETURN of Marriages, Baptisms, and Burials from 1808 to 1820.

MARRIAGES.			BAPTISMS.									BURIALS.								
YEARS:	Slaves	Free Coloured Persons.	Whites:			Free Coloured Persons:			Slaves:			Whites:			Free Coloured Persons:			Slaves:		
			Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.	Males	Fe-males.	Total.
1808	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1809	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1810	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1811	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1812	-	-	16	11	27	2	3	5	2	2	4	8	10	18	-	1	1	-	-	-
1813	-	-	11	15	26	3	4	7	3	4	7	9	4	13	2	3	5	-	1	1
1814	-	-	18	16	34	2	3	5	4	6	10	5	7	12	-	1	1	1	-	1
1815	-	-	12	11	23	1	2	3	-	-	-	4	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
1816	-	-	7	9	16	-	3	3	-	-	-	11	4	15	1	1	2	-	-	-
1817	-	-	11	15	26	2	2	4	7	14	21	6	3	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
1818	-	-	8	9	17	7	3	10	1	4	5	6	7	13	1	1	2	1	1	2
1819	-	-	13	15	28	7	11	18	12	8	20	11	6	17	2	1	3	-	-	-
1820	-	-	13	14	27	14	7	21	20	24	44	8	4	12	1	1	2	-	-	-
Total	-	-	109	115	224	38	38	76	49	62	111	68	48	116	7	9	16	2	2	4

The above is a true Extract from the Register of the above Parish.

Given under my hand this 29th day of October 1821.

(signed) *W. M. Payne, Rector.*

BARBADOES, } (N<sup>o</sup> 12.)—A RETURN of the Population, Baptisms and Funerals, from  
Parish of St. PHILIP. } 1st January 1808 to the 31st December 1820, inclusive.

## WHITES;

1. — YEARS:	2. Population.			3. Baptisms.		4. Burials.		
	Males	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1808 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	The White and Free Coloured Population for 1817 and 1820 was obtained by a careful enrolment of the Inhabitants; that of the other years, it may not be improper to observe, is taken from less authentic documents.
1809 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1810 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1811 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1812 - -	650	619	1,259	20	26	32	31	
1813 - -	590	610	1,200	15	17	16	16	
1814 - -	632	648	1,280	22	18	14	12	
1815 - -	589	632	1,221	19	13	13	10	
1816 - -	703	689	1,392	28	16	20	22	
1817 - -	619	770	1,389	24	31	20	26	
1818 - -	614	766	1,380	16	24	24	20	
1819 - -	619	671	1,290	30	32	28	24	
1820 - -	563	652	1,217	30	18	34	14	

## FREE COLOURED PERSONS:

1. — YEARS:	5. Population.			6. Baptisms.		7. Burials.		8. Marriages.	
	Males	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
1808 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	There being no means within my reach of ascertaining with sufficient correctness the number of Births and Deaths; the Baptisms and Burials are set down as a substitute for the same.
1809 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1810 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1811 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
1812 - -	57	68	125	3	3	5	1	2	
1813 - -	75	80	155	6	7	6	2	1	
1814 - -	80	74	154	2	3	-	2	1	
1815 - -	78	64	142	1	2	4	4	-	
1816 - -	80	67	147	5	-	2	1	-	
1817 - -	98	118	218	7	5	2	3	4	
1818 - -	106	126	232	8	12	3	1	-	
1819 - -	109	130	239	13	7	4	9	-	
1820 - -	128	129	257	6	14	2	1	1	

## SLAVES;

1. — YEARS:	9. Total Population. (a)	10. Baptisms.		11. Burials.		12. Marriages.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
1808 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	(a) The slave population is taken from the Records of the treasury; to which office there is an annual Return made of the number of slaves in each Parish, but without any distinction of age or sex.
1809 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1810 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1811 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1812 - -	9,181	11	9	-	1	-	
1813 - -	9,070	2	2	-	-	-	
1814 - -	9,208	9	10	-	2	-	
1815 - -	9,434	4	3	-	1	-	
1816 - -	9,354	1	3	-	-	-	
1817 - -	9,475	9	11	-	1	-	
1818 - -	9,754	33	31	2	3	-	
1819 - -	9,757	18	36	1	3	-	
1820 - -	9,352	20	13	-	4	-	

(signed) William Als, Rector.

BARBADOES, } (N<sup>o</sup> 13.)—A RETURN of the Population, Baptisms, and Burials,  
Parish of ST. THOMAS. } from 1812 to the 25th September 1821.

WHITES:

1. YEARS.	2. Population.			3. Baptisms.		4. Burials.		
	Males	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - -	368	427	795	12	17	14	18	N.B.—No deduction made on account of removal from this to another parish, or emigration to another colony, nor <i>vice versa</i> .
1813 - -	371	427	798	8	11	5	11	
1814 - -	378	431	809	9	10	2	6	
1815 - -	381	432	813	13	11	10	10	
1816 - -	393	439	832	21	16	9	9	
1817 - -	389	430	819	14	4	18	13	
1818 - -	388	431	819	11	10	12	9	
1819 - -	394	432	826	15	9	9	8	
1820 - -	382	429	811	9	14	21	17	
1821 } 25th Sept. }	386	428	814	10	9	6	10	

FREE COLOURED PERSONS:

1. YEARS.	5. Population.			6. Baptisms.		7. Burials.		8. Marriages.	
	Males	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
1812 - -	39	31	70	-	-	-	-	none on record, from the earliest date.	N.B.—No deduction made on account of removal from this to another parish, or emigration to another colony, nor <i>vice versa</i> .
1813 - -	39	31	70	-	-	-	-		
1814 - -	39	32	71	-	1	-	-		
1815 - -	42	32	74	3	-	-	-		
1816 - -	43	33	76	2	1	1	-		
1817 - -	43	32	75	2	1	2	2		
1818 - -	43	32	75	-	-	-	-		
1819 - -	43	33	76	-	3	-	2		
1820 - -	42	34	76	1	1	2	-		
1821 } 25th Sept. }	45	37	82	3	3	-	-		

SLAVES:

1. YEARS.	9. Population.			10. Baptisms.		11. Burials.		12. Marriages.	
	Males	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
1812 - -	the distinction of sexes cannot be ascertained by the parish register.	the distinction of sexes cannot be ascertained by the parish register.	4,555	24	31	2	2	none on record, from the earliest date.	N.B.—There are many deaths of persons unbaptized which the parish register does not notice.
1813 - -			4,221	16	34	-	2		
1814 - -			4,406	6	6	4	2		
1815 - -			4,404	21	30	-	-		
1816 - -			4,635	4	1	2	-		
1817 - -			5,173	3	3	4	3		
1818 - -			4,658	5	3	3	2		
1819 - -			4,850	5	6	4	2		
1820 - -			5,081	21	16	1	3		
1821 } 25th Sept. }			-	24	48	3	1		
			24	48					

(signed)

George Forster Maynard,  
Rector.



BARBADOES, } (No. 14.)—A RETURN of Baptisms, Burials, Population and Marriages,  
Parish of St. Peter. } to the 31st December 1820.

1. YEARS :	2. Baptisms :			3. Burials :			
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1812 - - -	Whites - - - - -	13	21	34	20	32	52
	Free coloured Persons - - -	5	6	11	3	1	4
	Slaves - - - - -	8	10	18	3	2	5
1813 - - -	Whites - - - - -	23	11	34	16	12	28
	Free coloured Persons - - -	2	4	6	1	3	4
	Slaves - - - - -	7	3	10	1	-	1
1814 - - -	Whites - - - - -	24	21	45	13	9	22
	Free coloured Persons - - -	3	5	8	-	3	3
	Slaves - - - - -	4	10	14	-	1	1
1815 - - -	Whites - - - - -	15	16	31	11	16	27
	Free coloured Persons - - -	4	2	6	3	2	5
	Slaves - - - - -	4	14	18	1	2	3
1816 - - -	Whites - - - - -	27	25	52	24	20	44
	Free coloured Persons - - -	5	1	6	4	-	4
	Slaves - - - - -	3	4	7	2	2	4
1817 - - -	Whites - - - - -	29	21	50	22	27	49
	Free coloured Persons - - -	11	6	17	9	2	11
	Slaves - - - - -	14	21	35	4	5	9
1818 - - -	Whites - - - - -	18	18	36	11	13	24
	Free coloured Persons - - -	4	3	7	1	1	2
	Slaves - - - - -	8	6	14	3	3	6
1819 - - -	Whites - - - - -	13	15	28	14	16	30
	Free coloured Persons - - -	3	5	8	-	3	3
	Slaves - - - - -	4	3	7	-	2	2
1820 - - -	Whites - - - - -	10	12	22	17	16	33
	Free coloured Persons - - -	7	8	15	4	4	8
	Slaves - - - - -	10	14	24	1	5	6

1. YEARS :	4. Population :		5. Marriages :			
	Free coloured Persons.	Slaves.	Free coloured Persons.	Slaves.		
1812 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,338	1808 -	none	none.	
	Free coloured Persons - - -	230		1809 -	d°	d°
	Slaves - - - - -	5,798		1810 -	d°	d°
1813 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,344	1811 -	d°	d°	
	Free coloured Persons - - -	232	1812 -	d°	d°	
	Slaves - - - - -	5,417	1813 -	d°	d°	
1814 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,367	1814 -	d°	d°	
	Free coloured Persons - - -	237	1815 -	d°	d°	
	Slaves - - - - -	5,451	1816 -	d°	d°	
1815 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,371	1817 -	d°	d°	
	Free coloured Persons - - -	238	1818 -	d°	d°	
	Slaves - - - - -	5,003	1819 -	one	d°	
1816 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,379	1820 -	none	d°	
	Free coloured Persons - - -	240				
	Slaves - - - - -	5,565				
1817 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,380				
	Free coloured Persons - - -	246				
	Slaves - - - - -	5,837				
1818 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,392				
	Free coloured Persons - - -	251				
	Slaves - - - - -	5,880				
1819 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,390				
	Free coloured Persons - - -	256				
	Slaves - - - - -	5,919				
1820 - - -	Whites - - - - -	1,379				
	Free coloured Persons - - -	263				
	Slaves - - - - -	6,062				

(signed) *James F. Heblett,*  
Rector.

BARBADOES, } (N<sup>o</sup> 15.)—A RETURN of the Baptisms and Burials of the Parish of  
Parish of ST. LUCY. } St. Lucy, from the year 1812 to 1820.

BAPTISMS :

YEARS:	Whites.			Free Coloured Persons.			Slaves.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1812	9	13	22	—	—	—	—	—	—
1813	21	11	32	—	—	—	—	—	—
1814	18	11	29	1	—	1	3	1	4
1815	15	17	32	—	—	—	1	—	1
1816	26	26	52	—	—	—	1	3	4
1817	28	22	50	5	1	6	6	2	8
1818	17	12	29	—	—	—	2	1	3
1819	20	10	30	2	2	4	22	16	38
1820	13	15	28	5	4	9	32	37	69

BURIALS:

YEARS:	Whites.			Free Coloured Persons.			Slaves.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1812	32	18	50	—	—	—	—	—	—
1813	15	8	23	—	—	—	—	—	—
1814	7	7	14	—	—	—	—	—	—
1815	10	18	28	—	—	—	—	—	—
1816	19	18	37	—	—	—	1	—	1
1817	31	25	56	1	—	1	2	1	3
1818	22	12	34	—	—	—	2	1	3
1819	17	21	38	—	1	1	3	—	3
1820	18	13	31	1	—	1	2	—	2

N. B.—No Marriage has been legally solemnized, either between Slaves, or between Free Black or Coloured Persons, from the 1st of Jan. 1808.

I Do hereby certify, that the above Return is made agreeably to the Parochial Registry.—  
Witness my hand this 22d October 1821.

(signed) *W. Hart*, Rector.

BARBADOES, } (N<sup>o</sup> 16.)—A RETURN of the Population of the Parish of Christ  
Parish of CHRIST CHURCH. } Church, from 1 January 1812 to 31 December 1820; Together  
with a Return of the number of Marriages legally solemnized between slaves, and Free  
Black or Coloured Persons, from 1 January 1808 to 31 December 1820.

YEARS:	Whites.			Free Coloured Persons.			Slaves.
	Births.	Deaths.	Population.	Births.	Deaths.	Population.	Population.
1812	40	41	1,569	3	2	67	9,387
1813	42	35	1,576	4	2	69	8,997
1814	41	16	1,601	4	1	72	9,225
1815	35	29	1,607	8	1	79	9,283
1816	48	28	1,627	5	1	83	9,548
1817	60	37	1,650	14	2	95	9,878
1818	44	27	1,667	4	2	97	9,909
1819	36	29	1,674	5	4	98	10,108
1820	51	34	1,691	17	2	113	10,142

NUMBER OF MARRIAGES:

Between Free Coloured Persons.			Between Slaves.		
1808	1813	1817	1808	1813	1817
1809	1814	1818	1809	1814	1818
1810	1815	1819	1810	1815	1819
1811	1816	1820	1811	1816	1820
1812			1812		

Certified the 22d October }  
1821.

*Samuel Hinds*,  
Curate of Christ Church.

## N° 5.—ANTIGUA.

COPY of a Letter from Governor Sir B. D'Urban to the Earl Bathurst; dated Antigua, the 5th of December 1821:—Enclosing 10 Returns.

My Lord,

Government-House, Antigua, 5th December 1821.

I HAVE the honour to transmit herewith the Returns required by your Lordship's circular letter of the 18th of July, with its enclosure. Some of these Returns are perfectly accurate; others, I am afraid, not altogether so, but they are all as correct as the existing records have admitted of.

N° 1. Contains the Returns of Slaves imported and exported since the 1st of January 1808. The Letter annexed to them, from the chief officers of His Majesty's customs, will fully explain to your Lordship why these Returns are, to a certain degree, deficient; nor am I aware of any means within my power of rendering them less so.

N° 2. Is a Return of the manumissions since the 1st of January 1808. This is quite accurate, and your Lordship will perceive that no tax or fine is imposed upon manumissions in Antigua.

N° 3. Is a Schedule of Marriages legally solemnized between coloured and black people since the 1st of January 1808; taken from the Returns furnished by the respective clergymen of the established church, which are annexed to it. With respect to the marriages of slaves, I request to refer your Lordship to the observations in the letters of the several clergymen, accompanying the Returns, and especially to those of the Reverend Messrs. Harman and Coull.

N° 4. Is a Return of persons committed to gaols or workhouses. Your Lordship will perceive that no record exists of persons of this description before the 29th of December 1812.

N° 5. Is a Return of slaves sold under execution for debt since the 1st of January 1808. Your Lordship will observe that of the number so sold, amounting to 790, 360 were sold *together with the estates* on which they respectively resided.

N° 6. Is a Report from the escheator-general, by which it appears that no slaves have been escheated to the Crown since the 1st of January 1808.

N° 7. Contains, 1st. the white and free coloured and black population, taken from a census made in the present year 1821.

There is no record existing of this population from the year 1812 to the year 1820 inclusive, no census having been taken during that period.

Your Lordship will observe, that these Returns are made in the treasurer's office, and as they are for the purposes of taxation, they are probably smaller in amount than the actual slave population, as some individuals will endeavour to gain exemption by returning as few slaves as they may find practicable; and this supposition will be borne out by comparing the amount of the slave population taken from the slave registry of 1818 and 1821, (annexed) with the Returns at the treasurer's office for the same years respectively. For the former of these years there appears a difference of 2,438, for the latter, of 1990.

3d. A Schedule of the number of births and deaths respectively since the year 1812, so far as they can be ascertained from the registers of infant baptisms, and of funerals thereto annexed; the only means which I am aware of for that purpose.

It is probable, that the births will have considerably exceeded the baptisms; and (although in a smaller degree) the deaths may have exceeded the funerals.

Upon this subject of population I request to say to your Lordship, in conclusion, that by reference to the Journals of the House of Assembly of Antigua, I have found the "Report of a Select Committee appointed to ascertain the Population of the Island, in consequence of an application from the House of Commons to His Majesty, communicated by letter from the Secretary of State to his Excellency Hugh Elliot, and by him laid before both Houses of Legislature in the year 1811."

From

*Memorandum.*—  
There are no means previous to the slave registry, nor in the period intervening between its triennial return, of computing the slave population, nor any record of it but these returns, which are made up annually.

See Enclosures

N° 8. & N° 9.

*Memorandum.*—  
It is probable, that with regard to the slave population, the births will have considerably exceeded the baptisms; and (although in a smaller degree) the deaths may have exceeded the funerals.

From this Report (which is of course in the port-folio of your Lordship's department) it appears, that in January 1811, the population amounted to

2,102 White inhabitants,  
2,185 Free coloured and black,  
28,317 Slaves.

Hence, by referring to the documents contained in the Enclosure N° 7, the comparative population of the years 1811 and 1821, will be as follows:

Whites - - - - -	{ in 1811 - - 2,102 } 1821 - - 1,980 }	Decrease in 1821 - 122
Free coloured and black	{ in 1811 - - 2,185 } 1821 - - 3,895 }	Increase in 1821 - 1,710
Slaves - - - - -	{ in 1811 - - 28,317 } 1821 - - 29,074 }	Increase in 1821 - 757

Now this increase of slaves is obviously by propagation; for by the Returns in the Enclosure, N° 1, it will be seen that the exports of slaves from the Island, since 1811 have exceeded the imports into it by 120: and your Lordship will observe, that in making this comparison, I have not taken the slave population of 1821 from the slave registry (which is the true state, amounting to 31,064, and therefore exceeding that which I have assumed by 1,990) but from the Returns in the treasurer's office; and this because the estimate for 1811 (given in the Report of the Select Committee) is drawn from the same source; and as these Returns for the purposes of taxation fall short of the real slave population for the years 1818 and 1821 respectively, (as I have shown in a former part of this letter) it is to be inferred that from the same causes that of 1811 would do so too. Each of these states, therefore, although neither of them accurate, probably bear an equal proportion to the true population of the year, and may consequently serve as a tolerably just basis of comparison. At any rate, the unquestionable result of investigating them is, that in the last eleven years subsequent to the Abolition Act the slave population of Antigua has very considerably increased, notwithstanding the balance of exports has been against it.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed)

B. D'URBAN,  
Governor.

LETTER enclosing Return of the Number of Slaves Imported and Exported under License, or otherwise.

Sir,

Custom-House, St. John's, Antigua, 17th September 1821.

WE have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's letter of the 11th instant, with its enclosure, and in compliance with the directions contained therein have made up the Returns called for in as accurate a manner as the documents now in office will allow; but we deem it necessary to inform your Excellency that the accounts of Imports and Exports for the years 1808 and 1809, are not in office; nor could they be found on the admission of the present collector and comptroller in 1818, which circumstance has prevented them, in two or three instances, from furnishing accounts called for by the Honourable Board of Customs, that occurred in the years above mentioned; your Excellency will perceive the Imports and Exports of Slaves for those years are returned Nil; this information the acting comptroller obtained from the books of the naval officer, by request of the acting collector; and the statements made subsequent to the years 1808 and 1809, are from the entries in the inwards and outwards books, now in our possession.

We regret that we cannot furnish your Excellency with the number of males and females, in all the cases stated in the returns; as, in many instances, the number of slaves only, without regard to their sex, have alone been attended to; but this occurred before our time, as will be seen by the returns, and for which we cannot be accountable. We apprehend, that previous to the Registration Act our predecessors in office were not particular in noting in the Imports and Exports of Slaves their sex; but merely stating, as appears by the office books, their number; yet we have every reason to feel confident that the returns now transmitted to your Excellency are correct as it regards the total number of slaves Imported into and Exported from this Island.

We have the honour to be, Sir, with great respect,

your Excellency's most obedient humble servants,

B. Parkhurst, Acting Collector.  
W<sup>m</sup> Simpson, Act<sup>g</sup> Comp<sup>r</sup>.

His Excellency Major General  
Sir Benjamin D'Urban, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

(N<sup>o</sup> 1.)—RETURN of the Number of Slaves Imported and Exported under License, or otherwise, into the Port of Saint John, Island of Antigua, from the 1st of January 1808 to the 17th of September 1821.

## IMPORTED:

Year and Day of the Month.	From whence Imported.	N <sup>o</sup> of Slaves.	Number of		Imported Under License, or otherwise.
			Males.	Females.	
1808. - - -	- - Nil.				
1809. - - -	- - Nil.				
1810. - - -	- - Nil.				
1811.—Sept. 23	Liverpool -	2	2	- -	Per Certificate and License.
1812. - - -	- - Nil.				
1813.—Aug. 13	Trinidad -	5	- -	- -	ditto - - ditto.
1814. - - -	- - Nil.				
1815. - - -	Dominica -	10	5	5	ditto - - ditto.
1816. - - -	- - Nil.				
1817. - - -	- - Nil.				
1818.—July 28	Montserrat -	10	- -	- -	ditto - - ditto.
Dec. 8	- Ditto -	5	- -	- -	ditto - - ditto.
1819.—Feb. 24	- Ditto -	9	5	4	ditto - - ditto.
Mar. 6	- Ditto -	4	2	2	ditto - - ditto.
1820. - 29	- Ditto -	4	3	1	ditto - - ditto.
1821.—May 2	- Ditto -	27	- -	- -	ditto - - ditto.
- 19	- Ditto -	5	- -	- -	ditto - - ditto.
		81	{ Total Number of Slaves Imported from 1st January 1808.		

## EXPORTED:

Year and Day of the Month.	Where Exported.	N <sup>o</sup> of Slaves.	Number of		Exported under License or otherwise.
			Males.	Females.	
1808. - - -	- - Nil.	-	-	-	-
1809. - - -	- - Nil.	-	-	-	-
1810.—31st Oct.	Jamaica - - -	17	- -	- -	Per License.
1811.—Oct. 2	Surinam - - -	2	2	- -	ditto.
1812.—Oct. 10	St. Martin - - -	7	- -	- -	ditto.
1813.—Dec. 1	St. Vincents - - -	7	2	5	ditto.
1814.—Aug. 1	- Ditto - - -	30	- -	- -	ditto.
- 6	- Ditto - - -	26	- -	- -	ditto.
Sept. 7	Grenada - - -	16	- -	- -	ditto.
Oct. 3	St. Vincents - - -	24	13	11	ditto.
1815.—Mar. 19	Trinidad - - -	3	- -	- -	ditto.
1806.—May 10	Demerara - - -	10	- -	- -	ditto.
- 25	Trinidad - - -	8	- -	- -	ditto.
1817. - - -	- - Nil.	-	-	-	-
1818.—Nov. 19	Bermuda - - -	3	- -	- -	ditto.
Mar. 13	St. Lucia - - -	11	- -	- -	ditto.
1819.—Jan. 6	Bermuda - - -	5	5	- -	ditto.
1820.—Feb. 16	Barbadoes - - -	3	- -	3	ditto.
Oct. 4	- Ditto - - -	2	- -	2	ditto.
Nov. 23	- Ditto - - -	1	1	- -	ditto.
- 25	Dominica - - -	3	2	1	ditto.
1821.—Jan. 18	Montserrat - - -	1	- -	1	ditto.
- 27	Trinidad - - -	10	6	4	ditto.
Feb. 13	Dominica - - -	1	- -	1	ditto.
- 19	Trinidad - - -	14	11	3	ditto.
Mar. 8	Montserrat - - -	1	- -	1	ditto.
- 16	St. Vincents - - -	3	3	- -	ditto.
April 4	Dominica - - -	3	- -	3	ditto.
June 11	Trinidad - - -	2	1	1	ditto.
- 12	Grenada - - -	2	2	- -	ditto.
July 9	Montserrat - - -	2	2	- -	ditto.
- 18	Trinidad - - -	1	1	- -	ditto.
		218	{ Total number of Slaves Exported from 1st January 1808.		

Given under our hands, the 17th of September 1821,  
at the Custom-House, St. John.

(signed) R. Parkhurst, Act<sup>s</sup> Collr.  
(signed) W<sup>m</sup> Simpson, Act<sup>s</sup> Compt<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)—A RETURN of all Manumissions recorded in the Registrar's Office of the Island at Antigua, from the 1st day of January 1808, to the 1st day of October 1821; distinguishing each year, and the sex of the persons manumitted by Order of his Excellency General Sir Benjamin D'Urban.

YEAR:	Males.	Females.	By Purchase.		By Gift.		By Bequest.		By virtue of an Act of this Island of Antigua, passed 6th February 1818.	
			Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1808 - -	30	70	9	30	19	38	2	2	-	-
1809 - -	28	61	9	27	18	29	1	5	-	-
1810 - -	40	47	13	23	27	23	-	1	-	-
1811 - -	35	82	18	30	16	52	1	-	-	-
1812 - -	27	57	12	15	14	37	1	5	-	-
1813 - -	43	68	12	20	30	46	1	2	-	-
1814 - -	42	61	13	18	27	38	2	5	-	-
1815 - -	68	108	29	36	37	67	2	5	-	-
1816 - -	39	73	16	21	22	38	1	14	-	-
1817 - -	74	137	16	46	57	85	1	6	-	-
1818 - -	47	70	12	19	34	40	1	11	-	-
1819 - -	74	136	18	21	30	78	4	5	22	32
1820 - -	42	64	11	18	27	40	4	6	-	-
1821 - -	59	91	22	32	30	51	7	8	-	-
	648	1,125	210	356	388	662	28	75	22	32

No tax or fine is imposed on manumissions in the Island of Antigua; nor are any other Fees paid upon them than are allowed by law upon common deeds.

Which is humbly certified to your Excellency by

(signed) *John Burke,*  
Registrar of Deeds for the Island of Antigua.  
1st October 1821.

—(N<sup>o</sup> 3.)—

Sir,

Antigua, 13th September 1821.

IN obedience to your Excellency's commands, by your letter of the 11th instant, to prepare a Return of the number of marriages *between Slaves, and also between free black or coloured persons*, from the register of the parish of Saint Mary (under my superintendance) since the 1st of January 1808, distinguishing each year; I have examined the said register, and have the honour to report as follows; viz. That from the 1st of January 1808, to the 1st of January 1820, *i. e.* for the space of twelve years, I do not find one single couple of the above description to have been married in the said parish: That I was inducted to the said benefice *only* in August 1819; and that in the following year, viz. 1820, I married by banns one free coloured couple, and in this present year 1821, I married one free coloured couple by license; but that I married no slaves as yet in my capacity of rector of a parish.

Such I humbly conceive is the answer required to your present letter; and have the honour to be respectfully,

Your Excellency's, &c.

(signed) *James Curtin,*  
Rector of St Mary's, Antigua.

His Excellency Sir B. D'Urban, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

P. S. Immediately on receipt of your Excellency's letter I directed my clerk to prepare a Return after I had examined the register, and I send it enclosed. I beg also to observe, that, within the period above mentioned *I have married several couple of slaves* in my station *as the Missionary from the established church*, of which I do not suppose any Return is required in your Excellency's present letter; and with great deference express my opinion, that the real interest and welfare of the colony would be more safely and more naturally provided for by committing the ministration of the solemn ordinances for slaves, and more particularly that of *the marriage of slaves*, to the care of the clergy of our national church—I mean under proper restrictions and regulations.

Return of Marriages solemnized in the Island of Antigua, from 1808 to 1821, according to the annexed Extracts from the Registers of the respective Parishes.

Years.	Free Black and Coloured.	Slaves.	Years.	Free Black and Coloured.	Slaves.
1808 - -	3	—None.—	1817 - -	6	—None.—
1809 - -	5		1818 - -	7	See the reasons of the clergymen, especially those of the Reverend Messrs. Harman & Coull.
1810 - -	1		1819 - -	9	
1811 - -	4		1820 - -	13	
1812 - -	4		1821 - -	4	
1813 - -	6		Total - -	76	
1814 - -	6				
1815 - -	6				
1816 - -	2				

(signed) B. D'URBAN.

ANTIGUA.—Return of Marriages in the Parish of Saint Mary, from the 1st day of January 1808, to the 12th day of September 1821, as extracted from the Register of the said Parish.

Years.	Marriages.	Years.	Marriages.
1808 - - -	1 white couple.	1816 - - -	-
1809 - - -	-	1817 - - -	-
1810 - - -	1 white couple.	1818 - - -	-
1811 - - -	-	1819 - - -	-
1812 - - -	-	1820 - - -	1 free coloured couple.
1813 - - -	-	1821 - - -	1 white couple.
1814 - - -	-	- - - - -	1 free coloured couple.
1815 - - -	-		

(signed) James Curtin, Rector of St. Mary's Antigua.  
(signed) Wm. Gregny, Clerk of Parish and Vestry.

Sir,

Abbeville, 14th September 1821.

I HAD the honour to receive your Excellency's letter yesterday, at a late hour in the evening, and in answer thereto I beg leave to inform your Excellency that during the space of thirty years I never knew or heard that any marriages were performed by clergymen of the church of England in this Island between slaves. I have been Rector of the Parish of St. Philip about eighteen years, and have never been applied to to officiate at the marriage of slaves.

With respect to the marriages of free black or coloured persons since the 1st of January 1808, I have the following information to give your Excellency;

During the years 1808, 1809, 1810, 1811, 1812, 1813 and 1814, I married no free black or coloured persons.

In the year 1815, I married one couple only of free coloured persons.

In the year 1816, I married one couple of the same description.

In the year 1817, I married one couple of the same description.

In the years 1818 and 1819, I married no free black or coloured persons.

In 1820, I married two couple of free people of colour, and another couple of free people, the bridegroom being a fair man of colour, and the bride a black woman.

During this present year I have married no free black or coloured persons.

I have the honour to be, &c.

His Excellency,  
Governor Sir B. D'Urban, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) George Collins,  
Rector of the Parish of St. Philip.

Sir,

Antigua, 26th September 1821.

IN obedience to the letters your Excellency has honoured me with I have enclosed the returns you have been pleased to require to be laid before the House of Commons.

I entreat your Excellency will pardon the liberty I have taken in troubling you with the reasons for my declining to marry two slaves, particularly as it happened only four or five weeks before your Excellency's arrival here.

During forty-two years and nine months that I have been Rector and Incumbent of the Parish of St. George, I had never been called upon to marry any slaves, till, on the 29th of April 1820, the honourable and Reverend Richard Burgh Byam wrote to me, requesting me to publish the banns of marriage between two mulatto slaves, belonging to the estate of William Byam, Esq. his father, but in the possession of mortgagees, of which he had the direction. I complied with his request, and published the banns. But on due consideration that neither of the parties had applied to me to marry them; and being assured, by undoubted authority, that the woman was twice the age of the man, of a licentious character,

character, and been faithful to none of several husbands, for whilst she had a mestee husband she had a child by a black man; and afterwards, when she had a coloured husband, she had another child by a white man; and a third child, all of different colours, and was remarkable for her infidelity; and no marriage being lawful here unless solemnized by a minister of the church of England, and he cannot marry a free person to a slave under a penalty of 50*l.*; and that the Amelioration Act, passed at St. Christopher's by the General Assembly, and confirmed by the King the 6th of March 1799, N<sup>o</sup> 36 of our laws, sections 22d, 23d, 24th, and 25th, point out regulations and remunerations to slaves assuming the relation of man and wife: That I might act legally and rightly, I waited upon and consulted his Honour the Commander in Chief, and His Majesty's Attorney and Solicitor Generals, who were of opinion, that as no such request had ever before been made me, and no benefited clergyman had ever married any slaves, and neither the man nor woman had applied to me to marry them, I would act improperly by solemnizing it.

I wrote to Mr. Byam, and stated my reasons for not complying further with his request, and as he did not marry them, I conceive he was actuated by the same motives.

I understand that my refusal to marry the two slaves has been reported in England, but I know not in what light. I hope therefore your Excellency will not consider this representation of facts as either unnecessary or obtrusive.

His Excellency,  
Sir Benjamin D'Urban,  
&c. &c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &c.  
(signed) James Coull.

A Return from St. Peter's and St. George's Parishes, in Antigua.

I HAVE had only two marriages of coloured and black free persons in the parish of Saint George during an incumbency of nearly forty-three years, and none in Saint Peter's, of which I have been Rector ten years.

ANTIGUA:—I, James Coull, A. M. Rector and Incumbent of the parishes of St. Peter and Saint George, in the Island of Antigua, do certify that the above is a just and true copy of the record taken from the register books belonging to the parishes of Saint Peter and Saint George, in the Island aforesaid. Witness my hand and seal, this 26th day of September, in the year 1821.

(signed) James Coull.

Sir,

Antigua, 12th November, 1821.

I HAVE the honour to enclose, agreeably to your Excellency's desire, Returns of the Marriages of free people of colour, from the 1st day of January 1808 to the 11th day of September last, distinguishing the number in each year; and also Returns of the Baptisms and Burials of free people and of slaves, from the year 1812 to the above date of the 11th day of September, distinguishing the sexes, as extracted from the registers of the respective parishes of Saint John and Saint Paul in this Island, to be laid before the House of Commons pursuant to the communication of Earl Bathurst to your Excellency.

Your Excellency will perceive that there is not any marriage of slaves in either Return; there is not a single instance of any such occurrence on record in either register, the circumstance having been invariably considered as illegal; nor is it easy to conceive how so solemn and binding a contract can possibly be entered into by persons who are not free agents.

I have the honour to be, &c.

His Excellency  
Sir Benjamin D'Urban, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) Samuel W. Harman,  
Rector of the Parish of Saint John,  
and officiating Minister of Saint Paul.

Parish of Saint John, }  
ANTIGUA. } Return of Marriages of free coloured people, from the 1st of  
January 1808, to the 11th of September 1821 inclusive, taken  
from the Register Book.

In 1808 - 3 marriages.	In 1814 - 2 marriages.	In 1820 - 3 marriages.
1809 - 4 ditto.	1815 - 5 ditto.	1821 - 3 ditto.
1810 - 1 ditto.	1816 - 1 ditto.	
1811 - 3 ditto.	1817 - 2 ditto.	Total 46
1812 - 3 ditto.	1818 - 6 ditto.	
1813 - 5 ditto.	1819 - 5 ditto.	

Parish of Saint Paul, }  
ANTIGUA. } Return of Marriages of free coloured people, from the 1st of  
January 1808, to the 11th of September 1821 inclusive, taken  
from the Register Book.

In 1809 - 1 marriage.	In 1814 - 4 marriages.	In 1820 - 6 marriages.
1811 - 1 ditto.	1817 - 3 ditto.	
1812 - 1 ditto.	1818 - 1 ditto.	Total 22
1813 - 1 ditto.	1819 - 4 ditto.	

N. B. In the years 1808, 1810, 1815, and 1816, there was not any marriage of free people of colour in the parish of Saint Paul.



ANTIGUA:—(N<sup>o</sup> 4.)—LIST of Persons committed to the common jail as Runaways, and claiming freedom, between the 29th day of December 1812 and the present date.

