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SLAVE POPULATION.

(SLAVE REGISTRIES.)

RETURN to an Address to HIS MAJESTY, dated 29 July 1833 ;- for,

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OF ALL

RETURNS of the POPULATION of the different SLAVE COLONIES, which have been received since the last were presented; also, any REPORTS or OBSERVATIONS on the subject of the SLAVE POPULATION, by the REGISTRARS, SLAVE PROTECTORS, or ASSISTANT PROTECTORS, for the same period.

Colonial Department, Downing-street, 19 August 1833.

John Lefevre.

(Mr. Fowell Buxton.)

Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed, 20 August 1833.

SLAVE POPULATION.

1.—AN ABSTRACT of the AMOUNT of the SLAVE POPULATION, and of the TOTAL NUMBER of BIRTHS, DEATHS and MANUMISSIONS in each of HIS MAJESTY'S COLONIES, from which Registries have been received in the Office of the Registrar of Colonial Slaves, since the Returns laid before The House of Commons, 18 July 1833, No. 539.

******			DATE of	SLAVE	NUMBERS of the POPULA		TOTAL Number of Births since the last	TOTAL Number of Deaths since the last	TOTAL Number of Manu- missions since the
			Registry.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Return.	Return.	last Return.
Antigua Barbadoes Bahamas	- - -	-	1831 1832 1831	13,992 37,762 4,777	1 <i>5</i> ,545 43,738 4,928	29,537 81,500 9,705	2,589 9,975 1,100	2,677 8,587 433	314 1,089 190
Mauritius	-	-	1830	41, 454	26,293	67,747	5,113	7,146	1,144

The following note is subjoined to the Abstract of the Barbadoes Duplicate Registry, as received from the Colony:—" The difference of 402, between the present and past Registrations, is to be accounted for by persons making conveyances of Slaves to captains of vessels and other persons going to England, for the purpose of their being manumitted; The former owners return those Slaves to the Registrar as sold, and the persons to whom the conveyances are made being generally non-residents, no return is made by them of having purchased and manumitted those Slaves."

The Mauritius Registry (which does not include the Slaves in Seychelles, the registration of which is not completed) was not comprised in the Return to The House of Commons, dated the 15th of April last, as the Order for that Return was understood to relate to the West India Colonies only.

Colonial Registry Office, 16 August 1833. Thomas Amyot, Registrar of Colonial Slaves in Great Britain.

LETTER from James Robertson, Esq. to His Excellency Major-General Sir Benjamin D'Urban, K.C.B. Governor, &c. of British Guiana.

Sir,

Office for the Registration of Slaves, George Town, Demerary, 17 Sept. 1832.

I HAVE the honour of respectfully submitting for the information of your Excellency a detailed Report of the fifth Triennial Registration, *de novo*, of the Slave Population of the District of Demerary and Essequebo, of the Colony of British Guiana, on the 31st May 1832, which closed on the 1st instant, and which I have endeavoured with fidelity and attention to make as full and accurate as possible. Since the commencement of the Registry of Slaves I never found any previous result so pregnant with consequences of the utmost importance to the interests of the Colony; but I neither can nor ought to be blamed for stating the particulars, that by the influence of your Excellency with His Majesty's Government, the Colony may escape the misfortunes which appear impending over it.

SLAVE POPULATION of the District of Demerary and Essequebo, of the Colony of British Guiana, returned to this Office for the 31st May 1832.

,	
African Males - 13,519 Creole ditto - 20,830	Of whom were Males under three years 1,974 Females - ditto 2,112
34,349 Males.	Slaves above three and not above five - 2,744
African Females - 9,052	Five and ten 5,401
Creole ditto - 22,116	Ten and sixteen 6,115
31,168 Females.	Males above sixteen and not above thirty 8,008
,	Females - ditto ditto - 8,005
	Slaves above thirty and not above forty 8,345
	Forty and fifty 13,585
	Fifty and sixty 7,179
	Sixty and seventy 1,613
/	
	Eighty and ninety 40
	Ninety and a hundred 7
	Upwards of a hundred 2
	Ages unknown, presumed absentees - 24
Registered for the /	
31st May 1832 - 65,517	65,517
J100 H10 1032 - 03,317	
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Whereof 981 males and 929 females are of the mixed race, or of colour. And independently of the foregoing 65,517 Slaves, 109 males and 165 females have been conditionally rendered in as belonging to the class of Domestic Servants contemplated in the Abolition Act of his late Majesty.

Decrease since the preceding Registration, by death :

		-	-	•		•					
	Males und	ler ten	years of	age	-	-	-	-	770		
	Females	·•• ••	ditto	-	-	- ·	-	-	714		
	Males bet	ween (ten and t	wenty		-	-	-	216		
	Females		ditto	-	-	-	-	-	229		
	Males bet	ween	twenty ar	d thi	rty	-	-	-	254		
	Females		ditto	-	-	-	-	-	194		
	Males bet	ween	thirty and	l forty	,	-	-	-	637		
	Females		ditto	-	-	-	•	-	345		
	Males bet	ween f	forty and	fifty	-	-	-	-	1,277		
	Females		ditto	•	-	-	-	-	622		
	Males up	wards	of fifty	-	-	-	-	-	1,121		
	Females		-	-	-	-	-	-	637		
										7,016	
	Of which	numb	er 3,850	were .	Africa	ns.					
			3,166	were	Creole	es.					
Births	s since pre	ceding	Registra	tion:							
	Males un	der th	ee years	of age	-	-	-	-	1,974		
	Females		-	-	-	-	-	-	2,112		
•										4,086	
		Decrea	se on the	three	e past	years	-			2,930	-
					-				1		

Withdrawn, as having been manumitted, 185 Males, and 271 Females ;- Total 456.

LIST of the SLAVE POPULATION of the District of Demerary and Essequebo, of the Colony of British Guiana, from the Year 1817 to 1832, at intervals of three years.

	WHEN		MA	LES.	FEM	ALES.	TOTAL	Under 30 Years	Above 30 Years	Excess	Excess		BIRTHS	Deaths.	Decrease on the
	REGISTERE	ED.	African.	Creule.	African.	Creole.	ł	of age.	1		Africans.				3 Years.
For	the														
	31st May	1817	26,725	17,046	15,499	17,893	77,163	46,350	30,813	10,379	7,285	-		-	-
	31st May	1820	24,658	18,569	14,471	19,678	77,376	39,940	37,436	9,078	882	-	4,868	7,140	2,272
1	31st May	1823	21,767	19,457	13,005	20,748	74,977	36,605	38,372	7,471	-	5,433	4,512	7,188	2,676
	31st May	1826	18,898	19,860	11,592	21,032	71,382	35,257	36,125	6,134	-	10,402	4,494	7,634	3,140
	31st May	1829	16,384	20,757	10,343	21,983	69,467	35,393	34,074	4,815	-	16,013	4,684	5,731	1,047
-	31st May	1832	13,519	20,830	9,052	22,116	65,517	34,359	31,158	3,181	-	20,375	4, 086	7,016	2,930

Between 1817 and 1820 were considerable importations of Slaves from other Colonies, some few also between 1820 and 1823, and afterwards.

SUMMARY of the Return of the SLAVE POPULATION, distinguishing the various Plantations, and the actual Amount of Unattached or Personal Slaves, in each Parish of the District of *Demerary* and *Essequebo*, of the Colony of *Brüish Guiana*, for the 31st May 1832.

