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[Despatch Abstract.]

Govt of India ap-
proved of the change
of the title Asst Director
to Deputy Director of Land
Revenue & Agriculture

READ AGAIN ORDER OF GOVERNMENT, DATED
18 , No. , MISCELLANEOUS.

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26TH OCTOBER 1891, No. 1006, REVENUE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land
Records and Agriculture), dated 18th September 1891, No. 590:—

MR. CLOGSTOUN.

Read—G.O., dated 20th August 1891, No. 775, Revenue.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating letter from the Government of India conveying the sanction of the Secretary of State for the appointment of an Assistant to the Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, and appointing Mr. L. M. Wynch, C.S., to the office, and requesting the Board to report on the results of the new appointment on 1st September 1895.

Resolution—dated 18th September 1891, No. 590.

Communicated to all Collectors for information.

2. The attention of the Collector of Trichinopoly is drawn to paragraph 3 of the Government Order.

3. As regards the designation of the new officer, the Board ventures to submit that the designation sanctioned in the Secretary of State's despatch, viz., Assistant Director of Land Records, may be allowed to stand, and that of Mr. Benson changed to Assistant Director * of Agriculture.

* G.O., dated 24th August 1885, No. 959. These designations will correctly represent the duties of the two branches of the department with which these two officers will be immediately connected. Mr. Benson is virtually the professional adviser of the Director in matters relating to Agriculture and will be independent of the new officer whose duties will be confined to supervising the work of the Subordinate Revenue officials in connection with the maintenance of Land Records and Survey marks.

4. No establishment has been provided for Mr. Wynch. It will not be possible for the Board to spare any hands from its staff which was seriously reduced in 1887, in spite of the strong protests of two successive Directors. The result has been most unfortunate as shown by recent experience during the pressure of work thrown upon the office by the prevalence of distress. The Board will submit a proposition statement showing the additional establishment that will be required after consulting Mr. Wynch when he takes up his duties.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
„ the Collector of Trichinopoly.
„ all other Collectors.

Copy to L. M. Wynch, Esq., C.S.

READ—also the following letter from Sir E. C. BUCK, *Kt.*, Secretary to the Government of India, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Simla, the 26th September 1891; No. 2183—99 :—

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter No. 776, dated the 20th August 1891, relating to the appointment in the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, recently sanctioned by the Secretary of State, I am desired to say that the Government of India have no objection to the title of the appointment being changed to that of Deputy instead of Assistant Director.

2. As regards the recommendation in the second paragraph of your letter that the pay of the appointment should rise to the maximum of Rs. 1,500 per mensem, by annual increments of Rs. 100, I am to say that while allowing due weight to the objections advanced, the Government of India would prefer that the sanctioned arrangement should remain unaltered. It has been successfully adopted in other Provinces, and any change would necessitate a fresh reference to the Secretary of State on the subject.

3. The Government of India will await the receipt of the report promised in paragraph 3 of your letter, regarding the constitution of the Board of Revenue.

ORDER—dated 26th October 1891, No. 1006, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

The second of the papers read above will be communicated to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture.

2. As regards the Board's suggestion in paragraph 3 of the first paper read above to alter the title of the new Land Record officer, the Government considers that the designation approved in G.O., No. 775, dated 20th August 1891, and sanctioned by the Government of India should stand.

3. The proposals regarding an establishment for Mr. Wynch are awaited.

(True Extract.)


Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.
„ the Financial Department.
„ the Public Department.
„ the Accountant-General.

Copy to the Superintendent, Revenue Survey.

Exd. C. M. Brisson.

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Assistant Director of Land Records
and Agriculture.

Communicating to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture, the Resolution of the Government of India approving of the change of the title of Assistant Director into Deputy Director and stating that the designation now sanctioned by the Government of India should stand.

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*Report of the Proletarian
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The Gov^t of India,
Revenue & Agricultural Dept.

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attached with 2
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No. 2223/67

Dated 11th } Nov^r 1891
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SUBJECT.

Forwarding copies of the
Report of Protector of Immigrants
Trinidad for 1890.

Report of Protector of Immigrants, with Quarterly Returns,
for the year 1890.

IMMIGRATION OFFICE,
15th May, 1891.

SIR,

I have the honor to report for His Excellency's information as follows on matters connected with Immigration during the year 1890; the usual Abstract from Quarterly Returns having been laid on the Council Table on the 6th April, other Tables are attached to this Report, which should be read together with the Abstract above mentioned :—

IMMIGRANTS INTRODUCED FROM INDIA.

2. Five vessels arrived during the year 1890, having embarked 2,903 immigrants at Calcutta, landing 2,915, or 12 more than were embarked. This was due to the very low rate of mortality and a large percentage of births during the voyage from Calcutta to this Colony. Twenty deaths occurred, giving a percentage of only '68 as compared with 2'4 for 1889, the previous year, when 3,311 were embarked. Seven hundred and fifteen (715) women were embarked in 1890, and 32 children were born during the passages of the five ships, which averaged 93 days from Calcutta to this Colony.

3. Return No. 2 shows a decrease in the number of Coolies who returned to India from this and other Colonies and again re-emigrated to Trinidad, their numbers being 191 for 1889 and 151 for 1890.

4. There is however an increase in the number of those who paid their own passage in 1890 when compared with 1889, the numbers being as follows :—

1889	28
1890	41

while the amounts deposited by immigrants or passengers with our Agent in India to be refunded here were £1,568 10 6 in 1889 and £975 17 7 in 1890.

DECKERS FROM OTHER COLONIES.

5. The number of deck passengers from other Colonies in the West Indies and the Spanish Main was as follows :—

Year.	No. arrived in the Colony.	No. left the Colony.	Balance left in the Colony.
1889	11,144	8,206	2,938
1890	10,991	8,407	2,584

During the last eight or ten years preceding 1890, a balance of about two thousand has always been found in each year to remain in the Colony, thus increasing our labour supply. On reference to the Returns from the Harbour-Master's Office I find that of those leaving the Colony 2,203 were for the Spanish Main, while only 1,547 left for that place during 1889. These departures of course include many persons who had come from Venezuela as small traders and were returning again to their homes.

6. The Returns of the Immigration Department show that during 1890 one hundred and thirty passports were granted to Indian Immigrants for the Spanish Main and 126 for Demerara and other Colonies. There is however good reason for believing that immigrants leave this for the Spanish Main without passports, it being impossible for the Police to watch effectually a coast-line as extensive as that of this Colony, so nearly adjacent to that of Venezuela. The reason for their leaving for the Spanish Main is evident from the information given by some immigrants who have returned and stated that the rate of wages per ordinary task or day is forty cents, besides a full supply of rations. They also said that their wages were regularly paid in silver or gold, and that they were otherwise well treated.

The serious question to be considered therefore is, to what extent the Spanish Main will continue to draw from us seasoned hands for whose introduction so much has already

been expended by this Colony; for it is clear that the wages paid in Venezuela are higher than we can afford to pay here. The cost of clothing may be higher there, but of this the Coolie wears little. Neither will the healthy male adult consider the greater advantages of Medical care and treatment, Savings Banks, &c., in this Colony as offsets against the wages, plus rations, given on the adjacent coast.

7. There is no doubt that the earnings of unindentured labourers have considerably decreased throughout the Colony, owing to the constant introduction of immigrants under indenture and the influx of labourers from other parts in the West Indies. As an instance of this I may mention that the wages of carters and sweepers who clean the streets of Port-of-Spain, a town of at least 40,000 inhabitants, were reduced about twelve or eighteen months ago, as follows:—Carters from 50 cents to 40 cents; sweepers from 40 cents to 35 cents per day. This case is given, as the person who has the contract for cleaning the town does not employ indentured labour, and in making such reduction is dealing with labourers who may leave him at short notice and seek employment elsewhere.

MORTALITY AMONG INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.

8. The mortality for 1890 among immigrants under indenture on 9,960 adults was 1·78 as compared with that of 1889 on 8,850 adults under indenture equal to 2 per cent., while the mean death-rate of the Island among indentured immigrants, calculated under the provisions of Ordinance 9 of 1875, which excludes deaths from hanging by order of the Court, or suicides, was 1·86—the lowest on record. The following list shows the gradual decrease in the death-rate which has taken place since the passing of Ordinance 9 of 1875:—

Years.	General Mean Death-rate.
1875	3·73 per cent.
1876	3·04 "
1877	3·26 "
1878	3·06 "
1879	2·65 "
1880	2·45 "
1881	2·51 "
1882	2·53 "
1883	2·57 "
1884	2·60 "
1885	2·60 "
1886	2·07 "
1887	1·94 "
1888	1·93 "
1889	1·86 "
1890	1·78 "

ABSTRACT OF INDENTURED AND UNIDENTURED LABOURERS.

9. There were on Estates that make Returns to this Office during the year 1890—

	Men.	Women.
Immigrants under original indenture	6,827	2,702
Id. Bounty	425	6
Free immigrants resident on Estates	5,160	2,718
Id. non-resident	4,686	2,289
Resident Creole labourers	1,708	826
Non-resident Creole labourers	1,963	829
Total	20,769	9,370
	30,139.	
	Boys.	Girls.
Children of indentured and unindentured immigrants on Estates	2,556	1,979
	34,674	

This shows a total increase on that of 1889 of 3,101 souls, which certainly shows an increase in the number of labourers working on Estates. There is also a large increase in 1890 as compared with 1889 of immigrants under indenture; the number being as follows:—

Year.	No. under five years' indenture.	No. on Bounty.	Total.
1890	9,529	431	9,960
1889	8,507	343	8,850

I may mention here, though it does not correctly belong to this Report, that on the 31st March 1891, there were 10,405 indentured immigrants on Estates.

ABSENTEES.

10. Return No. 4 shews the percentage of absentees for the years 1889 and 1890, giving the number who absconded during each year of their industrial service of those under original indenture of five years. From this it will be seen that the total number given in each year of absconders really gives the numbers at present absent who have absconded during the whole five years, and not the actual number who absconded during the year for which the Report is made. The percentage therefore on the total number absent in the following years may almost be divided by 5 if it be taken for one year.

In 1889, on 8,507, 206 absconded = 2·42 per cent.; in 1890, on 9,529, 219 absconded = 2·29 per cent., or somewhat less than that of the previous year, 1889.

On Bounty Indentures, the term of indenture being for one year only, the percentage can be more closely arrived at: in 1889, on 343, 3 absconded = ·87 per cent., plus 7 whose indenture had been extended for "lost days," which may or may not have been the cause of their absconding. In 1890, on 431, 11 absconded = 2·55 per cent. To this may be added 9 absentees whose indentures were extended for "lost days."

COMMUTATION OF RETURN PASSAGE.

11. The number of immigrants who have commuted their right to a return passage either for land or money since 1869 is 3,980 men and 1,873 women, who had with them 5,991 children, giving a total of 11,744 souls.

No money has been voted for 1891 for commutation of return passages, nor is there any prospect of any allotments of land for the same purpose. The whole question of the commutation of right to a return passage by grants of land or money is a difficult one to deal with, and opinions differ. Some think grants of land in lieu of return passage would be a wise and prudent measure, if fair roads or other means of conveying produce were opened up through the districts in which lands were granted; while others prefer offering money as a commutation in lieu of a return passage.

12. My own opinion is that at present it is not advisable to offer grants of land or money in lieu of return passage for the following reasons:—All the experience of the Immigration Department has shewn that with few exceptions an immigrant who has made up his mind to return to India will not accept land or money in lieu thereof. On the other hand large numbers would at present be found to take land grants or money who had no intention of returning to India; while our revenue from land sales would be materially decreased.

Another question which would arise would be the speedy survey of blocks of land sufficiently numerous to meet the number of applications which would be made, as without such surveys there would be no means of defining the position and boundary of such blocks. If on the other hand there was delay, as I feel sure there would be, in making such numerous surveys, immigrants would lose confidence in the Government. The next point to be considered is in what localities these blocks could be laid off. Most of the lands adjacent to our large agricultural centres are already taken up, and to place them on lands at a distance from these centres would withdraw from them a large number of their present unindentured labourers.

IMMIGRANTS WHO RETURNED TO INDIA DURING 1890.

13. The return ship *Hereford* which left this on the 4th September, 1890, embarked 597 souls, equal to 535½ statute adults, who took with them in bills and gold £7,878 1 8, together with gold and silver ornaments estimated to be of the value of £500.

This is the smallest amount taken away by a return ship carrying such a large number of Coolies, and was, I think, due to the general depression which followed the sugar crisis that began in 1883 and 1884.

The following list of return ships from this to Calcutta from the year 1880 will bring this out more clearly:—

Names of Ships.	Date of Departure.	Statute Adults.	Bills.			Gold.			Jewellery.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Jumna	13th Sept., 1880	405	12,207	8	2	493	15	8			
Silhet	23rd Oct., 1881	421½	9,966	18	4	688	10	7			
Neva	9th Sept., 1883	449	13,061	7	4	777	9	7	1,453	0	0
S.S. Peshwa	2nd Oct., 1884	593	16,006	2	7	652	3	4	2,355	0	0
Mairi Bhan	1st Oct., 1885	533	10,869	13	3	276	12	1	1,000	0	0
British Nation	13th Sept., 1886	484	11,589	11	8	519	15	5	2,000	0	0
Erne	7th Sept., 1887	612	12,065	12	6	197	6	3	1,000	0	0
Moy	15th Sept., 1888	384½	7,995	1	8	250	0	0	625	0	0
Rhone	7th Sept., 1889	596½	10,871	9	2	195	11	3	1,041	0	0
Hereford	4th Sept., 1890	535½	7,809	7	6	68	14	2	500	0	0

In conclusion I may state that the percentage of Coolies availing themselves of their right to a return passage when compared with the estimated number of immigrants in this Colony entitled to such passage is, as far as can be ascertained, on the increase.

REMITTANCES TO INDIA.

14. The following list gives the total amounts remitted by immigrants in this Colony to friends in India from the year 1882 to 1890, inclusive:—

Years.	Amounts remitted to India.			Number of Remitters.
	£	s.	d.	
1882 ...	1,276	8	4	222
1883 ...	2,087	3	11	459
1884 ...	2,206	11	8½	524
1885 ...	2,052	14	10	482
1886 ...	1,899	1	3½	479
1887 ...	2,030	11	2	515
1888 ...	1,818	3	3	505
1889 ...	1,965	19	0½	560
1890 ...	2,213	10	5	608

The remittances this year are the largest on record; but it must be remembered that since the year 1881 above 20,000 immigrants have been introduced; from this however might be deducted annually those who return to India.

It should on the other hand be pointed out that money to the amount of about £130,000 has found its way from this Colony to India, either as remittances or money taken by return Coolies during the last ten years.

DEPOSITS OF INDIANS IN THE GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK.

15. The total amount deposited in 1890 in the Government Savings Bank by Indian immigrants is the largest yet recorded, as will be seen from the following list:—

Years.	Average amount per head to credit at the end of each year.			Number of Depositors.	Amount deposited each year.			Balance to credit on 31st December of each year.		
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1884 ...	28	0	0	1,499	24,177	19	1	42,012	10	10
1885 ...	28	10	0	1,568	25,297	0	0	44,774	1	5
1886 ...	29	3	2	1,688	27,547	0	2½	49,220	6	2½
1887 ...	...	...	...	...	27,686	0	5	49,254	6	4
1888 ...	26	19	11	2,165	32,130	19	10	58,451	12	10
1889 ...	27	0	4	2,233	30,195	2	5½	60,328	5	0½
1890 ...	24	18	6	2,758	34,955	1	1	69,043	9	9½

It will however be noticed that the number of depositors is larger than in any previous year, while the average amount to the credit of each depositor is smaller. It is impossible to account for this exactly without enquiring into the pecuniary position of each depositor.

This increase in the total amount deposited and the number of depositors may possibly be due to the continuous introduction of Indian immigrants since 1884, while the smaller average amount to the credit of each depositor may be owing to the depression caused by the sugar crisis.

LANDS OWNED OR OCCUPIED BY INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

16. According to Returns from different Districts of the Island it has been ascertained that lands owned or occupied by Indian immigrants amount to 35,844 acres; that they also hold 2,026 lots and 2,480 houses.

Of the houses 176 are valued at £5 and upwards, the rest are under the value of £5, many of them being only little thatched huts.

From the Returns of the Crown Lands Department, it appears that out of 50,765 acres alienated from 1885 to 1890, twelve thousand four hundred and twenty-nine (12,429) acres were purchased by Indian immigrants or their descendants, being nearly one quarter of the whole lands alienated during these years.

It is gratifying to see such a large extent of land in the possession of these people, as it is an almost certain guarantee that the purchasers have made up their minds to remain in the Colony, and will in many cases marry, thus increasing the Indian population of the Island and turn out valuable settlers; it is to be hoped that many more will settle in this way and thus neutralize the greater attractions at present offered on the adjacent coast of the Spanish Main.

The lands of these small proprietors being in many cases near those of large owners, the former can from time to time when they may require a little ready money work for the

latter. I may here mention, although it should properly come under the head of Grant in lieu of Return Passage, that no such Grants have been made since the year 1880.

MURDERS AMONG INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

17. In accordance with the instructions of the Secretary of State the tabulated form of murders among Indian Immigrants with its various percentages is now placed in this Report (instead of being forwarded as formerly in a separate one) as follows:—

1	2	3	4	5	6				
					PERCENTAGES.				
					Of column 3 on column 2	Of column 4 on column 2	Of column 5 on column 2	Of column 4 on column 3	Of column 5 on column 3
YEAR.	Population	Total murders reported	Murders of Women.	Murders of Wives by Husband					
1872 ...	30,700	1	1	1	·0032	·0032	·0032	100	100
1873 ...	33,700	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...
1874 ...	35,000	3	3	2	·0085	·0085	·0057	1	...
1875 ...	38,500	2	2	2	·0051	·0051	·0051	100	100
1876 ...	39,700	2	2	2	·005	·005	·005	100	100
1877 ...	40,900	2	2	2	·0048	·0048	·0048	100	100
1878 ...	43,600	3	3	3	·0068	·0068	·0068	100	100
1879 ...	46,000	3	3	3	·0065	·0065	·0065	100	100
1880 ...	48,800	6	6	6	·012	·012	·012	100	100
1881 ...	50,000	4	3	3	·008	·006	·006	75	75
1882 ...	51,700	9	4	4	·0174	·0077	·0077	44·4	44·4
1883 ...	53,600	2	1	1	·00373	·00186	·00186	50	50
1884 ...	56,070	6	3	3	·0107	·00535	·00535	50	50
1885 ...	57,164	7	6	6	·012	·0104	·0104	85·7	85·7
1886 ...	60,738	3	...	...	·0049	...	...	...	...
1887 ...	62,238	3	3	3	·00482	·00482	·00482	100	100
1888 ...	63,663	6	5	4	·00942	·00785	·00628	83·3	66·6
1889 ...	66,219	5	2	...	·00755	·00302	...	40	...
1890 ...	68,537	3	3	3	·00437	·00437	·00437	100	100

I do not think that the above conveys a correct idea of the actual percentage of deaths from violence, as in the above Table only those against whom convictions have been obtained are entered. In cases where a man kills the woman or wife with whom he has been cohabiting it is seldom that sufficient evidence is not found to convict him of murder or manslaughter; cases however in which men have been killed have occurred in which, though one might be morally certain of the guilt of the person accused, the evidence was insufficient to obtain a conviction, or in other words, that the person found dead had been murdered, though the crime could not be proved against any one. In conclusion, there is only one solution of the question relating to wife murder in this Colony, and that is an increase in the proportion of females to be introduced for the future.