Date of Commitment.	Names.	
1812: December 29	Lewey - - - - -	- - - Claim unfounded, and sold agreeably to an act of the island.
1813. January 15	Francois - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- 23	Joseph - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- 25	Antonie - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
February 18	Charles Antonie - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
March 18	Pierre - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
April 15	Jackson - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
May 8	John - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
June 1	Quashey - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- 2	John - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
July 24	John - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
September 15	Louis - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- 30	John Jesse - - - - -	- - - Freedom admitted, and released agreeably to the act.
October 18	George Potter - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
December 21	Nancy James - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1814: December 14	William - - - - -	- - - Claim unfounded, and sold.
1815: February 17	James - - - - -	- - - Freedom admitted, and released.
March 23	Lewey - - - - -	- - - Claim unfounded, and sold.
June 14	George - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
July 20	Nat Manuel - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- 24	John Robson - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1816: January 26	Mary Ann (alias) Mary Maria - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- -	Mary and child - - - - -	- - - Freedom admitted, and released.
1817: June 30	Margaret and child - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
August 25	George William - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
November 18	Mary (alias) Bella - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- -	Fanny - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
December 3	Mary Cook - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1818: January 31	William - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
March 26	Johnny Gore - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
- -	Jam Joe - - - - -	- - - Ordered to be delivered to the casual receiver, and afterwards admitted to freedom.
May 10	John Moore - - - - -	- - - Released by an order.
1819: June 15	Molly and children, John and William - - - - -	- - - Freedom admitted, and released.
October 11	Richard Gibbs - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1821: February 28	John Baptiste - - - - -	- - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> - - - d <sup>o</sup> .

A true extract from the record books of the Provost Marshal's office in Antigua.

Given under my hand this 13th day of November 1821.

(signed) *Rich<sup>d</sup> L. Nauton, D<sup>y</sup> P. Marshal.*

*Note:*—That no record of the above description can be traced in the office previous to the 29th December 1812.—No persons claiming freedom have been sold since the present Deputy Provost Marshal has been in office from 1817.

(N<sup>o</sup> 5.)—RETURN of Slaves sold by the Deputy Provost Marshal of the Island of Antigua, under executions, between the 1st day of January 1808 and the 30th day of September 1821.

YEARS:	Number Sold.	
1808 - - -	48	
1809 - - -	22	} - - 99 of that number being with the estate on which they resided.
1810 - - -	129	
1811 - - -	58	
1812 - - -	36	
1813 - - -	9	
1814 - - -	15	
1815 - - -	15	
1816 - - -	13	
1817 - - -	19	
1818 - - -	26	
1819 - - -	73	} - - 261 of that number being with two estates on which they resided.
1820 - - -	301	
1821 - - -	26	
Total - - -	790	} - - of which 360, as above mentioned, were sold with the estates or plantations on which they resided.

A true extract from the record books of the Provost Marshal's Office in Antigua.  
Given under my hand, this 13th day of November 1821.

(signed) *Rich<sup>d</sup> L. Nauton, D<sup>y</sup> Prov<sup>t</sup> Mars<sup>l</sup>.*

(N<sup>o</sup> 6.)

Without Date.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's letter, directing that I should forthwith make "a Return of the Slaves escheated to the Crown since the 1st of January 1808, distinguishing each year, and the Males from the Females; and stating the manner in which they have been disposed of; and, if they have been sold, the manner and proceeds of their sales:" I have to state, for your Excellency's information, that I was appointed Casual Receiver, or Escheator-General, in the early part of the last year, and that no escheat has taken place since I came into office. The late Mr. Thomas Norbury Kirby was my predecessor; and I have made due inquiry at the office of the Secretary of the Island, where the proceedings of all such matters are duly recorded, and I find that no escheat to the Crown has taken place, or a court held since the 1st day of January 1808.

I am, &c.

His Excellency the Captain General,  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Paul Horsford.*

(N<sup>o</sup> 7.)—RETURN of a Census of the White and Free Coloured Population of the Island of Antigua, as taken in the month of April 1821.

Number of white men liable to serve in the militia, by age from 14 to 59 years -	877
Number of white females, including children - - - - -	840
Number of white male children under 14 years - - - - -	235
Number of coloured and black men liable to serve in the militia, by age from 14 to 59 years - - - - -	881
Number of coloured and black females, including children - - - - -	2,346
Number of coloured and black male children under 14 years - - - - -	622
Number of discharged and pensioned soldiers - - - - -	9
Number of African apprentices - - - - -	278
Number of white men exempt from militia duty, <i>i. e.</i> over 60 years - - - - -	28
Number of coloured and black men exempt from militia duty, <i>i. e.</i> over 60 years - - - - -	46
Total - - - - -	6,162

Memorandum:—Male children under ten years old:

White - - - - -	182
Coloured and black - - - - -	421
Total - - - - -	603

(signed) *B. D'URBAN.*

(N<sup>o</sup> 8.)—ANNUAL RETURNS of the Slave Population of Antigua, from 1812 to 1821, both inclusive.

Year.		Number.	Year.		Number.
1812 - -		30,862	1817 - -		28,847
1813 - -		30,243	1818 - -		29,831
1814 - -		29,661	1819 - -		29,943
1815 - -		29,599	1820 - -		29,172
1816 - -		29,120	1821 - -		29,074

N. B.—THESE Returns are made in the Treasurer's Office for no other purpose than that of taxation, and cannot of course be expected to be so accurate as those made in the Original and Triennial Registers.

(signed) W<sup>m</sup> Musgrave, Treasurer.

Return of the Slave Population of the Island of Antigua from the Original and Triennial Registries.

ORIGINAL - - - - - 7 MAY 1818.

Sexes.		Colour.		Under 10 Years.	Above 10 Years.	TOTAL.
Males.	Females.	Black.	Coloured.			
15,053	17,216	28,598	3,671	6,383	25,886	32,269

TRIENNIAL - - - - - 1 NOVEMBER 1821.

1. Sexes.		2. Colour.		3. Under 10 Years.	4. Above 10 Years.
Males.	Females.	Black.	Coloured.		
14,531	16,533	27,482	3,582	6,424	24,640

  

5. Births since Original Registration.		6. Deaths since Original Registration.		7. TOTAL.
Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1,183	1,196	1,465	1,481	31,064

N. B.—There appears to be a diminution of 1,205 slaves since the Original Registration.

(signed) Cha' Taylor, Registrar.

1 November 1821.

(No. 9).—RETURNS of Baptisms of Infants in the Island of Antigua, from the year 1812 to the year 1821 inclusive

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812	17	13	50	42	314	280	
1813	31	18	32	62	293	293	
1814	23	20	47	42	278	307	
1815	26	22	47	38	288	329	
1816	36	29	40	48	349	355	
1817	24	22	55	48	399	374	
1818	34	31	44	41	360	341	
1819	27	37	57	45	404	372	
1820	26	17	51	31	362	345	
1821	20	20	47	37	337	411	
Total	264	229	470	434	3,384	3,407	

Taken from the Returns of the Clergymen annexed.

(signed) B. D'URBAN, Govr.

Return of Baptisms of Infants in the Parish of St. John, from the Year 1812 to the 11th of September 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812	12	9	23	18	22	23	
1813	15	14	17	40	26	25	
1814	15	11	26	25	24	28	
1815	15	14	30	15	27	35	
1816	21	15	23	29	19	27	
1817	10	11	29	23	28	17	
1818	15	16	26	18	30	19	
1819	15	10	34	25	16	11	
1820	14	11	30	19	11	15	
1821	9	13	22	12	6	12	
Total	141	124	260	224	209	212	

(signed) Samuel Wm Harman,  
Rector of the Parish of St. John, Antigua.

Return of Baptisms of Infants in the Parish of St. Paul, from the Year 1812 to the 11th day of September 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812	3	2	18	9	18	21	
1813	10	2	11	15	14	10	
1814	3	6	11	6	8	7	
1815	5	4	9	15	13	25	
1816	6	9	5	4	12	8	
1817	9	11	10	5	13	15	
1818	11	8	6	7	4	12	
1819	7	11	8	11	20	18	
1820	1	1	8	4	5	4	
1821	3	2	3	5	2	3	
Total	58	56	89	81	109	123	

(signed) Samuel Wm Harman, Officiating Minister  
of the Parish of St. Paul, Antigua.

Return of Baptism of Infants in the Parish of St. George, from the year 1812 to the year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS :	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - - -	-	-	3	1	34	28	I certify that the above is a just and true extract from the register book of the parish of St. George.
1813 - - -	2	-	1	1	34	27	
1814 - - -	1	1	1	-	31	34	
1815 - - -	-	1	1	1	39	39	
1816 - - -	6	1	3	3	26	30	
1817 - - -	2	-	-	4	29	33	
1818 - - -	3	6	3	1	22	27	
1819 - - -	1	1	2	1	25	22	
1820 - - -	3	-	2	-	20	25	
1821 - - -	1	1	2	2	20	19	
Total -	19	11	18	14	280	284	

Antigua,  
1st December 1821.}

(signed) James Coull, A. M. Rector.

Return of Baptism of Infants in the Parish of St. Peter, from the year 1812 to the year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS :	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - - -	1	1	5	1	80	61	I certify that the above is a just and true extract from the register book of the parish of St. Peter.
1813 - - -	1	1	-	1	58	42	
1814 - - -	2	1	4	6	58	61	
1815 - - -	1	2	2	-	51	44	
1816 - - -	1	-	3	3	46	49	
1817 - - -	-	-	-	1	63	50	
1818 - - -	4	1	3	3	50	61	
1819 - - -	-	-	2	1	46	46	
1820 - - -	3	2	2	1	77	80	
1821 - - -	2	-	2	2	65	51	
Total -	15	8	23	19	594	545	

Antigua,  
1st December 1821.}

(signed) James Coull, A. M. Rector.

Return of Baptism of Infants in the Parish of St. Philip, from the year 1812 to the year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS :	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - - -	-	1	-	1	24	31	The above is a faithful extract from the register of baptisms, kept in and for the parish of St. Philip, in the island of Antigua.
1813 - - -	2	1	1	4	35	40	
1814 - - -	2	1	-	1	34	34	
1815 - - -	4	-	1	1	37	43	
1816 - - -	-	2	1	6	44	52	
1817 - - -	2	-	5	4	37	41	
1818 - - -	1	-	3	1	47	47	
1819 - - -	1	1	3	4	46	37	
1820 - - -	3	1	-	1	8	8	
1821 - - -	1	1	3	3	38	35	
Total -	16	8	17	26	350	368	

(signed) George Collins, Rector.

Return of Baptisms of Infants in the Parish of Saint Mary, from the Year 1812 to the Year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	From the very imperfect state of the Parish Register it is impracticable to collect more accurate information as to the Returns for the years before the year 1819, and therefore I make it in the best way in my power; but from my own private register I am enabled to ascertain the Return, particularly that of slaves, more correctly.
1813 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1814 - -	-	-	1	-	-	-	
1815 - -	-	-	2	1	3	4	
1816 - -	2	1	-	1	1	3	
1817 - -	1	-	6	5	1	3	
1818 - -	-	-	1	-	2	-	
1819 - -	1	1	1	-	4	15	
1820 - -	2	2	1	1	4	4	
1821 - -	1	2	1	2	5	6	
Total -	7	6	13	10	20	35	

Antigua,  
1st December 1821. }

(signed) *James Curtin*, Rector of Saint Mary.

Return, of the baptisms of Slave Infants, and of the burial of Slaves, from the Year 1812 to the Year 1821 inclusive, by the Reverend J. Curtin, Missionary from the Society for the Conversion of Slaves at Antigua.

YEARS:	Infant Slaves baptized.		Slaves buried.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - -	31	38	14	9	- - Part of this year and of the next, I had the sole charge of the parish of Saint John by appointment of Governor Elliot, which accounts for the largeness of the numbers.
1813 - -	60	49	27	24	
1814 - -	38	43	14	15	- - This year I paid a visit to Saint Kitts, where I baptized several slaves as Missionary, and accounts for the smallness of the numbers in 1815.
1815 - -	19	26	17	16	
1816 - -	69	51	17	17	} Officiating for some months in these two years for the Reverend the Rector of Saint John's, accounts for the largeness of the number baptized by me even as Missionary.
1817 - -	69	86	21	16	
1818 - -	58	55	19	18	
1819 - -	66	63	27	29	
1820 - -	59	51	26	17	
1821 - -	34	38	30	15	
Total -	503	500	212	176	

N. B.—In the numbers here returned are not included about twenty-five infants of female African apprentices, who have been baptized by me in my little chapel in town as Missionary; nor of course of those for whom I officiated of late in my own parish, as they are numbered in the Return for the parish of Saint Mary.

This Return is now made up to the 1st of December 1821, wherein the slave burials appear to be more and the slave baptisms fewer than in most of the preceding years, at least up to this month.

Saint John's, Antigua,  
6th December 1821. }

(signed) *James Curtin*, Missionary.

Return of Baptism of Infants in the Chapels of the United Brethren, from the year 1812 to the year 1821, inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - -	1	-	1	2	105	78	The Whites are all Missionaries Children.  Up to the 1st Oct. 1821.
1813 - -	1	-	2	1	66	100	
1814 - -	-	-	4	4	85	100	
1815 - -	1	1	2	5	99	113	
1816 - -	-	1	4	2	105	96	
1817 - -	-	-	5	5	121	101	
1818 - -	-	-	2	10	109	103	
1819 - -	1	2	4	3	141	133	
1820 - -	-	-	5	4	154	134	
1821 - -	2	-	4	6	122	138	
Total -	6	4	33	42	1,107	1,096	

Return of Baptism of Infants in Chapels of the Wesleyan Methodist Missionaries from the year 1812 to the year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	No register. No register. No register. No register.
1813 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1814 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1815 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1816 - -	-	-	-	-	27	39	
1817 - -	-	-	-	1	38	28	
1818 - -	-	-	-	1	38	17	
1819 - -	1	1	3	-	32	27	
1820 - -	-	-	3	1	24	24	
1821 - -	1	1	10	5	45	59	
Total -	2	2	16	8	204	194	Grand Total - - 426

N<sup>o</sup> (10.)—RETURN of Burials in the Parish of St. John, from the year 1812 to the 11th day of September 1821, inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812 - -	21	26	16	24	21	26	
1813 - -	23	13	15	14	27	27	
1814 - -	31	14	25	28	14	19	
1815 - -	31	10	26	25	20	30	
1816 - -	88	18	28	32	21	15	
1817 - -	43	14	23	28	17	22	
1818 - -	40	21	30	25	19	16	
1819 - -	37	36	33	33	29	28	
1820 - -	42	20	23	27	16	22	
1821 - -	32	15	23	20	8	12	
Total -	388	181	242	256	192	217	

(signed)

Sam<sup>l</sup> Wm. Harman.

Recto<sup>r</sup> of the Parish of St. John, Antigua.

Return of Burials in the Parish of St. Paul, from the year 1812 to the 11th day of September 1821, inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
	1812	10	9	3	9	3	
1813	6	4	4	8	3	1	
1814	5	5	1	2	-	5	
1815	9	3	4	6	3		
1816	10	7	4	11	2		
1817	10	4	2	3	2	1	
1818	13	-	4	5	2		
1819	7	1	3	6	-	1	
1820	1	3	5	4	1		
1821	5	2	4	7	1		
Total	76	38	34	61	17	9	

(signed) *Samuel W<sup>m</sup> Harman,*  
 Officiating Minister for the Parish of St. Paul, Antigua.

Return of Burials in the Parish of St. George, from the year 1812 to the year 1821, inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
	1812	4	-	2	3		
1813	3	1	-	1	1		
1814	2						
1815	-	1	1	2	1		
1816	3	1	2	2	1	1	
1817	4	2	2	2	2		
1818	4	3	2	2			
1819	1	1	-	3			
1820	6	-	-	1	-	2	
1821	5	2	2				
Total	32	11	11	16	5	3	

Antigua, December 1, 1821. (signed) *James Coull, A. M. Rector.*

Return of Burials in the Parish of St. Peter, from the year 1812 to the year 1821, inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
	1812	1	-	-	-	-	
1813	2	2	1				
1814	7	2	-	1	1	1	
1815	1	1					
1816	6	1					
1817	4	1	1	1			
1818	1	2	2	2			
1819	4	-	4	2			
1820	6	1	-	3	2	1	
1821	3	-	-	-	-	2	
Total	35	10	8	9	3	4	

Antigua, 1st December 1821. (signed) *James Coull, A. M. Rector.*



## Returns of Burials in the Parish of St. Philip, from the year 1812 to the year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812	5	2	2	2	2	1	The above is a faithful extract from the Register of Burials kept in, and for the Parish of St. Philip, in the Island of Antigua.
1813	3	-	-	-	3	5	
1814	1	3	-	-	1	2	
1815	2	1	-	2	-	2	
1816	1	-	-	5	2	4	
1817	1	3	2	2	7	6	
1818	5	-	2	-	3	4	
1819	1	8	2	2	4	5	
1820	1	-	-	2	5	2	
1821	4	-	2	4	2	-	
Total	24	17	10	19	29	31	

(signed) *George Collins*, Rector.

## Returns of Burials in the parish of St. Mary, from the year 1812 to the year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812	4	2	1	2	-	-	
1813	2	2	1	2	-	-	
1814	2	1	-	-	-	1	
1815	3	-	1	1	-	-	
1816	3	1	-	4	-	-	
1817	5	2	-	2	-	-	
1818	3	-	3	2	-	-	
1819	3	1	3	3	2	3	
1820	3	3	1	2	1	-	
1821	3	1	4	-	1	1	
Total	31	13	14	18	4	5	

From the very imperfect state of the Parish Register it is impracticable to collect more accurate information as to the Returns for the years previous to the year 1819; and therefore I am obliged to make it out in the best way I can; but from my own private Register I am enabled to ascertain the Return for the last two years during the time of incumbency, more correctly.

Antigua, 1st December 1821. (signed) *James Curtin*, Rector of St. Mary's, Antigua.

## Return of Burials in the Chapels of the United Brethren, from the year 1812 to the year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812	-	1	3	4	159	200	The Whites were either the wives or children of Missionaries.
1813	-	-	2	4	116	179	
1814	-	-	5	5	128	122	
1815	-	-	1	6	87	161	
1816	-	2	4	4	94	139	
1817	-	1	3	6	105	153	
1818	-	-	5	7	103	167	
1819	1	-	5	5	165	196	
1820	-	2	7	8	164	204	
1821	-	-	9	5	96	122	
Total	1	6	44	54	1,217	1,643	

Returns of Burials in the Chapels of the Wesleyan or Methodist Missionaries, from the Year 1812 to the Year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured and Black.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males	Females.	
1812	-	-	No register for this year.				
1813	-	-	-	-	23	50	
1814	-	-	-	-	5	10	
1815	-	-	-	-	16	12	
1816	-	-	-	-	4	13	
1817	-	-	-	-	14	23	
1818	-	-	-	-	11	11	
1819	-	-	-	-	19	30	
1820	-	-	-	-	16	40	
1821	-	-	4	9	39	66	
Total	-	-	4	9	147	255	

Return of Burials in the Island of Antigua, from the Year 1812 to the Year 1821 inclusive.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Black and Coloured.		Slaves.		Remarks.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1812	45	34	27	44	199	237	
1813	39	28	23	29	200	286	
1814	21	25	31	36	163	174	
1815	19	16	33	42	144	222	
1816	111	30	38	58	141	189	
1817	67	27	38	44	168	221	
1818	66	27	48	43	157	216	
1819	54	47	50	54	246	292	
1820	59	29	36	47	231	288	
1821	52	20	48	45	177	218	
Total	533	277	367	442	1,826	2,346	

Taken from the Returns of the different clergymen annexed.

(signed) B. D'URBAN, Gov<sup>r</sup>.

## N° 6.—ANTIGUA.

COPY of a Letter from Governor Sir B. D'Urban to the Earl Bathurst; dated Antigua, the 17th of December 1821 :—Enclosing 9 Returns.

My Lord, Government-House, Antigua, 17th December 1821.

I HAD closed my packet to day, when I received from the President of Montserrat the Returns required by your Lordship's circular letter of the 18th of July, which I hasten to transmit.

He appears to have omitted the births and deaths, probably because he can find no record of them, but I will write to him upon the subject.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &c.  
(signed) B. D'URBAN.

(N° 1.)—RETURN of the Number of Slaves Imported under Licenses, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808, distinguishing each Year, and the Sex of the Slaves so imported; together with the Places from whence they were brought.

1812.	Males.	Females.	From whence Imported.	Grand Total.
June 12.	15	6	St. Christopher's - - -	21
1814, Mar. 19.	3	3	Dominica - - - - -	6
1819, Jan. 8.	2	2	Antigua - - - - -	4
	20	11		31

1808, 1809, 1810, 1811 - Nil.  
1813 - - - - - Nil.  
1815, 1816, 1817, 1818 - Nil.

1820 - - - - - Nil.  
1821 to the 1st of Nov. - Nil.

December 21st 1821.

(signed) Joseph Herbert,  
Act<sup>s</sup> Coll<sup>r</sup>.

(N° 2.)—RETURN of the Number of Slaves Exported, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each Year, and the Sex of the Slaves exported; specifying the Places where they were cleared out.

YEARS :	Males.	Females.	Cleared for.	Total.	Grand Total.
1808 to 1811 -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	Nil.	
1811 to 1814 -	- No Record	to be found.			
1815 - - -	not specified.	not specified	Antigua - - - -	8	
1816 - - -	- ditto -	- ditto -	St. Kitts - - - -	45	
1817 - - -	3	- - -	St. Vincent - - - -	3	
1818 - - -	not specified	not specified	Antigua - - - -	7	
1819 - - -	- ditto -	- ditto -	Trinidad - - - -	22	
- - - -	2	2	Antigua - - - -	4	
1820 - - -	3	1	Antigua - - - -	4	
1821 - - -	12	20	Antigua - - - -	32	
					125

1 December 1821.

(signed) Joseph Herbert,  
Coll<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 3).—A RETURN of all Manumissions effected by Purchase, Bequest, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808.

YEARS:	Males.	Females.	By Purchase.	By Bequest, or otherwise.	Amount of Fee or Fine imposed on each Manumission.
1808 - - -	7	14	11	10	- - Nil.
1809 - - -	8	17	17	8	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1810 - - -	15	24	28	11	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1811 - - -	17	18	26	9	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1812 - - -	8	14	12	10	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1813 - - -	13	25	22	16	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1814 - - -	10	16	19	7	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1815 - - -	9	15	9	5	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1816 - - -	16	16	24	8	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1817 - - -	9	12	15	6	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1818 - - -	4	6	8	2	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1819 - - -	6	10	11	5	- - d <sup>o</sup>
1820 - - -	7	10	11	6	- - d <sup>o</sup>

I do certify that the foregoing is a true Return of all Manumissions effected by Purchase, Bequest, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808.  
20th Nov<sup>r</sup> 1821. (signed) *James Masters, Sec<sup>y</sup>.*

(N<sup>o</sup> 4).—RETURN of the Number of Marriages legally solemnized between Slaves, and also between Free Black or Coloured Persons, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year.

MARRIAGES:

Slaves.		Free People of Colour.		
From	} - Nil.	1808 - - 2	1813 - - 1	1818 - 1
1808		1809 - - -	1814 - - 5	1819 - -
to		1810 - - 1	1815 - - 2	1820 - -
1821		1811 - - 1	1816 - - 2	1821 - -
		1812 - - 2	1817 - - 2	Total - <u>19</u>

(signed) *Joseph Gerrald, Rector, &c.*  
Montserrat, 1st Dec<sup>r</sup> 1821.

(N<sup>o</sup> 5).—RETURN of all persons committed to Jails or Workhouses as Runaways, but who declared themselves to be free since the 1st of January 1808, with an Account of the final disposal of such Persons.

— N I L. —

Marshal's Office, } (signed) *Walter Price,*  
22d October 1821. } *D. P. Marshal.*

(N<sup>o</sup> 6).—RETURN of Slaves escheated to the Crown since January the 1st 1808; distinguishing each year, and the Males from the Females; and stating the manner in which they have been disposed of; and if they have been sold, the manner and proceeds of their Sales.

From 1808 - - to - - 1812 inclusive	- Nil.	From 1808 to 1812 Thomas Furling was casual receiver, and died. From 1813 to 1815 there was no Appointment.
-- 1813 - - to - - 1815	- Nil.	
-- 1816 - - to - - 1821	- Nil.	

(signed) *Joseph Herbert, President.*  
5th December 1821. (signed) *Thos Hill, Casual Receiver.*

—(No. 7.)—

Sir,

Montserrat, 5th December 1821.

I HAVE the honour to forward to your Excellency the various Returns required by the Right Honourable the Earl Bathurst's letter of the 18th of July last, which your Excellency enclosed to me in your despatch of the 19th of September.

I have not been able to accomplish this important object sooner, owing to the many departments on which it depended, and the difficulty of finding records.

There is no Record at all of any population but that of slaves.

I have the honour to be, &amp;c.

(signed) *Joseph Herbert.*

His Excellency,  
Major General Sir Benjamin D'Urban, K. C. B.  
Governor, &c. &c. &c.

(N<sup>o</sup> 8.)—RETURN of the Population of Slaves from the year 1812 to the present period, distinguishing each Year; also of the White and Coloured Population of the present period, there being no Account whatever taken of any Population but that of Slaves.

White Population.			Free Coloured Population.			Slaves.	TOTAL
Males.	Females.	Children under 10.	Males.	Females.	Children under 10.		
72	107	74	164	180	178	6,126	Whites - - 253 Coloured - - 522 Slaves - - 6,126

Account of Slaves from 1812 :

Year.	Slaves.	Year.	Slaves.
1812 - - - -	6,537	1817 - - - -	6,318
1813 - - - -	6,449	1818 - - - -	6,203
1814 - - - -	6,502	1819 - - - -	6,200
1815 - - - -	6,333	1820 - - - -	6,217
1816 - - - -	6,230	1821 - - - -	6,126

1st December 1821.

(signed)

*Joseph Herbert, President.*

(N<sup>o</sup> 9.)—RETURN of all Slaves taken and sold under Execution for Debt in each year, from the 1st of January 1808, inclusive, to the present period.

Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.
1808 - - -	One Negro Man.	1813 - - -	Five Negroes.	1818 - - -	Fourteen Negroes.
1809 - - -	-Nil.-	1814 - - -	Five.	1819 - - -	Fifteen.
1810 - - -	Nine.	1815 - - -	Two.	1820 - - -	Six.
1811 - - -	Fifteen.	1816 - - -	One.	1821 - - -	Six.
1812 - - -	Eleven.	1817 - - -	Eighteen.		

Total, 108 Slaves sold under Execution to the date hereof.

Montserrat, Marshal's Office, }  
22 October 1821.

(signed)

*Walter Price,*  
A. P. Marshal.

N<sup>o</sup> 7.—TOBAGO.

Extract of a Letter from Governor Sir F. P. Robinson to the Earl Bathurst; dated Tobago, the 31st of January 1822:—Enclosing 8 Returns.

“ HEREWITH I have the honour of transmitting to your Lordship the Returns “ called for by the Resolutions of the House of Commons, dated the 3d of July 1821.”

—(N<sup>o</sup> 1.)—

Sir,

Custom House, Tobago, 1st of November, 1821.

I HAD the honour of receiving your Excellency's letter of yesterday's date, requiring for the information of His Majesty's Ministers, certain Returns; viz.

A Return of the number of Slaves Imported under Licenses, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year, and the sex of the slaves so imported; together with the places from which they were brought.

A Return of the number of Slaves Exported, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year, and the sex of the slaves exported; and specifying the places for which they were cleared out.

In reply thereto, I have the honour to acquaint your Excellency that I minutely examined the different books and records now in this office, and to state to your Excellency that no documents can be found from which such returns can be collected.

It does not appear that the principal officers of His Majesty's Customs have hitherto been required, either by Act of Parliament, by letter from the Honourable the Board of Commissioners, or otherwise, to make any specific entry or clearance of slaves imported into or exported from this Colony.

No slaves have been captured by any of His Majesty's ships, and placed under the charge of any of the collectors here, during the period alluded to.

To His Excellency,

Sir F. P. Robinson, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) J. Buchanan,  
Act<sup>s</sup> Coll<sup>r</sup>.

TOBAGO.—(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)—A RETURN of all Manumissions effected by Purchase, Bequest, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each Year, and the Sex of the Persons manumitted; together with a Statement of the Amount of the Tax or Fine imposed on each Manumission.

Date.	PERSONS MANUMITTED:			How and by whom Manumitted.	Amount paid on Manumitting.	By what Authority demanded.	To whom paid.
	Male.	Female.	Colour.				
1808:							
Jan. 1 -	- - -	Jenny - - -	black -	John Lewis -			
- 26 -	Johannet -	- - -	ditto -	Sir W <sup>m</sup> Young -			
Mar. 1 -	- - -	Cecil - - -	mistee -	R <sup>t</sup> Bruce - -			
- 6 -	- - -	Euno - - -	black -	Mary Blanchard -			
- 20 -	- - -	Maria Lene -	mulatto -	John Balfour -			
- 24 -	- - -	Margaret - -	ditto -	Cha <sup>r</sup> Hamilton -			
- - -	- - -	Clotine - - -	black -	W <sup>m</sup> Brasnell -			
June 10 -	- - -	Maria Hamilton	mistee -	John Hamilton -			
- - -	- - -	Penny - - -	black -	Hugh Ross -			
- 25 -	- - -	Betsey - - -	mulatto -	Sarah Coleman's will.			
- - -	- - -	Esther - - -	black -	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Sendillah - -	ditto -	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Fanny - - -	ditto -	ditto - - -			
July 9 -	- - -	Hester Dewsbury	black -	David Martin -			
Aug. 29 -	Philip - - -	- - -	ditto -	R <sup>t</sup> Mitchell -			
Sept. 15 -	Robert - - -	- - -	ditto -	E <sup>d</sup> Jackson -			
- 26 -	- - -	Ritta - - -	ditto -	Ritta Mills -			
Oct. 11 -	- - -	Jemima - - -	ditto -	Sir W <sup>m</sup> Ycung -			
Dec. 5 -	- - -	Mimba - - -	ditto -	Sam <sup>l</sup> M <sup>c</sup> Cletchie -			
- - -	David Lewis	- - -	mulatto -	Thomas Dakins -			
- 9 -	- - -	Ellen - - -	black -	Eleanor Doyle -			
- 25 -	- - -	Mary - - -	mistee -	C. W. Irvine -			

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	Male.	Female.	Colour.				
1809:							
Mar. 7	Bristol Bruce	- - -	black	Ja <sup>s</sup> Crosbie	-		
- - -	- - -	Juliet - - -	ditto	Cha <sup>s</sup> Whitman	-		
- - -	- - -	Maria - - -	ditto	Tho <sup>s</sup> Black	-		
Apr. 10	Charles - - -	- - -	ditto	R <sup>c</sup> Paul & others	-		
- 18	Kerr - - -	- - -	ditto	Tho <sup>s</sup> Hannay's will.	-		
- - -	- - -	Magdalane -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	John - - -	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	Matt - - -	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	- - -	Catherine - -	ditto	Luron de Tilly	-		
Apr. 24	- - -	Mary Ann - -	ditto	James Denoon	-		
May 4	- - -	Sally Rose - -	mulatto	Fred. Chapman	-		
- - -	Charles - - -	- - -	ditto	Alex <sup>s</sup> Lindsay	-		
- - -	- - -	Polly - - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- 5	- - -	Lawrence - -	black	Rosalie Simon	-		
- - -	- - -	Joan - - -	ditto	R <sup>d</sup> Finch - - -	-		
July 7	Michel & John	Mary Ann & Betsy	- - -	John Chalmers	-		
- 28	- - -	Susannah - -	mulatto	W <sup>m</sup> Floyd - - -	-		
- - -	- - -	Clarissa - - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	Marsel - - -	- - -	black	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	- - -	Francoise Victoire	mulatto	ditto - - -	-		
Nov. 20	Walter - - -	Peggy & Frances	- - -	Eliz. Robertson	-		
Dec. 19	- - -	Olivia & Margaret	black	R <sup>d</sup> Finch - - -	-		
1810:							
Jan. 30	Quaw - - -	- - -	ditto	W <sup>m</sup> Alexander	-		
Feb. 3	W <sup>m</sup> Collow -	- - -	ditto	John Robley -	-		
- - -	Quaw - - -	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- 8	- - -	Eliza M'Kenzie	mulatto	ditto - - -	-		
Mar. 10	- - -	Fanny Lamplly	black	Eliz. Goding -	-		
- - -	R <sup>d</sup> Large - -	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- 24	Nath <sup>l</sup> Taylor	- - -	mistee	ditto - - -	-		
- 24	- - -	Celia - - -	black	W <sup>m</sup> Durham -	-		
Apr. 21	- - -	Eliz. Haffy -	ditto	Henry Haffy	-		
- - -	- - -	Mary - - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	William - -	Margaret - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	John - - -	Maria - - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
June -	H <sup>v</sup> Rynd - -	- - -	mistee	Brooke Rynd	-		
- - -	- - -	Lucy Forest -	mulatto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	Oliver Rynd	- - -	mistee	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	- - -	Stella Rynd -	mulatto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	- - -	Diana Rynd -	black	ditto - - -	-		
- 8	John - - -	Eliza - - -	mulatto	E. Piggot - - -	-		
- 9	- - -	Rosalie - - -	black	E. Sharpe - - -	-		
- 10	John Alleyne	- - -	mulatto	Benj <sup>a</sup> Alleyne	-		
June 16	Johnny - - -	- - -	black	John Tho <sup>s</sup> Gordon.	-		
- 24	- - -	Clarissa - - -	ditto	William Moore	-		
July 2	- - -	Jeannie - - -	ditto	J. R. Dubois -	-		
- 5	- - -	Marriete Lataste	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	- - -	Marie Francis -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	- - -	Marie Rose - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- 25	R <sup>d</sup> J <sup>s</sup> Eastmond	- - -	mulatto	J. Gittens Eastmond.	-		
Aug. 13	- - -	Matty - - -	black	Purchase - - -	-		
- 16	- - -	Jenny - - -	ditto	W <sup>m</sup> Mackay -	-		
- 27	- - -	Francoise - -	mulatto	Louis Julien	-		
Sept. 19	- - -	Leonora - - -	black	Victoire Lindsay	-		
- 27	- - -	Franchise - -	ditto	Juliet Graeme	-		
- - -	- - -	Presant Duncan	ditto	Hen <sup>s</sup> Palmer -	-		
Oct. 6	- - -	Eliza - - -	ditto	R <sup>d</sup> Brampton -	-		
- - -	- - -	Matta Brampton	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- 7	William - - -	- - -	ditto	W <sup>m</sup> Perriman	-		
- 8	Josh <sup>s</sup> Kennedy	Mary Kennedy	ditto	Chloe Kennedy	-		
- 9	John Spears	Mary Spears -	mulatto	Samuel Spears	-		
- - -	Tho <sup>s</sup> Spears	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- 10	- - -	Kitty - - -	ditto	Purchase - - -	-		
- 29	Sam - - -	- - -	black	Premie Reid -	-		
- - -	Narcissus -	- - -	ditto	Lavease Plannel	-		
- 30	- - -	Clony - - -	ditto	Adam Elder -	-		
- 31	- - -	Felicity - - -	ditto	Joana Martin -	-		
Nov. 3	- - -	Sarah - - -	ditto	Premie Reid -	-		
- - -	Quaco - - -	- - -	ditto	Nanny Bruce -	-		
- - -	William - -	Nancy - - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- - -	John - - -	Jean - - -	ditto	ditto - - -	-		
- 13	John - - -	Fanny - - -	ditto	Sue Forester -	-		
- - -	- - -	Mary Ann - -	ditto	Cath <sup>e</sup> Hunter -	-		
Dec. 28	- - -	Mary - - -	ditto	E <sup>d</sup> Sharpe - -	-		

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	Male.	Female.	Colour.				
1811:							
Jan. 9	-	Rose	black	F <sup>r</sup> Chapman			
- 8	-	Charlotte	ditto	Charlotte Patterson.			
- 10	-	Bibeau	ditto	W <sup>m</sup> Smith			
- 22	Thomas	Patience	ditto	Ackey Lawrence			
- -	Ben	Mary	ditto	ditto			
- -	John	Kitty	ditto	ditto			
- -	Leonard	-	ditto	ditto			
- 25	Johnny	Mary Adgua	ditto	Sir W <sup>m</sup> Young			
- 26	-	Emilia	ditto	R. Doud's will			
Feb. 5	Edw. Murphy	-	mulatto	Ed <sup>d</sup> Murphy			
- -	-	Celia	black	Sarah Deane			
- -	-	Mary	ditto	ditto			
- 25	-	Mary Johnston	mulatto	Benj <sup>n</sup> Smith			
- -	Tho <sup>s</sup> Wosdal	Grace Hutchinson	mistee	ditto			
- 26	John	-	mulatto	J. Bain's will			
Mar. 18	-	Penelope	black	John Bates			
- 22	-	Mary	ditto	Sarah Deane			
- 29	-	Cinderella	ditto	Fielding Browne			
Apr. 7	-	Nancy	ditto	W <sup>m</sup> Boyd			
- -	-	Flora	ditto	ditto			
- -	-	Nanny Morgan	ditto	ditto			
- -	-	Dutchess	mulatto	Sam <sup>l</sup> Barrow			
- -	-	Harriet Brown	mistee	Ann G. Brown			
- 22	Harry Bonnell	-	black	Tho <sup>s</sup> Blakely			
May 8	-	Phillis	ditto	F <sup>s</sup> Bayly's will			
June 10	-	Hetty	mulatto	R <sup>t</sup> Bend's will			
- 11	-	Jane Ann	ditto	Geo. Aberdeen			
- -	-	Margaret	ditto	ditto			
- 27	-	Mary	ditto	W <sup>m</sup> Hooper			
Aug. 13	-	Phoebe	black	Francois Serrant			
- -	-	Betty	mulatto	ditto			
- -	George	Annie	ditto	ditto			
- 24	-	Harriet	black	D. Martin			
- 28	-	Jeanny	ditto	Purchase			
Oct. 11	-	Phillis	black	Niel M <sup>c</sup> Donald			
Nov. 6	-	Eliza	mulatto	Ja <sup>s</sup> Campbell			
- -	-	Margaret Elder	ditto	John Elder			
- -	-	Marcia M <sup>c</sup> Lean	ditto	ditto			
1812							
Jan. 16	-	Catharine	black	Pomelia White			
Apr. 13	Cork	-	ditto	Tho <sup>s</sup> Browne			
- -	-	Molly	mistee	Tho <sup>s</sup> Dean			
May 6	-	Queen	black	Andrew Murray			
- 15	Marcus	-	ditto	J. M. Collier			
Aug. 4	-	Rachael	ditto	Alex <sup>r</sup> Robertson			
Sep. 16	-	Betty	ditto	Eliz <sup>h</sup> Bruce			
- 18	R <sup>t</sup> Brown	-	mulatto	Ann G. Brown			
- -	Dick	-	ditto	Coll. Turner's will.			
Oct. 14	William	-	ditto	ditto			
Nov. 1	-	Sarah Hatfield	ditto	Harriet Tobin			
- -	Henry	Eliza	ditto	ditto			
- -	John	Fanny	ditto	ditto			
- -	-	Polly	black	John Theobalds			
- -	-	Mary	Mulatto	ditto			
- -	-	Ann	ditto	ditto			
- -	-	Deborah	ditto	ditto			
- -	-	Nancy	ditto	ditto			
- -	-	Lucretia	ditto	ditto			
- -	Thomas	-	ditto	ditto			
- 14	-	Jane	ditto	W <sup>m</sup> Wilson			
1813							
Jan. 8	-	Betsy	black	J. R. Dasent			
- -	-	Ann	ditto	ditto			
- -	-	Betsy	ditto	ditto			
Feb. 1	Louis	-	ditto	Francis Hallet			
- -	Sandy	-	ditto	ditto			
- -	-	Sylvia	ditto	David Martin			
- 10	Gill	-	ditto	Purchase			
- 26	-	Franky	ditto	Eliz <sup>h</sup> Malony			
- -	-	Betsy	ditto	ditto			
Mar. 31	John Nelson	-	mulatto	Benj <sup>n</sup> Alleyne			
Apr. 13	-	Jeannie	black	Benj <sup>n</sup> Smith's will.			