		SL	AVE		BI	RTH	s.	8	inc	e the	Re	J) gistri	E . atio	A T n of	H S the	31st	Ma	y 18	29.	
PLANTATIONS	P	OPU	LATI	ON,	,	;;	-		:	.	5		5		5		;		*	
according to Parishes and Situation		31 M	Iay 1839	2.	Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females	males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.		IM alcs	Females.	
on the Roads.	Ma	ules. Fo	emales.	Total.	Uud 3 Ye of A	ars	5 1	Unde 0 Yea of Ag	ars '	Betwe						Betwee 0 & 50		Jpwa of 50	rds).	Тотаг.
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incl	ides the	Settle	ements	on the	Bank	s of I	Iaico	n y a	nd I	Mah	aica	Cree	eks.				-			
Plantation, Letter T Cattle I	arm	4	5	9	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	- ·	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	•
Airy Hall ditto	-	11	15	26	2	1	3	-	1	-	-	- ·	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Fellowship Sugar	-	32	28	60	4	3	7	2	1	-	2	- '	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	6
Sophia's Hope Cattle	arm	11	5	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- ·	-		-	-		1	-	1
Taymouth Manor Farm Sugar	- 1	77	190	367	9	13	22	10	6	1	2	4	- 1	6	8	10	5	8	3	57
Drill Cattle	Farm	59	40	99	4	2	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	4	-	10
Sarah ditte	· -	5	3	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bushy Park Cottor	-	56	50	106	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	4
Cottage Cattle	Farm	5	7	12	2	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Bath and Kinderen - Cottor	-	83	78	. 161	9	9	18	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	2	1	11
Broom Hall ditte		98	93	191	11	6	17	1	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	1	-	10
Carleton Hall ditte	, _	32	27	59	4	3	7	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	3
Quaker's Hall Cattle	Farm	1	_	1	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mes Delices ditte	, _	_	1	1	-	_	-	-		-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Woodlands Cottor		159	127	286	15	10	25	8	-	_	_	-	-	-	-	2	2	5	4	15
Essex and Batavia - Cattle	1	1	-	1	_	-	_	1	-	3	_	-	-	2	-	4	1	-	-	10
La Bonne Mere, Ceres, Sugar &c.		182	159	341	11	10	21	3	7	2	-	2	2	5	4	3	7	6	6	47
Melville, Ormsary, &c. - ditte	, -	97	101	198	5	6	11	3	6	1	-	8	2	8	-	6	2	1	3	28
Grove ditte	, -	57	68	125	7	2	9	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	3	2	8	-	11
Strathaven ditt	> -	57	52	109	-	3	3	1	8	-	-	-	-	8	2	2	-	4	2	15
Ver Eniging ditt	-	33	26	59	3	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Belmont ditt	> -	69	67	136	5	-	5	2	1	8	8	-	-	1	-	4	3	1	-	16
Helena ditt	b -	201	145	346	8	12	20	2	4	1	1	-	-	4	-	11	2	10	8	43
Good Hope ditt	. -	73	72	145	6	8	14	2	1	-	2	2	1	3	2	3	1	3	2	22
Voorzigtigheid Cotto Plan	n and tains.	7	4	11	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Spring Hall Sugar	-	158	149	307	11	17	28	6	7	3	-	8	-	4	-	14	6	5	3	50
Cane Grove ditt	o -	136	105	241	9	6	15	1	6	1	-	-	-	3	1	5	3	3	3	26
Greenfield ditt	o -	129	102	231	7	4	11	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	7	7	9	-	88
New Beehive - ditt	0 -	103	9 6	199	10	11	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	2	1	8
Clonbrook ditt	D -	202	162	364	12	16	28	ŏ	4	1	1	-	-	1	-	5	1	4	4	26
Ann's Grove, and Two Friends. Cotto		225	177	402	19	16	35	1	2	-	-	_	1	-	-	2	-	3	3	12
Dochfour Sugar	· -	196	157	353	21	7	28	6	2	1	-	2	-	1	2	4	-	9	3	30
Hope dit	o -	152	155	307	16	14	30	5	3	-	3	1	1	-	-	1	1	1 -		<u>91</u>
Lowlands ditt	• -	122	90	212	4	8	12	5	4	-	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	6	1	22
Unattached Slaves	2	,933 461	2,556 351	5,489 812		192 32	408 53	63 4	66 10			15 9	9 1	39 5	18 4	100 9	49 3	M.	3	538 48
	3	,394	2,907	6,301	237	224	461	67	76	19	20	17	10	44	22	109	52	9 9	51	5 ⁸⁶

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on the Roads.	,	Males.	Females.	Total.	Un	der ears	TOTAL.	Un 10 Y	der ears	Bet	ween	Bet	ween	Bet	ween	Betw	een	Upv	vards	TOTAL.
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lantation John, Cove, Craig Mill.	Sugar -	141	155	2 96	13	18	31	5	7	2	1	1	-	1	1	6	1	3	1	29
olden Grove	Cotton -	136	149	28 5	10	14	24	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	8	1	-	4	1	19
Iaslenton	- ditto -	. 11	4	15	-	-	-	1	-	_	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	4
nmore	Sugar and Coffee.	375	343	718	32	30	62	9	6	1	2	2	3	2	3	7	6	6	1	48
aradise – – –	Coffee and Cotton.	185	190	375	15	21	36	7	6	-	-	-	1	1	5	2	3	1	2	28
achelor's Adventure	Sugar -	361	338	699	28	24	52	8	8	1	-	-	-	4	1	10	2	7	2	4
Ion Pareil	Cotton -	88	110	198	4	5	9	1	5	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	6	2	1
laden Hall	- ditto -	61	38	99	4	3	7	1	-	_	-	-	-	1	-	_	1	2	-	.
igilance	- ditto -	10	8	18		1	1	_	-	-	-	_	1	_	_	_	-	-	1	
riendship	Cattle Farm	32	07	67	1	3	4	-	+			_		_	_		1	1	1	
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nnandale	Cotton.	237	199	436	11	14	25	5	2	1	-	-	1	4	-	4		ľ		[
usignan	Sugar -	204	220	4º4	14	8	22	16	8	-	1	-	1	2	2	4	2	13	3	5
lood Hope	Cotton -	208	195	403	17	14	31	16	7	-	1	1	1	2	1	5	4	9	6	5
Indragt & Mon Repos	Sugar -	224	236	4 60	17	24	41	6	7	1	1	1	1	-	1	2	-	10	12	4
Bieterverwagting -	Cattle Farm	16	26	42	2	5	7	_	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	1
a Bonne Intention -	Sugar -	147	130	277	10	12	22	8	6	_	1	2	5	-	_	3	3	_	8	3
hateau Margo	- ditto -	131	121	252	10	13	23	2	1	_	1	_	1	1	_	4	1	1	_	1
uccess	- ditto -	226	218			23	32		11	3	_	1		1	1	7	6	11	19	5
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rothers	Coffee and Cotton.	114	104	218	11	14	25	1	2	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	1	
ryheid's Last Sheet Anchor.	Sugar and Coffee.	166	133	299	11	6	17	6	3	2	2	1	-	1	-	7	7	6	8	4
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oed Verwagting	Sugar -	149	170	319	7	9	16	7	7	1	1	-		3	4	8	4	3	2	4
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Plantation Turkeyn -	Sugar -	101	93	194	9	6	15	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	2	-	11
Sophia	Coffee -	40	40	80	2	3	5	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	3	-	10
Belair & Blygezigt -	Sugar -	121	88	209	7	6	13	4	3	-		-	-	2	-	5	-	5	1	20
Kitty	- ditto -	157	144	301	10	13	23	2	5	-	3	1	-	3	-	4	2	6	-	26
Thomas	- ditto -	124	101	225	7	7	14	6	2	-	1	1	-	2	-	2	2	2	4	22
Vlissingen	Coffee & Sugar	20	23	43	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	2	3	11
Le Repentir	Coffee -	62	64	126	2	4	6	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	11
Dock Yard		24	1	25	-	-	-	-	-	–	1	-	-	1	-	2	-	-		4
Werken Rust	Coffee and	35	28	63	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
George Town and unattached Slaves	Plantains.	684 3,309	582 3,458	1,266 6,767	38 242	42 255	80 497	16 71	15 51	3 20	4 19	4 25	1 21	10 65	2 35	19 97	7 37	23 53		115 525
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Summary of the Return of the Slave Population, distinguishing the various Plantations, &c.-continued.

