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S L A V E V E S S E L S.

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable The House of Commons, dated 28 July 1845:—*for*,

A RETURN "of all VESSELS that have been taken into Her Majesty's Service under the several Acts and Treaties relating to the SLAVE TRADE, since the 24th day of August 1839, describing the Flag under which such Vessels were seized, the Registered Tonnage, as well as that by British Admeasurement; stating whether Copper or Iron fastened, and if taken with their Stores and Furniture: likewise the Appraised or Estimated Value of each Vessel, and the Sums which the Board of Admiralty have deemed a proper Price for the same."

NAME OF VESSEL, &c.	Registered Tonnage.	Tonnage by British Admeasurement.	Whether Copper or Iron fastened.	If taken with their Stores and Furniture.	Appraised or Estimated Value.	Amount paid.
					£. s. d.	£. s. d.
"Josephine," Portuguese Schooner, captured by H. M. S. "Wanderer."	Not stated	61 Tons	Copper	Stores and Furniture.	450 6 -	450 6 -
"Emilia," condemned Brazilian Slave Vessel, purchased at Sierra Leone.	123 Tons (Spanish tonnage.)	Not stated	Iron	ditto	330 - -	332 2 - (including Transfer Fee.)
"Escorpião," Portuguese Slave Brig, captured by H. M. S. "Modeste."	Not stated	380 Tons	Copper	Not stated	400 - -	400 - -
Schooner (name stated as unknown), captured by H. M. S. "Madagascar."	Not stated	40 Tons	Not stated	Stores and Furniture.	92 15 -	92 15 -
"Independencia," Brazilian Brigantine, captured by H. M. S. "Madagascar."	Not stated	200 Tons	Not stated	ditto	(Sold at Public Auction.)	257 4 6
"Progreso," captured by H. M. S. "Cleopatra"	140 Tons	Not stated	Not stated	ditto	170 - -	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="font-size: 2em; margin-right: 5px;">}</div> <div style="font-size: 0.8em; margin-right: 5px;">--</div> <div style="font-size: 0.7em;">The purchase-money for this Vessel does not appear to have been paid by the accounts in office.</div> </div>
TOTAL Amount paid					- - - £.	1,532 7 6

G. P. Parkin,  
(For Surveyor of the Navy, absent on duty),  
O. B. Woolsey,  
Dy Acct Gen<sup>l</sup> of the Navy.

Admiralty, 31 July 1845.

SLAVE VESSELS.

RETURN of VESSELS that have been taken into Her Majesty's Service under the Acts and Treaties relating to the SLAVE TRADE, since the 24th August 1839.

(*Captain Pechell.*)

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Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed,  
2 August 1845.

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