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1813 :							
Apr. 21	- - -	Dido - - -	black	Martha Gilbert			
- - -	- - -	Betty - - -	ditto	Purchase - - -			
May 3	Joseph - - -	- - -	ditto	Nelly Morgan -			
- 6	- - -	Oma - - -	ditto	Jean Carmichael's will.			
- 20	- - -	Jenny Wilkie -	ditto	Purchase - - -			
- - -	Richard - - -	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	Thomas - - -	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	Henry - - -	Jennette - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	John - - -	Ann - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- 31	- - -	Elizabeth - - -	mulatto	M <sup>r</sup> Baby de Leon			
July 8	Ja <sup>s</sup> Greaves	- - -	ditto	Ja <sup>s</sup> Greaves -			
- 17	Piquite Drayton	- - -	ditto	Purchase - - -			
- 19	John Whiston	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
Aug. 4	John Pierre -	- - -	black	A. Stewart -			
Sept. 4	- - -	Phoebe - - -	ditto	Purchase - - -			
- 10	- - -	Matilda - - -	mulatto	W. A. Reid -			
- 21	John Tobin -	- - -	ditto	E <sup>d</sup> Sharpe -			
Nov. 1	- - -	Betsy - - -	black	Tho <sup>s</sup> Dunbar -			
- 11	Robert - - -	Margaret - - -	ditto	John Balfour -			
- - -	Alexander -	Jeannie - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Rosalie - - -	ditto	Warner Ottley			
- - -	- - -	Ancilla - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Bell Robertson	mulatto	ditto - - -			
- 18	- - -	Polly - - -	black	J. W. Cooke's will.			
- - -	- - -	Mary Ann - - -	mulatto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Deborah - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Nancy - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	Thomas - - -	Lucretia - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Betty - - -	black	Ja <sup>s</sup> Denoon -			
- - -	William - - -	- - -	mulatto	ditto - - -			
1814							
Mar. - -	- - -	Juba - - -	black	David Jolly -			
Mar. 23	- - -	Eliz <sup>h</sup> Clarke	black	Margaret Lindsay			
- 25	Bob - - -	- - -	ditto	J. M. Collier -			
- - -	John - - -	- - -	mulatto	Ellen Elder -			
Apr. 8	- - -	Eve - - -	black	Alex <sup>r</sup> Winter -			
- 19	- - -	Harriet Morgan	ditto	Cha <sup>s</sup> Conyers -			
- - -	James - - -	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	Tho <sup>s</sup> Dannel	- - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- 20	- - -	Jessy - - -	ditto	Purchase - - -			
May 24	Edward - - -	- - -	mistee	John Balfour -			
June 20	William - - -	Betsy - - -	mulatto	W <sup>m</sup> Bruce - -			
- - -	- - -	Sally Bignoe -	ditto	John Nichol -			
- - -	- - -	Anna - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Maria - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Elizabeth - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Jane - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Mary Ann - - -	ditto	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Betsy Charlotte	ditto	ditto - - -			
July 11	- - -	Melisa - - -	ditto	H <sup>r</sup> Cheeks, jun.			
- - -	- - -	Eliza - - -	mistee	ditto - - -			
July 16	Charles - - -	- - -	mulatto	R <sup>d</sup> Robertson -			
Aug. 13	Sylvester -	- - -	black	H. Huggins -			
- 16	- - -	Sarah - - -	ditto	Ja <sup>s</sup> Hepburn -			
- - -	- - -	Polly Gilpin -	ditto	ditto - - -			
Sep. 15	- - -	Sukey - - -	ditto	Purchase - - -			
Oct. 10	Joasin - - -	- - -	ditto	Marianne Paulet			
- - -	- - -	Harriet - - -	ditto	Mary Campbell			
- 15	John Bradshaw	- - -	mulatto	Purchase - - -			
Nov. 8	David - - -	- - -	ditto	Eve Lumsden -	£. 100 currency	Act of Legislature	Public Treasury
- - -	- - -	Mary M <sup>c</sup> Donald	ditto	ditto - - -	Recorded 14 March 1821.		
1815 :							
Apr. 12	Sam - - -	- - -	black	Primy Reed's will			
May 15	- - -	Mary Ross - -	mulatto	Penny Ross -	£. 100 currency	Act of Legislature	- - ditto.
Sept. 30	- - -	Ann - - -	black	Tho <sup>s</sup> Blake's will			
Nov. 2	- - -	Ruch Steel - -	ditto	W <sup>m</sup> Lang - - -	£. 100 currency	- - ditto - -	- - ditto.
1816 :							
May 11	- - -	Susan <sup>h</sup> Brown -	mulatto	Ja <sup>s</sup> Greaves -	Recorded 31 May 1821.		
- - -	- - -	Fra <sup>r</sup> Hackett -	ditto	John Carew -	£. 100 currency	Act of Legislature	- - ditto.
July 30	- - -	Lydia - - -	black	J. Nisbett's will	£. 100 currency	- - ditto - -	- - ditto.

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1817:							
May 10	- - -	Tannah - -	black -	Bristol Robertson	These Manumissions were, by inadvertence, recorded without certificate of the £.100 having been paid into the Treasury, and they have been considered invalid, but the party manumitting have executed new Manumissions, which in consequence of the repeal of the law are valid, without payment of any sum of money.	Act of Legislature	Public Treasurer.
- - -	John - -	Mary - -	ditto -	ditto - - -			
- - -	Robert - -	Nancy - -	ditto -	ditto - - -			
- - -	- - -	Eliza - -	mulatto	Pr Richardson	£. 100 currency	Recorded the 24th March 1821	
July 19	Theophilus -	- - -	black -	Tho <sup>s</sup> C. Bruce			
Nov. 3	- - -	Ann - -	mulatto	Fra <sup>s</sup> Archer's will.			
1818:							
Aug. 29	- - -	Betsy Tait - -	ditto -	Cha <sup>s</sup> Wightman	Recorded the 21st May 1821.		
1819:							
Mar. 1	- - -	Flora Robertson	ditto -	W <sup>m</sup> Irvine - -	£.100 currency	Act of Legislature	- - ditto.
- 15	- - -	Jeannie - -	black -	Ja <sup>s</sup> Harris's will			
Apr. 2	Samuel - -	- - -	mulatto	S <sup>t</sup> Barrow's will			
May 11	- - -	Martha - -	black -	John Glover -	£. 100 currency	- - ditto - -	- - ditto.
Oct. 19	- - -	Jeannie - -	ditto -	John Thompson			
Nov. 16	Quashy - -	- - -	ditto -	Ann Fullerton -	Recorded the 6th of July 1821.		
1820:							
Jan. 29	J. E. Bruce -	- - -	ditto -	Betty Bruce - - -	ditto -	28th February 1821.	
June 4	- - -	Bella Rudder -	mulatto	Tho <sup>s</sup> Laidlaw's will.			
Aug. 25	John Lyall -	- - -	mistee -	John Robley -	Recorded the 16th February 1821.	Act of Legislature	- - ditto.
- - -	- - -	Fanny Plannel	black -	Madalaine Plannel			
1821:							
Feb. 20	John & Henry	- - -	mulatto	Alexander Robertson.			
Mar. 19	- - -	Mary Rankin -	black -	Amy Souvice -			
June 11	John - -	- - -	ditto -	Polly Lindsay -			
- 25	- - -	Sophia - -	ditto -	T. Wilson - -			
July 15	- - -	Diana - -	ditto -	John Grimshaw			
- - -	George - -	Elizabeth - -	mulatto	ditto - - -			
- - -	John - -	- - -	ditto -	ditto - - -			
- 23	- - -	Mary - -	ditto -	Ja <sup>s</sup> Grimshaw			
- - -	Alexander	Rebecca - -	mistee -	ditto - - -			
Aug. 7	Thomas - -	- - -	ditto -	S. D. Ellam -			
- 11	William - -	- - -	mulatto	W. M. Alleyne			
- - -	- - -	Bella - -	black -	Arch <sup>d</sup> Sinclair -			
- 30	John - -	- - -	ditto -	Hen <sup>y</sup> Gordon -			
- - -	- - -	Sarah - -	mulatto	Jos. White -			
Sept. 3	- - -	Harriet - -	black -	John Glanville			
- - -	James - -	Victoire - -	ditto -	Eliz <sup>h</sup> Robertson			
- 18	- - -	Mary Louise -	ditto -	Madelaine Plannel			

Certified by  
(signed) Samuel Cox,  
Act<sup>s</sup> Dep<sup>y</sup> Reg<sup>r</sup> of Tobago.

TOBAGO, } (N<sup>o</sup> 3.)—RETURN of the Number of Marriages legally Solemnized  
29th January 1822. } between Free Black and Coloured People in the Island of Tobago,  
since the 1st of January 1808, distinguishing each year. There is no Record of  
Marriages among Slaves.

- 1812.—John Eastmand, free coloured - - - to - - Mary Hunter, free coloured.
- 1813.—Henry Bates, - ditto. - - - to - - Catharine Gordon, ditto.
- 1815.—William Clark, - ditto. - - - to - - Betsey Coker, - ditto.
- William Allers, - ditto. - - - to - - Catharine Balfour ditto.
- Charles Philip Menitt, ditto - - - to - - Elizabeth Brown ditto.
- 1818.—John Piggott, - ditto - - - to - - Catharine M<sup>c</sup>Lachlane, ditto.
- 1820.—John Hudson, free black - - - to - - Amelia Smith, free black.
- 1821.—Charles Craig, free colour - - - to - - Jane Miller, free colour.
- Joseph Nysus, free black - - - to - - Mary Lack, - ditto.

I certify that the above is a correct copy from the Register of Marriages kept in the  
Island of Tobago.  
29th January 1822.

(signed) Philip Wilson,  
Off. Min.

—(N<sup>o</sup> 4.)—

Sir,

Tobago, 3d of November 1821.

Agreeably to your Excellency's order of the 31st ultimo, I have the honour to inform your Excellency that I can find no record of any commitment from the 1st of January 1808 to the 16th of June 1819, when I was appointed by your Excellency as Deputy Provost Marshal; and certainly from that period to the present date no persons have been committed to the Jail or Workhouse of this Island.

To His Excellency  
Sir F. P. Robinson, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &c.  
(signed) *I. M. Collier,*  
D<sup>r</sup> P. Marshal.

(N<sup>o</sup> 5.)—A RETURN of the Slaves escheated to the Crown, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each Year, and the Males from the Females, and stating the manner in which they have been disposed of.

Date.	Slaves Escheated:		How disposed of.	To whom Sold.	Amount of Sale.
	Male.	Female.			
	Robin - -	- - - -	Sold - -	Samuel Hall -	£. Currency. 140 - -
	George - -	- - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	William Lang -	270 - -
	Peter - -	- - - -	D <sup>o</sup> - - -	Samuel D. Ellam	260 - -
					670 - -
				Expenses -	421 13 10
				Paid to his Excellency the Governor - £.	248 6 2 Currency.

Tobago.

Certified by  
(signed) *Samuel Cox,*  
Act<sup>s</sup> Dep<sup>r</sup> Reg<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 6.)

Dear Sir,

Scarbro', the 10th of Nov. 1821.

I WILL attend immediately to your request by making out the Returns from the treasury books as correctly as possible. It must, however, be very defective, as I have nothing to guide me in ascertaining the white population but the Returns under the Deficiency Bill, which you know only applies to estates, and therefore the Returns cannot embrace the white people in towns, or the tradesmen, who do not reside on plantations; and with respect to the coloured and free black people, if they do not possess a slave or a house that is taxable, I have no means in the office of knowing who they are, and I need hardly observe to your Excellency that there are *many* of both sexes who do not come within my record. I beg leave to assure you that the subject shall have my best attention.

To his Excellency  
Sir F. P. Robinson, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &c.  
(signed) *Wm. Brasnell,*  
Public Treasurer.

Sir,

Treasurer's Office, Tobago, 21st November 1821.

According to your Excellency's desire, I have now the honour to enclose you the most correct Return I am able to make from the records of this office, of the population of this Island, from the year 1815 to the year 1821.

To his Excellency  
Sir F. P. Robinson, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &c.  
(signed) *Wm. Brasnell,*  
Public Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office, } RETURN of the White, free Coloured, and Black Population of the  
 TOBAGO. } Island of Tobago, who have been paying Taxes, as given in upon  
 Oath at this Office, from the year 1815 to the year 1821, both inclusive.

YEAR:	Number of White Persons.	Number of Coloured Persons.	Number of Black Persons.	Remarks.
1815 - - -	282	48	14	The deficiency Bill was not in force this year.
1816 - - -	290	43	12	
1817 - - -	281	43	12	
1818 - - -	349	95	20	
1819 - - -	85	139	27	
1820 - - -	349	139	29	
1821 - - -	324	127	29	

Tobago, the 21st November 1821.

I hereby certify and declare that the above Account contains a just and true Return of the white, free black, and coloured persons, residing in this Island from the year 1815 to the year 1821, both inclusive, as given in to the Treasurer's office; previous to which period the records of that office do not show the Returns made. This Return only embraces such parts of the population as it became requisite to return under the Deficiency Bill, (persons employed upon estates,) and those who possessed property that was liable to pay fines.

I have no means in the Treasurer's Office of ascertaining the number of inhabitants who did not pay taxes during that time, although I know they were considerable.

(signed) *Wm Brasnell,*  
 Public Treasurer of Tobago.

Treasurer's Office, } (N<sup>o</sup> 7.)—RETURN of the Slave Population of the Island of Tobago,  
 TOBAGO. } from the year 1812 to the year 1821, as given in at this Office on  
 the 1st of January in each year, both inclusive.

YEAR:	N <sup>o</sup> of Slaves attached to Estates.	N <sup>o</sup> of Slaves unattached.	Total number of Slaves.	Remarks.
1812 - - -	- - -	- - -	16,410	The books of the office only show the total number of slaves for these two years.
1813 - - -	- - -	- - -	16,080	
1814 - - -	14,531	1,408	15,939	Those persons possessing three slaves, or a less number, unattached, were exempted from Taxation this year.
1815 - - -	14,430	1,646	16,076	
1816 - - -	14,379	1,440	15,819	
1817 - - -	14,373	1,243	15,616	
1818 - - -	14,052	1,409	15,461	
1819 - - -	13,795	1,530	15,325	
1820 - - -	13,282	1,560	14,842	
1821 - - -	13,100	1,495	14,595	

Tobago, 22d November 1821.

I do hereby certify that the above is a just and true Return of the Slave Population from the year 1812 to the year 1821, both inclusive, according to the Returns made to the Treasurer's Office upon the 1st of January in each year. The taxes assessed upon the above population being a general poll-tax, the Returns only state the total number in the possession of each person, which renders it impossible for me to make this Return descriptive of either age or sex.

I do also certify, that I have no means whatever, from the Records of the said office, of making a correct return of either the white or coloured inhabitants during the said period.

(signed) *Wm Brasnell,*  
 Public Treasurer of Tobago.

(N° 8.)—LETTER enclosing Returns of all Slaves levied upon and sold under Execution for Debt.

Sir,

Tobago, 3d November 1821.

AGREEABLY to your Excellency's order of the 31st ultimo, I have the honour to enclose to your Excellency an annual Return of all Slaves levied upon and sold under Execution for Debt, for the years 1818, 1819, 1820, and 1821.

To his Excellency  
Sir F. P. Robinson, K. C. B.  
&c. &c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) J. M. Collier,  
Dep. P. Marshal.

Marshal's Office, } RETURNS of all Slaves levied upon and sold under Execution  
TOBAGO. } for Debt, in the Years 1818, 1819, 1820 and 1821.

Date of Sale.	Owner's Name against whom Execution issued.	Name of Slaves sold.	Purchaser.
1818:			
April 14 - -	J. Buchanan, sen. - -	Bristol - - -	J. Buchanan, jun.
- - - -	- Ditto - - -	John Lewis - -	Lewis Julian.
- 27 - -	- Ditto - - -	Petrie - - -	Jean Souvier.
- - - -	- Ditto - - -	Toney - - -	Samuel Hall.
1819:			
April 19 - -	James McNiel - -	Curry - - -	Samuel Hall.
- - - -	Alexander Scott - -	Smart - - -	W. S. Wilson.
- 26 - -	- Ditto - - -	Joe - - -	George Davis.
June 28 - -	Alexander Paul - -	Robert - - -	Samuel Hall.
- - - -	- Ditto - - -	George - - -	- Ditto.
1820:			
May 1 - -	James Grieve - -	Davie - - -	J. Sonerall.
- 22 - -	John Onn - - -	Cherrie - - -	J. and Jane Lot.
1821:			
May 29 - -	Caldw. Irvine - -	John - - -	Ker and Reasnoll.
Aug. 13 - -	C. Cleghorn - -	Allick - - -	D. Cleghorn.
- 30 - -	Rebecca Laffoon - -	Lizette - - -	V. Lindsay.

The above is a correct Copy from the Execution Sales Book in the Marshal's Office of this Island.

(signed) J. M. Collier, Dep. P. Marshal.

N° 8.—DEMERARA.

Copy of a Letter from Lieutenant-Governor Murray to the Earl Bathurst; dated Demerara, the 6th February 1822:—Enclosing 15 Returns.

My Lord,

Demerara, 6th February 1822.

IN obedience to your Lordship's command, I have the honour to transmit certain Returns (which are as accurate as I could obtain them) required for the purpose of being laid before the House of Commons.

Your Lordship will perceive a considerable gradually-operating reduction in the sums required to be deposited by those who apply for the manumission of slaves. Freedom is often given gratis, or for small deposits, when the reward of distinguished merit, or obtained by parties who have lived in reputed freedom, with fair characters. Large sums are sometimes imposed after mature deliberation upon the situation of the slave; the circumstances of those who apply in their behalf, and, not unfrequently, their irregular connection with them. These sums are thrown into the poors fund, upon which they have an indisputable claim, when circumstances compel them to seek assistance. This fund is swelled from other powerful sources, and when these prove insufficient the deficiency is made up from the public purse.

I regret my inability to procure any Return of Population, Females or Children, Whites, or free Coloured, for the periods required. I have the honour to be, &c.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) JOHN MURRAY.

PORT OF DEMARARA.—(N° 1).—RETURN of all Slaves Imported into this Colony under Licenses, between the 1st January 1805 and the 15th September 1821.

YEAR:	From whence.	Number of		YEAR:	From whence.	Number of		
		Males.	Females.			Males.	Females.	
1808	Barbadoes	- - - 1,372	} (a)	1817	Berbice	199	134	
	St. Vincent	- - - 51				Barbadoes	34	19
1809	Martinique	- - - 10				St. Vincent	79	38
(a) Their sex not distinguished in Book of Entry and Licenses.					Dominica	164	167	
1810	Trinidad	6			Trinidad	3		
	Martinique	4	11		Grenada	12	3	
		10	11	1818	Berbice	167	111	
1811	Dominica	50	66		St. Vincent	23	23	
1812	Tortola	9	3		Dominica	60	54	
	Berbice	8	2		St. Christopher	13	22	
		17	5			263	210	
1813	Berbice	27	23	1819	Berbice	552	288	
1814	Barbadoes	5	4		Dominica	266	338	
	Berbice	16	7		Bahamas	136	245	
		21	11			954	871	
1815	Berbice	359	219	1820	Bahamas	98	113	
	Barbadoes	27	17		Berbice	173	137	
	St. Vincent	35	23		Dominica	47	28	
		421	259			318	278	
1816	Berbice	623	426	1821 to } the 15th } Sept. }	Dominica	1	2	
	Barbadoes	23	42		Berbice	229	173	
	Surinam	12	11		Bahamas	49	52	
	Grenada	1	1			279	227	
	Antigua	3	7					
	St. Vincent	10	10		Total	3,523	2,819	
		672	497					
						Add importations in the } 6,342 years 1808 and 1809 } 1,433 Aggregate 7,775		

(signed) Alex<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Forbes, Act<sup>s</sup> Collr.  
(signed) P. Staple, Compt<sup>r</sup>.

DEMERARA :—Return of all Slaves Exported from this Colony under Licenses, between the 1st of January 1808 and the 15th September 1821.

YEAR:	Place cleared for	Number of	
		Males.	Females.
1808	Nil.		
1809	Trinidad	24	15
1810	Barbadoes	16	5
1811	Nil.		
1812	Nil.		
1813	Nil.		
1814	Nil.		
1815	Nil.		
1816	Trinidad	3	3
1817	Nil.		
1818	Berbice	19	19
1819	D°	28	27
1820	D°	20	13
1821 to 15 Sept	D°	8	4
	Total	118	86

Port of DEMERARA :—Return of all Slaves Escheated to the Crown between the 1st of January 1808 and the 15th of September 1821, and the manner in which they have been disposed of.

When seized.	Names.	Sex.		How disposed of.
		Male.	Female.	
YEAR:				
1817	Francisco Roderigues Manvella	2	1	- - Died. - - Apprenticed.
1818	Bull, Mosés, Bernard	3		- - Bull and Moses appren- - - Bernard set at liberty. - - ticed.
1819	Francois Petit Jenny Sam	1 1 1	1	- - Set at liberty. - - Apprenticed.
1820	Bob, alias Eliazer Castillo Jemmy, alias Morris	1 1 1		- - Bob apprenticed. - - Castillo set at liberty. - - Jemmy not yet condemned.
1821	Louisa, Dick Richard, Dick, alias Robert, Mary, Jerome, John, Ben and Charles	6	2	- - Not yet adjudicated.
	Total	17	4	

(signed) Alex<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Forbes, Assist. Coll<sup>r</sup>.

(signed) P. Staple, Comp<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)—RETURN of all Manumissions effected by Purchase, Bequest, or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808.

COLOUR.	NAMES OF SLAVES MANUMITTED.	SEX :		Total.	DATE of Letter of Manumission.	SUM paid to the POORS FUND.
		Males.	Fe- males.			
	1808 :				1808 :	
Negro woman -	Rosina - - - - -	-	1	1	30 July -	- - - - - 800
Mulatto man -	Andrew - - - - -	1	-	1	23 Aug. -	- - - - - 250
Negro woman -	Roosje - - - - -	-	1	1	25 - - -	granted under security.
Mulatto woman -	Eliza, and Frances, child - - -	1	1	2	31 Oct. -	- - - - - 800
Negro woman -	Phillis, and her mulatto child, Francis David - - - - -	1	1	2	10 Dec. -	- - - - - 500
		3	4	7		
	1809 :				1809 :	
Negro woman -	Susanna - - - - -	-	1	1	27 Feb. -	granted under security.
Mulatto woman -	Elizabeth - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	- - - - - 1,000
Negro woman -	Francina - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	- - - - - 800
Mulatto woman -	Lucia - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	- - - - - 440
Negro woman -	Moretta - - - - -	-	1	1	25 March -	granted under security.
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Flora - - - - -	-	1	1	8 June -	- - - - - 600
Mulatto woman -	Betsy Kasey - - - - -	-	1	1	13 - - -	- - - - - 500
Negro woman -	Sally - - - - -	-	1	1	28 Aug. -	granted under security.
Mulatto woman -	Kitty, and negro woman Betsey - - -	-	2	2	- - - - -	- - - - - 1,000
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Mely - - - - -	-	1	1	3 Oct. -	granted under security.
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Sarah - - - - -	-	1	1	22 Nov. -	- - - - - 800
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Patience - - - - -	-	1	1	24 - - -	- - - - - 700
		-	13	13		
	1810 :				1810 :	
Negro woman -	Jubah - - - - -	-	1	1	31 Jan. -	- - - - - 250
Mulatto woman -	Hannah - - - - -	-	1	1	21 Feb. -	- - - - - 250
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Charlotte, and her son, Francois Louis Joseph - - - - -	1	1	2	28 Aug. -	- - - - - 1,500
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Mary Ostrehan, and her two children, Susan and John - - - - -	1	2	3	23 - - -	- - - - - 300
		2	5	7		
	1811 :				1811 :	
Negro woman -	Tina, and her mulatto child, Mary Ann - - - - -	-	2	2	6 May -	- - - - - 250
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Phillis, and three mulatto children, Sally, Thomas and Mary - - - - -	1	3	4	- - - - -	- - - - - 1,000
Negro children -	Betsy and Celicia - - - - -	-	2	2	- - - - -	granted free of expense.
Negro woman -	Dolly - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	- - - - - 300
Negro man -	P. M'Clure - - - - -	1	-	1	22 - - -	- - - - - 250
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Edward Pooler - - - - -	1	-	1	8 June -	- - - - - 500
Mustees - -	John and Nathan - - - - -	2	-	2	22 July -	- - - - - 2,000
Mulattoes -	Mary Ann and Ben - - - - -	1	1	2	14 Oct. -	- - - - - 500
		6	9	15		
	1812 :				1812 :	
Mulatto woman -	Harriet, and her children, James and Mary - - - - -	1	2	3	6 March -	- - - - - 800
Negro woman -	Diana, and mulatto child, Louisa - - - - -	-	2	2	9 - - -	- - - - - 1,100
Mulatto man -	John Allyne - - - - -	1	-	1	- - - - -	- - - - - 250
Negro woman -	Ann, and four mulatto children, Mary Ann, Francis, John Thomas, and Jane - - - - -	2	3	5	- - - - -	- - - - - 500
Mulatto woman -	Molly, and her three children, Betsey, Richard and Jane - - - - -	1	3	4	26 - - -	- - - - - 500
Mulattoes -	Margaret, James and John - - - - -	2	1	3	- - - - -	- - - - - 500
D <sup>o</sup> - - - -	Frank and Sally - - - - -	1	1	2	11 June -	- - - - - 250
Negro woman -	Octavia - - - - -	-	1	1	30 - - -	- - - - - 500
Mulatto woman -	Charlotte Brown - - - - -	-	1	1	2 Sept. -	- - - - - 250
Negro woman -	Marinetta, and two children - - - - -	-	3	3	16 - - -	granted under security.
		8	17	25		



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		Males.	Fe- males.			
	1813:				1813:	
Negro woman -	Pamela - - - - -	-	1	1	9 Jan. - - - - -	250
Mulatto woman	Jenny, and child Polly - - -	-	2	2	4 Feb. - - - - -	500
Negro woman -	Kitty, and mulatto child Eliza - -	-	2	2	5 - - - - -	500
Indian d° -	Julian and child - - - - -	-	2	2	5 June - - - - -	500
D° - - - -	Susanna, and three children, Jeanna, John and Nancy - - -	1	3	4	- - - - -	-
Negro woman -	Josie - - - - -	-	1	1	8 - - - - -	250
D° - - - -	Minerva - - - - -	-	1	1	12 July - - - - -	250
Mulattoes -	Edward, John and Maria - - -	1	1	2	28 - - - - -	750
Negro man -	Ely - - - - -	1	-	1	23 Aug. - - - - -	250
Negro woman -	Nancy, and four children, Aletta, Maria, Henrietta and William -	1	4	5	5 Oct. - - - - -	2,000
D° - - - -	Jacoba, and her son, John - - -	1	1	2	- - - - -	375
Mulatto woman	Bella Thompson - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	300
Mulattoes -	Mark, Louis Linean, Henry, Alex- ander, Pauline, Emelie, and Mary Amerilles - - - - -	2	2	4	14 - - - - -	500
Negro woman -	Constantia, and two mulatto chil- dren, Abraham Phillipus and Jacoba Johanna - - - - -	1	2	3	- - - - -	3,000
D° - - - -	Lemon - - - - -	-	1	1	9 Nov. - - - - -	1,000
		8	24	32		
	1814:				1814:	
Mustee - -	Polly Hunter, and her son, Joannis	1	1	2	14 Feb. - - - - -	650
Mulatto woman	Maria Francois Feuillet - - -	-	1	1	28 - - - - -	250
D° - - - -	Harriet, and children, Mary and John - - - - -	1	2	3	4 March - - - - -	250
Mustee girl -	Sucky - - - - -	-	1	1	6 May - - - - -	500
D° woman -	Kenny, and her daughter Mitjie -	-	2	2	25 - - - - -	600
Negro woman -	Fanny - - - - -	-	1	1	18 June - - - - -	250
D° - - - -	Margaritta, and two children, Eli- zabeth and Nanny - - - - -	-	3	3	- - - - -	500
D° - - - -	Arriantje, and three mulatto chil- dren, Simon, Agnes & Elizabeth	1	3	4	14 July - - - - -	500
D° - - - -	Africa - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	700
D° - - - -	Diana King - - - - -	-	1	1	20 July - - - - -	250
D° - - - -	Meinky, and mulatto child Anna -	-	2	2	20 Aug. - - - - -	500
Mulatto woman	Anna Margaretta - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	250
Negro woman -	Francina - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-
D° - - - -	Susanna Parish - - - - -	-	1	1	14 Nov. - - - - -	500
Mustee girl -	Catootje - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	250
Negro woman -	Nancy, and three mulatto children, Peggy, Catherine and Jenny -	-	4	4	15 - - - - -	-
Mulatto boy -	Peter Capelof - - - - -	1	-	1	7 Dec. - - - - -	granted under security.
Negro woman -	Violet - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	D°.
		4	27	31		
	1815:				1815:	
Negro woman -	Sally, and one mulatto child, Jan Cornelius - - - - -	1	1	2	15 Feb. - - - - -	1,000
Mulatto woman	Harriet - - - - -	-	1	1	21 - - - - -	-
Mulatto girl -	Susy, Louisa, Mary and Charlotte Henrietta Ann - - - - -	-	4	4	- - - - -	1,000
Negro woman -	Nancy, and her daughter, Ann Maria	-	1	1	- - - - -	300
D° - - - -	Christina, and mulatto children, Nathan and Elizabeth - - - - -	1	2	3	23 - - - - -	150
D° - - - -	Mimba, and five children, Richard Kitty, Betsy, Ann and Sally -	1	5	6	14 March - - - - -	-
Mulattoes -	Jane, William and Judith - - -	1	2	3	3 April - - - - -	750
Negro man -	Tom - - - - -	1	-	1	1 May - - - - -	granted, free of all expenses, by president of the court of policy.
Mulatto girl -	Harriet - - - - -	-	1	1	3 - - - - -	500
D° - - - -	Fredericka Overweersel - - -	-	1	1	6 - - - - -	250
D° - - - -	Adriane Jacoba Maria de Wit -	-	1	1	17 - - - - -	600
Mustee - -	Hardiane - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	250
Negro woman -	Lumia, and her mulatto son, John Cornelius - - - - -	1	1	2	18 - - - - -	500
Coloured woman	Pomilla Howell, and mulatto child Rebecca - - - - -	-	2	2	30 - - - - -	250
Negro woman -	Bell, and her mulatto son, Solomon	1	1	2	19 July - - - - -	500