ST. MATHEW, from George Town, up the East Bank of the River, as far as the Settlements extend, and including the Settlements in Canal No. 3.

New Hope - - ditto - 56 46 102 1 4 5 1 2 - - 2 1 Golden Grove - - - 77 72 149 2 1 3 2 1 - - 1 1 2 - - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 - - 1 1 2 -	- 2 - 2 1 1	- 6 1 6 4	- 1 5 1 4	9 3	8 4	15 34 30
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Coffee.		4			3	39
Little Diamond	11	•	4	-	1	16
Covent Garden	1	3	-	1	1	9
Prospect	-	2	-	1	-	6
Farm and Vreede Rust - ditto - 142 133 275 9 11 20 2 3 1 - 2 1	1	2	2	3	4	20
Herstelling - - 124 89 213 12 5 17 5 3 1 - - 1 1 3	3	-	4	4	. 2	24
Prosperity Coffee - 45 40 85 2 3 5 1 1 - 1	-	1	-	2	-	6
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Arcadia	2	2	2	2	-	10
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ST. PETER comprehends Leguan and Hog Islands, in Essequebo River.

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Summary of the Return of the Slave Population, distinguishing the various Plantations, &c.-continued.

SLAVE BIRTHS. POPULATION, PARISHES. 31 May 1832. Males. Females. Under S Years of Age. Total. Males. Females. 6,301 224 237 PARISH OF ST. MARY -2,907 _ 3,394 338 4,262 Ditto - ST. PAUL -_ _ • 4,510 8,772 300 280 297 162 Ditto - ST. GEORGE & ST. ANDREW • 4,040 8,033 3,993 Ditto - ST. MATTHEW -2,670 5,604 158 . . -2,934 • 4,633 116 108 2,063 Ditto -ST. MARK -• 2,570 104 104 1,851 3,910 Ditto - ST. SWITHIN --2,059 . 167 178 82 --Ditto - ST. LUKE -. 2,605 5,535 193 2,930 155 106 Ditto -ST. PETER . • 2,872 5,887 3,015 4,166 -• Ditto - ST. JAMES -2,126 2,040 • -4,617 8,059 144 281 2,146 128 Ditto - St. John -Ditto - The Trinity -• 2,471 224 • -4,347 3,712 31,168 65,517 1,974 2,112 34,349 Slaves attached to Plantations 1,705 28,083 1,558 -25,394 53,477 . • Personal and unattached Slaves 6,266 416 407 5,774 12,040 2,112 31,168 34,349 65,517 1,974

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770	714	216	229	254	194	637	345	1,277	622	1,121	637	7,016		
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770	714	216	229	254	194	637	345	1,277	622	1,121	037	1,510		

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RETURNS RELATING TO THE POPULATION

Summary of	the Retu	rn of th	e Slave	Popula	tion, di	stinguis	hing the	e variou	s Plants	tions, ð	kC.—.con	tinued.	
DISEASE	S.	St. Mary.	St. Paul.	St. George & St. Andrew.	St. Matthew.	St. Mark.	St. Swithin.	St. Luke.	St. Peter.	St. James.	St. John.	The Trinity.	Torat.
Abscess		3	5	2	3	3	2	1	6	4	5	_	34
Aged, and general D	ebility	105	141	107	99	82	114	123	155	113	139	160	
Fevers		37	91	90	67	42	25	46	27	28	36	78	567
Apoplexy -		7	9	13	7	13	13	9	21	6	10	14	122
Asthma, Catarrh and sumption -	d Con-}	29	43	4 9	63	42	41	34	39	29	63	57	489
Dysentery, Diarrha	ea and	117	121	52	53	54	62	79	9 7	78	40	86	839
Cholic Hernia	J 	3	8	7	6	34 13	6	, , 9	12	5	4	13	86
Cancer		-	2	4	1	1	_	1	-	4	_	2	15
Childbed		1	8	3	6	2	6	6	2	3	2	. 4	43
Rickets		_	1	-		_	-	3	-	_	-	-	4
Erysipelas -		_	1	_	_	-	_	-	_	2	_	~	3
Aneurism •		-	-	1	_ .	-	_	-	_	_	_	1	3
Thrush - •		2	_		_	_	-		_	_	_	-	} -
						-		3	23	27	13	22	5
Convulsions -		21 CC	33	30 68	27	23	21	17	*3 80	22		87	² 57 646
Dropsy		66	54		51	49	50 6	74			45 10	•	
Scrofula	• •	2	-	-	1	-	6	2	3	7		1	32
Jaundice	• •	2	1	-	2	1	-	1	3	1	1	1	13
Inflammation and Mo	rtification	26	30	45	26	19	26	34	20	15	14	56	311
Leprosy	• •	28	27	16	20	25	30	21	36	20	21	26	270
Lunacy		5	5	6	6	5	2	4	3	5	5	5	51
Dysuria		8	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	6
Diseased Spine		-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1 -	-	
Palsy		6	7	6	3	8	5	8	13	7	3	11	77
Pleurisy		22	10	10	11	7	10	10	33	22	5	15	155
Rheumatism -		1	-	4	2	3	1	1	2	1	-	-	15
Sore Throat -		2	2	3	-	1	-	1	-	2	1	4	16
Ulcers, and consequent	Debility	5	31	11	50	24	22	22	13	25	18	28	249
Teething	• -	1	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	5	1	1,	13
Syphilis		2	4 '	4	10	11	11	8	7	9	1	3	70
Croup		-	-	1	4	1	-	-		-	-	2	8
Liver Complaint		10	4	14	9	5	8	8	2	-	3	12	75
Lock Jaw -		15	23	12	9	3	16	16	26	15	10	38	183
Epilepsy		2	2	7	5	1	2	3	9	1	4	3	32
Water in the Brain		2	9	4	-	5	2	2	1	1	2	-	28
Yaws		6	44	9	31	9	18	18	9	8	14	17	183
Worms	• •	9	32	8	4	14	4	5	22	15	14	29	156
Mal d'Estomach		28	5	10	31	8	9	24	97	60	25	4	301
Elephantiasis -		1	-	1	1	1	1	_	1	-	-	-	6
Obeah		_	_	-	-	_	-	8	-	-	-	-	8
Fistula		-	-	-	_	-	- 1	3	-	-	-	_	3
Merouhagia -		- 1	1	_	_	- 1	-		-	-	-	-	1
Tumour		_	-	1	-	_	-	_	-	1	-	1	3
Tympanitis -	• •	_	-		1	- 1	- 1	-	_	- 1	-	I	9
Dyspepsia -		-	· _	1		_	_	-	1	_	-	-	8
Casualties -		18	26	41	36	28	25	24	19	24	25	30	296
		586	781	640	645	503	539	632	775	565	536	812	7,016
		300	/01	1 040	V43	503	039	~3*	115	300	000		

Summary of the Return of the Slave Population, distinguishing the various Plantations, &c .- continued.

GENERAL SUMMARY of the SLAVE POPULATION of the District of Demerara and Essequebo, of the Colony of British Guiana, agreeably to the Registers of the Returns for the Year 1817, 1820, 1823, 1826, and 1829, as transmitted to His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonial Department, in London, and including the present Registration for the 31st May 1832; forming a complete Series of the Records of the Office for the Registration of Slaves, from its institution in the Year 1817.