ORPHAN HOMES AND SCHOOLS.

18. In the Orphan Homes at Tacarigua and Belmont there were in the year 1890 one hundred and eleven orphans, as follows:—

	1889.	1890.
Tacarigua	47	54
Belmont	56	57
	103	111

being a slight increase on that of 1889.

19. The Canadian Mission had during 1890 at their schools a total number of pupils on their rolls of 2,884 and an average daily attendance of 1,876.

In the Appendix will be found a list of their various schools, giving the places in which the schools are situated, with the number of pupils on the rolls and the daily average attendance. If these figures are compared with those of the year 1889 it will be found that the number on the rolls have increased by 824 and the daily average attendance by 445.

20. The Church of England schools number about 1,100 children, with a daily average attendance of about 760. This shows a large increase on the number given in our last Report of 1889, for it will be seen from the above figures that the number of Indian children attending the schools of the Canadian Mission and the Church of England have largely increased during the year 1890, and there is every prospect that they will continue to do so.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

CHARLES MITCHELL,
Protector of Immigrants.

The Hon'ble
THE COLONIAL SECRETARY.

RETURN No. 1A.

Indian Immigrants embarked at Calcutta and landed at Trinidad; Births and Deaths on the voyage, and the number sent on arrival to Colonial Hospital and Convalescent Depot during the year 1889.

NAMES OF SHIP AND SURGEON SUPERINTENDENT	DATE OF	NUMBER EMBARKED.					NUMBER DIED.					NUMBER LANDED.					NUMBER SENT TO																		
		Sailing from Calcutta	Arrival at Trinidad	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants	Total	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants	Total	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants	Total	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants									
...	1888	1889	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...								
"Jura" ... (T. C. Evans)	1199 Oct.	10 Jan.	10	307	136	32	28	27	530	5	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	307	136	32	28	28	531	9	10	1	3	2	94	58	18	9	15		
"Jama" ... (J. B. Clarkson)	1048 Feb.	26 1d.	278	117	27	15	22	459	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	278	117	26	15	23	459	5	6	3	2	1	97	27	3	5	5		
...	1889	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
"Grocian" ... (H. Cecil)	1272 July	7 Oct.	1	296	135	63	42	32	568	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	14	21	295	135	60	39	19	548	...	6	1	1	2	15	3	1	1	...	
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"Volga" ... (J. Hasard)	1620 "	18 "	21	342	132	43	27	33	577	5	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	19	340	130	37	23	33	563	4	9	1	1	1	5	6	...	...	...	
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"Avoca" ... (W. H. Tindal-King)	1626 Aug.	24 Nov	22	396	148	39	27	32	642	4	...	...	...	...	...	2	13	20	394	146	38	25	23	626	9	11	1	3	6	51	...	1	...	...	
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"Jura" ... (Pringle Hughes)	1198 Sep.	21 Dec.	17	311	137	30	19	38	535	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	12	307	136	30	19	34	526	6	12	...	...	...	4	26	5	...	...	2
Totals	...	...	1936	805	234	158	184	311	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	47	81	1921	800	223	149	160	3253	33	54	7	10	20	289	93	23	15	22	

RETURN No. 1B.

Indian Immigrants embarked at Calcutta and landed at Trinidad; Births and Deaths on the voyage, and the number sent on arrival to Colonial Hospital and Convalescent Depot during the year 1890.

NAMES OF SHIP AND SURGEON SUPERINTENDENT.	DATE OF		NUMBER EMBARKED.				NUMBER DIED.				NUMBER LANDED.				NUMBER SENT TO																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
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RETURN No. 2.

Immigrants who returned to India from this or other Colonies and Re-emigrated from India to this Colony during the years 1889 and 1890.

Colony from which Immigrants had returned to India.						YEARS.	
						1889.	1890.
Trinidad	...	...	...	...	...	54	50
Demerara	...	...	...	...	...	42	42
Jamaica	...	...	...	...	...	17	6
Natal	...	...	...	...	...	30	7
Fiji	...	...	...	...	...	11	12
St. Lucia	...	...	...	...	...	2	3
St. Vincent	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Mauritius	...	...	...	...	...	13	5
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Surinam	...	...	...	...	...	18	22
Cayenne	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	191	151

RETURN No. 3.

Immigrants who paid their passage to the Colony or who deposited money with our Agent in Calcutta to be refunded here.

YEARS.	THOSE WHO PAID THEIR PASSAGE.						No. who deposited Money.	Amount deposited.			REMARKS.
	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.		£	s.	d.	
1889	17	9	2	...	...	28	45	1568	10	6	
1890	14	19	4	3	1	41	36	975	17	7	

RETURN No. 4.

Absentees among 8,507 Immigrants under indenture of Five Years on 31st December, 1889.

	1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Total.	Percentage.
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Absent	12	39	44	64	49	206	2.42

3 Absentees on 343 Coolies on Bounty = .87 per cent. There are also 7 Absentees endorsed for lost days.

Absentees among 9,529 Immigrants under indenture of Five Years on 31st December, 1890.

	1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Total.	Percentage.
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Absent	5	38	52	57	67	219	2.29 per cent.

11 Absentees on 431 Coolies on Bounty = 2.55 per cent. There are also 9 Absentees endorsed for lost days.

Canadian Mission to East Indian Schools, 1890.

NAME OF SCHOOL.				ON ROLL.			AVERAGE ATTENDANCE.
				Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
1—Tunapuna	...	...	...	39	19	58	44
2—Tacarigua	...	...	...	102	50	152	123
3—St. Helena	...	...	...	46	16	62	33
4—Mausica	...	...	...	25	7	32	25
5—Arouca	...	...	...	34	17	51	35
6—St. Joseph	...	...	...	48	19	67	45
7—Caroni	...	...	...	38	27	65	42
8—Red Hill	...	...	...	17	7	24	14
9—El Socorro	...	...	...	18	13	31	26
10—Warren Village	...	...	...	29	29	58	35
11—Cunupia	...	...	...	35	16	51	31
12—Charlottesville	...	...	...	37	12	49	33
13—Chaguanas	...	...	...	34	17	51	40
14—San Fernando	...	...	...	134	65	199	135
15—Picton	...	...	...	39	11	50	38
16—Wellington	...	...	...	23	22	45	27
17—Harmony Hall	...	...	...	42	25	67	31
18—Usine St. Madelaine	...	...	...	52	34	86	64
19—Corinth	...	...	...	31	11	42	28
20—Bon Aventure	...	...	...	37	14	51	32
21—Hermitage	...	...	...	38	18	56	29
22—Rusillac	...	...	...	25	9	34	18
23—Fyzabad	...	...	...	24	8	32	25
24—Barrackpore	...	...	...	28	8	36	24
25—Caratal	...	...	...	35	12	47	32
26—Guava Hill	...	...	...	26	8	34	25
27—Vistabella	...	...	...	56	26	82	55
28—Princes Town	...	...	...	143	70	213	118
29—Mt. Stewart	...	...	...	39	24	63	44
30—Riversdale	...	...	...	42	21	63	41
31—Lengua	...	...	...	40	24	64	38
32—Ben Lomond	...	...	...	40	22	62	34
33—Brothers	...	...	...	33	12	45	29
34—Jordan Hill	...	...	...	50	19	69	40
35—Inverness	...	...	...	45	10	55	25
36—Fairfield	...	...	...	40	20	60	33
37—Piparo	...	...	...	35	19	54	25
38—Poona	...	...	...	26	12	38	23
39—Elswick	...	...	...	17	10	27	18
40—Lothians	...	...	...	25	15	40	22
41—Palmyra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42—Esperanza	...	...	...	44	13	57	43
43—Exchange	...	...	...	43	19	62	44
44—Perseverance	...	...	...	34	21	55	30
45—Chaseville	...	...	...	26	12	38	26
46—Chandarnagore	...	...	...	27	10	37	30
47—Milton	...	...	...	31	17	48	34
48—Presal	...	...	...	36	4	40	30
49—Rivulet	...	...	...	19	18	37	31
Totals...	...	...	...	1958	926	2884	1876

IMMIGRATION.

ABSTRACT OF THE QUARTERLY RETURNS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1890.

COUNTY OF ST. GEORGE.

NAMES OF ESTATES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.				UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.				BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		ABTEES.		REMARKS.												
	1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.		1889 1890		1889.		1889 1890														
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.		Adults.											
																	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.					
1 Aranjuez	138	39	177	126	32	158	20	17	37	5	42	4	1	4	13,726	15,602	1823	Crop with Aranjuez.									
2 Barataria	42	4	46	45	8	53	17	31	47	3	50	1	1	2	1,963	3,261	...	Crop with Aranjuez.									
3 Europe	9	4	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,920	...	...	Crop with Aranjuez.									
4 Dunsley	127	50	177	101	46	147	68	50	118	17	135	3	3	6	3,323	4,375	7,000	Crop with Aranjuez.									
5 El Socorro	79	31	110	86	33	121	9	8	17	10	27	1	1	2	17,052	20,432	1,686	Crop with Aranjuez.									
6 Garden and Bon Air	17	6	23	35	14	49	43	20	63	13	76	1	1	2	13,317	11,371	648	Crop with Aranjuez.									
7 Chaguanas	20	9	29	34	14	48	43	20	63	13	76	1	1	2	95	2,507	...	Cocoa.									
8 Golden Grove	21	6	27	21	6	27	20	10	6	16	22	1	1	2	3,291	3,179	...	Cocoa.									
9 La Fortissima	52	20	72	50	21	71	24	5	13	15	57	2	1	2	561	2,703	2,900	Cocoa.									
10 Laurel Hill and Cane Farm	9	4	11	10	5	15	9	15	2	2	12	1	1	2	7,593	10,061	278	Cocoa.									
11 La Soledad	5	1	6	5	1	6	5	2	1	6	11	1	1	2	26	1,226	...	Cocoa.									
12 La Esperanza	26	11	37	50	20	70	6	4	10	4	14	1	1	2	67	1,528	...	Cocoa.									
13 La Reunion	21	10	31	20	9	29	4	2	3	2	19	10	4	...	3,348	3,199	...	Cocoa.									
14 Maricao Bay	25	9	34	30	10	40	10	4	14	4	18	1	1	2	2,227	3,651	...	Cocoa.									
15 Mon Desir (Sta. Cruz)	320	143	463	335	145	480	250	148	125	80	612	429	250	155	57,952	52,057	3,157	Crop with Dinsley.									
16 Orange Grove and Macoya	24	12	36	19	8	27	3	3	6	9	15	1	1	2	1,775	2,893	...	Crop with Dinsley.									
17 Paradise (Tovarigua)	41	15	56	35	12	47	76	32	108	40	148	3	3	6	3,302	3,614	250	Crop with Dinsley.									
18 River	57	23	80	57	24	81	85	12	97	25	122	5	5	10	7,246	7,891	507	Crop with Dinsley.									
19 St. Clair (Arouca)	224	84	308	256	97	353	55	44	51	51	201	48	18	66	35,764	37,231	2,105	Cocoa.									
20 St. Augustin	7	3	10	7	3	10	2	2	4	2	6	1	1	2	31	341	...	Cocoa.									
21 San Raphael	39	22	61	42	21	63	6	2	8	7	15	1	1	2	3,277	1,400	187	Cocoa.									
22 Valsay and Caroni	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,810	10,200	...	Cocoa.									
23 Woodbrook	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.								
Totals	1353	526	1879	1461	508	2029	809	419	887	302	1917	1077	584	549	390,300	61	51	14	34	11	40	40	47	182,080	204,032	12,948	

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COUNTY OF VICTORIA.

NAMES OF ESTATES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		REMARKS.							
	1889.			1890.			1889.			1890.			1889.		1890.									
	Men.	Wom.	Total.	Men.	Wom.	Total.	Men.	Wom.	Total.	Men.	Wom.	Total.	Chil.	Adth.	Chil.	Adth.								
1 Ben Lomond	43	13	56	54	67	121	90	40	130	94	66	51	38	89	4	1	1	1	5	8,585	515			
2 Ben Vienne an ? La Fortuné	144	58	202	178	67	245	117	81	198	255	140	76	67	143	4	1	1	1	5	32,470	1,818			
3 Brothers and Williamsville	153	59	211	167	31	197	100	30	130	130	54	28	82	25	104	1	1	1	3	21,052	1,706			
4 Bonto	68	24	92	96	31	127	68	30	98	98	54	28	82	25	107	1	1	1	3	15,250	433			
5 Bonto	43	13	56	54	67	121	90	40	130	94	66	51	38	89	4	1	1	1	5	8,585	515			
6 Bonto	43	13	56	54	67	121	90	40	130	94	66	51	38	89	4	1	1	1	5	8,585	515			
7 Cedar Hill	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31		
8 Cedar Hill	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31		
9 Cedar Hill	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31		
10 Cedar Hill	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31		
11 Cedar Hill	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31		
12 Cedar Hill	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31		
13 Cedar Hill	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31		
14 Cedar Hill	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31	22	53	33	13	46	31		
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21 La Romaine and La Plaisance	60	27	87	70	26	96	57	35	92	92	58	31	16	115	6	9	2	1	1	1	1	1		
22 La Ressource	18	6	24	18	7	25	12	5	17	18	7	11	11	115	6	9	2	1	1	1	1	1		
23 Les Efforts and Union Hall	126	55	181	132	60	192	95	45	140	140	58	28	22	26	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
24 Lohins	37	13	50	36	18	54	100	50	150	150	51	10	8	33	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
25 Madinet into	71	24	95	68	35	103	68	35	103	103	42	31	10	8	33	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
26 New Grant	37	13	50	36	18	54	100	50	150	150	51	10	8	33	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
27 Palmiste	88	44	132	83	36	119	126	70	196	196	60	31	10	8	33	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
28 Petit Annon & Usine Ste. Madelaine	198	79	277	300	118	418	267	126	393	393	73	101	83	351	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3		
29 Plainville	39	12	51	60	29	89	73	30	103	103	26	10	8	43	6	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
30 Plain Plains	59	21	80	74	29	103	38	18	56	56	19	12	13	133	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3		
31 Redmire	74	30	104	75	29	104	38	18	56	56	19	12	13	133	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3		
32 Redmire	38	14	52	48	14	62	73	36	109	109	35	16	7	27	6	9	3	3	3	3	3	3		
33 Tarcaba	108	35	143	121	41	162	73	36	109	109	35	16	7	27	6	9	3	3	3	3	3	3		
34 Wellington and Pictou	251	85	336	243	89	332	167	60	227	227	64	49	44	208	7	6	3	3	3	3	3	3		
Totals	2501	948	3449	2832	1062	3894	2080	1121	3201	2205	1190	1075	798	5205	88	101	28	57	34	60	120	455,588	484,018	28,908

COUNTY OF ST. PATRICK.

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COUNTY OF MAYARO.

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	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.			Adults.	1889.	1890.
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1 St. George	1,353	526	1,879	1,461	568	2,029	809	419	387	302	1,917	1,077	584	390	2,600	61	51	11	34	40	47	182,080	204,082	12,948	Coconut. ... 67,911
2 Caroni	2,247	831	3,078	2,483	911	3,394	1,378	636	663	596	3,263	1,592	783	819	3,900	119	89	31	70	49	55	363,021	383,490	23,653	
3 Victoria	2,501	948	3,449	2,882	1,062	3,891	2,086	1,121	935	821	5,017	2,205	1,190	1,075	798	5,268	88	101	28	67	129	435,583	481,618	28,968	
4 St. Patrick	308	122	430	439	160	619	244	177	127	83	681	271	151	110	84	616	7	11	5	1	6	53,854	62,337	2,372	
5 Mayaro	10	4	14	17	7	24	25	15	...	...	40	15	10	3	1	29	...	...	...	1	2	1,310	2,488	...	
Totals	6,419	2,431	8,850	7,252	2,708	9,960	4,586	2,358	2,172	1,802	10,918	5,160	2,718	2,566	13,791	275	252	75	167	216	239	1,085,848	1,136,985	67,911	

ARRIVALS, 1890.

SHIPS.	Tonnage.	Date of Sailing.	Days of Passage.	NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS EM- BARRED AT CALCUTTA.				MORTALITY DURING VOYAGE.				NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS LANDED IN TRINIDAD.				BORN ON VOYAGE.		NAMES OF SURGEON.	REMARKS.						
				Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	Male.	Female.			Total.					
1 Herford	1,469	8/ 11/89	68	348	147	34	35	34	662	2	1	...	...	2	5	346	146	34	35	40	601	2	4	4	Arthur Harrison.
2 Grecian	1,272	8/ 7/90	101	340	138	30	25	23	556	...	...	...	...	2	9	346	138	30	25	27	540	1	4	6	John Perkins.
3 The Bruce	1,146	6/ 8/90	103	309	120	43	27	12	511	...	1	...	...	1	369	119	43	27	16	514	1	4	5	G. Stewart.	
4 Ganges	1,413	26/ 8/90	91	336	135	45	42	13	571	...	...	1	2	3	7	345	135	41	40	19	573	3	6	9	John Hazard.
5 Allanshaw	1,589	21/ 9/90	83	370	175	46	50	22	663	2	1	...	...	1	3	368	174	46	50	29	677	12	6	8	W.A. Ireland, M.B.
Totals	...	...	...	1,703	715	198	179	108	2,993	5	2	1	2	9	191	698	712	197	177	131	2,915	10	22	32	

* One woman missing.