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		Male.	Fe- male.			
1815—continued.						
Negro woman -	Petronella Wallcott - - -	-	1	1	19 July -	- - - - 300
Mulatto boy -	John Spooner - - - -	1	-	1	24 Aug. -	- - - - 250
Mustee girl -	Maria Verhagen - - - -	-	1	1	28 - - -	- - - - 250
Mulatto man -	Thomas Gaskin - - - -	1	-	1	4 Nov. -	- - - - 250
Negro man -	Demerara - - - -	1	-	1	- - - -	- - - - 350
Negro woman -	Ann Wishart - - - -	-	1	1	8 - - -	- - - - 250
Coloured woman	Jenny Bella - - - -	-	1	1	24 - - -	- - - -
Mulatto woman	Mary Campbell, and two mustee children, Rodine and James	2	1	3	30 - - -	- - - - 750
D° - - -	Augusta Campbell - - - -	-	1	1	- - - -	- - - - 250
Mulattoes -	Eliza and Nancy - - - -	-	2	2	- - - -	- - - - 1,000
Mulatto woman	Pamela, and mustee daughter, Jennet - - - -	-	2	2	2 Dec. -	- - - - 1,000
Negro woman -	Dutchess, and her six children, Joanna, Cornelia, Jan, Salomon, Samuel and Hermanus - - -	4	3	7	6 - - -	- - - - 500
D° - - -	Cumba, and her son, Philip	1	1	2	6 - - -	- - - - 1,000
Mulatto woman	Diana, and children, Aron, Robert Joseph and Mintje - - -	3	2	5	8 - - -	- - - - 200
		20	42	62		
1816:						
Mulattoes -	Sarah and Isaac - - - -	1	1	2	19 Feb. -	Granted free of expense.
Mulatto woman	Patience - - - -	-	1	1	27 - - -	- - - - 700
Negro woman -	Juba, and her mulatto children, Esther, Betsey, John, James, William and Edward - - -	4	3	7	28 - - -	- - - - 750
Mulatto man -	William Webb - - - -	1	-	1	17 April	- - - - 250
Negro woman -	Margeritta - - - -	-	1	1	1 May -	- - - - 500
Mulatto woman	Polly Sketch - - - -	-	1	1	4 - - -	- - - - 600
D° - - -	Mary - - - -	-	1	1	- - - -	- - - - 350
Negro woman -	Kate Munro - - - -	-	1	1	17 - - -	- - - - 250
D° - - -	Jenny Miniba - - - -	-	1	1	20 - - -	- - - - 250
Maylean woman	Diana - - - -	-	1	1	22 - - -	- - - - 350
Negro woman -	Sally, and her mulatto daughter, Eliza - - - -	-	2	2	20 June -	- - - - 1,500
Mulatto woman	Catherine Luthers, and her four children, Maria Wilhelmina, Lumia, Catherine, Gertrude, and William Henry - - -	1	4	5	26 - - -	- - - - 850
Negro woman -	Coletta - - - -	-	1	1	1 July -	- - - - 600
D° - - -	Affiba, and four children, John, Fanny, Francois, and Mary -	2	3	5	9 Aug. -	- - - - 500
Mulatto boys -	Andrew and William - - -	2	-	2	15 - - -	- - - - 600
Mulatto child -	Catherine Bavigheims - - -	-	1	1	20 - - -	Granted free of expense.
Mulatto woman	Sally Ann Jeffers, and two chil- dren, Robert and Thomas -	2	1	3	21 Sept. -	- - - - 750
Negro woman -	Madelina - - - -	-	1	1	29 Oct. -	- - - - 1,000
Negro woman -	Venus Bowman, and three mulatto children, James, Mary and Ann	1	3	4	12 Nov. -	- - - - 500
Mulatto woman	Rebecca, and her child, Eliza -	-	2	2	13 - - -	- - - - 1,000
Negro woman -	Taffia - - - -	-	1	1	16 - - -	- - - - 500
Mulatto woman	Rebecca, and son, Henry - - -	1	1	2	30 - - -	- - - - 1,000
		15	31	46		
1817:						
Negro man -	David Beekman - - - -	1	-	1	16 Jan. -	- - - - 750
Negro woman -	Bet, and child, Elizabeth - -	-	2	2	18 - - -	- - - - 1,000
Mulatto woman	Mary Jane Squire, and children, Anna, Elizabeth, Mary, and William Squire - - - -	1	4	5	12 Feb. -	- - - - 1,600
Negroes - - -	John and Betsy Paris - - - -	1	1	2	17 - - -	- - - - 500
Mulatto woman	Susanna Chase - - - -	-	1	1	- - - -	- - - - 250
Negro woman -	Africa, and two children, Angel and William - - - -	1	2	3	- - - -	- - - - 1,000
D° - - -	Jenny, and three mulatto children, John, William, and Eliza -	2	2	4	11 March	- - - - 1,600
Negro man -	Cornellis William - - - -	1	-	1	12 May -	- - - - 600
Mustee girl -	Hendrika Jagersman - - - -	-	1	1	15 - - -	- - - - 300
Mulatto boy -	Richard - - - -	1	-	1	17 July -	Granted under security.
Mulatto woman	Petronella, and child, Aletta, and sister Joana - - - -	-	3	3	11 Aug. -	- - - - 1,500

(continued)

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		Male.	Fe- male.							
	1817— <i>continued.</i>				1817:					
Coloured woman	Terry, and three mulatto children, Kitty Ann, Richard and Thomas	2	2	4	15 Nov. -	-	-	-	-	2,000
Negro woman -	Punchenella - - - - -	-	1	1	19 - - -	-	-	-	-	500
D° - - -	Aminia, and her daughter, Miranda (a mulatto) - - - - -	-	2	2	21 - - -	-	-	-	-	1,500
		10	21	31						
	1818:				1818					
Mulatto woman	Sophia - - - - -	-	1	1	26 Jan. -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Jenny Gaskin - - - - -	-	1	1	9 Feb. -	-	-	-	-	500
D° - - -	Present, and her mulatto children, Eliza, Jane and Mary - - - - -	-	4	4	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	2,200
D° - - -	Mary - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Coloured girl	Ann - - - - -	-	1	1	20 - - -	-	-	-	-	1,000
Coloured boy -	Luke - - - - -	1	-	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	750
Negro woman -	Rosalia - - - - -	-	1	1	26 March	-	-	-	-	350
D° - - -	Francina - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto woman	Mary Ann, and her four children, John, William, Betsy and Mary.	2	3	5	21 April	-	-	-	-	1,500
Negro woman -	Minnie - - - - -	-	1	1	11 June -	-	-	-	-	250
D° - - -	Nancy Milburn - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	250
D° - - -	Ellen Croming - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto woman	Mary Gerdes, and two children, Maria Elizabeth and Anna Cor- nelia Charlotte - - - - -	-	3	3	12 - - -	-	-	-	-	
Negro woman -	Kitty - - - - -	-	1	1	8 Aug. -	-	-	-	-	1,000
Mulatto man -	John Gibbs - - - - -	1	-	1	13 Sept. -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Jenny, and her mulatto children, Betsy and Susannah.	-	3	3	29 - - -	-	-	-	-	750
	Maria Florentine Wallis, and five children, Elizabeth, Jennet, Maria, Christina, and John Joseph - - - - -	1	5	6	19 Oct. -	-	-	-	-	2,500
D° - - -	Johanna, and her child James - - - - -	1	1	2	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	800
Negro man -	Damon - - - - -	1	-	1	4 Nov. -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Ankey, and her three mulatto chil- dren, William, Elizabeth and Hugh - - - - -	2	2	4	16 - - -	-	-	-	-	2,000
Mulatto woman	Kitty - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	1,000
Negro woman -	Fanny - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	250
		9	33	42						
	1819:				1819:					
Negro woman -	Sally - - - - -	-	1	1	8 Feb. -	-	-	-	-	500
D° - - -	Bella, and her mulatto children, George, Gerard, Eve and Eli- zabeth - - - - -	2	3	5	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	1,800
D° - - -	Wilhelmintie, and her four mu- latto children, Jacob, Arnaartje, Wyert, and Affey - - - - -	2	3	5	26 April	-	-	-	-	1,250
Coloured woman	Lena - - - - -	-	1	1	17 May -	-	-	-	-	500
Negro woman -	Elizabeth Niel, and three mulatto children, Hanna, Jenny and Kate - - - - -	-	4	4	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	2,000
Mulatto woman	Kitty Gillaw, and her child, Maria Rosina - - - - -	-	2	2	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	750
Negro woman -	Ariantie, and her four children, Hendricks, Rosie, Hanna and Louisa - - - - -	1	4	5	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	1,250
Negro girl -	Molly - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Betty - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	600
Negro boys -	Edward and Peter Paris - - - - -	2	-	2	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Elbba, commonly called Alnba, and daughter, Jane - - - - -	-	2	2	3 June -	-	-	-	-	250
D° - - -	Quashiba - - - - -	-	1	1	- - - - -	-	-	-	-	300
Coloured woman	Flora, and her children, Wilhel- mina, Antoinette and Carol Frederick - - - - -	1	2	3	27 July -	-	-	-	-	2,000
Mulattoes -	Charlotte, Frederick and Anto- nette - - - - -	1	2	3	12 Aug. -	-	-	-	-	600
Coloured woman	Lucretia - - - - -	-	1	1	14 - - -	-	-	-	-	1,000

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		Male.	Fe- male.							
<b>1819—continued.</b>										
Negro women	Pink, Dorcas and Sue	-	2	2	1 Nov.	-	-	-	-	1,000
Negro woman	Mary Ann	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	250
Negro man	George Crafts	1	-	1	13	-	-	-	-	550
		10	31	41						
<b>1820:</b>										
Negro girl	Maria	-	1	1	9 March	gratis.				
Mulatto woman	Frans. Hotesmaker	1	-	1	20 May	prodeo.				
Negro woman	Elizabeth	-	1	1	2 June	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto woman	Beatje	-	1	1	25 July	-	-	-	-	250
Negro man	Fanny Hostie, and three mustee children, Ellena, Charles, and Jennett	1	3	4	8 Sept.	-	-	-	-	500
Negro woman	Titus	1	-	1	27 Nov.	-	-	-	-	1,000
D <sup>o</sup>	Affiba	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	300
D <sup>o</sup>	Betsy, and her mulatto children, John and Eliza	1	2	3	20 Dec.	-	-	-	-	1,500
		4	9	13						
<b>1821:</b>										
Mulatto woman	Nancy Parson, and two mustee children, William and Susanna	1	2	3	12 Jan.	-	-	-	-	500
D <sup>o</sup>	Nancy Griffin, and her mulatto daughter, Betsy Ann, and mulattoes Mary and Susanna	-	4	4	30	-	-	-	-	1,000
Negro man	Dublin	1	-	1	21 Feb.	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman	Roseletti	-	1	1	24 March	-	-	-	-	250
Negro girl	Dorothea	-	1	1	27	-	-	-	-	300
Negro man	David Steer	1	-	1	26 April	-	-	-	-	500
D <sup>o</sup>	Daniel	1	-	1	24 May	gratis.				
Negro woman	Lisette	-	1	1	22 Aug.	-	-	-	-	250
Negro Boy	Damon	1	-	1	28	-	-	-	-	500
Coloured Boy	James Nunes	1	-	1	18 Oct.	-	-	-	-	250
Mustee woman	Nancy Mac Cleland, and mustee children, Sarah, John, and Elizabeth	1	3	4	31	-	-	-	-	1,000
		7	12	19						

LETTERS of Manumission granted under Resolution of the Court of Policy, dated 6th and 27th April 1815, to Persons who have lived ten Years and upwards in reputed state of Freedom.

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		Male.	Fe- male.							
<b>1815:</b>										
Mulatto woman	Sarah Wood, and her three mustee children, Lydia, William and Sophia	1	3	4	18 Aug.	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto man	Simon Rogers	1	-	1	19	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman	Dido Clarke	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	250
D <sup>o</sup>	Cornelia Heuke, and her mulatto son, William	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	250
Cabojer	Mary Jane Glenn, and her son, Alexander	1	1	2	8 Sept.	gratis.				
Negro woman	Charlotte Berninclos, and her mulatto daughter, Catharine	-	2	2	22	-	-	-	-	250
Mustee woman	Sally M <sup>r</sup> Vicar, and her castee children, Donald and Charlotte	1	2	3	30	-	-	-	-	-
Mulatto woman	Maria Magdalena Coulong, and her seven children, Simon, William, James, Mary, Margaret, John, and Hugh	5	3	8	14 Nov.	-	-	-	-	250

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		Male.	Fe- male.							
	1815— <i>continued.</i>				1815:					
Negro woman -	Frances Teems, and her six mu- lattochildren, John, Mary, Peter, Louisa, Francois, and Eliza -	3	4	7	23 Nov. -	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto woman	Mary Ann Davis - - - -	-	1	1	24 - - -	-	-	-	-	250
		13	18	31						
	1816:				1816:					
	Biddy Baynes, and three children, Thomas, Michael, and William	3	1	4	16 April -	-	-	-	-	250
Caboejer -	Hester Baynes, and her son, Charles Catharine Browne, and two chil- dren, Sandy and Minerva -	1	2	3	6 May -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Kitty Egeling - - - -	-	1	13	13 May -	-	-	-	-	250
D° - - -	Rachael Hamilton, and five chil- dren, John, Richard, Robert, Thomas, and Mary - - - -	4	2	6	15 - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto woman	Johanna Maria Knoop - - - -	-	1	1	9 Aug. -	-	-	-	-	250
D° - - -	Kitty Ann Colier, and son, Wil- liam Charles Ord - - - -	1	1	2	13 - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto man -	Felix Brotherson, and five chil- dren, Johanna, Tansje, Alfrida, Toney, and Pieter - - - -	1	-	1	28 - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Caboejer -	Jacomina, and five children, Jo- hanna, Tansje, Alfrida, Toney, and Pieter - - - -	1	5	6	- - - -	-	-	-	gratis.	
Mulatto woman	Peggy L'Espinasse, and her daugh- ter, Maria - - - -	-	2	2	29 - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Betty Patience - - - -	-	1	1	20 Nov. -	-	-	-	-	250
		12	17	29						
	1817:				1817:					
Negro woman -	Present, alias Princess Lafont -	-	1	1	9 Jan. -	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto man -	Samuel Nicols - - - -	1	-	1	11 March	-	-	-	-	250
Mulatto woman	Elizabeth Bruce - - - -	-	1	1	20 May -	-	-	-	-	250
D° - - -	Frances Howard, and her children, Telemachus and Eliza - - - -	1	2	3	21 - - -	-	-	-	gratis.	
Negro woman -	Christiane Clerk, and three daugh- ters, Mary, Christiane, and Rachel - - - -	-	4	4	5 Nov. -	-	-	-	-	250
		2	8	10						
	1818:				1818:					
Mulatto woman	Jenny Runnels, and four children, Polly, Eliza, Nappy, and Mina	1	4	5	23 Nov. -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro man -	William Powell - - - -	1	-	1	- - - -	-	-	-	-	250
		2	4	6						
	1819:				1819:					
	Johanna Carrington, and her chil- dren, Richard, Edward, & Martha	2	2	4	17 May -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro man -	Anthony Spooner - - - -	1	-	1	16 Aug. -	-	-	-	-	250
		3	2	5						
	1820:				1820:					
Negro man -	Lindor, and neg. woman, Coletta, and daughter, Mary - - - -	1	2	3	17 Jan. -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Peggy Anderson, and daughter, Henrietta - - - -	-	2	2	26 - - -	-	-	-	-	250
D° - - -	Cleone Gordon - - - -	-	1	1	11 Aug. -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro man -	Morris Cooper - - - -	1	-	1	- - - -	-	-	-	-	250
Negro woman -	Molly Eyles - - - -	-	1	1	- - - -	-	-	-	-	250
D° - - -	Phoebe Manion, and children, Wil- liam, Thomas, Eliza, and Lavinia	2	3	5	- - - -	-	-	-	-	250
		4	9	13						
	1821:				1821:					
Negro woman -	Cornelia Loncke - - - -	-	1	1	18 Sept. -	-	-	-	-	250

RECAPITULATION.

ORDINARY MANUMISSIONS EFFECTED.	SEX :		TOTAL.	EXTRAORDINARY MANUMISSIONS COMPLETED.	SEX :		TOTAL.
	Males.	Fe- males.			Males.	Fe- males.	
In the year 1808	3	4	7	For the year 1815	13	18	31
- 1809	-	13	13	- 1816	12	17	29
- 1810	2	5	7	- 1817	2	8	10
- 1811	6	9	15	- 1818	2	4	6
- 1812	8	17	25	- 1819	3	2	5
- 1813	8	24	32	- 1820	4	9	13
- 1814	4	27	31	- 1821	-	1	1
- 1815	20	42	62				
- 1816	15	31	46		36	59	95
- 1817	10	21	31				
- 1818	9	33	42				
- 1819	10	31	41				
- 1820	4	9	13				
- 1821	7	12	19				
	106	278	384				

We, the undersigned, filling the office of Deputy Colonial Secretary of the colony of Demerara and Essequibo, do hereby certify, that the foregoing Return is faithfully taken from the records of Letters of Manumissions effected between the periods of January 1808, to the 31st of October 1821, remaining in the Colonial Secretary's office of Demerara and Essequibo.

In testimony whereof, We have hereunto subscribed our hands, and affixed our seals of office to these presents, in Original and Duplicate, at the Court House, George Town, Demerara, this 16th day of December 1821.

(signed) Chas Wierad.

(N° 3.)—RETURN of Marriages legally solemnized between Free Coloured and Black Persons, from the Year 1812 to 1821, inclusive.

Years.	Marriages.
1812	11
1813	7
1814	7
1815	6
1816	3
1817	4
1818	2
1819	3
1820	1
1821	-
Total Marriages in ten Years	44

REMARKS:

No entry of marriage appears on the register of St. George's Chapel, previous to 1812, between the classes of persons before mentioned; and there is reason to think that no such marriage was ever solemnized before that date.

The marriages of slaves is a thing unheard of in this colony; and I humbly conceive this holy institution to be altogether incompatible with the state of slavery under existing laws and regulations. The diminution of the number of marriages, according to the rites and ceremonies of the church of England, among an increasing population, which has ever evinced a strong attachment to our forms, is much to be lamented; but can admit of no

amendment while the ministers of the Dutch reformed, and Scotch presbyterian churches, enjoy the privilege of marrying by banns proclaimed in church, a privilege not enjoyed by the established church of England, which has been obliged to adhere to regulations which are tedious and expensive, consequently detrimental to her interests.

(signed) W. T. Austen,  
Officiating Minister of St. George's Chapel.

Demerara, }  
4th February 1822. }

(N° 4.)

Demerara, the 13th December 1821.

Sir,  
IN answer to the communication I had the honour to receive from you on the 26th November, I beg to observe, that as I am not of the Established Church, marriages solemnized by me would not be legal; I have therefore refused to comply with the requests of the free black and coloured people, and have not married any of them: but as the slaves have no legal inheritance, they could suffer no loss or inconvenience from their marriages not being considered legal; and knowing by experience that marriages among negroes promote morality, economy, and domestic happiness, I have married a great number of them, but have not kept a regular list of marriages until the last two years; which is as follows:

In 1820	124	} - Total 224
- 1821	100	

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) Rich<sup>d</sup> Elliot,  
Minister of the Gospel.

R. Chapman, Esq.  
Government Secretary.

(N<sup>o</sup> 5.)—RETURN of the Number of Marriages legally solemnized by me the undersigned, Minister of the Scotch Presbyterian Church established in this Colony, between Inhabitants of certain descriptions (Free Black and Coloured,) distinguishing the number of each year respectively; conformable to the commands of his Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

YEARS:	Couples Married.	
	Slaves.	Free Black and Coloured.
1818 - - -	None - -	- - None
1819 - - -	d <sup>o</sup> - -	- - Two
1820 - - -	d <sup>o</sup> - -	- - Seven
1821 - - -	d <sup>o</sup> - -	- - Ten
	Total -	Nineteen Couples.

*Note*:—In the above Return I have comprehended under the head “Coloured People” all who are descended by one of their parents from the race of Free Indians, as well as those that are of Negro extraction. Besides these intermarriages between persons of the same class, two young women of colour have been united by me in lawful wedlock to white young men, on which account they are not included in the number before specified.

As for slaves, I should not consider myself justified in celebrating marriage between them, without previous assurance, obtained from competent authority, that such practice is conformable to the existing laws and regulations of the colony; and, moreover, without being certified in each particular case, that the owner of such slave or slaves did not object to that sort of union.

The above I hereby declare to be a true statement and return during my ministry in this Colony.

George Town, Demerara, }  
29th November, 1821. }

(signed)

*Arch<sup>d</sup> Browne,*  
Minister of St. Andrew's Church.

(N<sup>o</sup> 6.)—RETURN of the number of Marriages legally solemnized by my predecessor and myself since 1808 to this date, between Free Blacks and Coloured Persons.

1808 - - - None.	1813 - - No Record.	1818 - - Three.
1809 - - - None.	1814 - - No Record.	1819 - - Three.
1810 - - - No Record.	1815 - - One Couple.	1820 - - None.
1811 - - - None.	1816 - - None.	1821 - - Two.
1812 - - - No Record.	1817 - - None.	
		Total - Nine Couples.

No Record of Marriages celebrated between Slaves.

Demerara, }  
29th November 1821. }

(signed)

*B. Floors,* Minister of the Dutch Reformed Church  
at Demerara and Essequibo.

(N<sup>o</sup> 7.)

George Town, 3d December 1821.

SIR,  
IN reply to the letter I had the honour of receiving from you last week, I have to state, that not being a minister of the established church of England, I have not considered myself authorized to solemnize marriage in a legal sense; though, with a view of rendering the negroes who attend my ministry more moral, &c. I have required them to make a solemn promise of fidelity, &c. to each other; which a great many of them have done, but of these I have kept no particular record.

From my arrival in this colony in January 1809, not more than two or three couples of poor free people have been thus united by me, as wherever any property was concerned I have advised my hearers to be married by the established clergy.

I am the first that occupied this station, and have no former records to refer to.

I am, &c.

*R. Chapman, Esq.*  
Government Secretary.

(signed)

*John Davies.*

(N<sup>o</sup> 8.)

Bethel Chapel, East Coast, 12 December 1821.

Sir,  
IN obedience to the command of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, by you, I beg leave to submit the following statement, vouching for its correctness.

1817 - - -	Married - -	None.
1818 - - -	Married - -	5 couple, all slaves.
1819 - - -	Married - -	3 d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1820 - - -	Married - -	27 d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> .
1821 - - -	Married - -	61 d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> .

I have the honour to be, &c.

*R. Chapman, Esq.*  
Government Secretary.

(signed)

*John Smith,*  
Missionary.

DEMERARA and ESSEQUIBO:—(N<sup>o</sup> 9.)—RETURN of all Ondertrouws (Betrothments) legally performed before Counsellor Commissaries of the honourable Court of Criminal and Civil Justice of Demerara and Essequibo, between Free Black or Coloured Persons, from the 1st of January 1808 to the 13th of September 1821, inclusive; taken from the Archives of the Colonial Secretary's Office, by command of His Excellency Major General John Murray, &c. &c. &c.

Date.	Names of Males.	Colour.	Names of Females.	Colour.
1809: June 6	H. B. Maggie - - -	mustee	To E. L. Cuvilje - - -	mulatto.
1811: Sept. 10	James Prince - - -	white	- Elizabeth Bockhurst - - -	coloured.
1812: July 15	Joseph Byble - - -	mulatto	- Mary Kufiger - - -	mulatto.
1813: March 9	H. J. Faber - - -	white	- Johanna Herant - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
1814: Mar. 23	G. de Haart - - -	mulatto	- Catharina Francina Otto - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
June 2	J. Vander Bosch - - -	white	- Catharine Teysen - - -	black.
Nov. 18	Hugh Rogers - - -	mulatto	- Catharine Gordon - - -	mulatto.
- -	Thomas Campbell - - -	mustee	- Margaret Gordon - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
1815: Sept. 7	Charles Phips - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	- Jean <sup>e</sup> Langerin - - -	cobbess.
1816: April 22	J. F. Kalenburg - - -	white	- Francina de Haart - - -	mustee.
1817: March 4	G. F. Proctor - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	- Dorothea A. Lussis - - -	buckraman.
May 8	J. A. de Ruyter - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	- Elizabeth L. Duges - - -	mustee.
Oct. 7	John F. Ballers - - -	mulatto	- Eliza Ball - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
Nov. 19	Anthony Driessen - - -	white	- Cornelia Efling - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
1818: Feb. 5	Stuart Cameron - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	- Jeannette Van Tie - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
April 7	Abraham Van Harenscofel - - -	mulatto	- Johanna Loustall - - -	mulatto.
- 9	Jerome Van St. Gravesande - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	- Catharine M. Hairnans - - -	mustee.
- -	John W. Van St. Gravesande - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	- Henrietta E. C. Evertz - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
June 16	Phillip Jos. Merckle - - -	coloured	- E. W. Wyda - - -	coloured.
Sept. -	J. Gerard De Ryck - - -	mustee	- Wilhelmina Herant - - -	mulatto.
Dec. -	Richard F. Odwin - - -	mulatto	- Johanna de Weever - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
- 8	G. C. M. Tobie - - -	coloured	- Laurentia Frizell - - -	coloured.
1819: Jan. 5	W <sup>m</sup> Van Kinschot - - -	mulatto	- Judith Princess Cuming - - -	cobbess.
Feb. -	G. F. Proctor - - -	white	- Johanna Herant - - -	mulatto.
Apr. 20	Carl. A. F. C. Van Well - - -	mulatto	- Sophia Helena Mauvitte - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
- -	Fred. Sampson - - -	mustee	- Catharine Teysen - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
- 22	Francis Fraser - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	- Mary Cuyler - - -	d <sup>o</sup> .
Aug. 30	John Oxley - - -	cobb	- Hester Lowe - - -	cobbess.
- 31	William Halliday - - -	mustee	- Catharine Ryck - - -	mulatto.
- -	John Desbrass - - -	black	- Francina Langerin - - -	cobbess.
Sept. 8	J. L. C. Playter - - -	white	- Cornelia Van Cooten - - -	mustee.
1820: Jan. 5	Robert Rand - - -	mulatto	- Mary M'Nicol - - -	mulatto.

RECAPITULATION :

Total Number of Ondertrouws (Betrothments) legally performed, as per foregoing Return.

1808 - - - - -	1812 - - - - -	1	1816 - - - - -	1	1820 - - - - -	1
1809 - - - - -	1813 - - - - -	1	1817 - - - - -	4	1821 - - - - -	-
1810 - - - - -	1814 - - - - -	4	1818 - - - - -	8		
1811 - - - - -	1815 - - - - -	1	1819 - - - - -	9	Total	32

We, the undersigned, Deputy Secretary to the colony of Demerara and Essequibo, do hereby certify the foregoing to be an authentic extract from the archives of ondertrouw (betrothments) remaining in the Colonial Secretary's Office of Demerara and Essequibo; and further, that after a careful examination of the archives aforesaid, no ondertrouws appear at any time to have been solemnized between slaves. In testimony whereof we have hereunto signed our names, and affixed the seals of the colony of Demerara and Essequibo, this 16th day of December 1821.

(signed) *Chas Wilday.*



(N<sup>o</sup> 10.)—A LIST of all Persons committed to the Colony Jail as Runaways, but who declared themselves to be free since the 1st of January 1812; with an account of the final disposal of such Persons.

YEARS:	Brought in.		Disposal.		
	Names.	By whom.	Dates.	By whom released.	How disposed of.
1812 -	- - None.	—	1812.		
1813 -	- - None.	—	1813.		
1814:			1814:		
July 14	R. Cumming -	C. Brandt -	July 15	Ord. Fiscaal	Given over to Mr. Vandeveld.
Aug. 29	W. Philander -	Plant <sup>n</sup> Providence	Sept. 13	d <sup>o</sup> -	
1815:			1815:		
Jan. 26	R. Cumming -	Town Guard -	Jan. 27	d <sup>o</sup> -	To F. Cummings.
June 13	J. Wilkinson -	B. Teysen -	June 14	d <sup>o</sup> -	
Aug. 16	Charles -	Town Guard -	Aug. 17	d <sup>o</sup> -	
- 18	J. Sincey -	The Governor -	Oct. 11	d <sup>o</sup> -	Plant <sup>n</sup> cane-fields.
1816 -	- - None.		1816.		
1817:			1817:		
July 24	W. Philander -	Plant <sup>n</sup> Sedge Pond	Aug. 12	d <sup>o</sup> -	
Aug. 28	Peter -	- D <sup>o</sup> Houston -	- 29	d <sup>o</sup> -	
1818:			1818:		
Oct. 9	Francis Coffin -	W. Y. Playter -	Oct. 28	d <sup>o</sup> -	Mr. Reach.
1819 -	- - None.		1819.		
1820:			1820:		
Feb. 13	L. Halmsey -	Dr. M <sup>c</sup> Dowell -	Feb. 14	d <sup>o</sup> -	
Dec. 4	William -	The Diennaars -	Dec. 20	d <sup>o</sup> -	Plant <sup>n</sup> Houston.
1821:			1821:		
Sept. 4	Jack -	The Lt. Governor	- -	- -	Still in jail.
Nov. 2	Nancy Scott -	Order Fiscaal -	Nov. 6	d <sup>o</sup> -	Mr. Bennett of Berbice.

For the years 1808, 1809, 1810, and 1811, no records to be found in my office, which I certify this 1st of December 1821.

Drossaart's Office, }  
Demerara. }

(signed)

*Bennett Tonge,*  
Drossaart of Demerara and Essequibo.

(N<sup>o</sup> 11.)—EXTRACT of the Obituary of the Orphan Chamber of Demerara.