REGISTRY of 1817.	1820.	1823.	1826.	1829.	And of 1832.
Under 2 Years - 3,044 2 to 5 , - 6,770 5 , 10 , - 7,412 10 , 20 , - 10,080 20 , 30 , - 19,044 30 , 40 , - 19,998 40 , 50 , - 7,414 50 , 60 , - 2,470 60 , 70 , - 714 70 , 80 , - 111 80 , 90 , - 17 90 , 100 , - 11 Upwards of 100 Age unknown - 78 77,163	Under 3 years 4,868 3 to 5 ,, - 3,749 5 ,, 10 ,, - 7,723 10 ,, 20 ,, - 11,197 20 ,, 30 ,, - 12,403 30 ,, 40 ,, - 21,169 40 ,, 50 ,, - 11,185 50 ,, 60 ,, - 3,553 60 ,, 70 ,, - 1,191 70 ,, 80 ,, - 234 80 ,, 90 ,, - 44 90 ,, 100 ,, - 12 Upwards 100 - 4 Age unknown - 44 77,376	$\begin{array}{r} \text{Males 2,233} \\ \text{Fem. 2,279} \\ - 3,209 \\ - 7,229 \\ - 12,831 \\ - 8,824 \\ - 17,872 \\ - 14,074 \\ - 4,640 \\ - 1,409 \\ - 299 \\ - 44 \\ - 5 \\ - 2 \\ - 27 \\ \hline 74,977 \end{array}$	2,251 2,243 2,558 5,736 13,677 8,792 15,524 14,623 4,505 1,193 218 31 6 1 24 71,382	$\begin{array}{c} 2,319\\ 2,365\\ 2,926\\ 5,251\\ 13,060\\ 9,472\\ 10,835\\ 14,856\\ 6,239\\ 1,621\\ 417\\ 56\\ 8\\ 1\\ 41\\ 69,467\\ \end{array}$	Under 3 Years, Males 1,974 "3", Females 2,112 3 to 5 ", Mixed 2,744 5 ", 10", - 5,401 10", 16", - 6,115 16", 30", Males 8,008 16", 30", Females 8,005 30", 40", Mixed 8,345 40", 50", - 13,585 50", 60", - 7,179 60", 70", - 1,613 70", 80", - 363 80", 90", - 40 90", 100", - 7 Upwards 100 - 24 Absentees unknown 24
African Males - 26,725 Creole - ditto - 17,046 43,771	24,658 18,569 43,227	21,767 19,457 11,224	18,898 19,860 38,758	16,384 20,757 37,141	65,517 13,519 20,830 34,349
African Females - 15,499 Creole - ditto - 17,893	14,471 19,678 34,149	13,005 20,748 33,753	11,592 21,032 32,624	10,343 21,983 32,326	9,052 22,116 31,168
33,39 ² Excess of Males - 10,379	9,078	7,471	6,134	4,815	3,181

The Second • ditto • • • 1823 • • 634 • • 602 • • • • • • $1,236$ The Third • • ditto • • • 1826 • • 173 • • 134 • • • • • 307 Total • • • $1,778$ Male • $1,608$ Female • • $3,386$	The First Trie	nni	al Regi	stre	atio	n of	f 1820	inclu	ıde	d 971	Ma	ıle	•	872	Fe	eme	le	•	T	otal	1,843 i	mported	Slaves.
The Third ditto 1826 173 134	The Second	•	ditto	-	-	-	1823	•	-	634		٠	-	602	-	-	•	•	-	-	1,236		
TOTAL 1,778 Male - 1,608 Female 3,386	The Third -	-	ditto	-	-	•	1826	-	-	173	٠	•	-	134	-	٠	-	٠	-	•	307		
		-	-		T	ота	L -	- •	•	1,778	Ma	le	-	1,608	Fe	ema	le	•	-	•	3,386		

NUMBER of DEATHS reported for the First Triennial Registry of the 31st M Sexes, without noticing the Deaths of Children born subsequently to 181 prior to the Registration of 1820	lay 1820, of both 7, and who died 7,140
Births reported, of both Sexes	4,868
Decrease on the Three Years	2,272
NUMBER of DEATHS reported for the Second Triennial Registration of the 31st May 1823.	·····
Males under 10 years of age 832	
Females - ditto 900 Males above to years of age	
$\mathbf{Females} - \mathbf{ditto} \frac{1,900}{}$	7,188
Births reported Males 2,233	
Females 2,279	
	4,512
Decrease on the Three Years	2,676

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General Summary of the Slave Population of the District of Demerara and Essequebo-continued.

NUMBER of DEATHS reported for the Third Triennial Registration of the 31st May 1826.

Males under 10 years of age			-	-	-	928	-
Females - ditto -		•	-	-	-	993	
Males above 10 years of age		•	-	-	-	3,602	
Females - ditto -		•	-	-	-	2,111	
							7,634
Births reported	Males	•	-	-	-	2,251	
-	Female	es -	-	-	-	2,243	
							4,494
Decrease on the I	Three Ye	ears	•	-		j	3,140
Withdrawn, manumitted		-	-	137.			
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NUMBER of DEATHS reported for the Fourth and Fifth Triennial Registration of the 31st May 1829, and of the 31st May 1832, and separating the Africans from the Creoles in the latter.

Males under 10 years of age547Females ditto517Males between 10 and 20 - 214Females ditto195Males between 20 and 30 - 222Females ditto170Males between 20 and 40 - 775Females ditto436Males between 40 and 50 - 1,129Females ditto503Males upwards of 50 - 630Females ditto293	5,731 4,684	- ditto ditto 770 - ditto ditto 714 - ditto ditto 216 - ditto ditto 229 - ditto ditto 254 - ditto ditto 194 - ditto ditto 194 - ditto ditto 345 - ditto ditto 345 - ditto ditto 1,277 - ditto ditto 637 - ditto ditto 637 - ditto ditto 637 - ditto ditto 637 - ditto ditto 637 Of which Number 3,850 were Africans. 3,166 were Creoles.
Decrease on the Three Years - Withdrawn, manumitted 254. Report for 1829.	1,047	Births - Males - 1,974 Females - 2,112 4,086 Decrease in the Three Years - 2,930 Withdrawn, manumitted, 456.

The progress in the reduction of the physical strength and capacity of the Slave Population of Demerary and Essequebo is truly alarming, and is a fact which may not have been sufficiently considered; but it appears very clear that the change in this respect within the last fifteen years will have a serious and distressing influence, looking back to the Registration of 1817.

Under 10 years of age, there were		7,226	
The present number of Slaves of this age is	- 1	2,231	
Decrease		-	4,995
Between 10 and 30 years of age, in 1817 .	- 2	9,124	
The present number	- 2	2,128	
Decrease		•	6,996
Between 30 and 40 years of age, in 1817 -	- 1	9,998	
The present number		8,345	
Decrease		-	1 1,653
Reduction of Strength and Capacity since 18	317 -		23,644

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Between 40 and 50 years of age, in 1817, there were 7,414 The present number is	
Increase	6,171
Between 50 and 60 years of age, in 1817 - 2,470 The present number is 7,179	
Increase	4,709
Between 60 and 70 years of age, in 1817 - 714 The present number is 1,613	
Increase	899
From 70 years of age upwards, in 1817 - 217 The present number is 436	
Increase	219
Increase, since 1817, of the number of Slaves whose age and infirmities are a drawback upon the productive resources of the Colony	11,998
TOTAL Deaths since the original Registration	34,709 Slaves.
Of which are presumed to be Africans	19,653
Creoles	15,056

General Summary of the Slave Population of the District of Demerara and Esseguebo-continued.

The average age of the Slave Population, on the 31st May 1832, is $34\frac{7232}{21831}$ or $34\frac{1}{3}$ years. The Mortality on the Total Population registered in 1829, is 1 in 9 $\frac{7}{6}$, or one-tenth nearly.