RETURNED IMMIGRANTS.

Per Ship "Rhene" from Trinidad to Calcutta on 7th September, 1889 Per Ship "Hereford" from Trinidad to Calcutta on 4th September, 1890	1889				1890.				Amount deposited in Colonial Treasury for Transmission.				Consigned to care of Surgeon.			
	Men.		Women.		Men.		Women.		£		s.		£		s.	
	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	£	s.	d.	s.
	390	135	64	70	9	668	355	119	61	50	9	597	10,871	9	2	195
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,809	7	6	68
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Immigration Office, March, 1891

CHARLES MITCHELL,
Protector of Immigrants.

TRINIDAD.

No. 68.

IMMIGRATION.

Report of Protector of Immigrants, with
Quarterly Returns, for the year 1890.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,

1st June, 1891.

COUNCIL PAPER.

No. 68.]

[1891.]

Report of Protector of Immigrants, with Quarterly Returns,
for the year 1890.IMMIGRATION OFFICE,
15th May, 1891.

SIR,

I have the honor to report for His Excellency's information as follows on matters connected with Immigration during the year 1890; the usual Abstract from Quarterly Returns having been laid on the Council Table on the 6th April, other Tables are attached to this Report, which should be read together with the Abstract above mentioned :—

IMMIGRANTS INTRODUCED FROM INDIA.

2. Five vessels arrived during the year 1890, having embarked 2,903 immigrants at Calcutta, landing 2,915, or 12 more than were embarked. This was due to the very low rate of mortality and a large percentage of births during the voyage from Calcutta to this Colony. Twenty deaths occurred, giving a percentage of only .68 as compared with 2.4 for 1889, the previous year, when 3,311 were embarked. Seven hundred and fifteen (715) women were embarked in 1890, and 32 children were born during the passages of the five ships, which averaged 93 days from Calcutta to this Colony.

3. Return No. 2 shows a decrease in the number of Coolies who returned to India from this and other Colonies and again re-emigrated to Trinidad, their numbers being 191 for 1889 and 151 for 1890.

4. There is however an increase in the number of those who paid their own passage in 1890 when compared with 1889, the numbers being as follows :—

1889	28
1890	41

while the amounts deposited by immigrants or passengers with our Agent in India to be refunded here were £1,568 10 6 in 1889 and £975 17 7 in 1890.

DECKERS FROM OTHER COLONIES.

5. The number of deck passengers from other Colonies in the West Indies and the Spanish Main was as follows :—

Year.	No. arrived in the Colony.	No. left the Colony.	Balance left in the Colony.
1889	11,144	8,206	2,938
1890	10,991	8,407	2,584

During the last eight or ten years preceding 1890, a balance of about two thousand has always been found in each year to remain in the Colony, thus increasing our labour supply. On reference to the Returns from the Harbour-Master's Office I find that of those leaving the Colony 2,203 were for the Spanish Main, while only 1,547 left for that place during 1889. These departures of course include many persons who had come from Venezuela as small traders and were returning again to their homes.

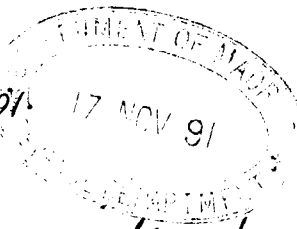
6. The Returns of the Immigration Department show that during 1890 one hundred and thirty passports were granted to Indian Immigrants for the Spanish Main and 126 for Demerara and other Colonies. There is however good reason for believing that immigrants leave this for the Spanish Main without passports, it being impossible for the Police to watch effectually a coast-line as extensive as that of this Colony, so nearly adjacent to that of Venezuela. The reason for their leaving for the Spanish Main is evident from the information given by some immigrants who have returned and stated that the rate of wages per ordinary task or day is forty cents, besides a full supply of rations. They also said that their wages were regularly paid in silver or gold, and that they were otherwise well treated.

The serious question to be considered therefore is, to what extent the Spanish Main will continue to draw from us seasoned hands for whose introduction so much has already

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

(Emigration) @ Calcutta.
Simla, dated the 11th October 1891.

Copy of the following forwarded to the Government of Madras
for information in continuation of Govern-
ment of India endorsement No. 1165,
dated the 5th September 1891.

By order,

Under-Secretary to the Government of India.

Protective of Immigrants
and for the year 1891

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been expended by this Colony; for it is clear that the wages paid in Venezuela are higher than we can afford to pay here. The cost of clothing may be higher there, but of this the Coolie wears little. Neither will the healthy male adult consider the greater advantages of Medical care and treatment, Savings Banks, &c., in this Colony as offsets against the wages, plus rations, given on the adjacent coast.

7. There is no doubt that the earnings of unindentured labourers have considerably decreased throughout the Colony, owing to the constant introduction of immigrants under indenture and the influx of labourers from other parts in the West Indies. As an instance of this I may mention that the wages of carters and sweepers who clean the streets of Port-of-Spain, a town of at least 40,000 inhabitants, were reduced about twelve or eighteen months ago, as follows:—Carters from 50 cents to 40 cents, sweepers from 40 cents to 35 cents per day. This case is given, as the person who has the contract for cleaning the town does not employ indentured labour, and in making such reduction is dealing with labourers who may leave him at short notice and seek employment elsewhere.

MORTALITY AMONG INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.

8. The mortality for 1890 among immigrants under indenture on 9,960 adults was 1.78 as compared with that of 1889 on 8,850 adults under indenture equal to 2 per cent., while the mean death-rate of the Island among Indentured Immigrants, calculated under the provisions of Ordinance 9 of 1875, which excludes deaths from hanging by order of the Court, or suicides, was 1.86—the lowest on record. The following list shows the gradual decrease in the death-rate which has taken place since the passing of Ordinance 9 of 1875:—

Years.	General Mean Death-rate.		
1875	...	...	3.73 per cent.
1876	...	...	3.04 "
1877	...	...	3.26 "
1878	...	...	3.06 "
1879	...	...	2.65 "
1880	...	...	2.45 "
1881	...	...	2.51 "
1882	...	...	2.53 "
1883	...	...	2.57 "
1884	...	...	2.60 "
1885	...	...	2.30 "
1886	...	...	2.07 "
1887	...	...	1.94 "
1888	...	...	1.93 "
1889	...	...	1.86 "
1890	...	...	1.78 "

ABSTRACT OF INDENTURED AND UNIDENTURED LABOURERS.

9. There were on Estates that make Returns to this Office during the year 1890—

	Men.	Women.
Immigrants under original Indenture	6,827	2,702
Id. Bounty	425	6
Free Immigrants resident on Estates	5,160	2,718
Id. non-resident	4,686	2,289
Resident Creole labourers	1,708	826
Non-resident Creole labourers	1,963	829
Total	20,769	9,370
	30,139.	
	Boys.	Girls.
Children of Indentured and Unindentured Immigrants on Estates	2,556	1,979
	34,674	

This shows a total increase on that of 1889 of 3,101 souls, which certainly shews an increase in the number of labourers working on Estates. There is also a large increase in 1890 as compared with 1889 of immigrants under indenture; the number being as follows:—

Year.	No. under five years' Indenture.	No. on Bounty.	Total.
1890	9,529	431	9,960
1889	8,507	343	8,850

I may mention here, though it does not correctly belong to this Report, that on the 31st March 1891, there were 10,405 Indentured Immigrants on Estates.

ABSENTEES.

10. Return No. 4 shews the percentage of absentees for the years 1889 and 1890, giving the number who absconded during each year of their industrial service of those under original indenture of five years. From this it will be seen that the total number given in each year of absconders really gives the numbers at present absent who have absconded during the whole five years, and not the actual number who absconded during the year for which the Report is made. The percentage therefore on the total number absent in the following years may almost be divided by 5 if it be taken for one year.

In 1889, on 8,507, 206 absconded = 2.42 per cent.; in 1890, on 9,529, 219 absconded = 2.29 per cent., or somewhat less than that of the previous year, 1889.

On Bounty Indentures, the term of indenture being for one year only, the percentage can be more closely arrived at; in 1889, on 343, 3 absconded = .87 per cent., plus 7 whose indenture had been extended for "lost days," which may or may not have been the cause of their absconding. In 1890, on 431, 11 absconded = 2.55 per cent. To this may be added 9 absentees whose indentures were extended for "lost days."

COMMUTATION OF RETURN PASSAGE.

11. The number of immigrants who have commuted their right to a return passage either for land or money since 1869 is 3,980 men and 1,873 women, who had with them 5,991 children, giving a total of 11,744 souls.

No money has been voted for 1891 for commutation of return passages, nor is there any prospect of any allotments of land for the same purpose. The whole question of the commutation of right to a return passage by grants of land or money is a difficult one to deal with, and opinions differ. Some think grants of land in lieu of return passage would be a wise and prudent measure, if fair roads or other means of conveying produce were opened up through the districts in which lands were granted; while others prefer offering money as a commutation in lieu of a return passage.

12. My own opinion is that at present it is not advisable to offer grants of land or money in lieu of return passage for the following reasons:—All the experience of the Immigration Department has shewn that with few exceptions an immigrant who has made up his mind to return to India will not accept land or money in lieu thereof. On the other hand large numbers would at present be found to take land grants or money who had no intention of returning to India; while our revenue from land sales would be materially decreased.

Another question which would arise would be the speedy survey of blocks of land sufficiently numerous to meet the number of applications which would be made, as without such surveys there would be no means of defining the position and boundary of such blocks. If on the other hand there was delay, as I feel sure there would be, in making such numerous surveys, immigrants would lose confidence in the Government. The next point to be considered is in what localities these blocks could be laid off. Most of the lands adjacent to our large agricultural centres are already taken up, and to place them on lands at a distance from these centres would withdraw from them a large number of their present unindentured labourers.

IMMIGRANTS WHO RETURNED TO INDIA DURING 1890.

13. The return ship *Hereford* which left this on the 4th September, 1890, embarked 597 souls, equal to 535½ statute adults, who took with them in bills and gold £7,878 1 8, together with gold and silver ornaments estimated to be of the value of £500.

This is the smallest amount taken away by a return ship carrying such a large number of Coolies, and was, I think, due to the general depression which followed the sugar crisis that began in 1883 and 1884.

The following list of return ships from this to Calcutta from the year 1880 will bring this out more clearly:—

Names of Ships.	Date of Departure.	Statute Adults.	Bills.			Gold.			Jewellery.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Junina	13th Sept., 1880	405	12,207	8	2	493	15	8			
Silhet	23rd Oct., 1881	421½	9,966	18	4	688	10	7			
Neva	9th Sept., 1883	449	13,061	7	4	777	9	7	1,453	0	0
S.S. Peshwa	2nd Oct., 1884	593	16,006	2	7	652	3	4	2,355	0	0
Mairi Bhan	1st Oct., 1885	533	10,869	13	3	276	12	1	1,000	0	0
British Nation	13th Sept., 1886	484	11,589	11	8	519	15	5	2,000	0	0
Erne	7th Sept., 1887	612	12,065	12	6	197	6	3	1,000	0	0
Moy	15th Sept., 1888	384½	7,995	1	8	250	0	0	625	0	0
Rhone	7th Sept., 1889	596½	10,871	9	2	195	11	3	1,041	0	0
Hereford	4th Sept., 1890	535½	7,809	7	6	68	14	2	500	0	0

In conclusion I may state that the percentage of Coolies availing themselves of their right to a return passage when compared with the estimated number of immigrants in this Colony entitled to such passage is, as far as can be ascertained, on the increase.

REMITTANCES TO INDIA.

14. The following list gives the total amounts remitted by immigrants in this Colony to friends in India from the year 1882 to 1890, inclusive :—

Years.	Amounts remitted to India.			Number of Remitters.
	£	s.	d.	
1882 ...	1,276	8	4	222
1883 ...	2,087	3	11	459
1884 ...	2,206	11	8½	524
1885 ...	2,052	14	10	482
1886 ...	1,899	1	3½	479
1887 ...	2,030	11	2	515
1888 ...	1,818	3	3	505
1889 ...	1,965	19	0½	560
1890 ...	2,213	10	5	608

The remittances this year are the largest on record; but it must be remembered that since the year 1881 above 20,000 immigrants have been introduced; from this however might be deducted annually those who return to India.

It should on the other hand be pointed out that money to the amount of about £130,000 has found its way from this Colony to India, either as remittances or money taken by return Coolies during the last ten years.

DEPOSITS OF INDIANS IN THE GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK.

15. The total amount deposited in 1890 in the Government Savings Bank by Indian Immigrants is the largest yet recorded, as will be seen from the following list :—

Years.	Average amount per head to credit at the end of each year.			Number of Depositors.	Amount deposited each year.			Balance to credit on 31st December of each year.		
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1884 ...	28	0	0	1,499	24,177	19	1	42,012	10	10
1885 ...	28	10	0	1,568	25,297	0	0	44,774	1	5
1886 ...	29	3	2	1,688	27,547	0	2½	49,220	6	2½
1887 ...	...	...	...	...	27,686	0	5	49,254	6	4
1888 ...	26	19	11	2,165	32,130	19	10	58,451	12	10
1889 ...	27	0	4	2,233	30,195	2	5½	60,328	5	0½
1890 ...	24	18	6	2,758	34,955	1	1	69,043	9	9½

It will however be noticed that the number of depositors is larger than in any previous year, while the average amount to the credit of each depositor is smaller. It is impossible to account for this exactly without enquiring into the pecuniary position of each depositor.

This increase in the total amount deposited and the number of depositors may possibly be due to the continuous introduction of Indian Immigrants since 1884, while the smaller average amount to the credit of each depositor may be owing to the depression caused by the sugar crisis.

LANDS OWNED OR OCCUPIED BY INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

16. According to Returns from different Districts of the Island it has been ascertained that lands owned or occupied by Indian Immigrants amount to 35,844 acres; that they also hold 2,026 lots and 2,480 houses.

Of the houses 176 are valued at £5 and upwards, the rest are under the value of £5, many of them being only little thatched huts.

From the Returns of the Crown Lands Department, it appears that out of 50,765 acres alienated from 1885 to 1890, twelve thousand four hundred and twenty-nine (12,429) acres were purchased by Indian Immigrants or their descendants, being nearly one quarter of the whole lands alienated during these years.

It is gratifying to see such a large extent of land in the possession of these people, as it is an almost certain guarantee that the purchasers have made up their minds to remain in the Colony, and will in many cases marry, thus increasing the Indian population of the Island and turn out valuable settlers; it is to be hoped that many more will settle in this way and thus neutralize the greater attractions at present offered on the adjacent coast of the Spanish Main.

The lands of these small proprietors being in many cases near those of large owners, the former can from time to time when they may require a little ready money work for the

latter. I may here mention, although it should properly come under the head of Grant in lieu of Return Passage, that no such Grants have been made since the year 1880.

MURDERS AMONG INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

17. In accordance with the instructions of the Secretary of State the tabulated form of murders among Indian Immigrants with its various percentages is now placed in this Report (instead of being forwarded as formerly in a separate one) as follows :—

1	2	3	4	5	6				
YEAR.	Population	Total murders reported	Murders of Women.	Murders of Wives by Husband	PERCENTAGES.				
					Of column 3 on column 2	Of column 4 on column 2	Of column 5 on column 2	Of column 4 on column 3	Of column 5 on column 3
1872 ...	30,700	1	1	1	·0032	·0032	·0032	100	100
1873 ...	33,700	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...
1874 ...	35,000	3	3	2	·0085	·0085	·0057	1	...
1875 ...	38,500	2	2	2	·0051	·0051	·0051	100	100
1876 ...	39,700	2	2	2	·005	·005	·005	100	100
1877 ...	40,900	2	2	2	·0048	·0048	·0048	100	100
1878 ...	43,600	3	3	3	·0068	·0068	·0068	100	100
1879 ...	46,000	3	3	3	·0065	·0065	·0065	100	100
1880 ...	48,800	6	6	6	·012	·012	·012	100	100
1881 ...	50,000	4	3	3	·008	·006	·006	75	75
1882 ...	51,700	9	4	4	·0174	·0077	·0077	44·4	44·4
1883 ...	53,600	2	1	1	·00373	·00186	·00186	50	50
1884 ...	56,070	6	3	3	·0107	·00535	·00535	50	50
1885 ...	57,164	7	6	6	·012	·0104	·0104	85·7	85·7
1886 ...	60,738	3	...	...	·0049	...	...	...	...
1887 ...	62,238	3	3	3	·00482	·00482	·00482	100	100
1888 ...	63,663	6	5	4	·00942	·00785	·00628	83·3	66·6
1889 ...	66,219	5	2	...	·00755	·00302	...	40	...
1890 ...	68,537	3	3	3	·00437	·00437	·00437	100	100

I do not think that the above conveys a correct idea of the actual percentage of deaths from violence, as in the above Table only those against whom convictions have been obtained are entered. In cases where a man kills the woman or wife with whom he has been cohabiting it is seldom that sufficient evidence is not found to convict him of murder or manslaughter; cases however in which men have been killed have occurred in which, though one might be morally certain of the guilt of the person accused, the evidence was insufficient to obtain a conviction, or in other words, that the person found dead had been murdered, though the crime could not be proved against any one. In conclusion, there is only one solution of the question relating to wife murder in this Colony, and that is an increase in the proportion of females to be introduced for the future.

ORPHAN HOMES AND SCHOOLS.

18. In the Orphan Homes at Tacarigua and Belmont there were in the year 1890 one hundred and eleven orphans, as follows :—

	1889.	1890.
Tacarigua	47	54
Belmont	56	57
	103	111

being a slight increase on that of 1889.

19. The Canadian Mission had during 1890 at their schools a total number of pupils on their rolls of 2,884 and an average daily attendance of 1,876.

In the Appendix will be found a list of their various schools, giving the places in which the schools are situated, with the number of pupils on the rolls and the daily average attendance. If these figures are compared with those of the year 1889 it will be found that the number on the rolls have increased by 824 and the daily average attendance by 445.

20. The Church of England schools number about 1,100 children, with a daily average attendance of about 760. This shows a large increase on the number given in our last Report of 1889, for it will be seen from the above figures that the number of Indian children attending the schools of the Canadian Mission and the Church of England have largely increased during the year 1890, and there is every prospect that they will continue to do so.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

CHARLES MITCHELL,
Protector of Immigrants.