Year and Date.	NAMES.	White.	Coloured.
1812:			
Dec. 15	J. Jenkin Anslow - - - -	white.	
- -	J. P. Adams - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 23	J. Ashley - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
May 16	Johanna Catharine Billet	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 21	William Bosstok - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 14	J. F. Buyer - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 22	John Ballard - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
June 5	A. Baum - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 10	J. Bradford - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
July 14	Alexander Buchanan	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 20	Herodiah Barber - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 19	P. Burmer - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
Aug. 18	Charlotte E. Ana Borrel	d <sup>o</sup>	
Sept. 10	Albertus Barker - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 20	Willfried Bell - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
Oct. 4	Catharine Bell - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
Nov. 16	Jan Ball - - - -	-	black.
- 21	C. N. Bollers - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
- 21	Simon Ballam - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	
Dec. 28	James Bowman - - - -	d <sup>o</sup>	

Year and Date.	NAMES.	White.	Coloured.
1812.			
Dec. 20	William Barr	white.	
May 10	H. Cruik	d°	
- 12	Francis, son of the Indian woman Charlotte		black.
June 19	Dolly Cruickshanks		d°
- 22	Eleanor Gartroy Couryn		d°
Aug. 27	George Munro Campbell	white.	
Sept. -	Alexander Cassie	d°	
- -	Culpeper	d°	
- 20	N. Cretchlow	d°	
Oct. 19	Mr. Clement's daughter		d°
Nov. 25	J. A. Clarke	white.	
July 3	Alexander Duncan	d°	
Nov. 25	F. J. Dekooker	d°	
Dec. -	Valentine, daughter of A. Francois de St. Marie	d°	
- 28	Diana		1
Sept. 13	Edwards	1	
Oct. 30	Joseph Elliot	1	
May 19	F. G. Francke	1	
June 16	John Faman	1	
Sept. 17	Hugh Fraser	1	
- 22	H. B. Fraser	1	
June 2	Louis Yemon		1
- 21	Samuel Barrows Hoan Gilbert, son of J. Gilbert	1	
July 14	George Francis Goppy		1
Aug. 16	S. Rose Gerson		1
Nov. 13	C. P. Gordyn	1	
July 7	Susannah Hamilton	1	
- 18	Edward Hardy	1	
Oct. 28	Sarah Joseph		1
Nov. 17	G. Janson	1	
Dec. -	Joan Junt	1	
- 9	A. Jellaba	1	
Nov. 26	Dick Kart	1	
Aug. 29	Daniel Lathrop	1	
July -	Charles Joseph Lachtrop		1
Sept. 17	Thomas Lawrence	1	
Oct. 12	Cornelius Lespair	1	
- 21	Gates Lamb	1	
- 15	Peter Lovelock	1	
- 20	Sarah Eliz <sup>a</sup> Lyng	1	
Nov. 9	Hendrick Lambo	1	
- 30	Barbara Lucas	1	
Dec. 27	O. H. Lane	1	
July 4	J. Markant		1
Sept. 12	John Miller	1	
- 16	Molly		1
- 17	George Moggie		1
Dec. 6	Charlotte Meyers		1
Aug. 17	R. Noonan	1	
Sept. 6	Martha Neilson		1
July 9	Hend <sup>c</sup> Jan, son of R. Onina	1	
June 9	Johanna Catherina Pieterson	1	
- 23	Sarah Phipps		1
Aug. 30	Neptune Pendegras		1
Oct. 29	Poolman		1
Nov. -	Diana Prott		1
Dec. 6	Sarah, daughter of Susanah Parish		1
Aug. 27	J. H. Runnels	1	
Sept. 27	Gabriel Ryk	1	
Nov. -	Eliza Rodgers	1	
June 21	Present Sweers		1
July 28	Henrietta Sampson		1
Aug. 3	Alexander Scholk	1	
- 15	P. F. Schirmuster	1	
Sept. 14	Adam Smith	1	
Oct. 9	Isaac Searlie	1	
Sept. 22	Charlotte Thomas	1	
Oct. 18	Mary Tapin	1	
May 3	Van Bunsen	1	
Sept. 13	D. H. Van Nooten	1	

Years and Date.	NAMES.	White.	Coloured.
1812:			
Oct. 4	J. Van Oustrum - - - - -	1	
- 6	J. Vander Kaas - - - - -	1	
- 28	Catharine Poolman Van Groveningen - - - - -	1	
Dec. 13	Cornelis Verstag - - - - -		1
Oct. 11	A. A. Zicken - - - - -	1	
	Total -	71	24
1813:			
Jan. -	John Anderson - - - - -	1	
Feb. 8	J. Brooks - - - - -	1	
April 27	Jan Ball - - - - -		1
June 3	Cha <sup>s</sup> Payne Brotherson - - - - -	1	
July -	Henriette Francoise Borel - - - - -	1	
- 4	Jenny Bollers - - - - -		1
- 14	Maria Leonora Benders - - - - -		1
- 20	Samuel Briggs - - - - -	1	
- -	Bella - - - - -		1
Aug. 5	Ann Maria Bradford - - - - -	1	
- 30	Joseph Bugh - - - - -	1	
Oct. 1	Hugh M <sup>c</sup> Beth - - - - -	1	
- 8	William Burges - - - - -	1	
Dec. 25	J. Brandrith - - - - -	1	
- 15	Son of Mr. Buchanan - - - - -		1
Jan. 7	Samuel Challoner - - - - -	1	
- 11	Barto Orol - - - - -		1
July 21	Patrick Coffey - - - - -	1	
Aug. 12	Sarah, daughter of Mr. Culpeper - - - - -	1	
Sept. 15	Keziah Connyers - - - - -	1	
Oct. 17	T. Culpeper - - - - -	1	
Nov. -	W. Causton - - - - -	1	
Jan. 13	J. F. P. De Bockhouse - - - - -	1	
- 28	Wm. Davidson - - - - -	1	
Feb. 9	W. F. Dobbrauski - - - - -	1	
June 13	Aug. Francois De St. Marie - - - - -	1	
July 1	A. Danjoy - - - - -	1	
Aug. 14	Ann Maria De la Revac - - - - -		1
- 18	Charlotte Duges - - - - -		1
Jan. 6	J. O. Engels - - - - -	1	
July 26	John Ettels - - - - -	1	
Dec. 27	Edward, son of Betsy de Ryk - - - - -		1
Feb. 23	Gaspard Fontaine - - - - -	1	
May 20	H. A. Francoise - - - - -	1	
Nov. 1	Pelida - - - - -		1
- 11	D. Findlader - - - - -	1	
- -	Adam Fraser - - - - -	1	
July -	Margretha Graff - - - - -		1
Sept. 4	Isabella Goodman - - - - -	1	
Nov. 20	Miss S. A. Gauld - - - - -	1	
Feb. 11	Emst Hopker - - - - -	1	
- 15	Eleanor Mathew Harriot - - - - -	1	
March 9	Rowland Hunter - - - - -	1	
- 12	John Hacket - - - - -	1	
- 28	J. O de Hooft - - - - -	1	
April 30	Wm. Humphry - - - - -	1	
- -	Geo. Hart - - - - -	1	
May 29	F. Hanson - - - - -	1	
- 31	A. F. Heraut - - - - -	1	
June 24	Arch. Harriott - - - - -		1
Dec. 8	Thomas How - - - - -	1	
June 30	J. Jamieson - - - - -	1	
July 17	Geo James - - - - -	1	
Dec. 6	Johannes Koeford - - - - -	1	
Jan. 18	Peter Lent - - - - -	1	
- 26	James Lyon - - - - -	1	
Feb. 3	Geo. Locket - - - - -	1	
- 9	William Langley - - - - -	1	
April 27	P. Le Faun - - - - -	1	
May 5	William Latham - - - - -	1	
June 26	John Luke - - - - -	1	

Year and Date.	NAMES.	White.	Coloured.
1813:			
July 4	Harry Lookey	-	1
-	Lucy, daughter of King	-	1
Dec. 6	William Lovel	-	1
Mar. 28	Kennith Mathieson	1	-
April 21	Johanna Moses	-	1
Aug. 8	William Mory	1	-
Sept. 16	Rosetta Mansfield	-	1
Oct. 31	Matilda Madox	1	-
-	Charles Monaghan	1	-
Nov. 21	Richard Josiah Mason	1	-
Dec. 18	Duncan M <sup>c</sup> Cullum	1	-
-	Philip Muncher	-	1
Sept. -	John, son of Mary Ann Nodens	-	1
Oct. 27	John Nunegan	1	-
Feb. 19	Rudolph Onink	1	-
Dec. 18	A. Odde	1	-
July 17	Mary Ann Philips	1	-
Aug. 8	J. Pendegrass	-	1
Sept. 27	A boy, son of H. C. Pollard	1	-
Oct. 17	George Pearce	1	-
Dec. 10	L. S. A. Phillippart	1	-
Jan. 7	Roos Scott	-	1
June 1	Mary Lise Rideau-	-	1
Sept. 4	C. A. Roberts	1	-
Oct. 12	Rebecca Roggers	1	-
Dec. 11	Johannes Reffel	1	-
- 18	Anne Susannah Ramsay	-	1
April 16	John Seward	1	-
Jan. 7	Roos Schutz	-	Black.
- 12	Thomas Small	1	-
April 20	Rowland Smith	1	-
Aug. 12	Sarah, daughter of Culpeper	1	-
- 24	John Sample	1	-
Sept. 28	Boy, son of Schirmeister	1	-
Oct. 9	Simmons	1	-
- 15	John, son of Annetta	-	1
-	Therisa Salignac	-	1
- 31	Francis Sampson	1	-
Jan. -	Wid. Louis Tomme, born Pieteron	-	1
Feb. 17	Henry Jabo	1	-
Nov. 21	R. Thomson	-	1
March 1	F. F. Van Hersberg	1	-
Sept. 3	John Vanden Burg	1	-
Nov. 14	S. F. Visser	1	-
Feb. 6	W. Thomas Wake	1	-
- 7	R. Williamson	1	-
- 10	L. Wishropp	1	-
- 22	Andrew Welch	1	-
Mar. 22	Francis Worner	-	1
July 6	Theresa Windisch	-	1
Dec. 24	John Steward Wilson	1	-
	Total	82	30
1814:			
Jan. 28	George Angle	1	-
April 30	Samuel Agard	1	-
Aug. 8	Anna	-	1
Sept. 15	J. B. Van Azenberg	1	-
- 21	J. W. Alder	1	-
Jan. 8	Fred. Baker	1	-
- 10	Mary Brotherson	-	1
-	Charles Baskett	1	-
Feb. 10	James Breton	-	1
May 3	Silvia Buckley	-	1
- 21	Eleanor Brush	1	-
June 14	L. P. B. Brandenburg	1	-
July 27	W. G. Benners	-	1
Dec. 26	David Boxton	1	-
- 28	J. L. Blair	-	1

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1814:			
Jan. 28	Joseph Coram - - - - -	-	1
- 18	John Church - - - - -	1	
- 27	Catharine Maria Cells - - - - -	1	
Mar. 24	George C. Carrington - - - - -	1	
July 11	Benjamin William Clarke - - - - -	1	
- 18	Cummings - - - - -	1	
Sept. 26	J. Thomas Curteis - - - - -	1	
Dec. 1	Peggy Cummings - - - - -	-	1
Jan. 28	Hend <sup>n</sup> Dratzin - - - - -	1	
Feb. 17	Harry Drayton - - - - -	1	
Mar. 31	S. Dowler - - - - -	1	
Apr. 4	Jacoba Adrianna Doedens, widow C. A. Roberts - - - - -	1	
Aug. 28	William Donald - - - - -	1	
Sept. 3	William Dawson - - - - -	1	
- 17	Widow Durkard, born Johanna Phillipina Midas - - - - -	1	
- 6	G. W. Dreszler - - - - -	1	
Apr. 5	E. C. Elie - - - - -	1	
- 20	G. Edwards - - - - -	1	
June 20	Elder - - - - -	1	
July 18	Benjamin Edwin Edwards - - - - -	1	
Aug. 14	Catherine Edwards - - - - -	1	
Nov. 6	Sophia Eitels - - - - -	-	1
Apr. 24	A. Fraser - - - - -	1	
Sept. 5	William Filderhoff - - - - -	1	
Jan. -	Dorethe Griffith - - - - -	1	
June 9	W. Good - - - - -	1	
- 19	Jacob Gine - - - - -	1	
Aug. 28	James Gammel - - - - -	1	
Sept. 9	James Glin - - - - -	1	
Oct. 16	John Gardiner - - - - -	1	
- 28	Eliane Gernon - - - - -	1	
Sept. 4	Geikard Henscheline - - - - -	1	
- -	Hendriks - - - - -	1	
- 10	Jonathan Hawkerworth - - - - -	-	1
Aug. 4	John Hunt - - - - -	1	
Nov. 29	A. J. T. Vander Heuvel - - - - -	1	
Dec. 17	Petronella Hall - - - - -	-	1
Jan. 9	J. J. Sanson - - - - -	1	
- 23	A son of P. Iskenins - - - - -	1	
Mar. 8	Brooks Judson - - - - -	1	
- 11	Lucas Teems - - - - -	-	1
- 24	John Jones - - - - -	-	1
May 4	John Inch - - - - -	1	
June 16	Walter Innis - - - - -	1	
Aug. 27	James Patrick Jaffroy - - - - -	-	1
- 23	John (son of Portless) - - - - -	1	
Sept. 2	C. Innvin - - - - -	1	
Nov. 28	Alex. Johnson - - - - -	1	
Jan. 27	A. C. Knegh - - - - -	1	
May 2	T. E. Wesfer - - - - -	1	
June 25	William Keen - - - - -	1	
Aug. 16	Princis King - - - - -	-	1
Feb. 4	James E. Lee - - - - -	1	
Apr. 4	C. Lehman - - - - -	1	
Oct. 18	W. A. Leseman - - - - -	1	
Nov. 29	Hester Langevin - - - - -	-	1
Dec. 23	Philidore Leith - - - - -	-	1
Jan. 13	Francis Madden - - - - -	1	
Apr. 22	Charles Manville - - - - -	-	1
May 21	F. A. Mentz - - - - -	1	
June 13	James Maitland - - - - -	1	
July 27	James M <sup>c</sup> Kenzie - - - - -	1	
Aug. 19	W. D. Mills (died 28th July) - - - - -	1	
- -	Mary C. Martryan - - - - -	1	
- 29	James Milligan - - - - -	1	
- 31	M. Mahors - - - - -	1	
Oct. -	Hugh M <sup>c</sup> Beth - - - - -	1	
Nov. 8.	Cupids Meertens - - - - -	-	1
- 29	John King - - - - -	1	
May 30	W. P. Noyes - - - - -	1	

Year and Date.	NAMES.	White.	Coloured.
1814:			
Jan. 14	M. C. Overweg	1	
Feb. 10	E. C. Overbrock	1	
Jan. —	Present Pooler		1
Apr. 2	Frank Pike		1
— 15	Jane Pickeron		1
Aug. 28	John, son to P. Portless	1	
Sept. 26	James Parss	1	
— —	H. P. Pero	1	
Feb. —	Jacob Ridley	1	
Mar. 20	Thomas Rodgers	1	
June 28	W. Reid	1	
Oct. 9	J. Rock	1	
Jan. —	William Sloane	1	
— 22	Charles Steward	1	
Feb. 7	Casiemire Shabback		1
Apr. 6	Francina Schirmeister		1
— 24	Samuel Shannon		1
Oct. 30	— Smith	1	
Jan. —	— Thomson	1	
Feb. 5	John Tomson	1	
May 25	Thomas Mariners Protz	1	
Aug. 25	John Tuckness	1	
— 28	Pieter Thoman	1	
Oct. 6	P. J. A. Tinne	1	
Dec. 25	Janna Tyson		1
Jan. 15	J. H. Van Kant Van Bruyns	1	
— 22	Pieter Van Ess	1	
Feb. 16	Dr. Van Ross	1	
Mar. 7	Vander Velden	1	
— 20	Francis Catherina Van Buchel		1
May 5	Catharina Johanna Vandenberg	1	
July 19	Victoire		1
May 2	James Wollen	1	
Aug. 31	Joseph Winkes	1	
Sept. 12	Henry Wilson	1	
Dec. 30	F. P. V. Wyngarden	1	
Oct. 6	M. B. Yearwood	1	
	Total	95	28
1815:			
Mar. 28	William Aitkin	1	
— 20	— Anderson	1	
Apr. 22	Gerick Bouske	1	
Aug. 31	T. O. Booter	1	
— —	Sweers Bergh	1	
Dec. 5	Johan Bryley	1	
Mar. 4	Charles Boch	1	
Apr. 19	R. P. Counay	1	
Aug. 31	Gytesh K. Caates	1	
— —	William Carol		1
Dec. 14	H. J. Comellissen		1
Jan. 6	J. M. Crone	1	
— 26	Alex. Dow	1	
Mar. 29	Widow Johan. Maria De Kooker, born Van de Vyver	1	
Apr. 18	Samuel Dowding		1
July 29	Widow M. Dobbrouski, born Velders	1	
Aug. 2	Hugh Davidson	1	
— 14	J. Dobbrouski	1	
Dec. 6	Widow Johanna Elizabeth De Wolff	1	
June 8	A. L. De Munnich	1	
Nov. 15	Babb. Eliot		1
Jan. 6	T. H. Elice	1	
Feb. 13	T. Francis	1	
Mar. 14	J. W. C. Fassen	1	
— 28	Clarissa Freygent		1
Jan. 20	Jacob Fluyk	1	
— 24	Betsy Gehricke		1
Feb. 23	A Girl, daughter of Becary		1
	Elizabeth Gelot		1

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Year and Date.	NAMES.	White.	Coloured.
1815:			
Mar. 14	James Gibson	1	
June 24	A. D. Guthrie	1	
- -	Rebecca Graham		1
Jan. 24	Joseph B. Hardman		1
Mar. 14	T. La Haye	1	
- 19	L. Hartensveld	1	
June 16	G. M. de Hart	1	
May 16	Amelia Jansen		1
April 17	James Cricklow Jackman	1	
June 17	Elizabeth Jones	1	
July 12	C. C. Isingard	1	
Aug. 19	Isaac Janson		1
Mar. 30	J. N. Karseboom	1	
April 22	G. Hellor	1	
June -	William M <sup>c</sup> Nash		1
- 16	— Kennedy		1
Jan. 6	T. Ludwig	1	
May 29	Robert Leach	1	
June -	John Lawson	1	
Jan. 6	John Madox	1	
May 22	Kitty Moore		1
- -	— M <sup>c</sup> Pherson	1	
June 8	P. Middelburg	1	
July 7	— Middleton	1	
Oct. 23	Carol Samuel Mathius	1	
- -	Benjamin M <sup>c</sup> Rae		1
Jan. 24	Maria Paulina Proctor, born Van Suik	1	
May 10	Fanny Paris		1
July 31	William Pieters	1	
Jan. 6	Mathias Roach	1	
Feb. 16	Gotlieb Rien	1	
July -	Saighhew M <sup>c</sup> Rae	1	
Jan. 8	Elizabeth Thabur		1
April 6	T. Samm	1	
- 17	Mary Sampson		1
May 10	Mrs. L. Swanche	1	
Nov. 27	Princess Stubbe		1
Aug. 20	Mrs. Verdoel	1	
Sept. 28	T. Van Mowrick	1	
- 16	— Vander Sande	1	
Nov. 19	F. A. Vernede	1	
- 24	A. M. B. Van Heckeren	1	
Oct. 21	— Wuckerer	1	
Dec. 7	G. W. Wilkinson	1	
- 19	William Webster	1	
	Total	54	20
1816:			
Feb. 6	Adam		1
Mar. 10	Nicolay Anja	1	
Feb. -	James Allan	1	
Oct. 19	Henry Austin	1	
Jan. 19	William Buckley	1	
- 23	Joseph Britton	1	
Feb. 1	Henry Baynes		1
- 20	James Bruce	1	
April 23	A. Bloomsberg	1	
May 17	Anna Phillis Black		1
June 27	F. R. Blake	1	
July 31	Thomas Bidley	1	
Sept. -	Moses Bible		1
April 18	Henriette Chapman		1
Dec. 1	George Campbell (J. Simpson)	1	
- 5	George Campbell (J. Hadfield)	1	
Mar. 29	Samuel Dowding		1
April 24	J. H. De Windt		1
- -	J. E. De Windt		1
- -	Alexander De Weever	1	
April 10	John Elliott	1	

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1816;			
July 9	Susannah Eberharde	-	1
- 5	Betty Engels	1	
May 4	John Ellis	1	
Aug. 15	John Eburn	1	
Feb. 11	— Fowler	1	
May 1	James Fraser	1	
- 29	Luke Flood	1	
July 17	G. J. Furnace	1	
Aug. 10	Hardy Fiedskow	1	
- -	J. D. French	1	
Jan. 8	Adam Game	-	1
June 25	George Gilroan	1	
Oct. 11	D. Gerson	-	1
Nov. 15	John Gaskin	-	1
Feb. 19	Abraham Heiliger	-	1
May 22	Cornelis Hulshoff	1	
July 12	Robert Hamilton	1	
Sept. 7	T. M. Heim	1	
Nov. 18	A. L. Heche	1	
- -	Robert Jackson	-	1
April 8	Peter Jacob	1	
June 25	Jan Joncker	1	
July 29	A. H. Jansen	-	1
- -	Mrs. Catherine Kemp	1	
Sept. 27	M. T. Krantz	1	
Oct. 29	J. O. Kalmberg	1	
Nov. -	E. E. Knight	1	
Jan. 10	David Luthers, jun.	1	
March -	Thomas Louis	1	
June 4	John Ludwyck	1	
- 21	— Laten	1	
July 26	J. M. Landroy	1	
Nov. 5	J. Lochtrop	1	
- 19	John Laxraven	1	
Jan. 31	Francis Miller	1	
Feb. 2	J. H. Mongston	1	
April 19	Hugh Munro	1	
May 22	William Morrison	1	
June 25	D. T. Marhort	1	
July 30	— M'Pherson	1	
Sept. 9	John M'Lachlan	1	
- 15	Jeremias M'Fee	1	
Nov. 15	Rosetta Mickherts	1	
Aug. 5	Samuel Odnin	1	
Jan. 20	A. Patterson	1	
Feb. 2	Edward Pratt	1	
Sept. 2	Elizabet Ruitz	-	1
Mar. 16	Jacob Ridley	1	
- 25	Grave Ryan	-	1
- 29	David Ross	1	
Sept. -	Alexander Reid	1	
Oct. 16	Nathaniel Roach	1	
Feb. 14	Duncan Steward	1	
- 15	J. Slucker	1	
- 24	J. M. Spooner	1	
April 7	John Sobre Smith	1	
- 18	Francine Stall	-	1
- -	— Spengler	1	
Aug. 15	J. P. Schlosser	1	
- 29	Diana Staunton	-	1
- 18	Charles Steward	1	
Sept. 2	F. W. Sartorius	1	
Nov. 4	John Sampson	1	
Mar. 9	— Ten Bosch	1	
Feb. 22	J. W. Thomas	1	
July 6	F. D. Thompson	1	
- 8	Catharine Thompson	1	
- 22	J. H. Tyman	1	
Aug. 8	John Tomas	1	
- 19	Andrew Tondo	1	

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1816.			
Sept. -	Dr. Taylor - - - - -	1	
Nov. 23	Widow Temmerman - - - - -	1	
Jan. -	J. H. Van Coaten - - - - -	1	
- -	Vander Schelder de Wit - - - - -	1	
May 18	J. Vander Bergh - - - - -	1	
June 25	Mrs. Vander Druyssen - - - - -	1	
Dec. 10	Johanna Voogdt - - - - -		1
Mar. 23	Mrs. C. J. Wussands, born Sluytman - - - - -	1	
April 19	F. P. Walcott - - - - -	1	
June 13	F. E. Windish - - - - -	1	
Oct. -	Adam Young - - - - -	1	
	Total	82	20
1817.			
May 3	Ann - - - - -		1
Aug. 3	Ariantje - - - - -		1
- 31	R. D. Askington - - - - -	1	
Jan. 11	David Bosquet - - - - -	1	
- 12	Andrew Bathelin - - - - -		1
- 26	Mrs. Rebecca Brotherson - - - - -	1	
April -	B. Buys - - - - -	1	
- 16	J. P. A. Beche - - - - -	1	
June 9	Ruloff Broer - - - - -	1	
- -	Jan Ball - - - - -	1	
July 19	Thomas Bowles - - - - -	1	
- -	John Brown - - - - -	1	
Sept. -	William Benjamin - - - - -		1
Oct. 12	Mary Bennet - - - - -		1
- 24	Bousson - - - - -	1	
Nov. 29	J. Brumel - - - - -	1	
Dec. 18	J. Bischof - - - - -		1
- 27	— Breton - - - - -	1	
June 9	Samuel Camel - - - - -		1
- 12	Christopher F. Cuyler - - - - -		1
July 26	G. C. Cantelaar - - - - -	1	
Aug. 20	Alexander Cozier - - - - -		1
Sept. 20	John Conall - - - - -	1	
Dec. 9	Catherine Miller - - - - -		1
- 22	J. W. Cummings - - - - -		1
Jan. 6	Elizabeth de Bochorst - - - - -	1	
- 25	Maria Eliz <sup>b</sup> Vander Kruyssen, late widow of Keyzer de Clerk - - - - -	1	
Aug. 10	J. R. Derrien - - - - -	1	
Sept. 3	— Dufreme - - - - -	1	
- -	Thomas Day Francis - - - - -	1	
- -	J. Dunlop - - - - -	1	
Jan. 4	Widow Furber - - - - -	1	
- 26	Widow J. Freurniet, born C. P. Minner - - - - -	1	
Sept. 20	Mary Fallier - - - - -	1	
Oct. 5	J. Ferguson - - - - -	1	
April 23	Marian Gaskin - - - - -		1
- 21	Francis Gibson - - - - -	1	
June 18	Elizabeth Gordes - - - - -		1
- -	Hugh Grant - - - - -	1	
- -	J. C. Griffith - - - - -	1	
Sept. 28	C. K. Gatt - - - - -	1	
Oct. 24	J. W. Gaskin - - - - -	1	
Nov. 23	John Grant - - - - -	1	
- -	Eli Gold - - - - -		1
Feb. 28	Abraham Hewlings - - - - -	1	
April 28	A. P. Herklots - - - - -	1	
May 25	William Hart - - - - -	1	
July 29	Daniel Hohenkirk - - - - -	1	
- -	Mrs. Henderson, born Verdoel - - - - -	1	
Jan. 14	J. Jeffrey - - - - -		1
Dec. 13	John - - - - -		1
- -	O. W. Iskinins - - - - -	1	
May 15	Juliana - - - - -		1
June 12	Samuel Johnston - - - - -	1	
Jan. 12	Margaretha de Kok - - - - -	1	

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1817:			
Feb. 27	J. H. Kerner - - - - -	1	
July 20	F. W. Koch - - - - -	1	
April 16	D. L. Lafont - - - - -		1
July 18	Ad <sup>m</sup> Lubie - - - - -	1	
Jan. 17	William March - - - - -	1	
- - -	Kitty Miller - - - - -	1	
Mar. 23	Thomas Molton - - - - -	1	
May 10	J. M <sup>c</sup> Auley - - - - -	1	
- 23	Alex. M <sup>c</sup> Culloch - - - - -	1	
- - -	Farquhar M <sup>c</sup> Rae - - - - -		1
Sept. 19	Angus Morrisson - - - - -	1	
Nov. 1	J. H. Murphy - - - - -	1	
- - -	Elizabeth M <sup>c</sup> Breedy - - - - -	1	
April 20	Ann Millington - - - - -		1
June 7	Patty Mansfield - - - - -		1
Nov. 21	J. D. Moody - - - - -	1	
Aug. 22	Thomas W <sup>m</sup> Nutt - - - - -	1	
Jan. 14	Pharo - - - - -	1	
Feb. - -	Mary Pool - - - - -	1	
- - -	George Porter - - - - -	1	
May 23	S. C. Persich - - - - -	1	
June - -	W. Pierepont - - - - -	1	
- 30	J. W. Pourgave - - - - -		1
- - -	W. P. Puris - - - - -	1	
July 6	Patrick Power - - - - -	1	
- - -	Jacob Pieter - - - - -	1	
- - -	George Firebrace Perry - - - - -	1	
Aug. 20	G. W. Percival - - - - -	1	
Sept. 27	Anna Margaretha Van Possum - - - - -	1	
- - -	W <sup>m</sup> Postlethwaite - - - - -	1	
Jan. 2	T. Ouiding - - - - -	1	
May 4	J. P. Rouskolb - - - - -	1	
- - -	F. W. Ruperti - - - - -	1	
June 7	Jeannetta Rink - - - - -		1
July 13	William Ramsay - - - - -		1
- - -	William Robertson - - - - -	1	
Jan. 7	James Shan - - - - -		1
Feb. 27	John Schmidt - - - - -		1
- - -	James Shey - - - - -	1	
April 17	John Stewart - - - - -	1	
July 21	William Frederick Dauphin Schermuster - - - - -	1	
- 17	John D. Stewart - - - - -		1
- 28	James Sanderson - - - - -	1	
- - -	William Stewart - - - - -	1	
Aug. 21	Sophia Sertima - - - - -		1
Oct. - -	- - - Schott - - - - -	1	
Feb. 14	P. Van Straaten - - - - -	1	
- 20	M. Vesser - - - - -	1	
Mar. 14	Vander Wagt - - - - -	1	
Sept. 3	L. P. Van Braam - - - - -	1	
Dec. 16	Daniel Villeneuve - - - - -		1
Nov. - -	Jan Vorgt - - - - -		1
Dec. 22	H. L. Vandewater - - - - -	1	
- 31	W. B. Vander Hans - - - - -	1	
Feb. 2	Peter Wright - - - - -	1	
April 8	George Wilson - - - - -		1
July 29	William Wathby - - - - -		1
Nov. 4	C. D. Widdel - - - - -	1	
- 22	J. W. Wissels - - - - -	1	
	Total	82	32
1818:			
Feb. 5	Alexander Anderson - - - - -	1	
Jan. 9	Adam Aulert - - - - -	1	
May 2	George Anderson - - - - -	1	
Jan. 29	Peter Burch - - - - -	1	
Feb. 3	John Bannister - - - - -	1	
Mar. 2	A. J. Bastiaansen - - - - -	1	
June 12	Mrs. Boon - - - - -	1	
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1818:			
July 9	Henrietta Bergh		1
Oct. 2	P. Barron		1
- 19	Rebecca Althouse		1
- -	J. P. Bastiaanson	1	
Dec. 13	W. Burnett		1
Jan. 9	Claude Clement		1
- -	H. Clementson	1	
- 30	Mrs. A. J. Christiaanson	1	
April 10	W. Craigh	1	
May 13	M. R. Clark	1	
Aug. 8	Mary Grace Cummings		1
Sept. 13	Thomas Campbell		1
Dec. 3	Alexander Cassie		1
Mar. 29	— Dugle		1
July 23	Yauw Demba		1
Aug. 7	John Daly	1	
Oct. 20	Arno Donné	1	
- 16	J. B. den Boer	1	
Mar. 11	William Ellis		1
Aug. 12	Peggy Eving		1
- -	J. D. Engels	1	
Nov. 9	Lucy Eiffel		1
Jan. 17	John Fiedrieth	1	
Dec. 22	A. G. Faber	1	
Jan. 5	C. Game		1
- 11	Anthony Gordon		1
- 27	J. D. Gaskin		1
Mar. 8	F. Graaf	1	
July 1	G. M. Gouts	1	
Sept. 5	Captain Gibson	1	
Oct. 1	Francis Grimis	1	
Feb. 3	Arthur Heir	1	
- 15	Edward Hansler	1	
June 19	M. Hansen	1	
April 6	Elizabeth Harner		1
Jan. 19	John Henry	1	
May 18	William Hill		1
Mar. 15	Joseph Harrison	1	
Sept. 16	Henry Harwood	1	
- 19	Peter Hamaker	1	
Aug. 24	J. H. Hollenkamp	1	
Nov. 8	— Higgins	1	
April -	Lisette Koefoed		1
Feb. 28	G. H. Kadel	1	
Sept. 11	James Kitcat	1	
June -	Polly Kemp		1
Aug. 1	A. B. Leslie	1	
- 7	R. A. Lelyfeld	1	
Feb. 23	Nichola Lynch	1	
Aug. 12	Clement Levenstein	1	
- -	Samuel Lincoln	1	
June 25	Elizabeth Mapp	1	
July 12	Peter M'Donald	1	
Aug. 20	M. M. Goorian	1	
- 18	J. Morson	1	
Dec. 9	Robert Munro	1	
- 16	H. Mott	1	
Feb. 22	Robert Nixton	1	
Sept. -	Thomas Nutt	1	
Feb. 18	Peter Ouckama		1
Nov. -	G. Oyens		1
June 15	Jeanette Phipps		1
July 30	William Pietrie	1	
Aug. 5	Francis Power	1	
- 11	E. Pieters		1
Dec. 24	J. H. Pollard	1	
March 4	— Robberts	1	
Sept. 1	George Ross	1	
Oct. 21	J. W. Roth	1	
Dec. 13	J. Rutledge	1	

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1818;			
Dec. 15	T. Roozen - - - - -	1	
- - -	John Ryan - - - - -	1	
Jan. 11	R. S. O. Smith - - - - -	1	
- - -	S. Ship - - - - -	1	
Feb. 16	John Sutherland - - - - -	1	
March 22	John Scott - - - - -	1	
- 28	Cornelis Smit - - - - -	1	
May 14	T. Schneild - - - - -	1	
June 17	Ph. John Scheimeister - - - - -	1	
Sept. 4	Joseph Stadham - - - - -	-	1
Aug. 11	Frederick Simoni - - - - -	1	
Oct. 1	Sarah Solus - - - - -	1	
Dec. 17	Anthony St. Felix - - - - -	1	
March 15	— Terre - - - - -	1	
Sept. 20	Stephen Tavernier - - - - -	1	
- - -	E. W. Tay - - - - -	1	
Jan. 3	W. D. Wegler - - - - -	1	
- - -	Henry Wallace - - - - -	1	
March 24	John Whitacker - - - - -	-	1
- - -	Thomas Pitt Warren - - - - -	1	
April 13	Dirk Willebers - - - - -	1	
- 15	G. H. Williams - - - - -	1	
Nov. 22	Jacob Wensel - - - - -	1	
- 27	John Wilcocks - - - - -	1	
	Total -	75	26
1819:			
July 26	Sophia Ariens - - - - -	-	1
Sept. 19	Headly Ackland - - - - -	1	
- 10	Thomas Atkinson - - - - -	1	
Nov. 3	William Austin - - - - -	1	
Dec. 23	John Lowrens Amey - - - - -	1	
Jan. 12	J. T. P. Bockherst - - - - -	1	
- 17	Alexander Brown - - - - -	1	
April 11	B. Bolders - - - - -	1	
May 26	W. C. Berteling - - - - -	1	
July 26	Mary Bohm - - - - -	-	1
Aug. 25	Susannah Boaz - - - - -	-	1
Sept. 22	Boy, son of Iskenins - - - - -	1	
- 24	James R. Brathwart - - - - -	-	1
- 28	Boy, son of H. C. Pollard - - - - -	1	
Oct. 20	George Barker - - - - -	1	
Nov. 7	Amelia Backer - - - - -	-	1
Dec. 3	James Barret - - - - -	1	
- 28	Joseph Benton - - - - -	1	
April 6	Peter Chalmers - - - - -	1	
May 25	Alex. Bedford Campbell - - - - -	-	1
March 7	Joseph Cramer - - - - -	1	
- 8	William Chorley - - - - -	1	
April 14	P. A. Christiaansen - - - - -	1	
May 10	Peter Calalan - - - - -	1	
- - -	T. P. Clarke - - - - -	1	
Aug. 4	Michael Oanedy - - - - -	1	
- 20	John Chelike - - - - -	1	
Nov. 20	John Carr - - - - -	1	
- 23	Thomas Cummings - - - - -	1	
Dec. 4	Peter Clements - - - - -	1	
- 25	R. R. Clarkson - - - - -	1	
- 31	Duncan Clarke - - - - -	1	
April 19	Daniel Dunn - - - - -	1	
May 9	William Daniel - - - - -	1	
June 24	Johanna W. Dost - - - - -	-	1
Aug. 11	Walker Dunn - - - - -	1	
Nov. 18	Carel Duton - - - - -	1	
Dec. 8	Thomas Dan - - - - -	1	
June -	Nancy Earl - - - - -	1	
Dec. 10	Richard Emerson - - - - -	1	
March 23	John Ford - - - - -	-	1
May 17	T. Fraser - - - - -	1	

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1819:			
Jan. 24	John Fullarton	-	1
May 17	James Fraser -	1	
Aug. 21	— Fardoe -	1	
Sept. 29	C. Flaman -	1	
Nov. 13	Bridget Farmer	-	1
Dec. 24	Alexander Finlayson	-	1
Mar. 2	Saby Gaskin -	-	1
- 20	H. B. Gall -	1	
April 9	Mary Graham	-	1
June 8	Frederick Green	-	1
Aug. 5	Dirk Giezen -	1	
- 13	Catharine Gillan	-	1
Oct. 4	William Gibson	-	1
- 20	Joshua Green	-	1
- 26	Mrs. J. J. Guyot, born Junge	1	
Nov. 21	W. C. Graves	-	1
May 10	Daniel Homan	-	1
Sept. 20	James Holoday	-	1
- 26	George Helder	-	1
Oct. 29	John Horasby	-	1
- 1	M. Hansen	-	1
Dec. 16	— Holworthy	1	
Mar. 19	Jenny Jackson	-	1
- 30	Argust Jansen	-	1
May 17	Mary Ireland -	-	1
July 24	Johanna -	-	1
Nov. 22	Rebecca Johnston	-	1
Dec. 17	Richard Jones	-	1
April 6	John Kendel -	1	
Sept. 20	— Knutley -	1	
Nov. 24	Thomas Kinloch	-	1
- 27	J. D. King -	1	
Dec. 2	Betsy Kannegeiter -	-	1
Jan. 13	Judith Lurick	-	1
Mar. 16	J. A. Laloge -	1	
June 14	George Lee -	1	
Aug. 25	J. L. Loof -	1	
Sept. 11	W. Lee -	1	
Nov. 6	L. F. Lachenwitz	-	1
- 15	— London	1	
Dec. 3	C. A. Lasseur	-	1
Jan. 11	James Masset	-	1
- 13	William M <sup>c</sup> Cullock	-	1
Feb. 26	Thomas S. Madden	-	1
April 6	Peter Mann -	1	
May 4	R. J. Mason -	1	
July 11	Harriet M <sup>c</sup> Kenzie	-	1
July 23	Couba Morell -	-	1
Aug. 4	Low Moses -	-	1
Sept. 10	Archibald M <sup>c</sup> Donald	-	1
Oct. 1	James Morson	-	1
- 28	Charles Moody	-	1
Nov. 11	Alexander M <sup>c</sup> Kid -	1	
- 18	Alexander M <sup>c</sup> Kid -	1	
- 29	George Musegarden	-	1
- 27	Mary B. Milburn	-	1
Dec. 9	William Murray	-	1
Mar. 19	John Overbeek	-	1
July 1	M. A. Pauli -	-	1
Sept. 21	Antje Pandevoort	-	1
Nov. 5	Mary Poolman	-	1
Jan. 19	G. J. Roach -	1	
Feb. 6	Otto B. Roune	-	1
Mar. 1	L. Runcke -	1	
June 16	Alexander Rose	-	1
Dec. 10	Clementson Rodgers	-	1
- 15	Henry Ronge	-	1
Jan. 21	R. A. Sarterson	-	1
July 23	Hester Salomon	-	1
- 6	Henry Sampson	-	1