THE Statement of the Increase and Decrease of the Slave Population on the several Triennial Registrations, taken from the Reports to His Excellency the late Governor Major-General John Murray, and Your Excellency, is as follows:

	Males.	Females.	Total.
CI D. I. C. M Out monoted of January 1818	40 771	33 ,3 92	77.162
	43,771	აა ა9~	//)***3
Supplemental Returns under the Registry Act of 2d October 1818, for all Slaves legally imported between 31st May 1817, and the	206	199	405
30th May 1818: No. 1 to 118, reported 31st December 1818 -	1	•99	
Ditto - ditto No. 119 to 139, reported 16th November 1819	72	44	116
Additional Returns previously omitted, inserted by permission -	85	98	183
Statements reported to His Ex. Gov. Murray, 16th Nov. 1819	44,134	33,733	77 , 86 7
Supplemental Returns under the Registry Act of 2d Oct. 1818: No. 140 to 163, reported 25th September 1820	693	629	1,322
Additional Returns previously omitted, inserted by permission -			⁸ 34
Increase by Birth during the preceding three years, in which the Sexes are not distinguished			4,868
	-	-	84,891
Decrease by Death, in which the Sexes are not distinguished 7,140			
Omissions, which have partly arisen from inaccuracy of Returns of the Deaths of Slaves belonging to Plantations and Individuals, when estates have been broken up, and the proprietors having died or left the Colony there has been no representative to make a Return of Deaths; partly of Slaves who have been manumitted; and, further,			
of unavoidable omissions of Owners 375			7,515
Slave Population on 31 May 1820, reported 19th July 1821, carried forward	43,227	34,149	77,376
		-	

						Males.	Females.	Total.
Brought forward	, <u> </u>	-	-		• •	43,227	34,149	77,376
Supplemental Returns under the	Act of 2	d Oc	tober	1818, rej	ported			
the 13th September 1823 -	• •	-	-			563	504	1,067
Additional Returns previously o	mitted, re	eport	ed at	same tin	ne -	11	18	20
Supplemental Returns reported	the 8th N	/larch	1 1824			71	98	169
Additional Returns reported at 1	the same	time	-			9	19	28
Increase by Birth during the pre	eceding t	hree	years	• •	• •	2,233	2,279	4,512
Decrease by Death since preced	ing Regis	stry 4	1,328	2,860	7,188	46,114	37,067	83,181
Omissions by Owners, and of Manumissions	Deatins a	-	562	454	1,016	4,890	3,314	8,204
Slave Population on 31st May 1	823, repo	rted	14th C	ctober 1	824 -	41,224	33,753	74,977
Supplemental Returns of Import	ted Slave	s. pei	r repo	rted Stat	ement	(
No. 4 Omission inserted, reported 8th	• •	-	-		• •	173	134	307
Nos. 3 and 5	· -	-	-			119	112	231
Increase by Birth during the pro-	eceding th	hree	years		• -	2,251	2,243	4,494
m , m, a , i	• D . •			t I		43,767	36,242	80 , 00g
Decrease by Death since preced Manumissions reported -	ing Regis	try 4	,530 48	3,104 89	7,634 137			_
Omissions of Returns by Own	ners. and	l of	40	09	137			
Deaths and Manumissions		-	4 31	425	856	5,009	3,618	8,627
	826. repo	hater	8th F	hmom	- 0		_	
Slave Population on 31st May 1		nicu		eoruary	1827-	38,758		71,382
Slave Population on 31st May 1 Increase by Birth since precedin	g Registr	ation	1 -	- ·	1827-	38,758	32,624 2,365	
Increase by Birth since precedin	g Registr	ration	n -	- ·	1827-	2,319	2,365	4,684
Increase by Birth since precedin Decrease by Death since precedi	g Registr	ration tra-	1 -	- · 	• •	2,319		4,684
Increase by Birth since precedin Decrease by Death since precedi tion	g Registr	ration tra-	3,517 100	2,214	5,731	2,319	2,365	4,684
Increase by Birth since precedin Decrease by Death since precedi tion Reported Manumitted Omissions of Returns by Ow	ng Registr	ration tra- - 3	1 - 3,517	- · 	5,731 254	2,319 41,077	2,365 34,989	4,684 76,066
Increase by Birth since precedin Decrease by Death since precedi	ng Registr	ration tra- - 3	1 - 3,517	2,214	5,731	2,319	2,365 34,989	4,684 76,066

General Summary of the Slave Population of the District of Demerara and Essequebo-continued.

The Deaths which have occurred amongst African Slaves, who are now mostly aged, many of those stated to have died of old age being in reality much older than appears by registry—the laws in favour of enfranchisement—and the bar at present existing to any further importation of Slaves—greatly tend to diminish and keep down the Slave Population, and will do so more and more; while in fact for all practical usefulness, the African Slaves yet remaining in this Colony, amounting to no less than 22,571, more than a third part of the whole population, may be generally considered as little conducive to the welfare and interest, but rather as increasing the burthen and expense of their owners. The number of deaths during the last three years, has certainly been greater in proportion than at any former registration; first, by reason of the decease of so many elderly African Slaves, and secondly, of the prevalence of pulmonary complaints, which have been particularly destructive and fatal, through the unusually cold and rainy weather experienced these two or three years past, and of convulsions or fits, which have been very common amongst young children. It is further to be feared, since the Colony has become in so great a degree a Sugar Colony, that excesses in the use of rum have also in many instances proved most ruinous to health, so much so, that if the planter could be protected from the loss, and the distillation of rum in

From the foregoing Return, it appears that the number of Slaves in the district of Demerary and Essequebo, of the Colony of British Guiana, on the 31st May 1832, was 65,517, of whom 34,349 were Males, and 31,168 Females, including 981 Males and 929 Females of the mixed race or of colour; which shews a great falling off in the Slave Population from what it was at the preceding, and since the original registry, and dispels the promising and flattering anticipation of an increase, so confidently indulged in in the last Reports to Your Excellency of the 10th September and 14th December 1829. But when it is borne in mind, that one of the chief causes producing this diminution will not cease to operate for a considerable period to come, this decrease will not be thought much too great.

in this Colony altogether prohibited, it would prove a blessing; but as this law could only be adopted at the probable sacrifice of great objects of colonial industry, it amounts almost to presumption to touch upon such a subject.

The foregoing Triennial Return furnishes similar details to those I had the honour to submit to Your Excellency in 1829, of the state and condition of the Slaves in this district; and also relative to the proportion of births of both sexes, reported for the several previous registrations; not including the children born subsequently to each registry, and who died prior to the ensuing registration, and which I again beg leave simply to present to Your Excellency, in furtherance of the objects of the Registration Acts of this Colony. The statement of the several diseases which have produced the deaths among the Slaves during the past three years, being the first undertaking of this nature, I hope will be received with indulgence. This, and distinguishing the Africans from the Creoles which have died, and extracting the number of Slaves between the age of 16 and 30, distinguishing the sexes, are the only variations from the plan of the former Report.

It appears, at the original registration of the year 1817, that the total number of Slaves returned above 20 years and not above 30, was 19,044. The excess of Males of this period in the total population was 10,379; it may therefore be presumed that the sexes of this age were very unequal. The number of children of both sexes then returned under two years of age, was 3,044.

At the first Triennial Registration of the 31st May 1820, the number of Slaves returned in a similar manner, above 20 years of age and not above 30, was 12,403. The excess of Males at this period in the total population was 9,078; and the sexes probably unequal. The number of children reported of both sexes, under three years of age, was 4,868.

At the second Triennial Registration of the 31st May 1823, the number of Slaves returned as before, was 8,824. Presuming the sexes at this period, and between the age of 20 and 30, now to be more equally divided, the number of Females would be 4,412; and the number of children reported is 4,512, of which 2,233 were boys, and 2,279 girls; and is 100 children more than one child to each Female during the three years.

At the succeeding third and fourth Triennial Registration, namely, for 1826 and 1829, the results appear,

In 1826, the average number of Females was	4,396
Children - ${2,251 \text{ Boys} \\ 2,243 \text{ Girls}}$	4,494
Surplus Children more than Females, in three years -	98
In 1829, the average number of Females was	4,376
Children $\begin{cases} 2,319 \text{ Boys} \\ 2,365 \text{ Girls} \end{cases}$	4,684
Surplus Females more than Children	<u> </u>

At the fifth and present Triennial Registration of the 31st May 1832, the number of Females returned between the age of 16 and 30, has been 8,005. The number of children reported is 4,086, of which 1,974 are boys and 2,112 girls, being barely equal to half the number of Females, and averaging nearly one child to two Females during the three years. In all these statements it must be taken into due consideration, that very many children bave been born and died subsequently to the several periods of registration, and consequently, not being returned in the individual lists of Slaves, are not noticed in the registry.