The Hon'ble
THE COLONIAL SECRETARY.

RETURN No. 1A.

Indian Immigrants embarked at Calcutta and landed at Trinidad; Births and Deaths on the voyage, and the number sent on arrival to Colonial Hospital and Convalescent Depot during the year 1889.

NAMES OF SHIP AND SURGEON SUPER'DENT.	Tonnage.	DATE OF		NUMBER EMBARKED.					NUMBER DIED.					NUMBER LANDED.					NUMBER SENT TO												
		Sailing from Calcutta	Arrival at Trinidad	M.	W.	B.	G.	Total.	Births.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Total.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Colonial Hospital.			Convalescent Depot.									
																			M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	
“Jura” ... (T. C. Evans)	1199	1888 Oct. 10	1889 Jan. 10	307	136	32	28	27 530	5	...	...	...	...	4	4	307	136	32	28	28	531	9	10	1	3	2	94	58	18	9	15
“Jumna” (J. B. Clarkson)	1048	Feb. 26	Id.	278	117	27	15	22 459	5	...	...	1	...	4	5	278	117	26	15	23	459	5	6	3	2	1	97	27	3	5	5
“Grecian” (H. Cecil)	1272	July 7	Oct. 1	296	135	63	42	32 568	1	1	...	3	3	14	21	295	135	60	39	19	548	...	6	1	1	2	15	3	1	1	...
“Volga” ... (J. Hasard)	1620	“ 18	“ 21	342	132	43	27	33 577	5	2	2	6	4	5	19	340	130	37	23	33	563	4	9	1	1	1	5	6	...	...	...
“Avoca” ... (W. H. Tindal-King)	1626	Aug. 24	Nov 22	396	148	39	27	32 642	4	2	2	1	2	13	20	394	146	38	25	23	626	9	11	1	3	6	51	...	1	...	...
“Jura” ... (Pringle Hughes)	1198	Sep. 21	Dec. 17	311	137	30	19	38 535	3	4	1	...	...	7	12	307	136	30	19	34	526	6	12	...	...	4	26	5	...	...	2
Totals	...	1930	805	234	158	184	331	23	9	5	11	9	47	81	1921	800	223	149	160	3253	33	54	7	10	20	289	93	23	15	22	22

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RETURN No. 1B.

Indian Immigrants embarked at Calcutta and landed at Trinidad; Births and Deaths on the voyage, and the number sent on arrival to Colonial Hospital and Convalescent Depot during the year 1890.

NAMES OF SHIP AND SURGEON SUPER'DENT.	Tonnage.	DATE OF		NUMBER EMBARKED.				NUMBER DIED.				NUMBER LANDED.				NUMBER SENT TO																
		Sailing from Calcutta	Arrival at Trinidad	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	Births.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	Colonial Hospital.				Convalescent Depôt.											
																	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.				
"Hereford" (Arthur Harrison)	1469	1889 Nov. 8...	1890 Feb. 5...	348	147	34	35	38	602	4	2	1	...	...	2	5	346	146	34	35	40	601	6	12	...	...	4	26	5	...	2	
"Grecian" (John Perkins)	1272	July 8...	Oct. 16	340	138	30	25	23	556	6	...	...	...	...	2	2	340	138	30	25	27	560	6	20	3	1	9	4	3	1	2	1
"The Bruce" (G. Stuart)	1146	Aug. 6...	Nov. 17	309	120	43	27	12	511	5	...	1	...	...	1	2	309	119	43	27	16	514	6	4	...	1	1	19	2	1	3	...
"Ganges" (John Hasard)	1443	" 26...	" 25	336	135	45	42	13	571	9	1	...	1	2	3	7	335	135	44	40	19	573	6	4	...	...	...	8	1	...	1	...
"Allanshaw" (W. A. Ireland)	1589	Sep. 21	Dec. 13	370	175	46	50	22	663	8	2	*1	...	...	1	4	368	174	46	50	29	667	4	10	2	1	4	20	8	3	2	2
Totals	...	...	...	1703	715	198	179	108	2903	32	5	*3	1	2	9	20	1698	712	197	177	131	2915	28	50	5	3	18	77	19	5	8	5

* One found missing.

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RETURN No. 2.

Immigrants who returned to India from this or other Colonies and Re-emigrated from India to this Colony during the years 1889 and 1890.

Colony from which Immigrants had returned to India.	YEARS.	
	1889.	1890.
Trinidad ...	54	50
Demerara ...	42	42
Jamaica ...	17	6
Natal ...	30	7
Fiji ...	11	12
St. Lucia ...	2	3
St. Vincent ...	1	...
Grenada ...	3	...
Mauritius ...	13	5
Guadeloupe ...	...	3
Surinam ...	18	22
Cayenne ...	...	1
Totals ...	191	151

RETURN No. 3.

Immigrants who paid their passage to the Colony or who deposited money with our Agent in Calcutta to be refunded here.

YEARS.	THOSE WHO PAID THEIR PASSAGE.						No. who deposited Money.	Amount deposited.			REMARKS.
	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.		£	s.	d.	
1889 ...	17	9	2	...	...	28	45	1568	10	6	
1890 ...	14	19	4	3	1	41	36	975	17	7	

RETURN No. 4.

Absentees among 8,507 Immigrants under indenture of Five Years on 31st December, 1889.

	1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Total.	Percentage.
Absent ...	12	39	44	64	49	206	2.42

3 Absentees on 343 Coolies on Bounty = .87 per cent. There are also 7 Absentees endorsed for lost days.

Absentees among 9,529 Immigrants under indenture of Five Years on 31st December, 1890.

	1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Total.	Percentage.
Absent ...	5	38	52	57	67	219	2.29 per cent.

11 Absentees on 431 Coolies on Bounty = 2.55 per cent. There are also 9 Absentees endorsed for lost days.

Canadian Mission to East Indian Schools, 1890.

NAME OF SCHOOL.	ON ROLL.			AVERAGE ATTENDANCE.
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
1—Tunapuna ...	39	19	58	44
2—Tacarigua ...	102	50	152	123
3—St. Helena ...	46	16	62	33
4—Mausica ...	25	7	32	25
5—Arouca ...	34	17	51	35
6—St. Joseph ...	48	19	67	45
7—Caroni ...	38	27	65	42
8—Red Hill ...	17	7	24	14
9—El Socorro ...	18	13	31	26
10—Warren Village ...	29	29	58	35
11—Cunupia ...	35	16	51	31
12—Charleville ...	37	12	49	33
13—Chaguanas ...	34	17	51	40
14—San Fernando ...	134	65	199	135
15—Picton ...	39	11	50	38
16—Wellington ...	23	22	45	27
17—Harmony Hall ...	42	25	67	31
18—Usine St. Madelaine ...	52	34	86	64
19—Corinth ...	31	11	42	28
20—Bon Aventure ...	37	14	51	32
21—Hermitage ...	38	18	56	29
22—Rusillac ...	25	9	34	18
23—Fyzabad ...	24	8	32	25
24—Barrackpore ...	28	8	36	24
25—Caratal ...	35	12	47	32
26—Guava Hill ...	26	8	34	25
27—Vistabella ...	56	26	82	55
28—Princes Town ...	143	70	213	118
29—Mt. Stewart ...	39	24	63	44
30—Riversdale ...	42	21	63	41
31—Lengua ...	40	24	64	38
32—Ben Lomond ...	40	22	62	34
33—Brothers ...	33	12	45	29
34—Jordan Hill ...	50	19	69	40
35—Inverness ...	45	10	55	25
36—Fairfield ...	40	20	60	33
37—Piparo ...	35	19	54	25
38—Poona ...	26	12	38	23
39—Elswick ...	17	10	27	18
40—Lothians ...	25	15	40	22
41—Palmyra ...	...	...	...	...
42—Esperanza ...	44	13	57	43
43—Exchange ...	43	19	62	44
44—Perseverance ...	34	21	55	30
45—Chaseville ...	26	12	38	26
46—Chandarnagore ...	27	10	37	30
47—Milton ...	31	17	48	34
48—Presal ...	36	4	40	30
49—Rivulet ...	19	18	37	31
Totals...	1958	926	2884	1876

IMMIGRATION.

ABSTRACT OF THE QUARTERLY RETURNS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1890.

COUNTY OF ST. GEORGE.

NAMES OF ESTATES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.				UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.				BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		ABTEES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.														
	1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.		1889 1890		1889 1890		1889 1890		1889 1890																
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.		Adults.													
	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.		1889.	1890.												
1 Aranjuez	138	39	177	126	32	158	20	47	17	23	17	77	28	36	26	130	10	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,726	15,602	1,823	Crop with Aranjuez.	
2 Barataria	42	4	46	45	8	53	47	31	21	22	21	121	30	32	18	136	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,961	3,351	...	Crop with Caroni Usine.		
3 Curepe	9	4	13	...	...	...	72	50	21	9	8	105	29	32	16	90	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,930	...	...	Cocoa.		
4 Dinsley	48	16	64	50	18	68	50	60	32	39	29	160	48	58	23	148	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,553	4,375	700	Cocoa.		
5 El Socorro	127	50	177	101	46	147	86	121	9	8	17	16	50	58	23	148	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,082	20,432	1,086	Cocoa.		
6 Garden and Bon Air	79	31	110	86	35	121	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,347	11,371	648	Cocoa.		
7 Chaguanamas	17	6	23	35	14	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95	2,507	...	Cocoa.		
8 Golden Grove	20	9	29	34	11	45	20	10	10	9	10	85	6	6	48	6	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,291	3,172	607	Cocoa.		
9 La Florisante	21	6	27	21	6	27	20	10	2	1	2	57	20	15	16	63	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	951	2,705	200	Cocoa.		
10 Laurel Hill and Cane Farm	52	20	72	56	21	77	24	5	13	15	15	57	20	15	12	63	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,593	10,061	278	Cocoa.		
11 La Soledad	7	4	11	10	5	15	2	1	2	1	2	12	6	2	1	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1,296	...	Cocoa.		
12 L'Esperance	9	5	14	21	9	30	4	1	5	2	4	18	6	4	3	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	1,538	...	Cocoa.		
13 La Reunion	26	11	37	30	20	70	6	4	2	4	4	18	6	4	3	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	3,348	...	Cocoa.		
14 Maricao Bay	21	10	31	20	9	29	4	2	4	4	4	18	6	4	3	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,297	3,199	...	Cocoa.		
15 Mon Desir (Sta. Cruz)	25	9	34	30	10	40	10	4	4	4	4	18	6	4	3	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,314	3,651	...	Cocoa.		
16 Orange Grove and Macoya	320	143	463	335	145	480	259	38	1	6	5	80	612	429	250	155	82	916	16	10	7	11	4	12	4	57,352	52,057	3,157	Crop with Dinsley.		
17 Paradise (Tacarigua)	24	12	36	19	8	27	7	32	24	19	13	72	26	10	13	11	58	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,775	2,898	...	Cocoa.		
18 River	41	15	56	35	12	47	70	32	24	19	15	72	29	33	19	143	3	11	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,902	3,644	250	Cocoa.		
19 St. Clair (Arouca)	57	23	80	57	24	81	35	12	12	12	12	32	10	12	11	58	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,246	7,891	507	Cocoa.		
20 St. Augustin	224	84	308	256	97	353	55	44	51	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	191	11	10	5	3	1	9	14	35,764	37,231	2,105	Cocoa.		
21 San Raphael	7	3	10	7	3	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	341	...	Cocoa.		
22 Valsey and Caroni	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.	
23 Woodbrook	39	22	61	42	21	63	6	2	13	7	28	28	12	8	15	49	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,810	10,250	187	Cocoa.	
Totals	1353	526	1879	1461	568	2029	809	419	387	302	1917	1077	584	549	390	2600	61	51	14	34	11	40	40	47	182,080	204,032	12,948				

COUNTY OF CARONI.

COUNTY OF CARONI.

NAMES OF ESTATES.

REMARKS.

INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.		UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.		BIRTHS.	DEATHS.	ABSENTEES.	DAYS NOT WORKED.	Hogsheads of Sugar made in 1890.	REMARKS.																			
1889.	1890.	1890.		1889/1890	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.																				
Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.																			
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Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.																			
17	9	26	88	59	147	11	4	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
63	25	88	501	396	162	558	87	40	127	209	91	129	28	3	18	10	...	...	...									
358	143	501	396	162	558	198	81	110	132	521	209	91	129	150	579	28	10	...	...	...								
3	Brechin Castle and Rivulet	183	81	264	197	45	232	111	62	66	42	281	141	97	87	67	392	3	3	...								
4	Camden and Exchange	131	50	181	216	59	275	90	36	30	27	183	238	169	73	64	544	6	8	...								
5	Caroni Usine and Curepe	53	21	74	69	26	95	46	12	16	13	87	60	36	29	17	142	5	5	...								
6	Concord (Pointe-a-Pierre)	26	8	34	23	9	32	36	40	19	23	118	36	30	40	28	153	3	3	...								
7	Edinburgh	105	24	129	87	19	106	55	29	28	141	55	30	40	28	153	3	3	...	Cocoa.								
8	Endeavour	14	7	21	14	7	21	4	1	3	59	45	216	97	21	53	45	216	13	5	...	Cocoa.						
9	Esperanza (Mont)	218	85	303	247	98	345	88	23	59	45	216	97	21	53	45	216	13	5	...	Cocoa.							
10	Esperanza (Sav.) and P. Park	104	42	146	98	41	139	4	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
11	El Salvador	62	25	87	77	38	115	48	18	22	19	107	40	10	22	12	84	14	7	...	Cocoa.							
12	Felicity & Perseverance	47	21	68	39	18	57	50	20	16	16	98	60	18	32	21	131	6	4	...	Cocoa.							
13	Milton	66	26	92	78	30	108	80	10	10	15	65	35	15	7	11	68	6	4	...	Cocoa.							
14	Mon Jaloux	110	38	148	119	40	159	110	50	30	27	217	108	58	73	38	126	4	10	...	Cocoa.							
15	Mon Plaisir	97	30	127	97	27	124	40	16	29	30	115	40	20	28	13	96	1	...	...	Cocoa.							
16	Mt. Pleasant	50	21	71	80	34	114	53	23	23	13	112	41	23	19	13	96	1	...	...	Cocoa.							
17	Perseverance (Courva)	48	19	67	49	17	66	60	28	17	17	122	70	34	22	11	50	1	...	...	Cocoa.							
18	Petersfield	24	8	32	34	13	47	20	21	16	97	50	20	15	8	2	6	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
19	Plaisance	59	28	87	60	22	82	37	1	3	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
20	Spring and Caraccas	17	8	25	20	6	26	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
21	St. Helena	21	7	28	20	6	26	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
22	San Juan	12	3	15	16	4	20	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
23	San José	7	3	10	25	10	35	37	15	6	4	27	8	6	5	3	21	3	1	...	Cocoa.							
24	San Pablo	51	18	69	55	18	73	37	12	5	6	4	27	8	6	5	3	21	3	1	...	Cocoa.						
25	San Pedro	216	89	305	234	98	332	80	30	62	51	223	60	25	56	42	183	6	8	...	Cocoa.							
26	Trafalgar	89	41	130	81	36	117	77	40	10	23	12	85	10	23	12	85	4	3	...	Cocoa.							
27	Tortuga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
28	Waterloo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
29	Woodford Lodge	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.							
Totals	2247	831	3078	2458	911	3369	1378	626	663	596	3263	1592	788	819	706	3900	119	89	28	68	31	70	49	55	863,021	989,490	23,658	

COUNTY OF VICTORIA.

NAMES OF ESTATES.										UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BIRTHS.						DEATHS.		ABTEES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.
INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.				1889.						1890.						1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.		
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43	13	56	54	18	72	90	40	39	28	197	94	66	51	38	249	8	4	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	8,585	515		
144	58	202	178	67	245	117	81	58	55	311	235	140	76	67	518	2	7	1	8	32	470	32	470	32	470	32,470	32,470	
155	59	214	167	62	229	100	50	37	33	225	101	61	41	40	233	2	8	1	9	21	632	21	632	21	632	21,632	21,632	
68	28	96	76	31	107	63	30	31	31	163	60	28	30	23	143	3	2	1	3	15	330	15	330	15	330	15,330	15,330	
43	13	56	57	22	79	104	54	38	28	224	105	46	42	34	227	1	1	1	2	1	9	1	9	1	9	9,930	9,930	
53	18	71	56	19	75	68	38	21	25	152	62	43	27	27	159	3	3	1	4	3	6	3	6	3	6	6,914	6,914	
38	15	53	54	22	76	39	18	43	30	130	47	38	58	32	170	4	4	1	5	2	24	27	24	27	24,366	24,366		
151	58	209	175	69	244	98	54	72	45	269	102	58	73	45	278	4	4	2	6	1	6	1	6	1	6	6,189	6,189	
93	39	137	100	36	136	25	10	11	12	58	26	14	10	7	57	3	2	2	2	1	4	4	4	4	4	4,643	4,643	
84	10	44	46	15	61	30	15	10	7	62	33	18	11	1	74	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,900	1,900	
9	2	11	9	2	11	45	25	10	1	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,848	3,848	
26	8	34	34	...	...	45	25	10	1	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,704	2,704	
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13	6	18	16	3	13	26	14	10	12	62	33	18	11	16	100	3	2	1	3	10	33	10	33	10	33	10,333	10,333	
33	12	45	30	12	42	47	22	12	14	95	46	26	19	22	112	8	1	1	2	4	11	4	11	4	11	11,328	11,328	
14	5	19	18	8	26	34	16	11	17	112	48	26	19	22	112	8	1	1	2	4	11	4	11	4	11	11,328	11,328	
80	33	113	55	23	78	56	26	22	88	141	46	17	12	27	101	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
96	29	125	55	38	93	61	29	18	15	141	40	20	19	22	101	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
71	23	94	71	23	94	45	13	5	9	7	34	14	15	9	7	45	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
31	12	43	34	11	45	13	5	9	7	34	14	15	9	7	45	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
18	7	25	24	11	35	20	11	7	12	101	54	17	17	13	101	5	3	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
73	23	96	86	32	118	43	20	12	7	83	85	47	30	22	184	3	5	3	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
42	19	61	43	20	63	10	6	10	7	30	30	28	17	11	202	4	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
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39	18	57	37	15	52	45	23	12	15	101	56	25	22	11	120	1	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
71	27	98	87	30	118	100	50	50	45	275	107	51	10	8	206	1	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
23	10	33	30	13	43	8	4	11	3	26	10	7	10	7	35	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
55	22	77	65	25	92	60	32	27	17	179	60	34	24	16	160	6	4	2	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
37	13	50	35	16	51	6	4	11	3	26	10	7	10	7	35	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3,557	3,557	
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231	85	316	243	89	332	107	60	60	53	48	265	141	64	49	298	7	6	3	8	2	7	7	7	7	7	40,169	40,169	
Totals	2501	948	3449	2832	1062	3894	2080	1121	995	821	5017	2205	1190	1075	798	5263	88	101	28	57	34	60	120	129	435,588	435,588		

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COUNTY OF ST. PATRICK.