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1819:			
Sept. 3	F. Sampson - - - - -	-	1
- 17	Frederick Shirt - - - - -	1	
- -	John Scher - - - - -	1	
Oct. 23	G. Schreoder - - - - -	1	
Aug. 7	John Strathie - - - - -	1	
Nov. 6	John Seed - - - - -	1	
- 7	Johanna Sibelius - - - - -	1	
- 9	Burnel Somersal - - - - -	1	
Dec. 2	Wynand Scherer - - - - -	1	
- 17	Colin Simpson - - - - -	1	
- 26	Charles Spacine - - - - -	1	
- 28	Minian Stewart - - - - -	1	
- 31	John Spurr - - - - -	1	
Sept. 10	James Thompson - - - - -	1	
Nov. 16	G. C. M. Tobie, born Frisell - - - - -	1	
Dec. 4	John Turner - - - - -	1	
Mar. 22	T. T. H. Vanden Berg - - - - -	1	
July 18	E. Vida - - - - -	1	
Aug. 5	W. F. Vander Hoff - - - - -	1	
Sept. 11	T. A. T. Vander Hoff, born Cramer - - - - -	1	
Dec. 7	Arnold Van Wyk - - - - -	1	
Jan. 19	— Whitehead - - - - -	1	
Sept. 1	J. B. C. Wittenberg - - - - -	-	1
- 22	Joseph Weloch - - - - -	1	
Nov. 22	Samuel Wachope - - - - -	1	
Dec. 13	Miss Wyeth - - - - -	1	
- 17	Thomas Walker - - - - -	1	
- 24	John Whithich - - - - -	1	
	Total	107	33
1820:			
Jan. 29	William Arians - - - - -	-	1
Aug. 17	Catharine Eliz. Allen - - - - -	1	
Jan. 15	Susanna Lucretia Borloz, born Brouwer - - - - -	1	
- 17	Maxwell Bell - - - - -	1	
Feb. 3	— Bonzell Mo - - - - -	1	
Jan. 15	H. O. Bergh - - - - -	1	
Feb. 6	Charles Baggs - - - - -	1	
Mar. 20	Mathew Charles Bellot - - - - -	1	
June 11	Charles Burton - - - - -	1	
- -	James Benny - - - - -	1	
Aug. 26	John Bellam - - - - -	1	
Sept. 2	Anthony Barkey - - - - -	1	
Nov. 17	Francis Blackmore - - - - -	1	
Dec. 31	David Barrow - - - - -	-	1
Jan. 26	Joseph Chantler - - - - -	1	
May 23	Nicholas Cline - - - - -	1	
June 12	C. Curteis - - - - -	1	
July 13	John Conyards - - - - -	1	
Oct. 7	John Cornelisson - - - - -	-	1
Jan. 28	Charles Du Fresne - - - - -	-	1
May 5	David Daly - - - - -	1	
- 30	S. M. Duport - - - - -	1	
June 6	A. Driessen - - - - -	1	
July -	James Dine - - - - -	1	
- 19	Eleanor Giffle - - - - -	-	1
Feb. 13	William Fisher - - - - -	1	
- -	— Fisher - - - - -	1	
- 14	John Fowderington - - - - -	1	
Dec. 19	Benjamin Formantle - - - - -	1	
Jan. 11	John Gove - - - - -	1	
Aug. 27	James Gilbert - - - - -	1	
Nov. 25	William Garrewood - - - - -	1	
Sept. 1	John Anthony Gards - - - - -	-	1
Nov. 7	Genereod - - - - -	-	1
Mar. 31	Hugh Hutchinson - - - - -	1	
April 8	Bernard A. Hanson - - - - -	1	
- 14	Hans Holm - - - - -	1	
- 26	Adrian Hendriessen - - - - -	1	

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1820:			
May 10	J. E. Hulshoff	1	
July 3	Thomas Harwood	1	
Dec. 31	Robert Hood	1	
May 2	Benjamin Johnson	1	
Sept. 28	John Jamison	1	
- -	Thomas Jones	1	
Feb. 18	John Knight	1	
Mar. 29	Sally Killy		1
Mar. 26	Wilhelmina Lussis	1	
July 23	G. Lacy	1	
Aug. 10	John Le Blanc	1	
- 31	Alexander Langmore	1	
Sept. 13	Mrs. Le Prevost	1	
Jan. -	Malcolm Munro	1	
- -	William Moore	1	
- -	Donald M'Queen	1	
- -	Amelia M'Ghie		1
- 5	Anna Catharine Markwyh, born Procter	1	
Mar. 22	Alexander M'Keane	1	
Aug. 25	John M'Riel	1	
Sept. 8	E. Mitchell	1	
- 11	Francis M'Donald	1	
Oct. 12	Samuel Muer	1	
Feb. 26	Allie Gullu	1	
Dec. 4	Thomas W. Marr	1	
- 14	Thomas Martin	1	
Mar. 28	John Chase Nightingale	1	
May 28	William Nicleon	1	
Sept. 10	N. D. Niven	1	
July 19	Charles O'Donnell	1	
Jan. 23	Charles Pritchard	1	
June 30	Robert Paul	1	
July 12	W. D. Pilkington		1
Jan. 7	Martinus Reuter		1
- 29	J. W. Robinson	1	
June 3	H. D. Rither	1	
Feb. 19	Thomas Smith	1	
May 25	— Sanders	1	
July 17	P. Schumeister	1	
Mar. -	N. Stewart	1	
July 6	A Son of J. O. Schmid	1	
- 10	John Slinger	1	
Aug. 10	Robert Spalding	1	
- -	Edward Still	1	
Dec. 1	J. Sabo	1	
Jan. -	William Tulls	1	
- 22	John Tarrant	1	
Feb. 24	John Thaine	1	
Mar. 15	J. H. H. Tousson	1	
Dec. 15	Joh <sup>n</sup> Heinr <sup>h</sup> Christ <sup>a</sup> Ulrici	1	
Aug. 6	Widow M. J. Van Wyk, born Keyzer	1	
Jan. 8	John Emperor Wilson	1	
- 17	Joseph B. Wilson	1	
April 13	Maria Rebecca Wegman, born June	1	
May 5	P. J. Wagner	1	
Aug. 10	D. Watson	1	
- 20	Dirk Welch	1	
Nov. 24	James Woodman	1	
- 30	George Winchester	1	
- -	Archibald Williamson	1	
Jan. 18	Samuel James York	1	
	Total	88	11
1821:			
Jan. 15	L. Auth	1	
May 12	G. D. Alstrom	1	
Oct. 8	Maly Alleyne	1	
Jan. 8	Mrs. Sarah Bradford	1	
July 29	Jane Benson	1	

Year and Date.	NAMES.	White.	Coloured.
1821:			
Aug. 19	H. J. Baron - - - - -	1	
Sept. 7	Thomas Boyd - - - - -	1	
Oct. 5	Helena Amelia Buttewes - - - - -	1	
- 6	Emelia Buttewes - - - - -	1	
- 15	Hamilton Bennet - - - - -	1	
Nov. 2	George Bellamy - - - - -	1	
- 26	J. M. Bauch - - - - -	1	
- 28	Peter Bremner - - - - -	1	
April 4	Iver Campbell - - - - -	1	
July 21	John Cline - - - - -	1	
Sept. 4	George Curson - - - - -	1	
Oct. 26	H. Brosmann - - - - -	1	
Feb. -	David Duchartis - - - - -	-	1
May 3	Thomas Duncan - - - - -	1	
Aug. 15	Mrs. C. Dunwaarder, born Backer - - - - -	1	
Sept. 5	D. Dardier - - - - -	1	
Nov. 11	John Downes - - - - -	1	
May -	J. Eburne - - - - -	1	
- 30	John Evais - - - - -	1	
June 18	H. Eils - - - - -	1	
July 18	— Emery - - - - -	1	
March -	J. P. Fletcher (or Fraser) - - - - -	1	
- 2	W. N. Firebrace - - - - -	1	
June 28	Charlotte Fisher - - - - -	1	
Oct. 29	Petronella Gallaway - - - - -	-	1
May 5	John Graham - - - - -	1	
Aug. 18	George H. Gibson - - - - -	1	
Feb. 1	George Hart - - - - -	1	
Mar. 19	John A. Hay - - - - -	1	
April -	James Harrison - - - - -	1	
- 11	John Harris - - - - -	1	
Aug. 21	James Hook - - - - -	1	
Sept. 8	John Haynes - - - - -	1	
- 20	G. J. Horsham - - - - -	1	
Oct. 18	H. Huges - - - - -	1	
June 16	K. Kolumbes - - - - -	-	1
Aug. 23	Joseph Kelly - - - - -	1	
Jan. 11	William Koll - - - - -	1	
July 18	Thomas Lowry - - - - -	1	
- -	— Lyon - - - - -	1	
Aug. 6	Timothy Labor - - - - -	1	
July 9	Widow Jacoba Looff - - - - -	-	1
Oct. 19	John Lockwood - - - - -	1	
Nov. -	D. Longworth - - - - -	1	
Dec. 4	Antonia Maaltje La Rose - - - - -	1	
Jan. 2	Hector M <sup>c</sup> Kenzie - - - - -	1	
- -	J. Munro - - - - -	1	
Feb. 16	James M <sup>c</sup> Indoe - - - - -	1	
- -	A M <sup>c</sup> Queen - - - - -	1	
- 20	George Martin - - - - -	-	1
- 23	G. C. Meyer - - - - -	1	
Mar. 14	Widow L. Martini - - - - -	-	1
- 17	Robert Murray - - - - -	1	
April -	Thomas Main - - - - -	1	
May 15	W. L. M <sup>c</sup> Davie - - - - -	1	
July -	Charles M <sup>c</sup> Ewen - - - - -	1	
Aug. -	Alexander Mair - - - - -	1	
- 11	Samuel M <sup>c</sup> Gowan - - - - -	1	
- -	Dorothea Marshal - - - - -	-	1
Sept. 8	Alexander M <sup>c</sup> Gregor - - - - -	1	
- 25	Thomas Moore - - - - -	-	1
Oct. 12	John Morrison - - - - -	1	
- 28	C. Muller - - - - -	1	
Aug. 9	Elis. Walt - - - - -	-	1
Nov. 10	Michael Nutt - - - - -	1	
April 6	Catharine Oxley - - - - -	-	1
Aug. -	J. Ogle - - - - -	1	
Sept. 5	Paul Ouckama - - - - -	-	1
Nov. 20	Jacob Oyens - - - - -	-	1
April 13	P. Phillips - - - - -	-	1

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Year and Date.	NAMES.	White.	Coloured.
1821:			
July 12	William Poolmeyer	1	
Aug. 14	Edward Parker	1	
- 31	George Pince	1	
Oct. 17	James Potts	1	
March 2	Walter Ross	1	
April -	John B. Rose	1	
- 15	Dido Rose		1
- -	R. Robertson	1	
- 21	E. L. Robinson	1	
June 4	W. Rice	1	
July 31	George Reed	1	
Aug. 25	Robert Rand		1
Oct. 29	J. Roselet	1	
Feb. -	J. Shanks	1	
- -	R. Spencer	1	
- -	Sally		1
March -	D. M. F. Stephan	1	
April 23	Ch. Andrew Stoll	1	
May 9	Jan. Scherpenseel	1	
July -	Thomas Smith	1	
Aug. 7	And. Sim	1	
- -	Placy Smith		1
June 4	Hugh Sutherland	1	
Sept. 4	Benj. Spooner	1	
Oct. 6	Beteka Saurman, born Buttewes	1	
Aug. 21	Richard Tinson	1	
Feb. 19	Jn <sup>o</sup> Vander Heyden		1
June 9	G. Van Santen	1	
Aug. 12	H. Van Geytenbech	1	
Oct. 17	W. F. Wetter	1	
Dec. -	J. P. Vatz	1	
April 6	Nancy Winter		1
June 2	Regina Walff	1	
July 15	John West	1	
Aug. 19	J. Wilkens	1	
- 20	W. Wilson	1	
Sept. 24	William Wallace	1	
Dec. 10	Margaret White	1	
	Total	94	19

Recapitulation of the aforesaid Register of Deeds of Deaths, commencing in the year 1812 up to December 1821.

	White.	Coloured.
In the Year 1812	71	24
Omitted June 25, William King		1
Sept. 4, Sarah E. Kennedy	1	
- - S. W. King	1	
In the year 1813	82	30
- - 1814	95	28
- - 1815	54	20
- - 1816	82	20
- - 1817	82	32
- - 1818	75	26
- - 1819	107	33
- - 1820	88	11
- - 1821	94	19
Total	832	244

I certify the foregoing Return of Deaths to be correct from the Records of the Orphan Chamber.

(signed) G. W. C. Scarll, Recorder.

10th of December 1821.

(N<sup>o</sup> 12.)—RETURN of Deaths in George Town, Demerara, and its Precincts, for the last Five Years; taken from the Quarterly Bills of Mortality, delivered by the Sexton to the Honourable the Court of Policy.

YEARS:	Whites.		Free Coloured.		Slaves.			TOTAL.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Men.	Women.	Children.	
1817 - - - -	75	18	31	38	85	86	107	440
1818 - - - -	74	13	42	46	91	43	125	434
1819 - - - -	234	41	36	56	79	56	144	646
1820 - - - -	457	21	51	53	72	54	98	806
1821 - - - -	129	27	48	51	92	58	116	521
Total -	969	120	208	244	419	297	590	2,847

Whites - - - -	Males - - - -	969
Free - - - -	Females - - - -	120
		1,089
Free Coloured - - -	Males - - - -	208
	Females - - - -	244
		452
Slaves - - - -	Men - - - -	419
	Women - - - -	297
	Children - - - -	590
		1,306
Total -		2,847

George Town, Demerara, }  
24th December 1821. }

(signed)

*Heneage Williams,*  
Colonial Sexton.

(N<sup>o</sup> 13.)—RETURN of the Slave Population of the United Colonies of Demerara and Essequibo, from the year 1817, inclusive, to October 1821; distinguishing the Sexes, and, as far as the same can be ascertained, the Number of Deaths above Ten Years of Age from those below that Age; and the Number of Births in the above period.

DATE:	Number of Slaves returned for Registration.			Number of Births subsequent to 1817; the Number in each Year not having been returned.			Number of Deaths subsequent to 1817; the Number in each intervening Year not having been returned.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1817 - -	44,832	34,365	79,197						
1818 - -	no returns made.								
1819 - -	no returns made.								
1820 - -	43,227	34,149	77,376	sexes not distinguished -		4,868	sexes not distinguished -		7,140

REMARKS:—IN returning the total number of Deaths I am unable to give the number below ten years of age, and that above that age.

I hereby certify the above to be a correct Return from the Records of my office.

(signed)

*James Robertson,* Registrar.

Office for the Registration of Slaves, }  
George Town, Demerara, 1st of February 1821. }

II.—PAPERS RELATING TO THE SLAVE POPULATION

(N<sup>o</sup> 14.)—A LIST of Slaves taken in Execution, and sold at the Marshal's Sale, from the 1st of January 1818 to the 4th of December 1821, in the Colonies of Demerara and Essequibo.

DATES when Sold.		Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	TOTAL.
1818:						
Jan. 6.	At the instance of Charles Vincent	-	1	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Robert Munro	1	-	-	-	1
Feb. 3.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of S. D. Landry	1	-	-	-	1
- 5.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of the Attorney General	62	55	16	11	144
Mar. 3.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of V. A. Heyliger, first Fiscal	1	-	-	-	1
- 31.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Robert Mains and J. J. B. Heemskirk	72	67	27	22	188
April 9.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - Deputy Vendue Masters	1	-	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of V. A. Heyliger	1	3	-	-	4
Aug. 4.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of R. B. Ouseley	-	-	1	-	1
Sept. 8.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of James Gentle & Co.	-	-	1	-	1
Nov. 3.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of C. F. Acker	1	-	-	-	1
- 24.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - { of the Attorney of E. Mekein versus plant <sup>n</sup> Mindenberg, resold on the 11th of January 1821, in consequence of the non-payment of the purchase money }	60	44	16	17	137
Dec. 8.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Ann Sanderson	-	1	-	-	1
1819:						
April 6.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of H. Levi and William Heal	1	-	-	-	1
- 10.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of the Representatives of Boddaert & Co.	90	60	26	33	209
June 8.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of J. A. Kihing	-	1	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of J. B. Smith	-	1	1	-	2
Dec. 7.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of W. F. Steffan	1	-	-	-	1
1820:						
Feb. 8.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of H. Austin and others	1	-	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of the Deputy Vendue Masters	3	3	-	-	6
Mar. 7.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - D <sup>o</sup>	3	4	1	-	8
- 30.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of the Attorney of Boddaert & Co.	36	42	21	12	111
April 5.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of T. and W. Fraser	-	1	-	-	1
- 22.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of G. James and R. Stevens	36	26	18	9	89
May 2.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of M <sup>d</sup> Donald, Winter & Co.	1	-	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of E. and J. Henry	8	5	-	-	13
June 6.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of George Lacy and E. J. Henery	3	3	2	-	8
Aug. 8.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Thomas George	-	1	-	-	1
Nov. 7.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Rebecca Cozier	9	5	1	2	17
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of the Deputy Vendue Masters	1	2	1	1	5
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - D <sup>o</sup>	3	3	2	2	10
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Henry Levi & Co.	1	-	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Deo. Yearwood	1	-	-	-	1
Dec. 5.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of T. F. Burrows, gg	-	1	1	2	4
1821:						
Jan. 4.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of the Deputy Vendue Masters	5	9	1	-	15
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of G. Cozier	-	1	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of M. Schlessinger	1	-	-	-	1
Feb. 6.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of S. W. Gerdes	1	-	-	-	1
Mar. 6.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of the Executors of S. G. Martens	-	-	1	1	2
April 3.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - { of M <sup>d</sup> Imoy, Sandbach & Co. and others, one undivided moiety in these	23	8	-	-	31
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - D <sup>o</sup> - - - - D <sup>o</sup>	5	2	-	-	7
July 6.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - { of J. Muller and others, one undivided sixth part in the undivided half	7	5	1	1	14
- 7.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of M <sup>d</sup> Imoy, Parker & Co. and others	39	20	9	10	78
Sept. 12.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of H. O. Seward	1	-	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Alexander Reid	-	1	-	-	1
Nov. 6.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of William Davison, gg Seward	1	-	-	-	1
Dec. 4.	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of J. J. L. Moliere	-	1	-	-	1
- -	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - of Robert Gordon	2	-	-	-	2
Total Number		483	376	147	123	1,129

Demerara, }  
the 4th of December 1821.

(signed)

J. Hayley,  
Dep<sup>t</sup> to First Marshal.

(N<sup>o</sup> 15.)—A LIST of the Number of Slaves attached to Estates in the Colony of Demarara and Essequibo, from the Year 1812; viz.

On the 31st Decem-ber:	Slaves.	On the 31st Decem-ber:	Slaves.
{ 1812	- - - - 63,219	{ 1817	- - - - 62,413
{ 1813	- - - - 62,411	{ 1818	- - - - 62,890
{ 1814	- - - - 61,458	{ 1819	- - - - 63,870
{ 1815	- - - - 62,566	{ 1820	- - - - 62,473
{ 1816	- - - - 62,412	{ 1821	returns not received:

THE above is taken from the original Returns given in upon oath; no particulars are stated on the total number on each estate.

(signed)

M. Vret,  
Account<sup>t</sup> Financial Departm<sup>t</sup>.

N<sup>o</sup> 9 —BERBICE.

Copy of a Letter from Governor Beard to the Earl Bathurst; dated Berbice the 2d of April 1822 :—Enclosing Four Returns.

My Lord, King's House, Berbice, 2d April 1822.  
 IN obedience to your Lordship's commands of the 18th of July last, requiring certain Returns regarding the Slaves in this Colony, as set forth in an address of the House of Commons of the 3d of that month, to the King, I now have the honour of transmitting to your Lordship the following documents :

(A.)—Return of the Collector and Comptroller of the Customs of all Slaves Imported and Exported into and out of this Colony, from January 1808 to the 31st of December 1821.

(B.)—Return of the Colonial Secretary of Manumissions effected between the 4th of April 1808 and the 4th of October 1820.

(C.)—Return of the Colonial Secretary of Slaves taken and sold under Execution for Debt, from the 1st of January 1818 to the 3d of December 1821.

(D.)—A Statement of the White, Free Coloured, and Slave Population.

In the hope that these documents will afford all the required information,

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
 &c. &c. &c.

(signed) HENRY BEARD.

(A.)—RETURN of Slaves Imported into and Exported from the Colony of Berbice, since the 1st of January 1808, under License.

DATE.	VESSELS NAME.	CAPTAINS NAME.	FROM WHENCE.	SEX :		TOTAL	Annual Total.	
				Male.	Female.		Number.	Year.
IMPORTED :								
1808 - Jan.	Berbice -	F. Burgess -	Barbadoes -	sex not mentioned.		32	440	1808.
-	Admiral Nelson	J. Percival	- D <sup>o</sup> -	-	d <sup>o</sup> -	11		
Feb.	Princess Royal	J. Laughton	- D <sup>o</sup> -	-	d <sup>o</sup> -	220		
-	Minerva -	J. Hannah -	- D <sup>o</sup> -	-	d <sup>o</sup> -	177		
1809 - Dec.	Amelia -	H. C. Darrel	Martinique	-	d <sup>o</sup> -	37	37	1809.
1812 - Feb.	Dolphin -	Hamlet -	Surinam -	8	-	8	12	1812.
Oct.	Retrieve -	J. C. Hill -	Barbadoes -	2	2	4		
1816 - Jan.	Maria -	Griffith -	Surinam -	4	3	7	53	1816.
Feb.	Nickerie -	Berwick -	- D <sup>o</sup> -	sex not mentioned.		13		
April	Harriett and Elizabeth.	Moodie -	Grenada -	5	-	5		
May	Industry -	J. Hazel -	St. Kitts -	sex not mentioned.		14		
July	Harriet and Elizabeth.	Moodie -	Grenada -	1	1	2		
Nov.	Eliza -	Louis -	St. Kitts -	sex not mentioned.		12		
1819 - March	Meg Merrilies	Sambo -	Demerara -	-	4	4		
Aug.	Overland -	-	- D <sup>o</sup> -	27	20	47	55	1819.
Oct.	Caledonia -	Castillo -	- D <sup>o</sup> -	1	3	4		
1820 - April	Eliza -	Parker -	- D <sup>o</sup> -	3	1	4	118	1820.
May	Swift -	Billy -	- D <sup>o</sup> -	1	1	2		
June	Providence -	Harrod -	- D <sup>o</sup> -	3	5	8		
-	Overland -	-	- D <sup>o</sup> -	54	38	92		
Aug.	D <sup>o</sup> -	-	- D <sup>o</sup> -	10	-	10		
Sept.	Eliza -	Parker -	- D <sup>o</sup> -	2	-	2		
1821 - Feb.	Overland -	-	- D <sup>o</sup> -	1	6	7		
June	D <sup>o</sup> -	-	- D <sup>o</sup> -	3	2	5	73	1821.
Nov.	Ranger -	Boy -	- D <sup>o</sup> -	34	27	61		
Grand Total -						788		

Custom-House, Berbice, }  
 1st January 1822. }

(signed)

J. Walker, Colr.  
 Chas Kyte, Act<sup>o</sup> Compt.

DATE.	VESSEL'S NAME.	CAPTAIN'S NAME.	WHITHER BOUND.	SEX :		TOTAL	Annual Total.	
				Male.	Female.		Number.	Year.
EXPORTED :								
1812 - May	Sisters - -	Peter - -	Demerara -	9	1	10	10	1812
1813 - Oct.	D° - -	Alby - -	D° - -	sex not men- tioned.		50	50	1813
1814 - Aug.	Harriet - -	- -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	23	23	1814
1815 - Feb.	Reliance - -	Alby - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	54	580	1815
March	Kitty - -	Jones - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	63		
-	Camilla - -	Symon - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	19		
-	Reliance - -	- -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	66		
April	Mary - -	George - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	80		
-	Cæsar - -	Nelson - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	22		
May	Reliance - -	Alby - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	37		
-	Harriet & John	Peter - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	39		
June	Adventure - -	Punch - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	8		
July	Lady Seaforth	Tom - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	69		
Oct.	Tarlogie - -	Bruce - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	50		
Nov.	Industry - -	Portland - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	50		
Dec.	Eliza - -	Thomas - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	23		
1816 - Jan.	Tarlogie - -	Bruce - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	50	929	1816
-	D° - -	D° - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	52		
-	Triad - -	Gourlay - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	75		
-	Lady Seaforth	Tom - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	62		
-	Eliza - -	Thomas - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	43		
Feb.	Tarlogie - -	Bruce - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	51		
-	Adventure - -	Punch - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	16		
March	Swift - -	C. M'Rae - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	60		
-	Lady Nelson -	J. A. Walton	D° - -	- -	d° - -	28		
April	D° - -	D° - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	49		
-	D° - -	D° - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	74		
-	Swift - -	Billy - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	36		
-	Lady Nelson -	J. A. Walton	D° - -	- -	d° - -	57		
July	Swift - -	John - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	65		
-	Richmond - -	Tom - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	65		
-	Nereus - -	Jack - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	65		
-	Harriet and Elizabeth.	Moodie - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	72		
Aug.	Rose - -	Tom - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	9		
1817 - April	Lady Nelson -	A. Ross - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	40	190	1817
June	Otter - -	H. Smith - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	63		
-	D° - -	D° - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	59		
Sept.	Alexander -	Frank - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	28		
1818 - Sept.	Otter - -	J. Elins - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	76	222	1818
-	D° - -	D° - -	D° - -	- -	d° - -	22		
Dec.	Mary - -	Tomavichie	D° - -	39	43	82		
-	Otter - -	Frank - -	D° - -	23	19	42		
1819 - Jan.	D° - -	D° - -	D° - -	11	10	21	516	1819
-	Olive Branch	Castillo - -	D° - -	61	3	64		
-	Eliza - -	Prentice - -	D° - -	41	24	65		
Feb.	Castle Mona -	Quamina - -	D° - -	12	13	25		
-	Gustavus - -	Hannibal - -	D° - -	11	15	26		
-	Meg Merrilies	Sambo - -	D° - -	3	19	22		
-	Reliance - -	Alby - -	D° - -	13	12	25		
-	Castle Mona -	Quamina - -	D° - -	12	13	25		
March	Otter - -	Frank - -	D° - -	14	11	25		
-	Meg Merrilies	Sambo - -	D° - -	8	8	16		
-	Reliance - -	Alby - -	D° - -	13	10	23		
April	Meg Merrilies	Sambo - -	D° - -	4	5	9		
May	Harriet & John	Peter - -	D° - -	9	6	15		
-	Meg Merrilies	Sambo - -	D° - -	5	3	8		
-	Traffic - -	Harry - -	D° - -	7	-	7		
-	Otter - -	Frank - -	D° - -	2	2	4		
July	Nancy - -	Lock - -	D° - -	15	-	15		
Sept.	Aurora - -	King - -	D° - -	19	14	33		
Oct.	Christmas -	Forydell - -	D° - -	12	3	15		
-	Meg Merrilies	Sambo - -	D° - -	16	12	28		
-	Aurora - -	King - -	D° - -	17	20	37		
Dec.	Cleopatra -	La Rose - -	D° - -	7	1	8		

DATE.	VESSEL'S NAME.	CAPTAIN'S NAME.	WHITHER BOUND.	SEX.		TOTAL.	ANNUAL TOTAL.	
				Male.	Female.		Number.	Year.
EXPORTED :								
1820 - Feb.	Eliza - -	Parker - -	Demerara -	12	-	12	266	1820
March	Meg Merrilies	Sambo - -	- D° - -	18	11	29		
-	Caledonia -	Lock - -	- D° - -	8	8	16		
-	Meg Merrilies	Sambo - -	- D° - -	14	15	29		
-	Gustavus -	Hannibal -	- D° - -	11	9	20		
April	Meg Merrilies	Sambo - -	- D° - -	12	17	29		
-	Eliza - -	Parker - -	- D° - -	13	9	22		
May	- - - Overland	- - -	- D° - -	25	17	42		
July	- - - D°	- - -	- D° - -	1	-	1		
-	- - - D°	- - -	- D° - -	1	-	1		
Aug.	- - - D°	- - -	- D° - -	6	3	9		
Sept.	- - - D°	- - -	- D° - -	2	2	4		
Oct.	Ness - -	Charles - -	- D° - -	22	28	50		
Nov.	Providence -	Harrod - -	- D° - -	-	2	2		
1821 - Jan.	- - - Overland	- - -	- D° - -	6	-	6		
-	Ness - -	Charles - -	- D° - -	30	20	50		
March	- - - Overland	- - -	- D° - -	3	-	3		
-	Mary - -	Ja <sup>r</sup> Fraser -	- D° - -	85	55	140		
-	Ness - -	Charles - -	- D° - -	21	20	41		
April	- - - Overland	- - -	- D° - -	1	-	1		
-	- - - D°	- - -	- D° - -	30	12	42		
-	Mary - -	Alexander -	- D° - -	12	26	38		
May	- - - Overland	- - -	- D° - -	35	30	65		
July	Bess - -	W. Cain - -	- D° - -	4	-	4		
Aug.	Providence -	Harrod - -	- D° - -	2	4	6		
-	- - - Overland	- - -	- D° - -	1	-	1		
Sept.	- - - D°	- - -	- D° - -	13	8	21		
Oct.	Overland, and per Lady Seaforth, P. Fairbairn -		- D° - -	46	32	78		
-	- - - Overland	- - -	- D° - -	1	-	1		
Nov.	- - - D°	- - -	- D° - -	1	-	1		
Grand Total -						498	1821	
Grand Total -						3,284		

Custom House, Berbice, }  
1st January 1822. }

(signed) J. Walker, Coll<sup>r</sup>  
Cha<sup>r</sup> Kyte, Acc<sup>t</sup> Compt<sup>r</sup>

(B.)—RETURN of Manumissions effected in the Colony of Berbice, from the 4th day of April 1808 to the 4th day of April 1820.

Year and Date.	PROPRIETORS.	REPRESENTATIVES.	PERSONS MANUMITTED.	Petty Duty Office.	Poor Fund.
1808: April 4	Clement Mannings	A. Lun, and H. W. Hackman, executors - - -	Negress, Betje - - -	200	400
July 11	Joseph Prowell -	J. Wilson, and J. Douglas, executors - - -	Harry Christmas and old John -	600	1,800
Nov. 23	Nicolas Savey -	J. A. Hickin - - -	Present, & mulatto child Elizabeth	300	300
- -	J. G. Swaving -	- - -	Black woman, Marietje - - -	200	600
- -	Free negro, Darins	- - -	His child Dorinda - - -	100	250
1809: July 4	R. G. Culmer -	- - -	Mulatto, Harriet, and child Margaritha Antoinetta - - -	300	300
- -	L. C. Abbensets	- - -	Negress, Juno - - -	208	800
1810: Jan. 8	Negress, Flora -	L. C. Abbensets, and D. H. Meyer, executors - - -	Tennetje, and her 3 children, Lena, Thomas, and Joe, and Negress Roosje - - -	700	1,000
- -	John Munro -	Donald Cameron, executor -	Molly and John - - -	400	700
Oct. 2	H. Malstude -	L. C. Abbensets, executor -	Mulatto, Adam - - -	200	500
1811: Jan. 8	J. A. Lusner -	- - -	Mulatto Girl, Johanna - - -	200	400
April 1	P. B. Bender -	- - -	Mulatto Girl, Mutje - - -	200	500
- -	Fayle Read -	- - -	Mulatto, Caroline, and 2 children, William and Mary - - -	400	1,200
July 1	Negress, Carolina	Assisted by F. A. Rodinbrock	for herself - - -	100	500
Oct. 7	C. L. Bonn -	- - -	Mulatto, child Hannah - - -	100	440

Year and Date.	PROPRIETORS.	REPRESENTATIVES.	PERSONS MANUMITTED.	PettyDuty Office.	Poor Fund.
1812:					
Jan. 6	William Heathcote	Thomas Frankland	Jack, Stag, Moussa, and Lucy	f. 800	f. 2,400
- -	- -	- -	Negress, Doctrina, assisted by F. A. Rodenbrock, for herself and two children, Betsey and Mary	400	500
July 6	Mary Richards, assisted by A. G. Calmer, - -	- -	for herself - - - -	200	150
1813:					
April 5	O. W. Lantshuur	- - - - -	Polly Wann - - - -	200	300
- -	Lena Muller	- - - - -	Sambo Girl Mutje - - - -	200	250
- -	Mulatto woman, Kitty Hall, assisted by A. G. Calmer, for herself - - - -	- - - - -	- - - - -	200	150
Oct. 4	Mulatto woman, Molly Hagar, assisted by A. F. Fischer, for herself - - - -	- - - - -	Mulatto woman, Massey, - - - -	200	150
- -	- -	- -	for herself - - - -	200	500
1814.					
May 10	J. G. Jones	- - - - -	Negress, Atida - - - -	200	200
- -	H. P. Brocker	- - - - -	Mulatto girl, Frederica - - - -	100	220
- -	Negress, Louisa, assisted by E. Bennett, - - - -	- - - - -	for herself - - - -	200	220
- -	- -	- -	Negress, Foreba - - - -	200	400
- -	- -	- -	- - Annatje - - - -	200	500
- -	- -	- -	Mustice, Anna Trisman - - - -	200	1,000
Oct. 4	Widow H. J. Buse	J. Vandebroek, and A. A. de La Court, executors - -	Negro, Jacob - - - -	200	550
- -	- -	- -	Doove Jan - - - -	200	800
- -	- -	- -	Frederick - - - -	200	600
- -	- -	- -	Lourr - - - -	200	550
1815:					
July 5	Catharine Richards, assisted by F. Fischer, - - - -	- - - - -	herself - - - -	200	-
- - 14	John Ross - - - -	- - - - -	Mulatto boy, John - - - -	100	300
- -	Hector M'Kenzie	John Fraser, executor - - - -	Mulatto girl, Rose - - - -	200	300
1816:					
Jan. 9	Hans Lunn, assisted by G. Schwartz, - - - -	- - - - -	for himself - - - -	200	200
- -	Mulatto, Doll, d <sup>e</sup> - by J. Ross, for herself and two children, Hugh and Margaret - - - -	- - - - -	- - - - -	400	1,000
- -	William Henry - - - -	- - - - -	Mulatto boy, Archibald - - - -	200	300
April 3	Widow Gouch - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Diana - - - -	200	800
July 5	John Tupin - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Princess - - - -	200	800
- -	Alex. Simpson - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Thracey - - - -	200	500
- -	Daniel Allt - - - -	- - - - -	Mulatto woman, Anne - - - -	200	150
Oct. 11	Negress Cumba, assisted by A. G. Calmer, herself, and three coloured children, Elizabeth, Frances and Susannah - - - -	- - - - -	- - - - -	500	600
- -	Wolf <sup>t</sup> Katz - - - -	- - - - -	Negro, Jack - - - -	200	800
- -	A. Kucger - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Christian - - - -	200	500
- -	J. J. Vanderstoop - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Margaretha - - - -	200	150
- -	W. Reynolds - - - -	- - - - -	Mulatto girl, Eleanor - - - -	200	150
1817:					
Aug. 7	J. Erskine - - - -	- - - - -	Mulatto, Catherine, and Peter - - - -	400	400
Oct. 8	H. Luthers, n. Ux. - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Johanna - - - -	200	500
- -	Negress, Julia, assisted by T. J. D. May, - - - -	- - - - -	for herself - - - -	200	150
- -	John Carruthers - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Betty - - - -	200	400
- -	Mulatto woman, Magdelain, assisted by S. Kendall, for herself - - - -	- - - - -	- - - - -	200	150
- -	Sarah Schlapfer - - - -	- - - - -	Negro, Welcome - - - -	200	150
- -	Duncan Fraser - - - -	- - - - -	Mulatto, Bessey - - - -	200	150
- -	Alida Struys (a minor) assisted by W. Helder - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Martha - - - -	200	150
- -	John Scott, assisted by R. C. Downer, - - - -	- - - - -	himself - - - -	200	250
1818:					
Jan. 7	P. Hanwelle - - - -	- - - - -	Mulatto boy, R. C. Hanwelle - - - -	200	1,000
April 8	Samel Hiles - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Amba, and two Mulatto children, Eliza, and Johanna - - - -	400	500
- -	Will Jansen - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Maria, and her children } Trity, Pieter, Lyza, Alexander, and boys, Thomas and Ernst - - - -	800	1,200
- -	Mulatto woman, Isabella, assisted by J Downer, - - - -	- - - - -	herself and child, Mary - - - -	300	500
- -	William Fraser - - - -	- - - - -	Alexander - - - -	200	500
- -	B. P. Bender - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Gentile, and her children } Rosina, Anna, George and Hendrik - - - -	600	750
- -	John Fraser - - - -	John Sutherland - - - -	Negress, Betsey - - - -	200	500
- -	H. T. Edwards - - - -	- - - - -	Mary Jane Wells - - - -	200	300
July 7	J. J. Curvey - - - -	Charles Kyte - - - -	Casteo Caroline - - - -	200	500
- -	L. F. Galley - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Theresia, and her two children Joseph and Isaac; Mustee children, Helena, Petronella, Lodiwyk, Ferdinand and Narina - - - -	900	1,000
- -	Richard White - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Cordelia, and her three children, Johanna, John, and Thomas - - - -	500	600
- -	Negress, Kate, assisted by W. Kirley, - - - -	- - - - -	herself - - - -	200	150
- -	J. L. Kip - - - -	- - - - -	Negress, Polly, and her two children, Johannah Elizabeth, and Maria Antoinetta - - - -	400	450

Year and Date.	PROPRIETORS.	REPRESENTATIVES.	PERSONS MANUMITTED.	Petty Duty Office.	Poor Fund.
1818: Nov. 28	Fred <sup>k</sup> Cort	- - - - -	Mulatto Woman, Betsy	f. 200	f. 500
- - -	W. Coultron	- - - - -	- D <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> Jenny	100	300
- - -	Negress, Ann	assisted by B. Jeffery	for herself	200	300
- - -	William Corrie	- - - - -	Negress, Nancy, and her two children, William and Mary	400	600
1819: Jan. 6	James Blair	John Ross, gg	Colin and Trim	200	2,000
- - -	J. Gublike	- - - - -	Negress, Annatje, and her two children, Elizabeth and Catharina	400	600
- - -	John Downer	- - - - -	Mustice, Mary Ann, and her children, John, James and Elizabeth	500	600
- - -	David Millar	- - - - -	Mustice, Charlotte French	200	400
April 6	John Layfield	- - - - -	Negress, Peggy, and her child, Mary	200	1,200
July 6	Johannes Bakker	J. B. Nunwenhover, and W. Hilder, executors.	Doris	200	100
Oct. 5	J. J. Vulpins	- - - - -	His Son, T. J. Vulpins	200	600
July 6	Christoffel Millekolzer, W. Helder, and H. C. Mellelhobzer, executors.	- - - - -	Negress, Rosina, and her two children, William Christoffel and Joseph	400	1,000
1820: Feb. 5	Joseph Thompson	- - - - -	Mulatto, Cecilia, and her three children, Hannah, Harriet, and John Thompson	500	750
July 6	Negress Kitty, assisted by J. M <sup>c</sup> Lean	- - - - -	Herself, and child, Harriet	300	500
- 11	John Layfield	- - - - -	Mary Ann and John William	400	500
- - -	E. F. Hentze	- - - - -	Mulatto Woman, Grutje	200	500
Oct. 4	H. Fishbuck	P. B. Bender	Mulatto child, Frederica	100	150

I hereby certify the above to be a true extract from the Register of Manumissions resting in the Secretary's office of the Colony of Berbice.