Females much under 20 years of age, and above 30, may be considered as capable of bearing children; and if the division had been made between the age of 16 and 30 at the former registrations, the numerical proportion of children to each female would have been considerably lower. The number of births to a marriage cannot be ascertained.

The continued deficiency in the number of children thus triennially reported, and consequently the gradual depopulation of the Colony, on which its most important interests essentially depend, assumes a very serious aspect; and it is a subject of much regret, at a period when the sexes have become so equally divided, and the condition of the Creole or Native Population so much improved. This fact is unfortunate in itself, and the cause, although perhaps susceptible of explanation, would seem deserving of the greatest attention, since it tends to throw a strong retrogressive influence on the future prosperity of the Colony; and by no other possible means than by carefully preserving the children, can the Slave Population be augmented, as there is no way in which a new Slave can be imported and purchased.

For several years back, West India estates have done but little more than pay their expenses, leaving little or no profit upon the capital invested; and a diminution of future effective labour, so great as the Colony seems doomed shortly to experience, will no doubt gradually render small estates no longer worth cultivating; for the whole value of West India property would seem to depend on the increase and future services of children. The decrease of the Slave Population increases the value of labour, and lessens the profit on the capital employed, which, with the reduction in the prices of West India produce, that a few years ago were high, and gave encouragement to credit and confidence, has an influence of throwing of much land out of cultivation, thereby narrowing the field of employment for the white

white and numerous free coloured population, and with it the commercial industry and supply of wholesale and retail dealers, and ultimately the value of the Colony at large to the revenue, the commerce, the navy, and the wealth of the British Empire. The cultivation of Sugar, Coffee and Cotton, constitutes almost the whole wealth and employment of this Colony; the two latter have been cultivated with loss for some time past, and the Slaves of many of these properties have been transferred to Sugar estates, which are mostly short-handed, and the land abandoned. There is here no foreign commerce, and but little internal trade; and where there is not a tendency to the increase of wealth by some channel or the other, man becomes indolent, and indolence indicates and accelerates poverty and decline. To the eye of a stranger, indeed, we have a bustling scene in town and its neighbourhood; splendid buildings going on almost at all times, which give employment to many emancipated tradesmen and others; but agricultural labour must nevertheless discharge the very great majority of taxes and expenses, feed the public credit, and give life and energy to commerce, and even to the Government itself; otherwise it is obvious, from the already depressed condition of the Colony, that unless an improvement speedily takes place in agricultural affairs, this employment, beneficial as it undoubtedly is and has been to a few individuals, cannot be permanent; but the public and private expenditure must descend to that amount which the inhabitants have the means to bear.

To some, perhaps the majority of the community, the great leading cause of the obstruction to the natural increase of the Slave Population of this Colony, is to be found in the climate; others in a great degree attribute it to the unskilfulness, indifference and immorality of the women; yet the character of a sickly climate does not agree with the great increase of children in Georgetown, nor with the fact that there is a very considerable proportion of old inhabitants in the Colony, and that the African Slaves are much older than appears by the registry, if the African Slaves have been greatly underrated in their age at the original registry, which is universally admitted to have taken place. Children are raised in this part of the world with very little labour and attention, and there is no country in the West Indies where the Slaves are better taken care of than in this Colony; they have excellent medical characters to attend them, many of them the most distinguished of the medical men in the West Indies; and the proprietors require their duties to be discharged with the utmost attention and ability. The hospitals are excellent, and well supplied in every respect; so that it is grown into a proverb, honourable to the humane character of all parties, that if the finger of a negro aches, the doctor must be sent for. The principal cause of the obstruction to the natural increase of children, will probably be found owing, mainly, to the practice of polygamy amongst the Slaves of this Colony; and however to be reprobated, their passion for sensual enjoyments cannot be restrained, as most of the leading men on estates, it is well known, have as many wives as they can find means to influence by indulging their propensities. The young women display great taste in their dresses, and the greatest gaiety and giddiness of manners, too plain to escape attention, and are passionately fond of dancing and keeping late hours; these are the principal causes of so many inflammatory complaints, and of the loss of so many children.

A favourable result was produced at the last registration, in the difference and increase of the African and Creole Population, and which, upon the whole, is now no doubt much more improved in that respect, as the present number of Creole Slaves is 20,375 more than the Africans, and the total number of Females is only 3,181 less than the Males; the Males between the age of 16 and 30 are 8,008, and the Females 8,005. If the present young generation could step closer upon that which immediately precedes it, the Colony would soon support itself; and without this can be early accomplished, or the importation of labourers of some kind or the other be encouraged, it cannot improve. The strength of a country rests principally on its increase; and if the strength of this Colony is not kept up by an increasing population, or by importation, it follows it can only enjoy a short-lived prosperity: its decline is in fact already hastening forward with the most alarming speed.

These considerations may be admitted to be powerful recommendations to the Planters to use their best exertions to be more successful in rearing children, and in the preservation of the present population entrusted to their care, and in which every colonist is so deeply concerned. In most instances the condition of the Slaves is known to Your Excellency to be invariably easy and comfortable; to promote which, the proprietors have made the greatest personal and pecuniary sacrifices. Slaves have now an interest in their labour, by the allotted time which is given to them for this purpose; they are treated with kindness, and encouraged by example in decent and religious habits of life; parochial schools are beginning to be fostered, and are establishing; and the houses of the Slaves, their clothing and food, are better, and their labour for their owners more light, in a much greater degree, to former years. It remains to be hoped that the minds of the Slaves, the most important object of all, like the soil which has been so much prepared and improved, may not be suffered to go to waste by the ruin of the proprietors.

The great importance which belongs to these questions of increase and decrease, and which have become fundamental objects of colonial policy, involving as they do the present and future happiness and comfort of the great body of the people, will be, I trust, an apology for the freedom and extent of these observations, and for calling the attention of Your Excellency to the subject. To Your Excellency's address and firmness since the commencement of your administration of the government of this Colony, to those earnest and disinterested endeavours to promote its welfare, and to the powerful influence of Your Excellency's representations

representations to His Majesty's Government, of the great value of this Colony, and of the humane treatment which the Slaves experience universally, a numerous and deserving class of society have undoubtedly been much indebted, and still look up with unabated confidence in every emergency. The West India system is at present in the very crisis of its existence, preparatory to a change or ruin, and what may be most essential to the lasting security and well-being of the Colonies is not known; it is a subject for the exercise of wisdom, impartiality and deep reflection. Amidst these discouragements and difficulties, and the contending interests of various conflicting opinions and many prejudices, it is scarcely prudent or safe to suggest any thing; but in presuming to touch on matters which lie within every one's observation, I hope I do not transgress or exceed the duty confided to me: my impartiality at least may be the more depended upon, as I never have had any interest in an estate in this Colony during upwards of a third of a century I have resided in it; there is no selfishness in the act, as I seek not my own gratification so much as the good of others; my wishes for the prosperity and happiness of the Colony are most ardent; and it is in this spirit, and in the most warm regard for its interests, I feel induced most respectfully to suggest a measure of relief to Your Excellency, which, if adopted, would seem likely to confer a great benefit on the Colony at large; but its greatest benefit would be more particularly felt hereafter; namely, that Government should purchase the superabundant Slave Population of Barbados and of the other Colonies, and send them over to be apprenticed to the proprietors of estates in this Colony for a term of years, as agricultural labourers, on certain conditions, and on moderate wages, out of which a part may be withheld in the hands of the proprietors, in order to discharge the expenses of their enfranchisement, and of bringing them to this Colony; the proprietors entering into an agreement for taking the said apprentices upon such terms and conditions, and giving security for the payment of these wages, and such other sum as may be agreed on, to the satisfaction of Government. These apprentices to be free from domestic discipline, and solely subject to punishment like all other persons, upon due complaint and hearing, under the legal authority of the civil magistrate. The labourer would be thus taught, by this independence and the wages he would receive, to respect himself, and to pay a better attention to his wife and children; the population of the Colony would increase, and it would be an easy mode of gradually and safely breaking down the distinctions, and of correcting the evils of the present system; perhaps, of ultimately forming a contented and happy free peasantry. Under this arrange-ment, a confident expectation may be entertained that the improved condition of these Slaves, so conditionally enfranchised and disposed of in this Colony, with the certainty of being free, and progressively prosperous if they behaved well and were industrious, would afford to themselves every satisfactory encouragement for being removed from their present homes; and by being obliged to furnish most of their own wants, they would acquire habits of frugality and industry; their little supplies would soon need an intercourse of commodities, which in due time would give rise to the formation of small towns and villages; and thus this very valuable Colony might be preserved in a productive condition to the Mother Country; and until compensation was proposed, and such principles had been sufficiently imparted to the Slaves as would enable them to estimate the benefits of industrious and contented habits, and to practise the duties of civilized society, this arrangement would seem politic and just.