COUNTY OF ST. PATRICK.																				
INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.										UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.										
1889.					1890.					1889.					1890.					
Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.
62	28	90	80	36	116	60	26	86	21	10	31	11	6	17	43	13	56	16	98	1
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COUNTY OF MAYARO.

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ESTATES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BIRTHS.		DEATHS.				ABSENTEES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		Hogsheads of Sugar made in 1890.	
	1889.			1890.			1889.			1890.			1889 1890		1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.			
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	1890.	Adults.		Children.	1889.		1890.
10	4	14	17	7	24	25	15	...	...	40	15	10	3	1	29	...	1	...	...	1	2	1,310	2,488	...
Perseverance and St. Bernard...																								Coconut.

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COUNTIES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BIRTHS.	DEATHS.			AB'TEES.	DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.								
	1889.			1890.			1889.			1890.				1889.	1890.	1889.		1890.										
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.							Children.		Adults.							
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1 St. George	1,353	526	1,879	1,461	568	2,029	809	419	387	387	302	1,917	1,077	584	549	390	2,600	61	51	14	34	11	40	40	47	182,080	204,032	12,948
2 Caroni	2,217	831	3,048	2,483	911	3,394	1,378	626	663	663	536	3,263	1,592	783	819	703	3,900	119	89	28	63	31	70	49	55	366,021	383,490	23,653
3 Victoria	2,501	945	3,446	2,832	1,062	3,894	2,080	1,121	995	821	5,017	2,205	1,190	1,075	798	5,268	88	101	28	67	34	60	120	129	433,533	484,618	28,968	
4 St. Patrick	308	122	430	459	169	619	294	177	127	83	631	271	151	110	84	616	7	11	5	7	1	8	6	6	6	53,854	62,367	2,372
5 Mayaro	10	4	14	17	7	24	25	15	...	...	40	15	10	8	1	29	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1,310	2,488	...
Totals	6,419	2,431	8,850	7,352	2,708	9,960	4,586	2,358	2,172	1,802	10,918	5,160	2,718	2,566	1,979	12,413	275	252	75	167	71	178	216	239	1,035,848	1,136,985	67,941	Coconut.

ARRIVALS, 1890.

SHIPS.	Tonnage.	Date of Sailing.	Days of Passage.	NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS EM-BARKED AT CALCUTTA.				MORTALITY DURING VOYAGE.				NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS LANDED IN TRINIDAD.				BORN ON VOYAGE.		NAMES OF SURGEON.	REMARKS.
				Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	Male.	Female.		
				Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	Male.	Female.		
1 Herford	1,469	8/ 11/89	89	348	147	34	35	38	602	2	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	4	Arthur Harrison.
2 Grecian	1,272	8/ 7/90	101	340	135	30	25	23	556	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	6	John Perkins.
3 The Bruce	1,146	6/ 8/90	103	306	130	43	27	12	511	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	G. Sturt.
4 Ganges	1,413	26/ 8/90	91	336	135	45	42	13	571	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6	9	John Hazard.
5 Allanshaw	1,589	21/ 9/90	83	370	175	46	50	22	663	2	2	...	...	...	...	2	6	8	W. A. Ireland, M.B.
Totals	...	...	...	1,703	715	198	179	108	2,903	5	2	1	2	9	19	10	22	33	

* One woman missing.

RETURNED IMMIGRANTS.

RETURNED IMMIGRANTS.																			
1889												1890.							
												Amount deposited in Colonial Treasury for Transmissiou.				Consigned to care of Surgeon.			
Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
390	135	64	70	9	668	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,871	9	2	195	11	3		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	119	64	50	9	597	7,809	7	6	68	14	2		

Per Ship "Rhene" from Trinidad to Calcutta on 7th September, 1889
Per Ship "Hereford" from Trinidad to Calcutta on 4th September, 1890

CHARLES MITCHELL,
Protector of Immigrants.

Immigration Office, March, 1891

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Report of Protector of Immigrants, with Quarterly Returns,
for the year 1890.

IMMIGRATION OFFICE,
15th May, 1891.

SIR,

I have the honor to report for His Excellency's information as follows on matters connected with Immigration during the year 1890; the usual Abstract from Quarterly Returns having been laid on the Council Table on the 6th April, other Tables are attached to this Report, which should be read together with the Abstract above mentioned :—

IMMIGRANTS INTRODUCED FROM INDIA.

2. Five vessels arrived during the year 1890, having embarked 2,903 immigrants at Calcutta, landing 2,915, or 12 more than were embarked. This was due to the very low rate of mortality and a large percentage of births during the voyage from Calcutta to this Colony. Twenty deaths occurred, giving a percentage of only .68 as compared with 2.4 for 1889, the previous year, when 3,311 were embarked. Seven hundred and fifteen (715) women were embarked in 1890, and 32 children were born during the passages of the five ships, which averaged 93 days from Calcutta to this Colony.

3. Return No. 2 shows a decrease in the number of Coolies who returned to India from this and other Colonies and again re-emigrated to Trinidad, their numbers being 191 for 1889 and 151 for 1890.

4. There is however an increase in the number of those who paid their own passage in 1890 when compared with 1889, the numbers being as follows :—

1889	28
1890	41

while the amounts deposited by immigrants or passengers with our Agent in India to be refunded here were £1,568 10 6 in 1889 and £975 17 7 in 1890.

DECKERS FROM OTHER COLONIES.

5. The number of deck passengers from other Colonies in the West Indies and the Spanish Main was as follows :—

Year.	No. arrived in the Colony.	No. left the Colony.	Balance left in the Colony.
1889	11,144	8,206	2,938
1890	10,991	8,407	2,584

During the last eight or ten years preceding 1890, a balance of about two thousand has always been found in each year to remain in the Colony, thus increasing our labour supply. On reference to the Returns from the Harbour-Master's Office I find that of those leaving the Colony 2,203 were for the Spanish Main, while only 1,547 left for that place during 1889. These departures of course include many persons who had come from Venezuela as small traders and were returning again to their homes.

6. The Returns of the Immigration Department show that during 1890 one hundred and thirty passports were granted to Indian Immigrants for the Spanish Main and 126 for Demerara and other Colonies. There is however good reason for believing that immigrants leave this for the Spanish Main without passports, it being impossible for the Police to watch effectually a coast-line as extensive as that of this Colony, so nearly adjacent to that of Venezuela. The reason for their leaving for the Spanish Main is evident from the information given by some immigrants who have returned and stated that the rate of wages per ordinary task or day is forty cents, besides a full supply of rations. They also said that their wages were regularly paid in silver or gold, and that they were otherwise well treated.

The serious question to be considered therefore is, to what extent the Spanish Main will continue to draw from us seasoned hands for whose introduction so much has already

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,

1st June, 1891.

been expended by this Colony; for it is clear that the wages paid in Venezuela are higher than we can afford to pay here. The cost of clothing may be higher there, but of this the Coolie wears little. Neither will the healthy male adult consider the greater advantages of Medical care and treatment, Savings Banks, &c., in this Colony as offsets against the wages, plus rations, given on the adjacent coast.

7. There is no doubt that the earnings of unindentured labourers have considerably decreased throughout the Colony, owing to the constant introduction of immigrants under indenture and the influx of labourers from other parts in the West Indies. As an instance of this I may mention that the wages of carters and sweepers who clean the streets of Port-of-Spain, a town of at least 40,000 inhabitants, were reduced about twelve or eighteen months ago, as follows:—Carters from 50 cents to 40 cents, sweepers from 40 cents to 35 cents per day. This case is given, as the person who has the contract for cleaning the town does not employ indentured labour, and in making such reduction is dealing with labourers who may leave him at short notice and seek employment elsewhere.

MORTALITY AMONG INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.

8. The mortality for 1890 among immigrants under indenture on 9,960 adults was 1·78 as compared with that of 1889 on 8,850 adults under indenture equal to 2 per cent., while the mean death-rate of the Island among Indentured Immigrants, calculated under the provisions of Ordinance 9 of 1875, which excludes deaths from hanging by order of the Court, or suicides, was 1·86—the lowest on record. The following list shows the gradual decrease in the death-rate which has taken place since the passing of Ordinance 9 of 1875:—

Years.	General Mean Death-rate.		
1875	...	...	3·73 per cent.
1876	...	...	3·04 "
1877	...	...	3·26 "
1878	...	...	3·06 "
1879	...	...	2·65 "
1880	...	...	2·45 "
1881	...	...	2·51 "
1882	...	...	2·53 "
1883	...	...	2·57 "
1884	...	...	2·57 "
1885	...	...	2·60 "
1886	...	...	2·30 "
1887	...	...	2·07 "
1888	...	...	1·94 "
1889	...	...	1·93 "
1890	...	...	1·86 "

ABSTRACT OF INDENTURED AND UNIDENTURED LABOURERS.

9. There were on Estates that make Returns to this Office during the year 1890—

	Men.	Women.
Immigrants under original Indenture	6,827	2,702
Id. Bounty	425	6
Free Immigrants resident on Estates	5,160	2,718
Id. non-resident	4,686	2,289
Resident Creole labourers	1,708	826
Non-resident Creole labourers	1,963	829
Total	20,769	9,370
	30,139.	
Children of Indentured and Unindentured Immi- grants on Estates	Boys. 2,556	Girls. 1,979
	34,674	

This shows a total increase on that of 1889 of 3,101 souls, which certainly shows an increase in the number of labourers working on Estates. There is also a large increase in 1890 as compared with 1889 of immigrants under indenture; the number being as follows:—

Year.	No. under five years' Indenture.	No. on Bounty.	Total.
1890	9,529	431	9,960
1889	8,507	343	8,850

I may mention here, though it does not correctly belong to this Report, that on the 31st March 1891, there were 10,405 Indentured Immigrants on Estates.

ABSENTEES.

10. Return No. 4 shews the percentage of absentees for the years 1889 and 1890, giving the number who absconded during each year of their industrial service of those under original indenture of five years. From this it will be seen that the total number given in each year of absconders really gives the numbers at present absent who have absconded during the whole five years, and not the actual number who absconded during the year for which the Report is made. The percentage therefore on the total number absent in the following years may almost be divided by 5 if it be taken for one year.

In 1889, on 8,507, 206 absconded = 2·42 per cent.; in 1890, on 9,529, 219 absconded = 2·29 per cent., or somewhat less than that of the previous year, 1889.

On Bounty Indentures, the term of indenture being for one year only, the percentage can be more closely arrived at; in 1889, on 343, 3 absconded = ·87 per cent., plus 7 whose indenture had been extended for "lost days," which may or may not have been the cause of their absconding. In 1890, on 431, 11 absconded = 2·55 per cent. To this may be added 9 absentees whose indentures were extended for "lost days."

COMMUTATION OF RETURN PASSAGE.

11. The number of immigrants who have commuted their right to a return passage either for land or money since 1869 is 3,980 men and 1,873 women, who had with them 5,991 children, giving a total of 11,744 souls.

No money has been voted for 1891 for commutation of return passages, nor is there any prospect of any allotments of land for the same purpose. The whole question of the commutation of right to a return passage by grants of land or money is a difficult one to deal with, and opinions differ. Some think grants of land in lieu of return passage would be a wise and prudent measure, if fair roads or other means of conveying produce were opened up through the districts in which lands were granted; while others prefer offering money as a commutation in lieu of a return passage.

12. My own opinion is that at present it is not advisable to offer grants of land or money in lieu of return passage for the following reasons:—All the experience of the Immigration Department has shewn that with few exceptions an immigrant who has made up his mind to return to India will not accept land or money in lieu thereof. On the other hand large numbers would at present be found to take land grants or money who had no intention of returning to India; while our revenue from land sales would be materially decreased.

Another question which would arise would be the speedy survey of blocks of land sufficiently numerous to meet the number of applications which would be made, as without such surveys there would be no means of defining the position and boundary of such blocks. If on the other hand there was delay, as I feel sure there would be, in making such numerous surveys, immigrants would lose confidence in the Government. The next point to be considered is in what localities these blocks could be laid off. Most of the lands adjacent to our large agricultural centres are already taken up, and to place them on lands at a distance from these centres would withdraw from them a large number of their present unindentured labourers.

IMMIGRANTS WHO RETURNED TO INDIA DURING 1890.

13. The return ship *Hereford* which left this on the 4th September, 1890, embarked 597 souls, equal to 535½ statute adults, who took with them in bills and gold £7,878 1 8, together with gold and silver ornaments estimated to be of the value of £500.

This is the smallest amount taken away by a return ship carrying such a large number of Coolies, and was, I think, due to the general depression which followed the sugar crisis that began in 1883 and 1884.

The following list of return ships from this to Calcutta from the year 1880 will bring this out more clearly:—

Names of Ships.	Date of Departure.	Statute Adults.	Bills.			Gold.			Jewellery.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Jumna	13th Sept., 1880	405	12,207	8	2	493	15	8			
Silhet	23rd Oct., 1881	421½	9,966	18	4	688	10	7			
Neva	9th Sept., 1883	449	13,061	7	4	777	9	7	1,453	0	0
S.S. Peshwa	2nd Oct., 1884	593	16,006	2	7	652	3	4	2,355	0	0
Mairi Bhan	1st Oct., 1885	533	10,869	13	3	276	12	1	1,000	0	0
British Nation	13th Sept., 1886	484	11,589	11	8	519	15	5	2,000	0	0
Erne	7th Sept., 1887	612	12,065	12	6	197	6	3	1,000	0	0
Moy	15th Sept., 1888	384½	7,995	1	8	250	0	0	625	0	0
Rhone	7th Sept., 1889	596½	10,871	9	2	195	11	3	1,041	0	0
Hereford	4th Sept., 1890	535½	7,809	7	6	68	14	2	500	0	0

In conclusion I may state that the percentage of Coolies availing themselves of their right to a return passage when compared with the estimated number of immigrants in this Colony entitled to such passage is, as far as can be ascertained, on the increase.

REMITTANCES TO INDIA.

14. The following list gives the total amounts remitted by immigrants in this Colony to friends in India from the year 1882 to 1890, inclusive :—

Years.	Amounts remitted to India.			Number of Remitters.
	£	s.	d.	
1882 ...	1,276	8	4	222
1883 ...	2,087	3	11	459
1884 ...	2,206	11	8½	524
1885 ...	2,052	14	10	482
1886 ...	1,899	1	3½	479
1887 ...	2,030	11	2	515
1888 ...	1,818	3	3	505
1889 ...	1,965	19	0½	560
1890 ...	2,213	10	5	608

The remittances this year are the largest on record; but it must be remembered that since the year 1881 above 20,000 immigrants have been introduced; from this however might be deducted annually those who return to India.

It should on the other hand be pointed out that money to the amount of about £130,000 has found its way from this Colony to India, either as remittances or money taken by return Coolies during the last ten years.

DEPOSITS OF INDIANS IN THE GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK.

15. The total amount deposited in 1890 in the Government Savings Bank by Indian Immigrants is the largest yet recorded, as will be seen from the following list :—

Years.	Average amount per head to credit at the end of each year.			Number of Depositors.	Amount deposited each year.			Balance to credit on 31st December of each year.		
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1884 ...	28	0	0	1,499	24,177	19	1	42,012	10	10
1885 ...	28	10	0	1,568	25,297	0	0	44,774	1	5
1886 ...	29	3	2	1,688	27,547	0	2½	49,220	6	2½
1887 ...	...	...	...	...	27,686	0	5	49,254	6	4
1888 ...	26	19	11	2,165	32,130	19	10	58,451	12	10
1889 ...	27	0	4	2,233	30,195	2	5½	60,328	5	0½
1890 ...	24	18	6	2,758	34,955	1	1	69,043	9	9½

It will however be noticed that the number of depositors is larger than in any previous year, while the average amount to the credit of each depositor is smaller. It is impossible to account for this exactly without enquiring into the pecuniary position of each depositor.

This increase in the total amount deposited and the number of depositors may possibly be due to the continuous introduction of Indian Immigrants since 1884, while the smaller average amount to the credit of each depositor may be owing to the depression caused by the sugar crisis.

LANDS OWNED OR OCCUPIED BY INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

16. According to Returns from different Districts of the Island it has been ascertained that lands owned or occupied by Indian Immigrants amount to 35,844 acres; that they also hold 2,026 lots and 2,480 houses.

Of the houses 176 are valued at £5 and upwards, the rest are under the value of £5, many of them being only little thatched huts.

From the Returns of the Crown Lands Department, it appears that out of 50,765 acres alienated from 1885 to 1890, twelve thousand four hundred and twenty-nine (12,429) acres were purchased by Indian Immigrants or their descendants, being nearly one quarter of the whole lands alienated during these years.

It is gratifying to see such a large extent of land in the possession of these people, as it is an almost certain guarantee that the purchasers have made up their minds to remain in the Colony, and will in many cases marry, thus increasing the Indian population of the Island and turn out valuable settlers; it is to be hoped that many more will settle in this way and thus neutralize the greater attractions at present offered on the adjacent coast of the Spanish Main.

The lands of these small proprietors being in many cases near those of large owners, the former can from time to time when they may require a little ready money work for the

latter. I may here mention, although it should properly come under the head of Grant in lieu of Return Passage, that no such Grants have been made since the year 1880.