(signed) J. Downer, Act<sup>s</sup> Col. Secretary.

(C.)—A RETURN of Slaves taken and sold under Execution for Debt in the Colony of Berbice, from 1st of January 1818 to the 3d December 1821.

Mulatto Boy, George	- - - - -	20th July 1820.
Negro, Tom	- - - - -	31st October 1821.
Negro, Scipio	- - - - -	31st October 1821.

A true extract from the record of Execution Sales resting in the Secretary's office of the Colony of Berbice. To which I attest.

(signed) J. Downer, Act<sup>s</sup> Col. Secretary.

(D.)—STATEMENT of the White, Free Coloured, and Slave Population in the Colony of Berbice, subject to the Capitation Tax, from the Year 1812 to the Year 1822 inclusive, being Adults, and Children from Three to Ten Years of age: Two Children rated equal to an Adult.

YEARS when Returned.	BY WHOM.	Whites.	Free Coloured.	Slaves.	Total.
1812	returned by estates	448	79	22,094	22,612
1813	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	395	100	21,097	21,592
1814	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	362	71	20,132	20,565
1815	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	367	83	19,934	20,384
1816	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	373	98	19,106	19,577
1817	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	366	82	17,813	18,261
1818	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	375	68	17,912	18,355
1819	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	349	72	17,694	18,115
1820	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	351	79	17,562	17,992
1821	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	338	91	17,002	17,431
1822	- d <sup>o</sup> - - d <sup>o</sup> - -	310	94	16,300	16,704
The population of the whites, free coloured, and slaves in town, subject to the capitation tax during the aforesaid years, may be rated at an average each year of - -		245	460	2,000	

The foregoing statement taken from the books in the Receiver General's office, in which the number of Children under three years of age, during the aforesaid different periods, do not appear.



## N° 10.—ST. CHRISTOPHER.

COPY of a Letter from Governor Maxwell to the Earl Bathurst; dated St. Christopher, 1st May 1822 :—Enclosing 6 Returns.

My Lord, Government-House, St. Christopher, 1st May 1822.

I HAVE the honour to enclose to your Lordship the following Returns from this Island, agreeably to your Lordship's circular of the 18th of July last, addressed to Mr. President Wilson :

- N° 1. Return of Slaves Imported since 1808 ;  
 N° 2. Return of Slaves Exported since 1808 ;  
 N° 3. Return of Manumissions by purchase, &c. since 1808 ;  
 N° 4. Return of Marriages legally solemnized since 1808 ;  
 N° 5. Return of Slaves taken and sold since 1821 under Executions ;  
 N° 6. Return of slaves from the year 1812.—No slaves have been escheated to the Crown since 1808.

Your Lordship will observe, that the " Return of Slaves taken and sold, &c." is only furnished from the 1st of May 1820, the period when the present Deputy Provost Marshal entered on his duties. I have received no reply from his predecessor to my applications for the Returns previous to that date.

The Return of the Population of June 1812 will not embrace all the information required by the House of Commons, as the only date afforded for such information are the books kept by the churchwardens of the parishes; and as the object of any registration previous to the one established lately was merely to levy a poll-tax, several inaccuracies, arising from carelessness or evasions, must be attributed to each census.

I beg to assure your Lordship that I have made every exertion to procure the aforementioned returns as early as possible; and I have endeavoured to render them as clear and explicit as the several data on which they are framed would allow.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed)

CHARLES MAXWELL.

(N° 1.)—RETURN of the Number of Slaves Imported into the Port of Basseterre, St. Kitt's, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each Year, and the Sex of the Slaves Imported; and specifying the Places from whence Imported.

Date of Importation.	Males.	Females.	From whence Imported.
1810 - April 30 - -	10	10	- - Demerara.
May 29 - 13	sex not mentioned		- - Turk's Island.
1812 - Dec. 30 - 5	- d°	- d°	- - St. Vincent.
1813 - May 22 -	4	1	- - Ditto.
Dec. 9 - -	7	5	- - Montserrat.
1820 - Feb. 9 - -	-	2	- - Antigua.
July 1 - -	-	1	- - Ditto.
Total - 18	21	19	

Custom-House, Basseterre, }  
St. Kitts, 20th October 1821. }

(signed)

{ C. Woodley, Collr.  
{ W. H. Male, Compt'r.

(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)—RETURN of the Number of Slaves Exported from the Port of Basseterre, St. Christopher, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each Year, and the Sex of the Slaves Exported; and specifying the Places for which they were cleared out.

Date of Exportation.	Males.	Females.	For what Places cleared out.
1810 - May 4	10	- -	Philipsburgh, St. Martin.
1811 - Jan. 1	4	2	Bridgetown, Barbadoes.
- - Mar. 26	3	4	Port of Spain, Trinidad.
- - - -	9	2	- - D <sup>o</sup> - - - D <sup>o</sup> .
1812 - Jan. 17	2	3	Charlestown, Nevis.
- - June 10	10	11	Montserrat.
- - July 18	2	2	Port Royal, Martinique
- - Oct. 6	1	7	Nevis.
- - Nov. 16	7	- -	D <sup>o</sup> .
1813 - Mar. 30	2	8	St. Vincent.
- - July 20	5	12	St. Eustatius.
1814 - Oct. 18	3	- -	Tortola.
- - Nov. 26	2	2	St. Martin.
- - - 29	1	2	St. Vincent.
1815 - April 27	3	8	St. John, Antigua.
- - May 6	2	2	St. Vincent.
- - June 13	- -	1	Trinidad.
1816 - Mar. 14	6	5	Nevis.
- - April 19	8	1	Berbice.
- - July 7	1	2	St. Vincent.
1817 - Aug. 27	1	- -	Trinidad.
- - Oct. 16	2	1	Grenada.
- - Nov. 19	1	- -	Barbadoes.
1818 - April 18	1	- -	St. Vincent.
1820 - Jan. 3	2	- -	Grenada.
- - Feb. 4	1	- -	Dominica.
- - - 29	1	- -	Antigua.
- - April 11	1	4	Demerara.
- - - 22	1	- -	Nevis.
- - June 6	1	- -	St. Vincent.
- - - 24	1	1	Nevis.
- - Sept. 15	1	1	Grenada.
- - - 26	1	- -	St. Vincent.
1821 - Jan. 12	1	- -	Nassau, New Providence.
- - Feb. 23	1	- -	Barbadoes.
- - Mar. 17	1	1	St. Vincent.
- - July 23	1	- -	Trinidad.
- - - -	- -	1	D <sup>o</sup> .
- - - -	1	1	D <sup>o</sup> .
Total -	101	84	

Custom-House, Basseterre, }  
St. Kitt's, 30th Oct. 1821. }

(signed)  
(signed)

C. Woodley, Collr.  
W. H. Male, Compt.

ST. CHRISTOPHER'S.—(N<sup>o</sup> 3.)—A RETURN of all Manumissions effected by Purchase, Bequests, or otherwise, since the 1st day of January 1808 to the 30th day of September 1821.

YEARS:	By Deeds.		By Bequests.		Total Amount for each Year.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1808 - - - - -	1	-	-	2	- - 3
1809 - - - - -	-	-	-	-	- - -
1810 - - - - -	-	7	-	-	- - 7
1811 - - - - -	-	1	-	-	- - 1
1812 - - - - -	-	-	3	1	- - 4
1813 - - - - -	1	2	-	1	- - 4
1814 - - - - -	-	3	1	2	- - 6
1815 - - - - -	46	64	2	6	- - 118
1816 - - - - -	45	39	4	2	- - 90
1817 - - - - -	27	65	-	-	- - 92
1818 - - - - -	20	28	1	2	- - 51
1819 - - - - -	22	43	-	3	- - 68
1820 - - - - -	16	55	-	-	- - 71
1821 - - - - -	14	24	-	-	- - 38
Total -	192	331	11	19	553

I Certify that the foregoing is a true Return; and that there has been no tax laid, or fine imposed or paid, in the Island for the time aforesaid, on the Manumission of Slaves; and that I am not aware of any existing law of the said Island for that time requiring it.

(signed) *John Garnet*, Registrar of Deeds.

(N<sup>o</sup> 4.)—A RETURN of the Number of Marriages legally solemnized between Free Black and Coloured Persons in the Island of St. Christopher, since the 1st day of January 1808.

PARISHES.	1808.	1809.	1810.	1811.	1812.	1813.	1814.	1815.	1816.	1817.	1818.	1819.	1820.	1821.
Saint George -	2	2	4	-	-	3	3	4	2	2	2	3	4	1
Saint Peter -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saint Mary -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Christ Christ -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saint John -	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Saint Paul -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saint Anne -	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Saint Thomas -	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinity -	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Total -	2	2	4	1	4	3	7	4	2	2	3	3	6	3

Total - - - - - 46

Collected from the Reports of the Rectors of the different Parishes.  
(signed) *CHARLES MAXWELL*.

(N<sup>o</sup> 5.)—A RETURN of the Number of Slaves taken and sold under Execution by Isaac Deming, Deputy Provost Marshal of St. Christopher, from the 1st of May 1821, the day on which he was sworn into office, to the 31st of December 1821.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
From the 1st to the 31st of May - - 1821 - - - - -	-	-	-
From the 1st to the 30th of June - - - - -	1	2	3
From the 1st to the 31st of July - - - - -	3	1	4
From the 1st to the 31st of August - - - - -	8	13	21
From the 1st to the 30th of September - - - - -	11	12	23
From the 1st to the 31st of October - - - - -	10	10	20
From the 1st to the 30th of November - - - - -	-	-	-
From the 1st to the 31st of December - - - - -	1	1	2
On the 24th September were sold, with an estate, in the parish of St. Paul Capistine - - - - -	34	39	73
On the 31st October were sold, with an estate, in the same parish - - - - -	43	46	89
	34	39	73
Grand Total -	111	124	235

A RETURN of Persons lodged in the common gaol of Saint Christopher, from the 1st day of May to the 31st day of December 1821, as Slaves, but who declared themselves to be free.

1821:

May 7th—William Sands, a black man, was committed by the magistratess on suspicion of being a runaway slave from the island of Saint Vincent.

May 18th—The above man died in prison.

Sept. 14th—John Fletcher, a black man, was committed by the magistrate on suspicion of being a runaway slave from the island of St. Martin.

Oct. 27th—This man was discharged, he having substantiated his freedom.

There are no means by which the Marshal can ascertain the slaves estreated to the Crown, it not being in his department.

22d January 1822.

(signed) Isaac Deming, D. P. M.

(N<sup>o</sup> 6.)—RETURN of Slaves, from the Year 1812 to 1821, both inclusive, in St. Christopher's.

PARISHES:	1812:	1813:	1814:	1815:	1816:	1817:	1818:	1819:	1820:	1821:
St. John -	1,463	1,398	1,430	1,472	1,447	1,439	1,498	1,543	1,523	1,521
St. Mary -	2,110	2,080	2,018	1,961	1,917	1,975	1,975	1,932	1,893	1,834
St. Anne -	2,065	1,956	2,031	2,044	2,087	2,167	2,246	2,198	2,186	2,132
Trinity -	1,513	1,483	1,432	1,491	1,449	1,450	1,445	1,372	1,316	1,275
St. Peter -	2,898	-	2,809	2,800	2,812	2,827	2,792	2,821	2,761	2,741
St. Paul -	1,737	1,645	1,412	1,372	1,374	1,431	1,418	1,456	1,379	1,433
St. Thomas -	2,298	2,269	2,255	2,217	2,145	2,069	2,048	2,069	-	2,011
St. George -	2,750	2,708	2,731	2,781	2,685	2,761	3,024	3,190	3,140	2,994
Christ Church	1,991	1,952	1,952	1,976	1,973	1,996	1,985	1,994	1,941	1,847
Total -	18,825	15,588	18,070	18,114	17,889	18,115	18,431	18,575	16,139	17,788

Collected from the several reports of the Churchwardens.

(signed) CHARLES MAXWELL.

## No. 11.—TORTOLA.

COPY of a Letter from Governor Maxwell to the Earl Bathurst, dated St. Kitts, 1st of May 1822 :—Enclosing 6 Returns.

My LORD,

Government House, St. Kitts, 1st May 1822.

IN reference to my Despatch No. 10, I have the honour to forward the following Returns from the island of Tortola ;

- N<sup>o</sup> 1. Return of slaves Imported since 1808 ;  
 N<sup>o</sup> 2. Return of slaves Exported since 1808 ;  
 N<sup>o</sup> 3. Return of Manumissions since 1808 ;  
 N<sup>o</sup> 4. Return of Marriages since 1808 ;  
 N<sup>o</sup> 5. Return of slaves taken and sold under Execution since 1818 ;  
 N<sup>o</sup> 6. Return of Population since 1812 ;

No “ slaves have been escheated to the Crown since 1808,” or any “ persons since that period been committed to gaol as runaways, but who declared themselves free,” by the declaration of the Deputy Provost-Marshal. I beg leave to submit to your Lordship, that the illegal Importation and Exportation of slaves, stated in the Returns N<sup>o</sup> 1 and 2, occurred prior to my arrival in this government; and that the first official intimation I have received of the transactions is from these Returns.

The President of Tortola informs me that he has endeavoured to make the Returns as correct as possible; and I venture to assure your Lordship that they may be considered as authentic as any that I can procure.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) CHARLES MAXWELL.

(N<sup>o</sup> 1.)—RETURN of Slaves Imported into the Island of Tortola, from the 1st day of January 1808, to the 31st day of January 1822.

DATE.	Vessel's Name.	Master's Name.	From Whence.	Slaves.	
				Males.	Females
1814; Aug. 4	Manuella - -	Jose Joaquina	- - Africa;—condemned in the vice admiralty court as prize to H. M. S. Musquito.	277	37
- 14	Venus - -	— Susar -	- - Africa;—condemned in the vice admiralty court as prize to H. M. S. Barbadoes.	225	78
Nov. 24	Candelaria -	— Garcia -	- - Africa;—condemned in the vice admiralty court as prize to H. M. S. Barosa.	119	53
1815; Feb. 2	Atrivedo - -	— Castelares	Total Imported from } 1808 to this date - } - - Africa;—condemned in the vice admiralty court as prize to H. M. S. ster.	621	168
			Total imported in 1815	142	139
1819; Sept. 14	Lord Wellington	Geo. Patnelli -	- - - Anegada;—being the cargo of the Portuguese ship Dona Paula, wrecked on the shoals; also being part of the crew of the said vessel.	126	100
			Total Imported from } 1819 to 1822 - }	14	Slaves.
				240	Slaves.

A true Return, made up from the Records remaining in this office.

Custom-House, Tortola, }  
31st January 1822. }

(signed) Geo. Beare, Coll<sup>r</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)—RETURN of Slaves Exported from the Island of Tortola, from the 1st day of January 1808 to the 31st of January 1822.

DATE.	Vessel's Name.	Master's Name.	Whence Exported.	Slaves :	
				Males.	Females.
1810: July 11	Neptune - -	John M'Kenzie -	Trinidad - -	6 negroes, their sexes not described.	
Total Exported in 1808 -				6 slaves.	
1811: June 11	Mackay - -	William Carter -	Antigua - -	7 negroes, their sexes not described.	
Dec. 23	Neptune - -	John Edgers -	Demerara - -	9	3
Total Exported in 1811 -				16	3
1812: July 22	Good Intent -	James Wickham	St. John's - -	35 male and female slaves, the number of each sex not stated.	
Oct. 30	Neptune - -	William Warner	Trinidad - -	2	1
Total Exported in 1812 -				38 slaves.	
1813: Jan. 15	Neptune - -	William Warner	St. Christopher's	3	5
Total Exported in 1813 -				3	5
1815: Feb. 8	Mary Ann -	Thomas Amey -	Nevis - -	3 slaves, their sexes not described.	
Total Exported in 1815 -				3 slaves.	
1817: July 26	John & Margaret	William Warner	St. Martin's -	2	6
N. B.—Returned on the 2d of August, having been driven back in distress; but no subsequent memorandum whether exported or not.				and 4 children, their sexes not described.	
1819: June 28	Sarah Ann -	Thomas Hughs -	Anguilla - -	1	2
Sept. 13	Lord Wellington	Geo. Patnelli	Bahia, on the coast of Brazil, being part of the cargo of the Portuguese ship Donna Paula, wrecked at Anegada	Africans. 90   90	
- 16	Elizabeth - -	Affection Isham	Bahia, being part of the cargo of the Donna Paula -	8 slaves, sexes not described.	
- -	Hannah - -	Abrah <sup>m</sup> Rawleigh	Bahia - - part of the cargo of the Donna Paula - also part of the crew of the said vessel.	36	10
Total Exported for 1819 -				6 slaves.	
Total Exported for 1819 -				243 slaves.	
1821: July 11	John & Margaret	George Best -	Tobago - -	3	3
Total Exported in 1821 -				3	3

Custom-House, Tortola, }  
31st January 1822. }

A true Return, made up from the Records remaining in this Office.

(signed)

George Beare,  
Collr.

(N<sup>o</sup> 3.)—A RETURN of Slaves manumitted by Will within the Virgin Islands, from the Year 1808 up to March 1822 inclusive.

1808	- - -	Fourteen	1813	- - -	One	1818	- - -	Thirty-five.
1809	- - -	Four	1814	- - -	Three	1819	- - -	Seventeen.
1810	- - -	Two	1815	- - -	Two	1820	- - -	Four.
1811	- - -	Six	1816	- - -	Twenty-two	1821	- - -	Thirteen.
1812	- - -	Two	1817	- - -	Eight	1822	- - -	Ten.
Total - - One hundred and forty-three.								

(signed) *William Gordon*, Registrar of Deeds for the Virgin Islands.

A Return of Slaves manumitted by deed within the Virgin Islands, from the Year 1800 to March 1822 inclusive.

1808	- - -	Twelve	1813	- - -	Four	1818	- - -	Thirty.
1809	- - -	Seventeen	1814	- - -	Six	1819	- - -	Seven.
1810	- - -	Eleven	1815	- - -	Nine	1820	- - -	-
1811	- - -	Five	1816	- - -	Fifteen	1821	- - -	Five.
1812	- - -	Four	1817	- - -	Twenty-one	1822	- - -	Fifteen.
Total - - One hundred and sixty-one.								

In the year 1812, a bill passed laying a fine of six pounds twelve shillings currency on Manumissions, and the money arising therefrom was appropriated to the payment of an annuity, allowed by bill to Mrs. Jane Turnbull, then the widow of the Honourable William Turnbull, formerly the President of His Majesty's Board of Council for the Virgin Islands; under which first-mentioned bill fourteen persons, and no more, paid the public tax on Manumissions; those persons manumitted during the continuance of the bill having declined recording the Manumissions. The said bill expired at the death of the said Mrs. Turnbull, which happened in September 1813. There has not been any other tax on Manumissions since the expiration of the last-mentioned bill.

(signed) *W<sup>m</sup> Gordon*, Registrar of Deeds for the Virgin Islands.

(N<sup>o</sup> 4.)—MARRIAGES solemnized in the Parish of St. George, Virgin Islands, Tortola, between Free Black or Coloured Persons, or White and Coloured Persons.

In the Year 1819:

- N<sup>o</sup> 1.—Joseph G. Bagnell and Mary Chinnery, coloured persons, supposed free; their condition not being mentioned in the parish register from which this extract is made.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 2.—Benjamin Dougan and Sophia Smith, free black persons, of this parish.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 3.—Bristol Perceval and Frances Audain, free black persons, of this parish.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 4.—Thomas Dawson and Anne Tell, free persons of colour, of this parish.

(signed) *Nicholas M<sup>c</sup>Laughlin*, Rector.

In the Year 1820:

- N<sup>o</sup> 5.—William Daley, free black man, of the island of St. Thomas, and Sarah Elizabeth Galen Fessup, free coloured woman, of the said island.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 6.—Richard Thraske, free coloured man, and Kitty Anne Hetherington, a free black woman, of this parish.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 7.—Joseph Romney and Alexandrine de Castro, free coloured persons, of the island of St. Thomas.

In the Year 1821:

- N<sup>o</sup> 8.—Joseph Harrigan and Rebecca Hetherington, free coloured persons, of this parish.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 9.—Abraham Vanterpool and Mary Nottingham, free black persons, of this parish.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 10.—William King Bagnell and Elizabeth M<sup>c</sup>Cleverty, free coloured persons, of this parish.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 11.—James Sewer, a white man, and Anne Chinnery, a coloured woman, of this parish.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 12.—Christian William Esaneron, and Anne Louisa Vessup, of the Island of St. Thomas, free persons of colour.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 13.—James Sewers and Mary Anne Hodge, free black persons, of this parish.  
 N<sup>o</sup> 14.—William O'Neale and Frances Harrigan, free coloured persons, of this parish.

Extracted from the parish register, this 29th day of January 1822, by me,

(signed) *W<sup>m</sup> Chaderton*, Rector.

(N<sup>o</sup> 5.)—RETURN of all Slaves sold at public Auction, by the Deputy Provost Marshal in Tortola, levied upon under Execution for Debt, from the 1st of January 1818.

DATE OF SALE.	NAMES OF SLAVES.	SEX and COLOUR.		OWNERS.	PURCHASERS.	Executions, or Treasury Warrants for Taxes.	SUM SOLD AT.
							Currency. £. s. d.
1818:							
January 23	Henry	male	black	Maurice Lisle	John Dyer	Execution	120 1 -
June 12	Betty	female	d <sup>o</sup>	James O'Neal	John Dean	d <sup>o</sup>	67 - -
-	Doll	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	B. Chalwill	d <sup>o</sup>	132 - -
July 6	Scipio, her child	male	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Robert Hutton	d <sup>o</sup>	111 - -
-	Christopher	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	Geo. D. Dix	Jos. Harragin	d <sup>o</sup>	34 10 -
-	William	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	E.P. Robertson	d <sup>o</sup>	70 - -
-	Sally	females	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Crab Isaacs	d <sup>o</sup>	104 - -
-	Nelly	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Geo. Martin	d <sup>o</sup>	108 - -
-	Ireland	male	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	124 - -
-	Charles	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Elizabeth Dix	d <sup>o</sup>	120 5 -
-	John	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	John Strachan	d <sup>o</sup>	115 10 -
-	John Fraser	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Thomas Mears	d <sup>o</sup>	78 - -
-	November	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Geo. Martin	d <sup>o</sup>	50 - -
-	Wm. Hodge	d <sup>o</sup>	mulatto	D <sup>o</sup>	Jos. Harragin	d <sup>o</sup>	139 - -
-	Betsey	female	black	D <sup>o</sup>	Richard King	d <sup>o</sup>	60 - -
-	Louisa,	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Geo. Martin	d <sup>o</sup>	63 - -
-	Hiller, her child	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Rob. G. Isaacs	d <sup>o</sup>	120 - -
-	Maria	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Jos. Harragin	d <sup>o</sup>	143 - -
-	Margaret	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	83 - -
-	Davis	male	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	{ Ann C. Lewis, and William Lewis.		
-	Angilla	female	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	160 5 -
-	Maria Smith	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
-	Polly	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
-	Augustus	male	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
-	Benjamin	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
-	Franky	female	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
-	Frankey	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
-	Charles	male	d <sup>o</sup>	Geo. D. Dix	E. P. Robertson	d <sup>o</sup>	125 - -
-	Leak	female	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
October 2	Celia	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	M. & J. Mulloon	A. C. Hill	d <sup>o</sup>	149 - -
- 9	Jack	male	d <sup>o</sup>	Geo. Smith	John Dyer	d <sup>o</sup>	127 - -
-	Sophia	female	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	41 - -
- 17	Bella	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	J. Mulloon	A. C. Hill	d <sup>o</sup>	21 - -
1819:							
January 5	Margaret	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	Eunice Gardner	Wm. Gordon	d <sup>o</sup>	40 - -
-	her child	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
May 22	John	male	d <sup>o</sup>	{ M. Mulloon, dispute as to property.	A. C. Hill	d <sup>o</sup>	133 - -
-	Diana	female	d <sup>o</sup>	B. H. Donovan	Jose Lago	d <sup>o</sup>	51 19 6
-	Hagar	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	J. M. Donovan	d <sup>o</sup>	20 12 6
August 24	Thomas	male	d <sup>o</sup>	Rich. Maduro	F. Ingram	d <sup>o</sup>	125 - -
Sept. 14	Cotto	female	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>			
-	Margaret	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>			
-	Edward	male	d <sup>o</sup>	Charles Lloyd	A. C. Hill	d <sup>o</sup>	441 - -
-	Frederick	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	186 - -
-	Ann	female	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	150 - -
-	Rose	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
-	Molly	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
1820:							
April 20	Jane	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	Sarah Hamilton	Catharine Batt	Treas. warrant	54 - -
-	Jack	male	d <sup>o</sup>	B. Chalwill	W. R. Isaacs	execution	90 - -
June 12	Louisa	female	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	Jos. Harragin	d <sup>o</sup>	90 - -
23	Joaney	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	J. Hanley	d <sup>o</sup>	91 10 -
1821:							
May 17	Rachel	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	Wm. M'Laren	Lydia Pogans	d <sup>o</sup>	125 - -
-	Wm. Smith	male	d <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	D <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>	
June 4	Daphne	female	d <sup>o</sup>	Peter Fleming	P. B. Bunten	{ execution and warrant }	86 - -
-	Mary Anne	d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup>				
-	George	male	d <sup>o</sup>				

(continued.)



II.—PAPERS RELATING TO THE SLAVE POPULATION

DATE OF SALE	NAMES OF SLAVES.	SEX and COLOUR.		OWNERS.	PURCHASERS.	Executions, or Treasury Warrants for Taxes.	SUMS SOLD AT.				
							<i>currency.</i> £. s. d.				
1821:											
June 16	Milton	male	black	Mary Arrendill	Jos. Harragin	Treasury Warrant	73				
-	Kate	female	d°	P. B. Arrindell	- - D° - -	Execution - -	101				
-	George	male	d°								
-	Carracas	d°	d°								
-	Orson	d°	d°	- - D° - -	R. Roberts	- - d° - -	120				
-	John	d°	d°	- - D° - -	Jos. Harragin	- - d° - -	121				
August 18	Adale	female	d°	D. Johnston	P <sup>k</sup> . Whelan	- - d° - -	53				
-	Polly	d°	d°	Eliz. Bedford	John Dyer	- - d° - -	167				
-	Sally her daughter	d°	d°								
-	Louisa d°	d°	d°								
-	Bettse	d°	d°								
-	Isaac	male	d°								
-	Patience	female	d°					- - D° - -	- - D° - -	- - d° - -	290
-	Hannah	d°	d°								
-	Mehela	d°	d°								
1822:											
March 6	Polly	female	mulatto	Caleb and Eliz. Cridland	W. R. Isaacs	Treasury Warrant	50				
-	Sarah	d°	d°								
-	Emily	d°	d°								

Tortola, Marshal's Office, }  
5th March 1822.

A true Extract from the Marshal's Sale Books.  
(signed)

A. M. Belezario, D. Marshal.

(N° 6.)—RETURN of Population since 1812.

Population in the Virgin Islands, from the year 1812 to the year 1822 inclusive.	Births and Deaths from the year 1812 to the year 1822; distinguishing the White, Free Black or Coloured, from the Slave population; distinguishing also the Sexes, as far as the same can be ascertained.	Number of Births and Deaths below 10 years of age, and those above that age, from the year 1812 to the year 1822 inclusive.
<p>No census having ever been taken of the inhabitants of these Islands, this inquiry cannot be satisfied to the full extent required. The only elucidation I can give is taken from the Returns made to the Treasurer of these Islands on oath, by virtue of the Tax Bills that were in force during the said period, by the different Slave Owners, or their representatives, annually, and are as follows:</p> <p>For the year 1812 - 7,269 Slaves. 1813 - 7,089 d°.</p> <p>No Returns made, there being no Tax Bills in force. { 1814 } - - - 1815 } - - - 1816 } - - - 1817 - 6,838 d°. 1818 - 6,875 d°. 1819 - 6,808 d°. 1820 - 6,591 d°. 1821 - 6,350 d°.</p> <p>The Return for 1822 will not be made until the 1st of June next.</p>	<p>No public record of Births or Deaths of White or Black, or of any shade of colour of free or enslaved human beings having ever been kept in these Islands, it is impossible to answer this query.</p> <p>(signed) John Gibbes, Treasurer,</p> <p>Tortola, } 6th March 1822. }</p>	<p>Answered in the preceding column.</p>

N° 12.—TRINIDAD.

COPY of a Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Young to the Earl Bathurst; dated Trinidad, the 29th July 1822 :—Enclosing 8 Returns.

My Lord,

Trinidad, 29th July 1822.

IN compliance with the directions contained in your Lordship's Despatch, dated the 18th day of July 1821, calling for certain Returns required to be laid before the House of Commons, by its address to His Majesty, dated the 3d of July 1821, I have now the honour to transmit to your Lordship the said Returns, and a copy of a letter received from the Registrar of Slaves, stating certain causes for not being able to make his returns of the Import and Export of Slaves conformable in every particular to the order.

I have also the honour to state to your Lordship, that much difficulty and delay has been experienced in completing these documents, from the little attention formerly paid to the parish registers.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.  
&c. &c. &c.

(signed)

ARETAS W. YOUNG.

TRINIDAD, } (N° 1.)—RETURN showing the Number of Slaves Imported into  
Registrar of Slaves Office, } this Island from the year 1813 to the year 1821, inclusive;  
together with the Places from whence they were brought.

	1813:	1814:	1815:	1816:	1817:	1818:	1819:	1820:	1821:	TOTAL from each Island.
Antigua - - -	2	-	20	18	5	4	8	2	40	99
Anguilla - - -	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	8
Barbadoes - - -	4	11	41	65	23	10	33	37	13	237
Baltimore - - -	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Bermuda - - -	7	3	11	1	9	23	26	14	24	118
Cumana - - -	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Carriacou - - -	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Curaçoe - - -	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Charleston - - -	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3
Demerara - - -	1	-	-	6	-	1	-	1	-	9
Dominica - - -	-	67	413	167	60	54	123	191	4	1,079
Guirra - - -	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Grenada - - -	15	44	245	324	155	141	59	80	110	1,173
Guadaloupe - - -	5	38	24	159	-	-	-	-	-	246
Montserrat - - -	-	-	-	1	-	-	22	-	3	26
Martinique - - -	6	91	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	110
Nevis - - -	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5
New Providence - - -	-	-	-	-	-	137	30	-	129	296
St. Vincent - - -	5	5	18	29	28	30	28	43	10	196
St. Bartholomew - - -	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
St. Christopher - - -	-	-	11	5	4	1	-	-	4	25
St. Lucia - - -	-	11	35	20	25	35	3	-	1	130
St. Martin - - -	-	12	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	19
St. Thomas - - -	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3
Santa Cruz - - -	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Tobago - - -	-	3	6	11	3	-	3	-	-	26
Tortola - - -	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	5	9
Turk's Island - - -	-	1	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	5
Total in each year -	51	294	842	813	327	438	338	368	344	3,815

Grand Total Imported - - - - - 3,815.