With respect to emancipated Slaves, whose number has been greatly increased by the enfranchisement of all the Crown Slaves, and is daily increasing by individual acts of favour, and by other Slaves brought into this Colony, irregularly and contrary to law, as domestic servants, which have been condemned and forfeited to the Crown by sentence in the Court of Vice Admiralty, and for whom it remains to find employment and motives for enterprise and activity, there are abundant resources, and fine tracts of rich and well wooded land in this Colony, with proper measures, where free-labour might be rendered extremely productive, and highly beneficial to the Parent State; but, unfortunately for the Colony, want of inclination, and want of money, have damped the spirit of speculation, and many useful projects are overlooked and lost sight of. The low lands of this Colony are suitable to the projects are overlooked and lost signt of. The low lands of this Colony are suitable to the cultivation of rice, in any quantities; cocoa, tobacco, the palma christi, succeed very well. The culture of indigo would be important, and is deserving of attention, now that the process is rendered harmless. There are several substitutes for hemp, and quantities of cordage might be made with great profit. Horses and cattle may be bred in most parts of the Colony, and a consequent traffic might be opened with other Colonies. Cattle are indeed numerous at present, and very fine in several places. Logwood might be extensively planted on the waste lands and side lines of estates. Excellent employment presents itself in cutting timber, and various kinds of beautiful wood for cabinet work and boat-building, and in supplying firewood for general use and for export, and even stone, from a distance up the rivers; in brick making and action making and in supplying brick-making and pottery work, and in various trades, as the raw material for many trades and manufactures is to be had abundantly. Sarsaparilla and many useful medicinal drugs and grains may be collected; and much profit has been made by a few individuals, but which could be greatly and beneficially extended, by gardening and raising stock, as most of the European vegetables, and several other kinds, may be easily raised. In a word, the abandoned land of many plantations is well calculated for these purposes, and for raising provisions in abundance, for the supply of the inhabitants; and there is plenty of good land and profitable occupation for those who are industrious, and have means before them, or a little support to cultivate and improve them. If to these be added the advantage which the Colony 700.

Colony possesses, of great extent and facility, exterior and interior, of water carriage, opening a communication in all directions, it seems only to require some of these new sources of industry and profit to be opened, which if taken up with spirit might be very extensively carried on, to insure a great accession of wealth and prosperity.

Without presuming to interfere in the slightest degree with the beneficent intentions of Government, it may be permitted me to observe, that the most important political interests depend on voluntary emancipation, and which deserve to be well attended to; as on its influence rest very materially the permanent duration of all authority, and the beneficial employment of many thousands, which a short time, it is to be feared, will disclose. Emancipated Slaves, with some few exceptions, do not easily brook servitude of any kind. The women are generally industrious, but most of the men are far otherwise; they seem to consider themselves entitled to higher wages than Slaves, even as domestic servants; and it has long been discovered that they will not work in field-labour at a time when agricultural labourers are of the most essential necessity. The primary cause of this abhorrence of labour, is the absence of the task-masters of European society-hunger, cold and nakedness. The Children of the Sun are indisposed to continual work, to supply their few occasional wants. As emancipated Slaves, they feel their new rank as a discharge from labour altogether; they hang about their former companions, the Slaves, and are even very much dependent upon them for subsistence; living a life of idleness, and leading to mischief; whereas, by keeping the labourer, free or not, employed, he becomes a better member of society. Enfranchised Slaves would seem absolutely to require to be checked and encouraged by proper authority, and kept to employment for some time, under a certain degree of control, lest their freedom should become a source of misery to themselves, and threaten the Colony with appalling consequences; as it is apprehended that many of the aged and helpless, free black and people of colour, will shortly be seen begging in the streets, that others will become paupers on the Colonial Church and Poor's Fund, or be making inroads upon the peace and property of society.

Exact duplicates will be made of the books of the present registry, without the least delay, when they will be delivered to Your Excellency, to be transmitted to His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonial Department, in England. In the foregoing statements, I have endeavoured to give a summary view of the most important features of the Slave Population, from the general index to the registry books; but a reference thereto will furnish more detailed information than can be supplied by any brief remarks. The index contains, in addition to the names of the Plantations, or persons possessing Slaves, a description of the country, the births and ages of all the Slaves in each individual Return, the number of deaths, of different ages, 'during the preceding three years, distinguishing the sexes, and the Africans from the Creoles; the number of Slaves between the ages of sixteen and thirty, distinguishing the sexes, the number of those of the coloured or mixed race, and of those reported manumitted; but many more have been left in a condition of reputed freedom, years ago, and others have purchased themselves for their own benefit, and, with their children, have had deeds of manumission duly executed for them, during the past three years, by the Protector of Slaves, in amount very considerably beyond what comes to my official knowledge, and sufficient, with the few omissions of persons living at a remote distance, and some few deaths not reported, to account for the slight difference between the respective amount of the Slave Population, as now returned *de novo*, and the former registration.

	NUMBER OF SLAVES.	MALES.	FEMALES.
REGISTRY of 1829	69,467 4,086	37,141 1,974	32,326 2,112
	73,553	39,115	34,438
Decrease by Deaths 7,016		4,275	2,741
Ditto - by Manumissions reported 456		185	271
Ditto - by omissions of Returns by Owners, and Deaths and Manu- missions not duly reported -		. 306	258
REGISTRY of 1832 65,517		34,349	31,168

In making the above Comparative Statement, it was necessary to deduct 456 Slaves, manumitted, and 564 Slaves, omissions, &c. which leave a decrease of 2,930 Slaves on the total population of 69,467 Slaves registered in 1829, or nearly 41 per cent. The state of increase and decrease, grounded upon the several Reports since the original registration of Slaves in 1817, amounting to 77,163, will have due weight with Your Excellency To this amount is to be added 3,386 Slaves imported into the Colony, and returned under the Registry Act of the 2d October 1818; and the further amount of 1,305 Slaves, additionally returned.

returned, which have been admitted to Registration, on petition, after the limited period of the original Registry had transpired; making the total number of Slaves in the books 81,854; from which are to be deducted 847 Slaves reported manumitted, and 3,425 Slaves, omissions, &c. &c. as stated in this Report; leaving a decrease of 12,065 Slaves; the difference between the births and deaths being 14 20322, or nearly 14 g per cent, in the past fifteen years; but, in truth, there is an actual and important reduction at this period, of 16,337 Slaves, or about one-fifth of the original Population.

My duty has been, conformably to the provisions of the several Registry Acts in force in this Colony, to examine the Returns given in with reference to the former and original Returns, and to take account of all deductions or additions to the former lists, most especially in all cases of decrease of number, by death, distinctly specifying the same at the foot of each Return; and to make the transfers off, which arise by purchase or otherwise, so as to exclude, by the utmost care, the possibility of an improper or double return, and confine the registry, as intended, to such Slaves only as have already been registered, and their offspring, thereby to avoid affording any facilities to an illegal introduction of Slaves into this Colony. No errors or omissions have been rectified but by permission of Your Excellency, and the oath required by law has been duly administered to every individual making a return. To accomplish these important objects of my duty, considerable attention and perseverance have been required; and I have to acknowledge my obligations to the community at large for the accuracy with which the registration has been attended to, to its conclusion; whereby the several Returns have been collated and arranged without particular difficulty, and with good temper, and the labour has been rendered light and cheerful; and the approbation of your Excellency to my general conduct, as Registrar of Slaves, will afford me the greatest degree of satisfaction.