MURDERS AMONG INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

17. In accordance with the instructions of the Secretary of State the tabulated form of murders among Indian Immigrants with its various percentages is now placed in this Report (instead of being forwarded as formerly in a separate one) as follows :—

1	2	3	4	5	6				
					PERCENTAGES.				
YEAR.	Population	Total murders reported	Murders of Women.	Murders of Wives by Husband	Of column 3 on column 2	Of column 4 on column 2	Of column 5 on column 2	Of column 4 on column 3	Of column 5 on column 3
1872 ...	30,700	1	1	1	·0032	·0032	·0032	100	100
1873 ...	33,700	0	0	0	·0085	·0085	·0057	...	...
1874 ...	35,000	3	3	2	·0051	·0051	·0051	100	100
1875 ...	38,500	2	2	2	·005	·005	·005	100	100
1876 ...	39,700	2	2	2	·0048	·0048	·0048	100	100
1877 ...	40,900	2	2	3	·0068	·0068	·0068	100	100
1878 ...	43,600	3	3	3	·0065	·0065	·0065	100	100
1879 ...	46,000	6	6	6	·012	·012	·012	100	100
1880 ...	48,800	6	6	3	·008	·006	·006	75	75
1881 ...	50,000	4	4	4	·0174	·0077	·0077	44·4	44·4
1882 ...	51,700	9	4	1	·00373	·00186	·00186	50	50
1883 ...	53,600	2	1	3	·0107	·00535	·00535	50	50
1884 ...	56,070	6	3	3	·012	·0104	·0104	85·7	85·7
1885 ...	57,164	7	6	6	·0049	...	...	...	...
1886 ...	60,738	3	...	3	·00482	·00482	·00482	100	100
1887 ...	62,238	3	3	4	·00942	·00785	·00628	83·3	66·6
1888 ...	63,663	6	5	4	·00755	·00302	...	40	...
1889 ...	66,219	5	2	...	·00437	·00437	·00437	100	100
1890 ...	68,537	3	3	3	...	...	...	...	...

I do not think that the above conveys a correct idea of the actual percentage of deaths from violence, as in the above Table only those against whom convictions have been obtained are entered. In cases where a man kills the woman or wife with whom he has been cohabiting it is seldom that sufficient evidence is not found to convict him of murder or manslaughter; cases however in which men have been killed have occurred in which, though one might be morally certain of the guilt of the person accused, the evidence was insufficient to obtain a conviction, or in other words, that the person found dead had been murdered, though the crime could not be proved against any one. In conclusion, there is only one solution of the question relating to wife murder in this Colony, and that is an increase in the proportion of females to be introduced for the future.

ORPHAN HOMES AND SCHOOLS.

18. In the Orphan Homes at Tacarigua and Belmont there were in the year 1890 one hundred and eleven orphans, as follows :—

	1889.	1890.
Tacarigua	47	54
Belmont	56	57
	103	111

being a slight increase on that of 1889.

19. The Canadian Mission had during 1890 at their schools a total number of pupils on their rolls of 2,884 and an average daily attendance of 1,876.

In the Appendix will be found a list of their various schools, giving the places in which the schools are situated, with the number of pupils on the rolls and the daily average attendance. If these figures are compared with those of the year 1889 it will be found that the number on the rolls have increased by 824 and the daily average attendance by 445.

20. The Church of England schools number about 1,100 children, with a daily average attendance of about 760. This shows a large increase on the number given in our last Report of 1889, for it will be seen from the above figures that the number of Indian children attending the schools of the Canadian Mission and the Church of England have largely increased during the year 1890, and there is every prospect that they will continue to do so.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

CHARLES MITCHELL,
Protector of Immigrants.

The Hon'ble
THE COLONIAL SECRETARY.

RETURN No. 1a.

Indian Immigrants embarked at Calcutta and landed at Trinidad; Births and Deaths on the voyage, and the number sent on arrival to Colonial Hospital and Convalescent Depot during the year 1889.

NAMES OF SHIP AND SURGEON SUPER'DENT.	Tonnage.	DATE OF		NUMBER EMBARKED.				NUMBER DIED.				NUMBER LANDED.				NUMBER SENT TO																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
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RETURN No. 1b.
Indian Immigrants embarked at Calcutta and landed at Trinidad; Births and Deaths on the voyage, and the number sent on arrival to Colonial Hospital and Convalescent Depot during the year 1890.

NAMES OF SHIP AND SURGEON SUPER'DENT.	Tonnage.	DATE OF		NUMBER EMBARKED.				NUMBER DIED.				NUMBER LANDED.				NUMBER SENT TO																
		Sailing from Calcutta	Arrival at Trinidad	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	Births.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	Colonial Hospital.				Convalescent Depôt.											
																	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.				
																													M.	W.	B.	G.
"Hereford" (Arthur Harrison)	1469	1889 Nov. 8...	1890 Feb. 5...	348	147	34	35	38	602	4	2	1	...	2	5	346	146	34	35	40	601	6	12	...	...	4	26	5	...	2		
"Grecian" (John Perkins)	1272	July 8...	Oct. 16	340	138	30	25	23	556	6	...	...	...	2	2	340	138	30	25	27	560	6	20	3	1	9	4	3	1	2	1	
"The Bruce" (G. Stuart)	1146	Aug. 6...	Nov. 17	309	120	43	27	12	511	5	...	1	...	1	2	309	119	43	27	16	514	6	4	...	1	1	19	2	1	3	...	
"Ganges" (John Hasard)	1443	" 26..	" 25	336	135	45	42	13	571	9	1	...	1	2	3	335	135	44	40	19	573	6	4	...	...	...	8	1	..	1	...	
"Allanshaw" (W. A. Ireland)	1589	Sep. 21	Dec. 13	370	175	46	50	22	663	8	2	*1	...	1	4	368	174	46	50	29	667	4	10	2	1	4	20	8	3	2	2	
Totals	...	...	...	1703	715	198	179	108	2903	32	5	*3	1	2	9	20	1698	712	197	177	131	2915	28	50	5	3	18	77	19	5	8	5

* One found missing.

* One found missing.

RETURN No. 2.

Immigrants who returned to India from this or other Colonies and Re-emigrated from India to this Colony during the years 1889 and 1890.

Colony from which Immigrants had returned to India.						YEARS.	
						1889.	1890.
Trinidad	...	...	...	...	...	54	50
Demerara	...	...	...	...	...	42	42
Jamaica	...	...	...	...	...	17	6
Natal	...	...	...	...	...	30	7
Fiji	...	...	...	...	...	11	12
St. Lucia	...	...	...	...	...	2	3
St. Vincent	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Mauritius	...	...	...	...	...	13	5
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Surinam	...	...	...	...	...	18	22
Cayenne	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Totals						191	151

RETURN No. 3.

Immigrants who paid their passage to the Colony or who deposited money with our Agent in Calcutta to be refunded here.

YEARS.	THOSE WHO PAID THEIR PASSAGE.						No. who deposited Money.	Amount deposited.			REMARKS.
	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.		£	s.	d.	
1889	...	17	9	2	...	28	45	1568	10	6	
1890	...	14	19	4	3	41	36	975	17	7	

RETURN No. 4.

Absentees among 8,507 Immigrants under indenture of Five Years on 31st December, 1889.

		1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Total.	Percentage.
Absent	...	12	39	44	64	49	206	2.42

3 Absentees on 343 Coolies on Bounty = .87 per cent. There are also 7 Absentees endorsed for lost days.

Absentees among 9,529 Immigrants under indenture of Five Years on 31st December, 1890.

		1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Total.	Percentage.
Absent	...	5	38	52	57	67	219	2.29 per cent.

11 Absentees on 431 Coolies on Bounty = 2.55 per cent. There are also 9 Absentees endorsed for lost days.

Canadian Mission to East Indian Schools, 1890.

NAME OF SCHOOL.				ON ROLL.			AVERAGE ATTENDANCE.
				Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
1—Tunapuna	...	...	...	39	19	58	44
2—Tacarigua	...	...	...	102	50	152	123
3—St. Helena	...	...	...	46	16	62	33
4—Mausica	...	...	...	25	7	32	25
5—Arouca	...	...	...	34	17	51	35
6—St. Joseph	...	...	...	48	19	67	45
7—Caroni	...	...	...	38	27	65	42
8—Red Hill...	...	...	...	17	7	24	14
9—El Socorro	...	...	...	18	13	31	26
10—Warren Village	...	...	...	29	29	58	35
11—Cunupia	...	...	...	35	16	51	31
12—Charlottesville	...	...	...	37	12	49	33
13—Chaguanas	...	...	...	34	17	51	40
14—San Fernando	...	...	...	134	65	199	135
15—Picton	...	...	...	39	11	50	38
16—Wellington	...	...	...	23	22	45	27
17—Harmony Hall	...	...	...	42	25	67	31
18—Usine St. Madelaine	...	...	...	52	34	86	64
19—Corinth	...	...	...	31	11	42	28
20—Bon Aventure	...	...	...	37	14	51	32
21—Hermitage	...	...	...	38	18	56	29
22—Rusillac	...	...	...	25	9	34	18
23—Fyzabad	...	...	...	24	8	32	25
24—Barrackpore	...	...	...	28	8	36	24
25—Caratal	...	...	...	35	12	47	32
26—Guava Hill	...	...	...	26	8	34	25
27—Vistabella	...	...	...	56	26	82	55
28—Princes Town	...	...	...	143	70	213	118
29—Mt. Stewart	...	...	...	39	24	63	44
30—Riversdale	...	...	...	42	21	63	41
31—Lengua	...	...	...	40	24	64	38
32—Ben Lomond	...	...	...	40	22	62	34
33—Brothers...	...	...	...	33	12	45	29
34—Jordan Hill	...	...	...	50	19	69	40
35—Inverness	...	...	...	45	10	55	25
36—Fairfield	...	...	...	40	20	60	33
37—Piparo	...	...	...	35	19	54	25
38—Poona	...	...	...	26	12	38	23
39—Elswick	...	...	...	17	10	27	18
40—Lothians	...	...	...	25	15	40	22
41—Palmyra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42—Esperanza	...	...	...	44	13	57	43
43—Exchange	...	...	...	43	19	62	44
44—Perseverance	...	...	...	34	21	55	30
45—Chaseville	...	...	...	26	12	38	26
46—Chandarnagore	...	...	...	27	10	37	30
47—Milton	...	...	...	31	17	48	34
48—Presal	...	...	...	36	4	40	30
49—Rivulet	...	...	...	19	18	37	31
Totals...				1958	926	2884	1876

IMMIGRATION.

ABSTRACT OF THE QUARTERLY RETURNS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1890.

COUNTY OF ST. GEORGE.

NAMES OF ESTATES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BIRTHS.		DEATHS.				ABTEES.	DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.							
	1889.			1890.			1889.			1890.			1889	1890	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.											
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.								Children.	Adults.		Children.	Adults.					
1 Aranjuez	138	89	177	126	32	158	20	17	37	23	17	77	30	28	36	26	120	10	6	4	1	4	...	...	...	13,726	15,602	Crop with Aranjuez.	
2 Barataria	42	4	46	45	8	53	47	31	78	23	21	121	57	29	32	18	136	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,961	3,261	Crop with Caroni Usine.	
3 Curepe	9	4	13	...	...	...	72	24	96	22	110	132	1	1	2	1	1,920	4,375	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	700	
4 Dunsley	48	16	64	50	18	68	65	21	86	23	99	121	48	18	32	23	121	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1,086	
5 El Socorro	127	50	177	101	46	147	60	32	92	29	121	143	1	1	2	1	17,052	20,432	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,052	20,432		
6 Garden and Bon Air	79	31	110	86	33	121	9	8	17	16	50	58	23	38	29	148	13,847	2,507	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95	...	648	
7 Chaguanillas	17	6	23	35	14	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,291	3,172	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,291	3,172	Cocoa.	
8 Golden Grove	20	9	29	34	14	48	45	20	10	85	6	6	48	26	10	6	2	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	951	200		
9 La Florissante	21	6	27	21	6	27	20	13	15	32	12	7	2	2	12	63	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,593	10,061	Cocoa.	
10 Laurel Hill and Cane Farm	52	20	72	56	21	77	21	5	2	1	6	1	...	...	...	...	1,226	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	
11 La Soledad	7	4	11	10	5	15	9	30	4	1	5	18	...	...	...	...	1,328	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	...		
12 L'Esperance	9	5	14	21	...	...	20	6	4	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	3,348	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...		
13 La Reunion	26	11	37	50	20	70	4	2	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	...	2,227	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,199	...		
14 Maruca Bay	21	10	31	20	9	29	4	2	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	3,651	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,651	...		
15 Mon Desir (Sta. Cruz)	25	9	34	30	10	40	10	4	3	2	19	10	4	7	15	...	57,952	2,893	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52,057	3,157	Crop with Dunsley.	
16 Orange Grove and Macoya	320	143	463	335	145	480	259	148	407	80	612	429	250	155	82	916	16	10	10	4	12	4	10	...	...	2,893	...		
17 Paradise (Tacarigua)	24	12	36	19	8	27	3	1	6	5	15	2	1	5	3	11	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	250	
18 River	41	15	56	33	12	47	76	32	24	19	151	72	29	23	19	143	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3,614	507	
19 St. Clair (Arouca)	57	23	80	57	24	81	35	12	72	12	13	72	25	10	58	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,902	7,246		
20 St. Augustin	224	84	308	256	97	353	55	44	51	51	201	48	18	60	65	191	11	10	3	5	3	1	9	14	...	35,764	37,231	Cocon.	
21 San Raphael	7	3	10	7	3	10	2	1	3	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	...	341	
22 Valsayn and Caroni	39	22	61	42	21	63	6	2	...	...	...	28	12	188	120	66	51	420	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,277	1,400	
23 Woodbrook	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,810	10,260	187
Totals	1353	526	1879	1461	568	2029	809	419	387	302	1917	1077	584	549	390	2600	61	51	14	34	11	40	40	47	182,080	204,032	12,948		

COUNTY OF CARONI.

NAMES OF ESTATES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		ABSENTEES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.							
	1889.			1890.			1889.			1890.			1889/1890		1889.		1890.		1889.			1890.						
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	1889.		1890.	Hogsheds of Sugar made in 1890.					
1889.	1890.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1890.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.						
1 Adela	17	9	26	59	28	87	40	30	10	15	95	90	29	23	200	162	1	2	1	2	2	2	5,056	11,831	586	214		
2 Bonne Avenue	63	25	88	143	501	396	162	558	198	81	110	132	521	209	91	129	150	579	28	3	7	9	11,831	80,653	3,901	3,901		
3 Brechin Castle and Rivulet	183	31	214	197	45	242	111	62	66	42	281	141	97	87	67	392	3	6	1	6	2	2	29,512	27,912	2,369	2,369		
4 Camden and Exchange	131	50	181	216	59	275	90	36	30	27	183	238	189	73	64	544	6	3	2	6	4	4	24,051	27,414	2,658	2,658		
5 Caroni Usine and Curepe	53	21	74	69	26	95	46	12	16	13	87	60	36	29	17	142	5	2	1	3	2	2	9,845	13,228	453	453		
6 Concord (Pointe-a-Pierre)	26	8	34	23	9	32	36	40	19	23	118	86	30	40	28	153	3	5	...	...	...	...	9,381	3,595	300	300		
7 Edinborough	105	24	129	87	19	106	55	29	28	141	55	30	40	28	153	3	5	...	...	...	...	9,381	11,040	641	641			
8 Endeavour	14	7	21	14	7	21	88	23	59	45	215	97	21	53	4	37	4	37	4	37	4	37	1,550	1,679	...	...		
9 Esperanza (Mont)	218	85	303	247	111	358	111	44	155	18	107	107	40	18	32	21	131	15	131	15	131	15	39,448	29,951	2,708	2,708		
10 Esperanza (Sar.) and P. Park	104	42	146	98	41	139	48	18	22	19	107	40	18	32	21	131	15	131	15	131	15	131	17,079	16,748	985	985		
11 El Salvador	52	25	77	38	17	55	46	20	16	16	98	60	18	32	21	131	15	131	15	131	15	131	8,760	8,955	368	368		
12 Felicity & Perseverance	47	21	68	39	18	57	50	32	21	28	131	37	14	13	24	512	27,912	2,369	2,369	2,369	2,369	2,369	7,552	8,949	627	627		
13 Milton	66	26	92	78	30	108	80	10	10	15	65	35	15	7	11	68	6	2	1	4	2	2	17,791	19,212	1,146	1,146		
14 Mon Jaloux	110	38	148	119	40	159	110	50	30	27	108	58	73	59	298	4	10	...	...	...	...	11,393	11,495	942	942			
15 Mon Plaisir	97	30	127	97	27	124	40	16	29	30	115	40	20	28	19	13	96	1	1	1	1	6,346	15,058	912	912			
16 Mt. Pleasant	50	21	71	80	34	114	63	23	13	12	41	23	19	13	96	1	1	1	1	1	1	8,322	10,710	425	425			
17 Perseverance (Courva)	48	19	67	49	17	66	60	28	17	12	70	34	22	11	11	50	1	...	...	...	...	2,035	1,506	428	428			
18 Petersfield	24	8	32	34	13	47	20	14	11	6	51	22	6	11	16	101	1	1	1	1	1	6,131	7,769	278	278			
19 Plaisance	59	26	85	63	27	90	34	13	47	20	14	11	6	51	22	6	11	1	1	1	1	3,112	2,916	...	...			
20 Spring and Caracacas	17	8	25	26	12	38	1	1	2	3	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,656	2,609	...	...			
21 St. Helena	21	7	28	20	6	26	3	1	5	2	9	3	1	2	4	15	...	...	...	...	...	516	1,838	...	...			
22 San Juan	12	3	15	16	4	20	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	91	1,253	...	...			
23 San José	7	3	10	25	10	35	14	5	19	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	7,195	6,578	513	513			
24 San Pablo	51	18	69	55	18	73	37	15	5	6	27	8	25	66	42	183	3	4	2	2	2	85	39,642	2,322	2,322			
25 San Pedro	9	3	12	15	6	21	12	5	6	4	51	223	60	25	66	42	183	3	4	2	2	42,059	39,642	716	716			
26 Trinitaria	216	89	305	234	98	332	80	30	110	23	14	37	14	77	40	10	28	12	85	13,792	14,744	...	...	...	...			
27 Tortuga	89	41	130	81	36	117	30	10	40	10	23	34	14	77	40	10	28	12	85	13,792	14,744	...	...	...	...			
28 Waterloo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
29 Woodford Lodge	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Totals	2247	831	3078	2488	911	3399	1878	626	653	596	3263	1592	783	819	706	3900	119	89	28	68	31	70	49	56	363,021	383,490	23,658	23,658

COUNTY OF ST. PATRICK.

COUNTY OF MAYARO.