N. B.—The custom-house licenses deposited in this office, from which the above has been taken, take no notice of the sex of the imported slaves, therefore the same cannot herein be specified.

A Return showing the Number of Slaves Exported from this Island, from the year 1813 to the year 1818, inclusive, as far as the same can be made up from the Books of this Office.

	Males.	Females.
From the year 1813 to the year 1815 - - - - -	63	31
From - d° - 1815 to - - 1816 - - - - -	25	20
From - d° - 1816 to - - 1818 - - - - -	34	33
Total Number Exported of each Sex -	122	84
Grand Total Exported, from the years 1813 to 1816 -	206.	

(signed) Edward Murray, Registrar of Slaves.

(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)

Sir,

Registrar of Slaves Office, 6th July 1822.

ENCLOSED I have the honour to transmit to your Excellency the return of Imported and Exported slaves, as far as the same can be correctly made from the books of this office. In the Return of Imported slaves, I have given the places from which they were brought, together with the years, from the commencement of the registry to the 31st of December 1821. I have not specified the sexes, as the custom-house licenses from which the said Return has been made take no notice of the same; and it would be impossible to give a correct statement thereof by a reference to the books; as in the first place it could only be accomplished from 1815 to the end of 1818, it never having been stated at the first registrations in 1813, how the slaves were acquired; the word "imported" being only made use of at the subsequent registrations. In the next place, the whole number registered in the books would never correspond with the whole number taken from the custom-house licenses, as many of the slaves so imported (between any two periods of registration) have died, and consequently no mention ever made of them.

As for the Exported Slaves, the place for which they were cleared out has never been stated in the Returns, or entered in the books; therefore all the information that can be given appears therein.

His Excellency,  
Lieut. Col. Young,  
&c. &c. &c.

I have the honour to be, &amp;c.

(signed) *Edward Murray*, Registrar of Slaves.

TRINIDAD:—(N<sup>o</sup> 3.)—RETURN of all Manumissions registered in my office, from the 1st day of January 1808 to the 31st of December 1821.

YEARS.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1808	21	35	56
1809	13	23	36
1810	8	23	31
1811	22	45	67
1812	38	63	101
1813	44	59	103
1814	31	51	82
1815	45	57	102
1816	61	85	146
1817	35	87	122
1818	45	85	130
1819	46	78	124
1820	47	80	127
1821	35	69	104
	491	840	1,331

N. B. No tax or fine has ever been imposed in this Colony upon the Manumission of Slaves.  
(signed) *Henry Murray*, Dep<sup>y</sup> Sec<sup>y</sup> and Reg<sup>r</sup>.

TRINIDAD:—(N<sup>o</sup> 4.)—GENERAL RETURN of Slaves taken and sold under Execution for Debt, between the 1st of January 1808 and 31st December 1821.

	1808.	1809.	1810.	1811.	1812.	1813.	1814.	1815.	1816.	1817.	1818.	1819.	1820.	1821.	Total.
As per return from the Chief Judge	-	-	-	-	-	-	143	225	335	235	314	148	290	337	2,027
D <sup>o</sup> - d <sup>o</sup> - Alcaldes	-	4	82	2	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	98
D <sup>o</sup> - Secretary and Registrar	14	16	13	33	4	7	10	45	64	5	15	3	-	-	229
	14	20	95	35	10	11	153	270	399	240	329	151	290	337	2,354

I do hereby certify the above to be correctly taken from the Returns furnished me by the before-mentioned officers.

(signed)

ARETAS WILLIAM YOUNG, Adm<sup>s</sup> Govern<sup>t</sup>.

TRINIDAD.—(N° 5.)—RETURN of Slaves Escheated to the Crown between the Years 1812 and 1817.

Years:	From whom Escheated.	Names of the		How disposed of.	Proceeds of Sales.
		Males.	Females.		
1814	Nicho <sup>s</sup> Duclos	Francois Luck - Bien Venu -	- - - -	{sold by Mr. Jo- seph Canacciolo}	£. 387 currency
-	- - - -	- - - -	Jane Jeannette -	{purchased her freedom -}	144 - d°.
1815	S. Allow	Saint John -	- - - -	{attached to colo- nial gang.	
-	Cadre Angeles	Toby Salade - Antoine Salade - Philip Salade - Jean Pierre La- mentin. Michel Socorio - Bicente Lait - Jacob Compere - Job Lachaux -	Euphrosine - Victoire Lamentin Rose Fanchine - Therese Fanchine - La Verité Lait - Marie Rose Lait - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Marie Socorio	{sold to Antoine} Pietrie, esq. -}	1,080 - d°.
1816	George Young	Jacob Youngest - - - - - - - -	Marie Younger - Eve Young - Marie Joseph - Root Young -	{attached to colo- nial gang. purchased her freedom -}	112 10 d°.
1817	Rees	Cæsar King - Agrippa Davis -	- - - -	{attached to colo- nial gang.	
-	A. Montero	- - - -	Phis Zelie -	- d° - d°.	
1814	La Fertile Estate	Petit Jean Manamee Andre Venus - Jerome Dawson Jean Louis Colomar Hector Tombé Levé Lubin Dantos - Henry Jobity - George Milé - Louis Colomar - Cæsar Harrisson Baton Cockburn Pierre Coutou - Jean Noel Dantos Isidor Cuetér - Celestin Duvigne - - - - Augustin Borne - - - - Bernabet La Juinesse. -	Angelique Franchoise Serephim Cueta - Marie Reine Agate Marie Joseph Marie Anne. Angelle Marie Anne Margoton Manamee Marie La Juinesse Fanchon La Juinesse Claudine Venus - Desirée Henry - Marie Louise Jean- nette. Judick Françoise - Felicite Venus - Gertrude de Ligne Rosette de Ligne - - - - - Jeannetton - - - - - Victoire Jeannette Madelaine Bayonne Anne De Ligne - Justin Venus - Marie Rose Jean Pierre. Jeannette La Jeunesse Rosie La Jeunesse	{sold to Richard} Annesley, esq.}	5,470 - d°.
				sold to J. Peschier	85 - d°.
				{attached to colo- nial gang.	
				manumitted.	
				dead.	
				dead.	

I do hereby certify the foregoing to be a correct Return of the Slaves Escheated to the Crown, between the year 1812, the period of the first Escheat, and 1817.

Port of Spain, }  
1st October 1821.

(signed) Joseph Pescheir,  
Escheator General.

(N<sup>o</sup> 6.)—LIST of all Persons committed as Runaways to Gaol, since the 1st of January 1808, but who declared themselves to be free; and their final disposal.

NAMES.	Date of Commitment.	Date of Release.	Final Disposal.
Hosey - - - -	1808 - Jan. 31 -	1808 - Mar. 27 -	escaped.
Jos. Beneto Contas -	1809 - June 6 -	1809 - June 6 -	released.
John - - - -	1811 - Sept. 13 -	1811 - Dec. 24 -	released.
Angostar - - - -	1814 - July 1 -	1814 - July 4 -	released.
John Baptiste - - -	1814 - Aug. 6 -	1814 - Aug. 8 -	released.
Antoine - - - -	1815 - May 30 -	1815 - June 4 -	{ delivered up to the person who claimed him as his son.
Thomas Baldrick - -	1817 - Sept. 2 -	1818 - Feb. 24 -	released.
Mary - - - -	1817 - Oct. 16 -	1817 - Dec. 2 -	released.

Trinidad, }  
8th October 1821. }

(signed) W. E. Fitzgerald, Gaol Att<sup>y</sup>

(No. 7.)

Sir,

Commissary of Population's Office, 12th June 1822.

IN obedience to your Excellency's commands, I have the honour to transmit Returns of the Population of this Colony, from the year 1812 to 1821 inclusive; and as all the particulars required are not expressed, I beg leave to account for the same as follows:

The return of Births cannot be taken as correct, it not being the custom in this country, as in England, to baptize children at a very early age.

The return of Deaths, it is to be lamented, is much more deficient, as from there being no parish churches, except in the towns and Indian settlements, numbers are necessarily buried out of reach of the aid of religious rites; neither were parochial returns made until ordered by his Excellency the Governor, in the year 1817.

The above observations likewise apply to the slaves, in the Returns of whom, distinctions of sexes, or of the age at which deaths take place, were never kept previous to the registration.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) Edmonstone Hodgkinson,  
Commiss<sup>y</sup> of Population.

His Excellency Lieut. Colonel Young,  
&c. &c. &c.

TRINIDAD:—Return of the Population from the Year 1812 to 1821, inclusive.

YEARS:	White.		Coloured.		Indians.		Slaves.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.				
1812 - - -	1,656	1,109	3,275	3,791	892	912	-	-	-	-
1813 - - -	1,695	1,201	3,774	4,328	620	645				
1814 - - -	1,795	1,332	4,039	4,675	603	633				
1815 - - -	1,819	1,400	4,527	5,126	567	580				
1816 - - -	1,918	1,594	5,078	5,577	582	559	24,846			
1817 - - -	2,090	1,703	5,611	6,245	603	554	23,828	650	117	452
1818 - - -	2,135	1,434	5,286	6,151	482	457	21,310	859	55	401
1819 - - -	2,047	1,669	5,956	6,529	413	437	22,854	928	61	448
1820 - - -	2,055	1,652	6,593	7,372	476	430	24,868	908	53	341
1821 - - -	1,879	1,561	6,363	7,025	477	479	21,719			

13th June 1822.

(signed) Edmonstone Hodgkinson,  
Comm<sup>y</sup> of Population and Act<sup>y</sup> Surveyor Gen<sup>l</sup>.

(N<sup>o</sup> 8.)—GENERAL RETURN of Marriages, Births, and Deaths, in the Island of Trinidad, from the Year 1808 to the Year 1821, both inclusive, as taken from the Parish Registers.

YEARS:	2. MARRIAGES.		TOTAL.	3. BIRTHS.						TOTAL.
	Free Coloured.	Slaves.		Whites :		Free Coloured :		Slaves :		
				Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
1808	28	-	28	13	4	18	21	5	7	68
1809	20	-	20	15	6	35	15	3	2	76
1810	23	-	23	12	11	32	8	-	1	64
1811	21	-	21	7	13	16	13	-	2	51
1812	33	-	33	82	73	181	182	238	262	1,018
1813	20	-	20	65	69	316	204	337	279	1,270
1814	25	1	26	85	63	249	179	246	267	1,089
1815	39	-	39	85	83	191	210	270	282	1,121
1816	34	-	34	66	69	205	179	243	269	1,031
1817	76	1	77	66	69	244	242	196	179	996
1818	17	-	17	72	71	243	223	193	184	986
1819	47	-	47	80	61	218	216	265	252	1,092
1820	42	-	42	85	99	275	233	264	254	1,210
1821	23	1	24	75	9	220	246	246	234	1,030
	448	3	451	808	700	2,443	2,171	2,506	2,474	11,102

YEARS:	4. DEATHS.												TOTAL.
	Whites :				Free Coloured :				Slaves :				
	Males.		Females.		Males.		Females.		Males.		Females.		
	Above 10 Years.	Under 10 Years.	Above 10 Years.	Under 10 Years.	Above 10 Years.	Under 10 Years.	Above 10 Years.	Under 10 Years.	Above 10 Years.	Under 10 Years.	Above 10 Years.	Under 10 Years.	
	1808	33	1	2	3	5	1	4	2	-	-	1	
1809	17	1	5	-	3	2	5	2	1	-	-	-	36
1810	24	6	8	1	1	3	3	2	1	-	1	1	51
1811	14	2	3	2	3	4	6	4	-	-	-	-	38
1812	45	8	25	5	38	20	64	25	1	-	4	-	235
1813	48	12	24	7	41	37	72	35	5	1	2	2	286
1814	76	24	37	19	57	29	62	30	3	-	2	-	339
1815	68	17	44	15	62	31	86	26	6	2	5	-	362
1816	67	30	31	13	73	26	72	22	20	6	16	4	380
1817	110	28	34	15	72	36	83	23	29	14	23	3	470
1818	74	11	43	12	97	26	86	26	29	15	30	17	466
1819	67	13	42	12	92	40	116	42	21	8	25	17	495
1820	75	18	47	19	86	43	86	36	28	12	18	5	473
1821	42	18	28	12	52	18	74	17	27	11	27	12	338
	760	189	373	135	682	316	819	292	171	69	154	61	4,021

I do hereby certify the above to be a correct Abstract of the Returns delivered to me.

(signed) **ARETAS WILLIAM YOUNG,**  
Administering the Government.

## N° 13.—MAURITIUS.

COPY of a Letter from Governor Sir R. T. Farquhar, to the Earl Bathurst; dated Port Louis, Mauritius, the 7th of November 1822:—Enclosing 9 Returns.

My Lord,

Port Louis, Mauritius, 7th November 1822.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Letter, N° 47, dated the 17th of July 1821, signifying the King's pleasure that I should immediately transmit to your Lordship the Returns relating to Slaves, which are more particularly specified in a copy of a Resolution of the House of Commons, dated the 3d of July 1821.

As this is the first time that Returns of this description have been called for, or even prepared, difficulties have necessarily arisen in the search that has been made for authentic documents relating to matters so remote, and partly appertaining to the French Government previously to the conquest. This will account for the apparent delay in making the Returns required.

N° 1 to N° 8.

Your Lordship will observe, that these documents have been collected and prepared by the colonial archivist, with the assistance of the procureur-general, and the heads of the several civil and judicial departments, to which each one refers, and which has only been obtained by dint of much labour, and a very voluminous correspondence, and with all that personal exertion and unremitting attention on my own part, which the importance of the case seemed to require.

At the foot of each Return there will appear explanatory notes, which it is hoped will be found satisfactory.

In one case, however, that of the Registrar of Slaves, I feel it my duty, in addition to the memorandums upon the Return itself, to observe more particularly, for your Lordship's information, that for the year 1814, the return is made from the Collector's Tax Roll, under the proclamation of the Governor; for the year 1815, from original Returns, under the Registration Order in Council; for 1819 from the Triennial Returns under the Order in Council. This is the last Triennial Return stated by the registrar to be yet complete.

The Registration Order in Council having in the year 1815 reached this colony, and been duly published, the first census under it was made in that year.

The first Triennial Return was made in the year 1819, and the last, for the present year, is as yet incomplete. The Return, therefore, for 1815, is made conformably to the directions of the Honourable House. The subsequent Returns cannot be made out, as stated by the registrar, in the full detail required, without further time for search and examination, and comparison, in every instance, with the original registry; but that search and examination are by my orders in progress, and those returns will follow what I have now the honour of transmitting, as soon as possible.

I beg leave to enclose a copy of a letter from the Registrar of Slaves, explanatory of this circumstance, and of the difficulties of which he complains, together with my minute thereon.

Your Lordship is already in possession of the opinion of the Chief Judge, as well as of that of the Registrar of Slaves himself, as to the embarrassments that must exist in this colony, until some legislative alterations and amendments shall have been effected in the provisions of the present order in council.

The Returns required of Births and Deaths of the Slave Population, distinguishing the sexes also, cannot be accurately procured, as the annual census taken by the civil commissaries, from which this information could be drawn, having been suspended agreeably to law by the registration order in council, there are no authentic documents on the subject to refer to.

I may be permitted to observe, under this head, that the apparent falling off of the slave population, between the years 1815 and 1819, may probably be accounted for by the prevalence of that destructive disorder the cholera morbus, which raged at the conclusion of the latter year, and which carried off some thousands; and this visitation may also account, in some degree, for any delay or inconveniences which may possibly have arisen in furnishing the Returns in full detail for that year.

I have thought it desirable to advert to the probable cause of this apparently sudden decrease, lest it might lead to erroneous references, on the subject of the Slave Population of this colony; but I have every reason to hope and believe, that these islands will not form any exception to the acknowledged principle of the increase of population, save that which naturally results from the circumstance, that at the time of the conquest there was a disproportion between the sexes, exceeding that of two males for one female.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) R. T. FARQUHAR.

The Earl Bathurst, K. G.

&c. &c. &c.

MAURITIUS.—(N<sup>o</sup> 1.)—RETURN of the Number of Slaves Imported into Mauritius under Licenses or otherwise; distinguishing each year, and the Sex of the Slaves so Imported; and specifying the Places from which they were brought, taken from authentic Documents deposited in the Custom House.

YEARS:	FROM WHENCE BROUGHT.	Transferred under License.		Having been seized at Sea by his Majesty's Vessels of War, as contravening the Slave Trade Abolition Act, but finally adjudged to the Claimants.			Domestic Servants accompanying their Master or their Master's Family.		TOTALS.		
		Males	Females.	Males	Females.	Sex not stated.	Males	Females.	Males.	Females.	Sex not stated.
1811	Ship Prudente, seized at Sea by H. M. S. Racehorse and H.M. Frigate Astrea - } Ship Industry, seized at Sea by H. M. S. of War above stated - } Ship L'Eclair, seized at Sea by H. M. S. of War above stated - }	-	-	-	-	11	-	-			
				178	30				199	39	13 (a)
1818	Seychelles - - - - Bourbon - - - -	5	2	-	-	-	4	2	9	4	
1819	Seychelles - - - - Bourbon - - - - Cape of Good Hope - Malta - - - -	39	5	-	-	-	5 5 2 2	- 7	53	12	
1820	Seychelles - - - - Bourbon - - - - Calcutta - - - - Rodrigues - - - - Madagascar - - - Java - - - - France - - - -	132	18	-	-	-	7 1 1 8 -	1 1	144	21	
1821	Seychelles - - - - Bourbon - - - - Cape of Good Hope - England - - - - Madagascar - - - Buenos Ayres - - - Bombay - - - -	209	24	-	-	-	2 7 1 - - 1 -	2 5 2 1 1	220	35	
1822	Bourbon - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	
									625	112	13

OBSERVATIONS:—(a) The Slaves seized on board the ships Prudente, Industry, Eclair, were adjudged to be restored to the claimants, by decisions of the Courts of Admiralty, given at the Cape of Good Hope, and in England; for the first, the 14th September 1814; for the second, the 13th of February 1812, and 14 May 1814; and for the third, the 27th February 1816.

Port Louis, Mauritius, }  
22d July 1822. }

(signed.) R. T. FARQUHAR.



MAURITIUS.—(N<sup>o</sup> 2.)—RETURN of the Number of Slaves Exported from Mauritius, under Licenses, or otherwise (as shown by the Documents in the Custom-House, Port Louis); distinguishing each Year, and the Sex of the Slaves Exported; and specifying the Places to which they were cleared out.

YEARS	FROM WHAT PLACE CLEARED OUT.	TRANSFERRED under LICENSE.		Domestic SERVANTS accompanying their Masters, or their Master's Family.		TOTALS.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1818	Seychelles - - - -	6	17	2	3	42	42
	Diego Gracia - - - -	9					
	Calcutta - - - - -	3	2	1			
	Bourbon - - - - -			10	10		
	France - - - - -			2	2		
	Java - - - - -			3	2		
	Madagascar - - - -			2	4		
	Malta - - - - -			2			
	Cape of Good Hope -			2			
England - - - - -				2			
1819	Seychelles - - - - -	18	19	1		52	38
	Diego Gracia - - - -	9	3	2			
	Agalega - - - - -		1				
	Bourbon - - - - -			10	8		
	France - - - - -			1			
	Java - - - - -			4			
	Madagascar - - - -			4	1		
	Calcutta - - - - -				3		
	Madras - - - - -			1	1		
	Pondicherry - - - -				1		
	Holland - - - - -			1			
Bombay - - - - -				1			
Rio Janeiro - - - -			1				
1820	Seychelles - - - - -	12	11			74	48
	Diego Gracia - - - -	29	13				
	Agalega - - - - -	1					
	Salomon Islands - -	9					
	Peros Banhos - - - -		1				
	Three Brothers Islands	5	5				
	Cotivi Island - - - -		2				
	Bourbon - - - - -			9	5		
	France - - - - -			3	3		
	Java - - - - -			1	1		
	Madagascar - - - -			2	2		
	Calcutta - - - - -			1	2		
	Cape of Good Hope -			1			
	Ceylon - - - - -				1		
	Pondicherry - - - -				1		
Bombay - - - - -				1			
Rodrigues - - - - -			1				
1821	Seychelles - - - - -	2	4	7	4	47	36
	Diego Gracia - - - -	5	4				
	Three Brothers Island	2	1				
	St. Brandon - - - - -	4					
	Cape of Good Hope -	1					
	Bourbon - - - - -			21	18		
	France - - - - -			2	1		
	Madagascar - - - -			1	2		
	Calcutta - - - - -				1		
	Cotivi Island - - - -			2			
	Agalega - - - - -				1		
1822	Diego Gracia - - - -	1	1			21	18
	Providence Island - -	9	7				
	Bourbon - - - - -			9	6		
	Madagascar - - - -				2		
	France - - - - -			1	2		
	Bombay - - - - -			1			
Totals - -						236	182

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22d July 1822.

(signed)

R. T. FARQUHAR.

MAURITIUS.—(N° 3.)—RETURN of all Manumissions effected by Purchase, Bequest or otherwise, since the 1st of January 1808; distinguishing each year, and the sex of the persons manumitted; together with a Statement of the Amount of the Tax or Fine imposed on each Manumission.

YEARS:	By the Masters, as a Reward for Services rendered, or by Affection.		By Bequest.		By Purchase.		By Government.		By Marriage.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1808	5	22	4	10	-	1	-	-	-	1
1809	6	13	10	13	-	1	-	-	-	-
1810	3	11	3	5	-	1	-	-	-	-
1811	59	75	1	-	2	3	-	-	-	-
1812	112	151	2	8	1	4	2	1	-	-
1813	84	138	10	5	-	-	1	1	-	-
1814	91	135	4	5	-	-	1	1	8	8
1815	5	4	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
1816	8	8	-	3	3	-	2	2	12	14
1817	8	11	7	9	-	-	9	3	18	32
1818	6	6	11	6	2	-	1	-	26	59
1819	3	10	4	3	-	-	-	1	33	53
1820	5	6	2	5	-	-	-	-	32	38
1821	9	17	2	17	-	-	2	-	47	78
1822	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	13	16
Total	405	611	60	90	9	11	18	12	189	299
	1,016		150		20		30		488	

Total number - 1,704.

Tax or Fine imposed on each Manumission.

N. B. There is collected at the chief secretary's office a duty of twenty-five dollars on each enfranchisement by marriage, and ten dollars on all other enfranchisements. If the number of individuals enfranchised in the same act or instrument exceed two, then is the duty only five dollars each. The enfranchisements accorded by government are alone exempt from duty: but, further than this, a sum to the amount of one hundred dollars currency must be paid by the person granting the manumission, to the "Caisse de Bienfaisance;" and a further sum of two hundred dollars is deposited in trust, or security given in the office of the collector of the internal revenues, there to remain until two of the principal magistrates of the colony grant a certificate that the person manumitted can exercise some trade, or has otherwise some means sufficient to provide for himself and family; upon which the sum deposited is returned, or the security cancelled; and this is done to guard the parish against the persons so manumitted becoming paupers. Marriages between free persons and slaves are alone exempted from these deposits and securities. A simple certificate from a magistrate that the parties are in a state to support themselves is sufficient in these last cases.

Port Louis,  
the 22d July 1822.

(signed) R. T. FARQUHAR.

MAURITIUS.—(N° 4.)—RETURN of the Number of Marriages legally solemnized between free Black or Coloured Persons; and also between Slaves (a), since the 1st of January 1808, distinguishing each year.

YEARS:	Marriages between free Blacks or Coloured Persons.	YEARS:	Marriages between free Black and Coloured Persons.	YEARS:	Marriages between free Black and Coloured Persons.
1808	39	1814	49	1820	78
1809	32	1815	32	1821	113
1810	27	1816	63	1822	10
1811	62	1817	63	Total	841
1812	62	1818	80		
1813	41	1819	90		

(a) Since the French Revolution the marriages of slaves have been made by the masters to whom the slaves belong, without religious solemnization, or legal celebration of it before a magistrate, and therefore no return can be given.

Port Louis, Mauritius,  
22d July 1822.

(signed) R. T. FARQUHAR.

Prisons of the } (N<sup>o</sup> 5.)—RETURN of the Negroes and Negresses passed as Maroons to the said  
 BAGNE. } Prisons, from the Year 1808 to the 22d day of October 1822, and who had  
 declared themselves free.

Numbers.		
1,129	- Pierre Jean, creole of Mr. Vial	- - Entered at the Bagne 16th May 1808; went out the 17th of the said month. It is written in the register, "carried away as a slave by mistake."
2,263	- Anne Marie, creole, from Bourbon	- - Calling herself free, and arrived in the colony since the capture of the island. Entered the Bagne 29th August 1812, left it the 12th October; claimed by her relations, who have addressed her papers to the police office.
2,786	- Maria Jeanne, creole	- - Calling herself free; entered the Bagne the 3d November 1812, removed to the hospital the 27th November, and left it the 6th of December 1812.
1,712	- Francois, creole, a Louise	- - Entered the Bagne the 2d of August 1819, left it the 7th of August. Restored to the said Louise, who has claimed him as free.
2,132	- Pierre, creole	- - Said he belonged to Marie Benifs; entered the Bagne the 26th of November 1821, left it the 7th of December, being claimed by the said Marie Benifs, as free.

Examined by the General Agent of Police.

(signed) A. W. Blane,

(signed) R. T. FARQUHAR.

(N<sup>o</sup> 6.)—Return of the Blacks at the Matricule Bagne, devolved, from the want of Claimants, to the Crown, since the capture of the Island in 1810.

NAMES.	CAST.	Age.	When received at the Matricule.	REMARKS.	
Charlot	- - Malgache	53	Dec. 1810	- - Found at the Matricule Bagne, at the capture of the island.	
J <sup>n</sup> Baptiste	- - Creole	38	D <sup>o</sup> - -	- - Found at the Matricule Bagne, at the capture of the island; has quite lost the use of his legs.	
Lazar	- - Mosambique	39	D <sup>o</sup> - -	- - Came up here from Bourbon at the capture of this island.	
Pedro	- - D <sup>o</sup>	36	10 Mar. 1818	- - Received from the police, by order of the acting governor, as per letter from the joint commissaries of police, dated 10th March 1818, claimed by his former master, but still undecided.	
Janvier	- - D <sup>o</sup>	39	31 Jan. 1822	- - Received here from the chief commissaries of police, as per government order, dated 31st of January 1822.	
Azor	- - Creole Bourbon	23	D <sup>o</sup> - -		
Foundlings of Colour devolved to the Local Government in conformity to the ancient Colonial Laws:					
Heloise	- - N <sup>o</sup> 46	Creole	10	- - 1812	- - No authority appears where found.
Jacques	- - N <sup>o</sup> 246	Creole	5	3d Oct. 1817	- - Found at Pamplemouses, and sent to the Matricule, as per Procureur General's letter of the 3d October 1817.
M <sup>l</sup> e Josephine	N <sup>o</sup> 266	Creole	4	15 Oct. 1818	- - Found at Mr. Le Marchand's door in Port Louis, and sent to the Matricule, as per substitute Procureur General's letter of 15th October 1818.
Charles	- - N <sup>o</sup> 287	Creole	3	30th June 1819	- - Found at Black River, and sent to the Matricule, as per Deputy Secretary's letter of the 30th of June 1819.

Port Louis, Mauritius, }  
 22d of July 1822. }

(signed) R. T. FARQUHAR.

MAURITIUS:—(N° 7.)—A RETURN of the Population in each year, from 1812 inclusive to March 1822; with the number of Births and Deaths in each year, for the White and the Free Coloured Populations; distinguishing the Sexes, and, as far as the same can be ascertained, the number of those below 15 years of age, from the number of those above that age.

YEARS:	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Births.			Deaths.		
						Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
WHITE POPULATION:											
1812 - -	-	-	-	-	7,099	92	102	194	131	47	178
1813 - -	-	-	-	-	7,044	94	103	197	116	59	175
1814 - -	2,621	1,350	1,477	1,628	7,076	93	103	196	113	47	160
1815 - -	-	-	-	-	7,114	129	114	243	156	74	230
1816 - -	2,822	1,609	1,298	1,502	7,231	93	96	189	161	76	237
1817 - -	-	-	-	-	7,183	103	96	199	137	50	187
1818 - -	-	-	-	-	7,195	128	109	237	190	57	247
1819 - -	2,403	1,528	1,528	2,067	8,036	99	123	222	203	64	267
1820 - -	-	-	-	-	7,991	119	106	225	127	51	178
1821 - -	-	-	-	-	8,038	120	110	230	132	58	90
1822 - -	-	-	-	-	8,078	25	21	46	11	8	.9
FREE PEOPLE OF COLOUR:											
1812 - -	-	-	-	-	8,476	206	242	448	94	126	220
1813 - -	-	-	-	-	8,985	223	269	492	99	121	220
1814 - -	1,951	2,653	2,361	2,531	9,486	233	225	458	135	144	279
1815 - -	-	-	-	-	9,693	241	264	505	150	186	336
1816 - -	2,322	3,048	2,263	2,442	10,075	233	230	463	172	209	381
1817 - -	-	-	-	-	10,209	256	248	504	129	132	262
1818 - -	-	-	-	-	10,549	269	267	536	168	168	336
1819 - -	1,561	2,791	3,642	3,558	11,552	284	292	576	178	159	337
1820 - -	-	-	-	-	11,892	277	269	546	101	134	235
1821 - -	-	-	-	-	12,297	265	291	556	86	133	219
1822 - -	-	-	-	-	12,806	54	59	113	18	20	38
SLAVE POPULATION:											
1812 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1813 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1814 - -	44,597	19,110	7,494	6,901	78,102	-	-	-	-	-	-
1815 - -	50,353	24,416	6,331	6,252	87,352	-	-	-	-	-	-
1816 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1817 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1818 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1819 - -	-	-	-	-	80,185	-	-	-	-	-	-
1820 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1821 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1822 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

N.B.—1. The persons composing the garrisons of the Colony are not comprised in the statements of the White Population.

2. It has not been possible to procure detailed statements of the Free Populations for the years 1812, 13. 15. 17, 18, 20, 21, and 22.

3. For the year 1814, the Return is made from the Collector's Tax Roll, under the proclamation of the Governor.—For the year 1815, from original Returns made under the Registration Order in Council.—For 1819, from the Triennial Returns under the Order in Council.—This is the last Triennial Return stated by the Registrar to be yet complete.

4. The Registration Order having suspended the Annual Returns from the Civil Commissioners, no means actually exist of ascertaining the Births and Deaths called for; and, moreover, the law previously required only such Returns to be made to the Civil Commissaries in cases of trusts.

Port Louis, Mauritius, }  
22d July 1822.

(signed) R. T. FARQUHAR.

MAURITIUS:—(N° 8).—RETURN of all Slaves taken and sold under Execution for Debt, in each Year, from 1st January 1808, inclusive, till March 1822, distinguishing the Sexes.

Y E A R :		Males.	Females.	Sex not stated.	TOTALS.	
1808	- - -	-	1	- - -	1	} 201 - Total under French dominion.
1809	- - -	1	4	177	182	
1810	- - -	17	1	- - -	18	
1811	- - -	9	-	- - -	9	
1812	- - -	-	-	- - -	-	} 97 - Total under British dominion.
1813	- - -	-	-	- - -	-	
1814	- - -	26	10	- - -	36	
1815	- - -	30	11	- - -	41	
1816	- - -	-	-	- - -	-	
1817	- - -	-	-	- - -	-	
1818	- - -	5	3	- - -	8	
1819	- - -	-	-	- - -	-	
1820	- - -	3	-	- - -	3	
1821	- - -	-	-	- - -	-	
1822	- - -	-	-	- - -	-	
Totals		91	30	177	298	

Port Louis, Mauritius, }  
22d July 1822. }

(signed)

R. T. FARQUHAR.

Sir,

Slave Registration Office, Port Louis, 9th October 1822.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, relative to the Return transmitted with my letter of the 24th ultimo; and I had hoped, from a verbal communication upon the subject with which his Excellency favoured me, that the statement forwarded with my letter contained the required information.

Every attention will undoubtedly be given to his Excellency's further commands, relative to the statement required, as communicated by your letter received this day; but I feel it necessary, as your letter requires the preparation of these documents with dispatch, to state, that it will be impossible to supply the detail now demanded for a considerable time, probably a period of some months; in the mean time I will state, for his Excellency's information, to what extent it will be in my power to comply with the instructions which I have just received. Within a comparative short space of time I shall be enabled, with little difficulty, to provide a statement which will contain full information upon the several points enumerated in your letter, as regards the original registry of 1815; viz. the number of male and female slaves, and the number of children under ten years of age. To provide a similar statement for 1819, a minute examination of all the triennial returns of that year must be made, with references, in every instance, to the original registry, in order to arrive at a correct separate list of male and female slaves, because the mutation returns contain only the names and descriptions of those slaves who have undergone mutations since the original census, there being no necessity for persons to bear on their triennial returns any slaves (still appertaining to the proprietor who originally recenssed them) who have undergone no change since 1815; consequently the description of such slaves can only be obtained by reference to the original registrations. A list of children returned in 1819, under the age of ten years, could be supplied with no great difficulty.

I have considered it necessary, for the reasons already stated, the impossibility of providing, without considerable delay, the statements, in the full extent of detail specified in your letter. I conceive, however, that the principal difficulty which I have stated to exist, might be, in a great measure, removed, if, for the year 1819, a comparative statement of the number of male and female slaves, founded on the original census of 1815, from which it appears they were, as nearly as possible, in the proportion of two males to one female, could be admitted, the preparation of the statements would, in this case, not occupy more than ten days, or at most a fortnight. Should, however, this suggestion not receive his Excellency's sanction, every degree of diligence will be employed to provide the statements, in the fullest detail, with all practicable dispatch.

I have, &c. &c.

G. A. Barry, Esq.  
Chief Secretary of Government.

(signed)

T. Bradshaw, Registrar.

STATEMENT showing the Number and Description of the Slave Population for the Year 1815.

MEN.	WOMEN.	Children under, and not exceeding, Ten Years of Age.		TOTAL.
		BOYS.	GIRLS.	
50,353	24,416	6,331	6,252	87,352

(signed) *T. Bradshaw*, Registrar of Slaves.

Statement showing the Return of the Slave Population, for the following Years, at the Mauritius.

1815:	1819:	1822:
87,352	80,185	43,584.

(signed) *Tho. Bradshaw*, Registrar.

Minute by his Excellency the Governor.

His Excellency the Governor having had no alternative but to adopt the Returns and information sent in by the Registrar of Slaves to the Archivist, and Chief Secretary's office, without occasioning a delay, which he does not feel authorized to prolong, and thereby incur responsibility, desires that the Registrar will nevertheless proceed to furnish the Statements in the full detail as called for by the House of Commons, at least for the year 1819, with all practicable expedition, that they may follow the Statements already made, and which His Majesty has required to be furnished as accurately as possible.

Government House, Port Louis, }  
the 5th November 1822. }

(signed) *R. T. FARQUHAR.*