I have the honour to be, with the highest consideration and respect,

Sir.

Your Excellency's most obedient Servant,

(signed)

James Robertson,

Registrar.

No. 2.

LETTER from J. Robertson, Esq. to His Excellency Major-General Sir B. D'Urban, K. C. B. Governor, of British Guiana, &c. &c.

Office for the Registration of Slaves,

Georgetown, Demerary, 21st December 1832. IN continuation of the Report on the Fifth Triennial Registration of the Slave Population of Demerary and Essequebo, for the 31st May 1832, which I had the honour to submit to Your Excellency under date of the 17th September last, I deem it my duty to notice the insertion in the books of this office, duplicates of which I have now respectfully to deliver, to be transmitted to His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonial Department in England, of sixteen Supplemental Returns of Slaves admitted to Registration, in obedience to Your Excellency's commands, during the period employed in copying the books; amounting to,

African Males	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
Creole ditto	-	-	•	-	-	-	-	-	18		
										19 Males.	
African Female	- 8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	U	
Creole ditto	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	17		
								-		20 Females	۶.
	Registe	ered fo	or the	31st	May	1832	-	Total		39	
Of whom were				S	-	-	-	-	2		
	Females	di	tto	•	-	-	-	-	2		
Slaves above 3	and not	above	5	-	-	-	-	-	3		
	and not			-	-	-	-	-	3 6		
10	and not	above	16	-	-	-	-	-	3		
Males above 16			e 30	-	-	-	-	-	5		
Females ditt	io - c	litto	-	-	-	-	-	-	7		
Slaves above 30				-	-	. -	-	-	4		
	and not			-	-	-	-	-	5		
	o and not			-	-	-	-	-	1		
79	o and not	: abov	e 80	-	-	-	-	-	1		
										39	

Whereof 4 Males and 4 Females were of the mixed race, or of colour. The births were 2 Males and 2 Females.

SIR.

The Slaves withdrawn, as having been reported manumitted, were 2 Males and 1 Female. 700. By

African Males		-	-	-	-	-	13,520	
Creole ditto		-	-	-	-	-	20,848	34,368 Males.
African Females	s –	-	-	-	-	-	9,055	
Creole ditto		-	-	-	-	-	22,133	31,188 Females.
					T	'otal		65,556
Of whom are M	lales unde	er 3 yea	ars	-	-	-	1,976	
	'emales			-	-	-	2,114	
Slaves above 3	and not a	bove 5	-	-	-	-	2,747	
5	and not a	bove i	0 -	-	-	-	5,407	
10 :	and not a	bove 1	6 -	-	-	-	6,118	
Males above 16	and not a	above S	80	-	•	-	8,013	
Females - di		ditto	-	-	-	-	8,012	
Slaves above 30		above 2	10	-	-	-	8,349	
40	and not	above !	50	-	-	-	13,590	
	and not			-	-	-	7,180	
60	and not	above '	70	-	-	-	1,613	
	and not			-	-	-	364	
) and not			-	-	-	40	
	and not		100	-	-	-	7	
up	wards of	100	-	-	-	-	2	
Age unknown,	presumed	to be a	absen	tees	-	-		65,556

By the addition of these 39 Slaves, the Population of the district of Demerary and Essequebo, as returned to this Office for the 31st May 1832, is as follows:

Humble and disqualified for the undertaking as I am, yet believing it to be my duty, and the attention of the public being so much directed towards the subject, I hope to be excused for taking this opportunity respectfully to add the following observations to my Report to Your Excellency, of the 17th September, being wanting, and perhaps essential, to prove that the alleged decrease of the Slaves and the insufficiency of children arise in a great measure from causes which are not in the master's power to remove or prevent.

On the 31st May 1817, it appears that out of 77,163 persons, there were 42,224 (considerably more than one half of them) Africans. As many as 66,348 (exceeding in number the present Population) were under 40 years of age, and no less than 39,042 of this latter number. Upwards of one half of the whole Slave Population were between the ages of 20 and 40, in the full vigour and prime of life. A population so composed, it is clear, could not long support itself. In the progress of the last fifteen years, many of the females would be passing the age of bearing children, and others would drop off, from natural causes, while the number of children born in the same period would necessarily be proportionably limited. It is also generally admitted in this Colony, that the African Slaves were underrated in their ages at the first and original registration. The age of the African Slaves, taking the average estimate of each separate cargo of Slaves, as they were imported into this Colony previously to 1808, when the Slave Trade ceased, may be presumed to have been about 184 years; and at the present time the average age of the African Slaves yet in existence may in reality be much nearer 60 than 50 years. An excess of deaths over births must therefore continue for a considerable time to come, on the total Population. But there is a more animating view of the Creole or Native portion of the Slave Population, as the births returned for the registration of the present year have been 4,090, and the deaths of Creoles as reported were 3,166, leaving an increase on the three past years of 924, which is something to counteract the unfavourable impression produced by the actual result on the total Population.

The total Population, as now returned for the 31st May 1832, is 65,556, and the Africans are estimated at 22,575, about one-third of the whole. Under 40 years of age there are 42,736, nearly equal to the number of Creoles, which is 42,981, and the remainder, amounting to 22,820, complete the total Slave Population, being nearly equal to the number of Africans. On the common probabilities of life, as applied to the remaining African Slaves, viewing them as a labouring class only, and not a mixed population as in Europe, not one of them, it may be presumed, will be alive at the expiration of another period of fifteen years; and it would appear, that when all the Africans shall have died off, and the whole of the Slaves shall be Creoles or Natives, the population of Demerary and Essequebo will greatly increase, as the new-born children are all the offspring of Creoles; few, if any, can be the children of Africans. From observations in London on the probability which a person of 50 years of age has to live 20 years longer, that is to the age of 70, it is shown, that out of 204 persons living, of 50 years, and out of 130 persons of 60 years, no more than 69 of each class arrive at the age of 70; the probabilities of life, therefore, are in the ratio of 204 to 69, and of 130 to 69, at those ages, for the chance of living to 70 years. By these rules, in a mixed society of rich and poor, not confined to the labouring class only, 4,521 persons out of 13,369 of 50 years of age, and 3,810, out of 7,180 of 60 years, in all probability would reach 70 years

70 years of age. Some exception may therefore be made to so short a period as 15 years for the entire extinction of the remaining African Slaves; but under the constant influence of a life of labour, experience will probably support the prediction.

In a lot of 10 Slaves, the mode in which new Negroes were usually put up for sale, were generally,

1 Slave under 3 years of age.	
2 ditto nearly 5 ditto.	
1 ditto "10 ditto.	
2 ditto ,, 16 ditto.	
2 ditto "30 ditto.	
2 ditto "35 ditto.	
10 Slaves, average age about 18	½ years.

If the present Africans were to be lotted, their number and ages are about,

13,369	Slaves	near	50	years	l of	age	; F	oresumed	proba	bility	of li	fe 15	years.
	ditto							-	ditto		-	8	,, ,,
1,613	ditto	59	60 :	to 7	70	**	-	-	ditto	-	-	2	**
<u>36</u> 4	ditto	,,,	70 1	to É	so		-	-	ditto	-	-	1	3 h
	ditto						-	-	ditto	-	-	Ŧ	.,
7	ditto	"	90 1	to 10	00	.,			G1000	-	-	l 1	
2	ditto	upwa	rds	of 10	0	,,	-	+	ditto	-	-	ور	**
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22,575 Slaves, average age about 55 years.

I have the honour to be, with sentiments of grateful respect,

Sir,

Your Excellency's most obedient Servant,

James Robertson,

Registrar.

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