COUNTY OF MALAKA.																	REMARKS.							
INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.				UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.								BIRTHS.		DEATHS.				ABSENTEES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		Hogsheads of Sugar made in 1890.		
1889.		1890.		1889.				1890.						1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.				
Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	1889 1890		1889.		Children.		Adults.		1889.		1890.	
10	4	14	17	7	24	25	15	...	40	15	10	3	1	29	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	1,310	2,488	...
Perseverance and St. Bernard...																	Coconut.							

ABSTRACT.

COUNTIES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		AB'TEES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.						
	1889.			1890.			1889.			1890.			1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.			Hogheads of Sugar made in 1890.					
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.							
1 St. George ...	1,353	526	1,879	1,461	568	2,029	809	419	387	302	1,917	1,077	584	549	390	2,600	61	51	14	34	11	40	40	47	182,080	204,082	12,948
2 Caroni ...	2,247	831	3,078	2,483	911	3,894	1,378	626	663	596	3,263	1,592	738	819	705	3,900	119	89	28	68	31	70	49	55	363,021	383,490	23,553
3 Victoria ...	2,501	948	3,449	2,432	1,062	3,891	2,080	1,131	905	821	5,017	2,305	1,190	1,075	793	5,268	88	101	28	57	34	60	120	129	435,533	481,618	28,968
4 St. Patrick ...	308	122	430	459	160	619	294	177	127	88	631	271	151	110	81	616	7	11	5	7	1	8	6	6	53,854	62,357	2,372
5 Mayaro ...	10	4	14	17	7	24	25	15	...	...	40	15	10	3	1	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1,310	2,488	...
Totals ...	6,419	2,431	8,850	7,352	2,708	9,900	4,586	2,358	2,172	1,802	10,918	5,160	2,718	2,556	1,979	12,413	275	352	75	107	71	178	216	239	1,035,848	1,135,985	67,941

ARRIVALS, 1890.

SHIPS.	Tonnage.	Date of Sailing.	Days of Passage.	NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS EM- BARKED AT CALCUTTA.				MORTALITY DURING VOYAGE.				NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS LANDED IN TRINIDAD.				BORN ON VOYAGE.		NAMES OF SURGEON.	REMARKS.					
				Men.		Women.		Men.		Women.		Men.		Women.		Male.	Female.							
				Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.							
1 Hereford	1,469	8/ 11/89	68	348	147	34	35	38	602	2	1	...	...	2	5	346	146	34	35	40	601	2	4	Arthur Harrison.
2 Grecian	1,272	8/ 7/90	101	340	138	30	25	23	556	...	...	...	...	2	2	346	138	30	25	27	560	2	4	John Perkins.
3 The Bruce	1,146	6/ 8/90	103	309	120	47	12	511	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	309	119	43	27	16	514	1	4	G. Stuart.
4 Ganges	1,413	26/ 8/90	91	336	135	45	42	13	571	1	...	1	9	3	7	335	135	44	40	19	573	3	6	John Hazard.
5 Allanshaw	1,589	21/ 9/90	83	370	175	46	50	22	633	2	...	...	...	1	3	368	174	46	50	29	637	2	6	W. A. Ireland, M.B.
Totals	...	...	...	1,703	715	198	179	103	2,903	5	2	1	2	9	19	1,098	712	197	177	131	2,915	10	22	32

* One woman missing.

RETURNED IMMIGRANTS.

Per Ship "Rhône" from Trinidad to Calcutta on 7th September, 1889 Per Ship "Hereford" from Trinidad to Calcutta on 4th September, 1890	1889				1890.				Amount deposited in Colonial Treasury for Transmission.				Consigned to care of Surgeon.			
	Men.		Women.		Men.		Women.		£		s.		d.		£	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.
	390	185	64	70	9	668	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,871	9
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,809	7
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	195	11
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68	14
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	8

Immigration Office, March, 1891

CHARLES MITCHELL,
Protector of Immigrants.

Report of Protector of Immigrants, with Quarterly Returns,
for the year 1890.

IMMIGRATION OFFICE,
15th May, 1891.

SIR,

I have the honor to report for His Excellency's information as follows on matters connected with Immigration during the year 1890; the usual Abstract from Quarterly Returns having been laid on the Council Table on the 6th April, other Tables are attached to this Report, which should be read together with the Abstract above mentioned :—

IMMIGRANTS INTRODUCED FROM INDIA.

2. Five vessels arrived during the year 1890, having embarked 2,903 immigrants at Calcutta, landing 2,915, or 12 more than were embarked. This was due to the very low rate of mortality and a large percentage of births during the voyage from Calcutta to this Colony. Twenty deaths occurred, giving a percentage of only .68 as compared with 2.4 for 1889, the previous year, when 3,311 were embarked. Seven hundred and fifteen (715) women were embarked in 1890, and 32 children were born during the passages of the five ships, which averaged 93 days from Calcutta to this Colony.

3. Return No. 2 shows a decrease in the number of Coolies who returned to India from this and other Colonies and again re-emigrated to Trinidad, their numbers being 191 for 1889 and 151 for 1890.

4. There is however an increase in the number of those who paid their own passage in 1890 when compared with 1889, the numbers being as follows :—

1889	28
1890	41

while the amounts deposited by immigrants or passengers with our Agent in India to be refunded here were £1,568 10 6 in 1889 and £975 17 7 in 1890.

DECKERS FROM OTHER COLONIES.

5. The number of deck passengers from other Colonies in the West Indies and the Spanish Main was as follows :—

Year.	No. arrived in the Colony.	No. left the Colony.	Balance left in the Colony.
1889	11,144	8,206	2,938
1890	10,991	8,407	2,584

During the last eight or ten years preceding 1890, a balance of about two thousand has always been found in each year to remain in the Colony, thus increasing our labour supply. On reference to the Returns from the Harbour-Master's Office I find that of those leaving the Colony 2,203 were for the Spanish Main, while only 1,547 left for that place during 1889. These departures of course include many persons who had come from Venezuela as small traders and were returning again to their homes.

6. The Returns of the Immigration Department show that during 1890 one hundred and thirty passports were granted to Indian Immigrants for the Spanish Main and 126 for Demerara and other Colonies. There is however good reason for believing that immigrants leave this for the Spanish Main without passports, it being impossible for the Police to watch effectually a coast-line as extensive as that of this Colony, so nearly adjacent to that of Venezuela. The reason for their leaving for the Spanish Main is evident from the information given by some immigrants who have returned and stated that the rate of wages per ordinary task or day is forty cents, besides a full supply of rations. They also said that their wages were regularly paid in silver or gold, and that they were otherwise well treated.

The serious question to be considered therefore is, to what extent the Spanish Main will continue to draw from us seasoned hands for whose introduction so much has already

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IMMIGRATION.

Report of Protector of Immigrants, with
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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,

1st June, 1891.

THE GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE.

been expended by this Colony; for it is clear that the wages paid in Venezuela are higher than we can afford to pay here. The cost of clothing may be higher there, but of this the Coolie wears little. Neither will the healthy male adult consider the greater advantages of Medical care and treatment, Savings Banks, &c., in this Colony as offsets against the wages, plus rations, given on the adjacent coast.

7. There is no doubt that the earnings of unindentured labourers have considerably decreased throughout the Colony, owing to the constant introduction of immigrants under indenture and the influx of labourers from other parts in the West Indies. As an instance of this I may mention that the wages of carters and sweepers who clean the streets of Port-of-Spain, a town of at least 40,000 inhabitants, were reduced about twelve or eighteen months ago, as follows:—Carters from 50 cents to 40 cents, sweepers from 40 cents to 35 cents per day. This case is given, as the person who has the contract for cleaning the town does not employ indentured labour, and in making such reduction is dealing with labourers who may leave him at short notice and seek employment elsewhere.

MORTALITY AMONG INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.

8. The mortality for 1890 among immigrants under indenture on 9,960 adults was 1.78 as compared with that of 1889 on 8,850 adults under indenture equal to 2 per cent., while the mean death-rate of the Island among Indentured Immigrants, calculated under the provisions of Ordinance 9 of 1875, which excludes deaths from hanging by order of the Court, or suicides, was 1.86—the lowest on record. The following list shows the gradual decrease in the death-rate which has taken place since the passing of Ordinance 9 of 1875:—

Years.	General Mean Death-rate.
1875	3.73 per cent.
1876	3.04 "
1877	3.26 "
1878	3.06 "
1879	2.65 "
1880	2.45 "
1881	2.51 "
1882	2.53 "
1883	2.57 "
1884	2.60 "
1885	2.30 "
1886	2.07 "
1887	1.94 "
1888	1.93 "
1889	1.86 "
1890	1.78 "

ABSTRACT OF INDENTURED AND UNIDENTURED LABOURERS.

9. There were on Estates that make Returns to this Office during the year 1890—

	Men.	Women.
Immigrants under original Indenture	6,827	2,702
Id. Bounty	425	6
Free Immigrants resident on Estates	5,160	2,718
Id. non-resident	4,686	2,289
Resident Creole labourers	1,708	826
Non-resident Creole labourers	1,963	829
Total	20,769	9,370
	30,139.	
	Boys.	Girls.
Children of Indentured and Unindentured Immi- grants on Estates	2,556	1,979
	34,674	

This shows a total increase on that of 1889 of 3,101 souls, which certainly shows an increase in the number of labourers working on Estates. There is also a large increase in 1890 as compared with 1889 of immigrants under indenture; the number being as follows:—

Year.	No. under five years' Indenture.	No. on Bounty.	Total.
1890	9,529	431	9,960
1889	8,507	343	8,850

I may mention here, though it does not correctly belong to this Report, that on the 31st March 1891, there were 10,405 Indentured Immigrants on Estates.

ABSENTEES.

10. Return No. 4 shews the percentage of absentees for the years 1889 and 1890, giving the number who absconded during each year of their industrial service of those under original indenture of five years. From this it will be seen that the total number given in each year of absconders really gives the numbers at present absent who have absconded during the whole five years, and not the actual number who absconded during the year for which the Report is made. The percentage therefore on the total number absent in the following years may almost be divided by 5 if it be taken for one year.

In 1889, on 8,507, 206 absconded = 2.42 per cent.; in 1890, on 9,529, 219 absconded = 2.29 per cent., or somewhat less than that of the previous year, 1889.

On Bounty Indentures, the term of indenture being for one year only, the percentage can be more closely arrived at; in 1889, on 343, 3 absconded = .87 per cent., plus 7 whose indenture had been extended for "lost days," which may or may not have been the cause of their absconding. In 1890, on 431, 11 absconded = 2.55 per cent. To this may be added 9 absentees whose indentures were extended for "lost days."

COMMUTATION OF RETURN PASSAGE.

11. The number of immigrants who have commuted their right to a return passage either for land or money since 1869 is 3,980 men and 1,873 women, who had with them 5,991 children, giving a total of 11,744 souls.

No money has been voted for 1891 for commutation of return passages, nor is there any prospect of any allotments of land for the same purpose. The whole question of the commutation of right to a return passage by grants of land or money is a difficult one to deal with, and opinions differ. Some think grants of land in lieu of return passage would be a wise and prudent measure, if fair roads or other means of conveying produce were opened up through the districts in which lands were granted; while others prefer offering money as a commutation in lieu of a return passage.

12. My own opinion is that at present it is not advisable to offer grants of land or money in lieu of return passage for the following reasons:—All the experience of the Immigration Department has shewn that with few exceptions an immigrant who has made up his mind to return to India will not accept land or money in lieu thereof. On the other hand large numbers would at present be found to take land grants or money who had no intention of returning to India; while our revenue from land sales would be materially decreased.

Another question which would arise would be the speedy survey of blocks of land sufficiently numerous to meet the number of applications which would be made, as without such surveys there would be no means of defining the position and boundary of such blocks. If on the other hand there was delay, as I feel sure there would be, in making such numerous surveys, immigrants would lose confidence in the Government. The next point to be considered is in what localities these blocks could be laid off. Most of the lands adjacent to our large agricultural centres are already taken up, and to place them on lands at a distance from these centres would withdraw from them a large number of their present unindentured labourers.

IMMIGRANTS WHO RETURNED TO INDIA DURING 1890.

13. The return ship *Hereford* which left this on the 4th September, 1890, embarked 597 souls, equal to 535½ statute adults, who took with them in bills and gold £7,878 1 8, together with gold and silver ornaments estimated to be of the value of £500.

This is the smallest amount taken away by a return ship carrying such a large number of Coolies, and was, I think, due to the general depression which followed the sugar crisis that began in 1883 and 1884.

The following list of return ships from this to Calcutta from the year 1880 will bring this out more clearly:—

Names of Ships.	Date of Departure.	Statute Adults.	Bills.			Gold.			Jewellery.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Jumna	13th Sept., 1880	405	12,207	8	2	493	15	8			
Silhet	23rd Oct., 1881	421½	9,966	18	4	688	10	7			
Neva	9th Sept., 1883	449	13,061	7	4	777	9	7	1,433	0	0
S.S. Peshwa	2nd Oct., 1884	593	16,066	2	7	652	3	4	2,355	0	0
Mairi Bhan	1st Oct., 1885	533	10,869	13	3	276	12	1	1,000	0	0
British Nation	13th Sept., 1886	484	11,589	11	8	519	15	5	2,000	0	0
Erne	7th Sept., 1887	612	12,065	12	6	197	6	3	1,000	0	0
Moy	15th Sept., 1888	384½	7,995	1	8	250	0	0	625	0	0
Rhone	7th Sept., 1889	596½	10,871	9	2	195	11	3	1,041	0	0
Hereford	4th Sept., 1890	535½	7,809	7	6	68	14	2	500	0	0

In conclusion I may state that the percentage of Coolies availing themselves of their right to a return passage when compared with the estimated number of immigrants in this Colony entitled to such passage is, as far as can be ascertained, on the increase.

REMITTANCES TO INDIA.

14. The following list gives the total amounts remitted by immigrants in this Colony to friends in India from the year 1882 to 1890, inclusive :—

Years.	Amounts remitted to India.			Number of Remitters.
	£	s.	d.	
1882 ...	1,276	8	4	222
1883 ...	2,087	3	11	459
1884 ...	2,206	11	8½	524
1885 ...	2,052	14	10	482
1886 ...	1,899	1	3½	479
1887 ...	2,030	11	2	515
1888 ...	1,818	3	3	505
1889 ...	1,965	19	0½	560
1890 ...	2,213	10	5	608

The remittances this year are the largest on record; but it must be remembered that since the year 1881 above 20,000 immigrants have been introduced; from this however might be deducted annually those who return to India.

It should on the other hand be pointed out that money to the amount of about £130,000 has found its way from this Colony to India, either as remittances or money taken by return Coolies during the last ten years.

DEPOSITS OF INDIANS IN THE GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK.

15. The total amount deposited in 1890 in the Government Savings Bank by Indian Immigrants is the largest yet recorded, as will be seen from the following list :—

Years.	Average amount per head to credit at the end of each year.			Number of Depositors.	Amount deposited each year.			Balance to credit on 31st December of each year.		
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1884 ...	28	0	0	1,499	24,177	19	1	42,012	10	10
1885 ...	28	10	0	1,568	25,297	0	0	44,774	1	5
1886 ...	29	3	2	1,688	27,547	0	2½	49,220	6	2½
1887 ...	...	...	...	...	27,686	0	5	49,254	6	4
1888 ...	26	19	11	2,165	32,130	19	10	58,451	12	10
1889 ...	27	0	4	2,233	30,195	2	5½	60,328	5	0½
1890 ...	24	18	6	2,758	34,955	1	1	69,043	9	9½

It will however be noticed that the number of depositors is larger than in any previous year, while the average amount to the credit of each depositor is smaller. It is impossible to account for this exactly without enquiring into the pecuniary position of each depositor.

This increase in the total amount deposited and the number of depositors may possibly be due to the continuous introduction of Indian Immigrants since 1884, while the smaller average amount to the credit of each depositor may be owing to the depression caused by the sugar crisis.

LANDS OWNED OR OCCUPIED BY INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

16. According to Returns from different Districts of the Island it has been ascertained that lands owned or occupied by Indian Immigrants amount to 35,844 acres; that they also hold 2,026 lots and 2,480 houses.

Of the houses 176 are valued at £5 and upwards, the rest are under the value of £5, many of them being only little thatched huts.

From the Returns of the Crown Lands Department, it appears that out of 50,765 acres alienated from 1885 to 1890, twelve thousand four hundred and twenty-nine (12,429) acres were purchased by Indian Immigrants or their descendants, being nearly one quarter of the whole lands alienated during these years.

It is gratifying to see such a large extent of land in the possession of these people, as it is an almost certain guarantee that the purchasers have made up their minds to remain in the Colony, and will in many cases marry, thus increasing the Indian population of the Island and turn out valuable settlers; it is to be hoped that many more will settle in this way and thus neutralize the greater attractions at present offered on the adjacent coast of the Spanish Main.

The lands of these small proprietors being in many cases near those of large owners, the former can from time to time when they may require a little ready money work for the

latter. I may here mention, although it should properly come under the head of Grant in lieu of Return Passage, that no such Grants have been made since the year 1880.

MURDERS AMONG INDIAN IMMIGRANTS.

17. In accordance with the instructions of the Secretary of State the tabulated form of murders among Indian Immigrants with its various percentages is now placed in this Report (instead of being forwarded as formerly in a separate one) as follows :—

1	2	3	4	5	6				
					PERCENTAGES.				
YEAR.	Population	Total murders reported	Murders of Women.	Murders of Wives by Husband	Of column 3 on column 2	Of column 4 on column 2	Of column 5 on column 2	Of column 4 on column 3	Of column 5 on column 3
1872 ...	30,700	1	1	1	·0032	·0032	·0032	100	100
1873 ...	33,700	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...
1874 ...	35,000	3	3	2	·0085	·0085	·0057	1·	...
1875 ...	38,500	2	2	2	·0051	·0051	·0051	100	100
1876 ...	39,700	2	2	2	·005	·005	·005	100	100
1877 ...	40,900	2	2	3	·0048	·0048	·0048	100	100
1878 ...	43,600	3	3	3	·0068	·0068	·0068	100	100
1879 ...	46,000	3	3	3	·0065	·0065	·0065	100	100
1880 ...	48,800	6	6	6	·012	·012	·012	100	100
1881 ...	50,000	4	3	3	·008	·006	·006	·75	·75
1882 ...	51,700	9	4	4	·0174	·0077	·0077	44·4	44·4
1883 ...	53,600	2	1	1	·00373	·00186	·00186	50	50
1884 ...	56,070	6	3	3	·0107	·00535	·00535	50	50
1885 ...	57,164	7	6	6	·012	·0104	·0104	85·7	85·7
1886 ...	60,738	3	...	...	·0049	...	...	...	...
1887 ...	62,238	3	3	3	·00482	·00482	·00482	100	100
1888 ...	63,663	6	5	4	·00942	·00785	·00628	83·3	66·6
1889 ...	66,219	5	2	...	·00755	·00302	...	40	...
1890 ...	68,537	3	3	3	·00437	·00437	·00437	100	100

I do not think that the above conveys a correct idea of the actual percentage of deaths from violence, as in the above Table only those against whom convictions have been obtained are entered. In cases where a man kills the woman or wife with whom he has been cohabiting it is seldom that sufficient evidence is not found to convict him of murder or manslaughter; cases however in which men have been killed have occurred in which, though one might be morally certain of the guilt of the person accused, the evidence was insufficient to obtain a conviction, or in other words, that the person found dead had been murdered, though the crime could not be proved against any one. In conclusion, there is only one solution of the question relating to wife murder in this Colony, and that is an increase in the proportion of females to be introduced for the future.

ORPHAN HOMES AND SCHOOLS.

18. In the Orphan Homes at Tacarigua and Belmont there were in the year 1890 one hundred and eleven orphans, as follows :—

	1889.	1890.
Tacarigua	47	54
Belmont	56	57
	103	111

being a slight increase on that of 1889.

19. The Canadian Mission had during 1890 at their schools a total number of pupils on their rolls of 2,884 and an average daily attendance of 1,876.

In the Appendix will be found a list of their various schools, giving the places in which the schools are situated, with the number of pupils on the rolls and the daily average attendance. If these figures are compared with those of the year 1889 it will be found that the number on the rolls have increased by 824 and the daily average attendance by 445.

20. The Church of England schools number about 1,100 children, with a daily average attendance of about 760. This shows a large increase on the number given in our last Report of 1889, for it will be seen from the above figures that the number of Indian children attending the schools of the Canadian Mission and the Church of England have largely increased during the year 1890, and there is every prospect that they will continue to do so.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

CHARLES MITCHELL,
Protector of Immigrants.

The Hon'ble
THE COLONIAL SECRETARY.

RETURN No. 1A.

Indian Immigrants embarked at Calcutta and landed at Trinidad; Births and Deaths on the voyage, and the number sent on arrival to Colonial Hospital and Convalescent Depot during the year 1889.

NAMES OF SHIP AND SURGEON SUPER'DENT.	Tonnage	DATE OF		NUMBER EMBARKED.					NUMBER DIED.					NUMBER LANDED.					NUMBER SENT TO																	
		Sailing from Calcutta	Arrival at Trinidad	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	Colonial Hospital.					Convalescent Depôt.									
																						M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.
1888	1889	1199	Oct. 10	Jan. 10	307	136	32	28	27	530	5	...	...	...	4	4	307	136	32	28	28	531	9	10	1	3	2	94	58	18	9	15				
"Jura" ... (T. C. Evans)	...	1888	Oct. 10	Jan. 10	307	136	32	28	27	530	5	...	...	...	...	4	4	307	136	32	28	28	531	9	10	1	3	2	94	58	18	9	15			
"Jumna" (J. B. Clarkson)	1048	Feb. 26	Id.	278	117	27	15	22	459	5	...	1	...	...	...	4	5	278	117	26	15	23	459	5	6	3	2	1	97	27	3	5	5			
"Grecian" (H. Cecil)	1272	July 7	Oct. 1	296	135	63	42	32	568	1	1	...	3	3	14	21	295	135	60	39	19	548	...	6	1	1	1	2	15	3	1	1	...			
"Volga" ... (J. Hasard)	1620	" 18	"	21	342	132	43	27	33	577	5	2	2	6	4	5	19	340	130	37	23	33	563	4	9	1	1	5	6	...	...	...	...			
"Avoca" ... (W. H. Tindal-King)	1626	Aug. 24	Nov 22	396	148	39	27	32	642	4	2	2	1	2	13	20	394	146	38	25	23	626	9	11	1	3	6	51	...	1	...	...	...			
"Jura" ... (Pringle Hughes)	1198	Sep. 21	Dec. 17	311	137	30	19	38	535	3	4	1	...	...	7	12	307	136	30	19	34	526	6	12	...	...	4	26	5	...	...	2				
Totals	...	1930	805	234	158	184	331	23	9	5	11	9	47	81	1921	800	223	149	160	3253	33	54	7	10	20	289	93	23	15	22	...					

RETURN No. 1B.

Indian Immigrants embarked at Calcutta and landed at Trinidad; Births and Deaths on the voyage, and the number sent on arrival to Colonial Hospital and Convalescent Depot during the year 1890.

NAMES OF SHIP AND SURGEON SUPR'DENT.	Tonnage.	DATE OF		NUMBER EMBARKED.					NUMBER DIED.					NUMBER LANDED.					NUMBER SENT TO												
		Sailing from Calcutta	Arrival at Trinidad	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	Births.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Infants.	Total.	Colonial Hospital.					Convalescent Depôt.									
																	M.	W.	B.	G.	Inf.	M.	W.	B.	G.	Inf.	M.	W.	B.	G.	
"Hereford" (Arthur Harrison)	1469	1889	1890	348	147	34	35	38	602	4	2	1	...	2	5	346	146	34	35	40	601	6	12	...	...	4	26	5	...	...	2
"Grecian" (John Perkins)	1272	July 8	Oct. 16	340	138	30	25	23	556	6	...	...	...	2	2	340	138	30	25	27	560	6	20	3	1	9	4	3	1	2	1
"The Bruce" (G. Stuart)	1146	Aug. 6	Nov. 17	309	120	43	27	12	511	5	...	1	...	1	2	309	119	43	27	16	514	6	4	...	1	1	19	2	1	3	...
"Ganges" (John Hasard)	1443	" 26	" 25	336	135	45	42	13	571	9	1	...	1	2	3	335	135	44	40	19	573	6	4	...	...	...	8	1	..	1	...
"Allanshaw" (W. A. Ireland)	1589	Sep. 21	Dec. 13	370	175	46	50	22	663	8	2	*1	...	1	4	368	174	46	50	29	667	4	10	2	1	4	20	8	3	2	2
Totals	...	1703	715	198	179	108	2903	32	5	*3	1	2	9	20	1698	712	197	177	131	2915	28	50	5	3	18	77	19	5	8	5	

* One found missing.

RETURN No. 2.

Immigrants who returned to India from this or other Colonies and Re-emigrated from India to this Colony during the years 1889 and 1890.

Colony from which Immigrants had returned to India.						YEARS.	
						1889.	1890.
Trinidad	...	...	...	...	...	54	50
Demerara	...	...	...	...	...	42	42
Jamaica	...	...	...	...	...	17	6
Natal	...	...	...	...	...	30	7
Fiji	...	...	...	...	...	11	12
St. Lucia	...	...	...	...	...	2	3
St. Vincent	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Mauritius	...	...	...	...	...	13	5
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Surinam	...	...	...	...	...	18	22
Cayenne	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	191	151

RETURN No. 3.

Immigrants who paid their passage to the Colony or who deposited money with our Agent in Calcutta to be refunded here.

YEARS.	THOSE WHO PAID THEIR PASSAGE.						No. who deposited Money.	Amount deposited.			REMARKS.	
	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Infants.	Total.		£	s.	d.		
1889	...	17	9	2	...	...	28	45	1568	10	6	
1890	...	14	19	4	3	1	41	36	975	17	7	

RETURN No. 4.

Absentees among 8,507 Immigrants under indenture of Five Years on 31st December, 1889.

31st December,								
		1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Total.	Percentage.
Absent	...	12	39	44	64	49	206	2.42

3 Absentees on 343 Coolies on Bounty = .87 per cent. There are also 7 Absentees endorsed for lost days.

Absentees among 9,529 Immigrants under indenture of Five Years on 31st December, 1890.

31st December,

	1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.	Total.	Percentage.
Absent	...	5	38	52	57	67	219
							2.29 per cent.

11 Absentees on 431 Coolies on Bounty = 2.55 per cent. There are also 9 Absentees endorsed for lost days.

Canadian Mission to East Indian Schools, 1890.

NAME OF SCHOOL.				ON ROLL.			AVERAGE ATTENDANCE.
				Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
1—Tunapuna	...	...	...	39	19	58	44
2—Tacarigua	...	...	...	102	50	152	123
3—St. Helena	...	...	...	46	16	62	33
4—Mausica	...	...	...	25	7	32	25
5—Arouca	...	...	...	34	17	51	35
6—St. Joseph	...	...	...	48	19	67	45
7—Caroni	...	...	...	38	27	65	42
8—Red Hill	...	...	...	17	7	24	14
9—El Socorro	...	...	...	18	13	31	26
10—Warren Village	...	...	...	29	29	58	35
11—Cunupia	...	...	...	35	16	51	31
12—Charlieville	...	...	...	37	12	49	33
13—Chaguanas	...	...	...	34	17	51	40
14—San Fernando	...	...	...	134	65	199	135
15—Picton	...	...	...	39	11	50	38
16—Wellington	...	...	...	23	22	45	27
17—Harmony Hall	...	...	...	42	25	67	31
18—Usine St. Madelaine	...	...	...	52	34	86	64
19—Corinth	...	...	...	31	11	42	28
20—Bon Aventure	...	...	...	37	14	51	32
21—Hermitage	...	...	...	38	18	56	29
22—Rusillac	...	...	...	25	9	34	18
23—Fyzabad	...	...	...	24	8	32	25
24—Barrackpore	...	...	...	28	8	36	24
25—Caratal	...	...	...	35	12	47	32
26—Guava Hill	...	...	...	26	8	34	25
27—Vistabella	...	...	...	56	26	82	55
28—Princes Town	...	...	...	143	70	213	118
29—Mt. Stewart	...	...	...	39	24	63	44
30—Riversdale	...	...	...	42	21	63	41
31—Lengua	...	...	...	40	24	64	38
32—Ben Lomond	...	...	...	40	22	62	34
33—Brothers...	...	...	...	33	12	45	29
34—Jordan Hill	...	...	...	50	19	69	40
35—Inverness	...	...	...	45	10	55	25
36—Fairfield	...	...	...	40	20	60	33
37—Piparo	...	...	...	35	19	54	25
38—Poona	...	...	...	26	12	38	23
39—Elswick	...	...	...	17	10	27	18
40—Lothians	...	...	...	25	15	40	22
41—Palmyra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42—Esperanza	...	...	...	44	13	57	43
43—Exchange	...	...	...	43	19	62	44
44—Perseverance	...	...	...	34	21	55	30
45—Chaseville	...	...	...	26	12	38	26
46—Chandarnagore	...	...	...	27	10	37	30
47—Milton	...	...	...	31	17	48	34
48—Presal	...	...	...	36	4	40	30
49—Rivulet	...	...	...	19	18	37	31
Totals...	...	...	...	1958	926	2884	1876

IMMIGRATION.

ABSTRACT OF THE QUARTERLY RETURNS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1890.

COUNTY OF ST. GEORGE.

NAMES OF ESTATES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.				UNINDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.				BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		ABTEES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.									
	1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.		1889.		1890.											
	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.										
	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.	Total.		Total.								
1 Aranjuez	138	39	177	126	32	168	20	17	23	17	77	80	28	86	26	120	10	6	4	1	4	13,726	15,602	1,823	Crop with Aranjuez.	
2 Barataria	42	4	46	45	8	53	47	31	22	21	121	57	29	32	18	136	2	1	1	1	1	1,961	3,261	...	Crop with Aranjuez.	
3 Curepe	9	4	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,920	4,375	700	Crop with Aranjuez.	
4 Dinsley	48	16	64	50	18	68	50	21	9	8	88	39	10	25	16	90	4	1	1	1	1	3,525	20,432	1,086	Crop with Aranjuez.	
5 El Socorro	127	50	177	101	46	147	60	32	8	29	160	48	18	32	23	121	3	2	1	1	1	13,347	11,371	648	Cocoa.	
6 Garden and Bon Air	79	31	110	86	36	121	9	8	17	16	50	58	23	38	29	148	3	1	1	1	1	95	2,507	...	Cocoa.	
7 Chaguaramas	17	6	23	35	14	49	45	20	10	10	85	26	10	6	6	48	2	1	1	...	...	8,291	3,172	607	Cocoa.	
8 Golden Grove	20	9	29	34	14	48	45	20	10	10	85	26	10	6	6	48	2	1	1	...	...	951	2,705	200	Cocoa.	
9 La Florissante	31	6	27	21	6	27	20	10	2	13	57	20	15	16	12	68	3	4	...	...	...	7,593	10,061	278	Cocoa.	
10 Laurel Hill and Cane Farm	53	20	73	56	21	77	24	5	1	15	62	12	7	1	1	14	1	1	...	...	...	1,226	...	...	Cocoa.	
11 La Soledad	7	5	12	10	5	15	15	2	1	2	11	6	4	7	1	14	1	1	...	...	...	26	1,528	...	Cocoa.	
12 L'Esperance	26	11	37	50	20	70	6	4	4	4	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	3,348	...	Cocoa.	
13 La Veneracion	31	10	41	31	10	41	31	10	4	3	2	19	10	4	7	25	1	2	...	...	...	2,227	8,199	...	Cocoa.	
14 Maracas Bay	28	11	39	30	10	40	10	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,814	3,651	...	Cocoa.	
15 Mon Deir (Sta. Cruz)	25	9	34	30	10	40	10	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57,962	53,057	8,157	Crop with Dinsley.	
16 Orange Grove and Macoya	320	143	463	335	145	490	259	148	125	80	612	429	250	155	82	916	16	10	7	11	4	1,775	2,898	...	Crop with Dinsley.	
17 Paradise (Tacarigua)	24	12	36	19	8	27	8	32	1	6	5	15	2	1	6	8	11	2	2	...	...	3,902	3,644	250	Cocoa.	
18 River	41	16	56	35	12	47	76	32	24	19	151	72	29	23	19	143	1	3	...	...	...	7,246	7,891	507	Cocoa.	
19 St. Clair (Aronea)	57	23	80	67	24	81	55	12	12	13	72	25	10	13	11	58	1	3	...	...	...	85,764	87,231	2,105	Cocoa.	
20 St. Augustin	224	84	308	256	97	353	8	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	341	...	Cocoa.	
21 San Raphael	7	3	10	7	3	10	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.
22 Valsayn and Caroni	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.
23 Woodbrook	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cocoa.
Totals	1353	536	1873	1461	568	2029	809	419	387	302	1917	1077	584	549	390	2600	61	51	14	34	11	40	47	182,080	204,032	13,948

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1889.					1890.					1889		1890.		1889		1889.			
Men.	Wom.	Total.	Men.	Wom.	Total.	Men.	Wom.	Total.	Total.	Men.	Wom.	Chil.	Adult.	Men.	Wom.	1889.	1890.		
43	13	56	54	18	72	94	235	197	249	3	4	1	9	1	5	9,880	8,585	515	
144	58	202	178	67	245	117	61	178	618	2	7	4	4	6	3	82,470	83,973	1,818	
155	59	214	167	63	230	100	60	160	233	2	1	1	2	2	1	21,052	28,365	1,706	
68	23	91	76	31	107	68	30	98	239	3	1	1	1	2	2	16,259	14,619	438	
4	3	7	5	2	7	104	64	168	237	1	1	1	1	1	1	6,914	7,778	661	
53	19	72	56	19	75	68	38	106	257	1	1	1	1	1	1	8,056	8,988	572	
83	19	102	76	21	97	68	38	106	257	1	1	1	1	1	1	29,367	30,324	636	
151	68	219	175	69	244	98	54	152	176	3	4	2	2	1	1	6,189	16,386	472	
98	39	137	100	36	136	61	25	86	278	4	2	1	1	1	1	4,643	5,608	275	
34	10	44	46	15	61	25	10	35	57	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,900	...	...	
9	2	11	9	2	11	45	25	70	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,848	...	...	
26	8	34	10	3	13	26	14	40	74	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,704	2,286	158	
18	6	24	10	12	22	47	22	69	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,924	4,039	243	
33	13	46	45	23	68	56	26	82	105	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,483	14,919	...	
80	33	113	55	22	77	43	26	69	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,733	...	1,327	
96	29	125	113	88	201	56	35	91	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,638	...	471	
71	23	94	71	23	94	69	39	108	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,113	...	150	
31	12	43	34	11	45	13	6	19	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,557	3,102	785	
73	23	96	86	32	118	48	20	68	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,254	14,080	892	
42	19	61	43	20	63	10	6	16	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,535	16,331	597	
69	27	96	70	26	96	57	28	85	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,346	...	244	
18	6	24	18	7	25	42	26	68	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,724	27,973	460	
129	55	184	152	60	212	62	45	107	184	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,932	14,577	1,325	
39	18	57	37	13	50	25	23	48	206	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,318	12,642	894	
71	27	98	100	38	138	100	80	180	273	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,974	48,157	8,568	
37	14	51	35	16	51	8	4	12	160	...	...	...	...	...	...	41,929	...	...	
88	44	132	85	36	121	60	40	100	351	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,512	...	...	
198	79	277	300	118	418	126	70	196	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,974	48,157	8,568	
59	21	80	74	29	103	57	37	94	101	...	...	...	...	...	...	41,929	...	...	
74	30	104	104	75	179	63	38	101	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,131	...	588	
35	9	44	44	48	92	38	18	56	85	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,974	48,157	8,568	
108	88	196	146	121	267	75	36	111	128	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,178	20,455	1,875	
281	85	366	243	89	332	107	60	167	298	...	...	...	...	...	...	40,169	49,154	2,023	
Totals										5283	88	101	28	57	84	120	435,538	494,618	28,968

COUNTY OF ST. PATRICK.

NAMES OF ESTATES.	INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BRETHS.		DEATHS.			ABSENTEES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.					
	1889.			1890.			1889.			1890.			1889	1890	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.	1889.	1890.							
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.															
1 Belle Vue	62	28	90	80	36	116	60	26	21	11	118	43	18	26	16	98	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	12,680	15,401	388	Coconut.
2 Columbia	21	8	29	34	11	45	19	9	10	6	44	8	4	4	5	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,661	3,333	...	
3 Constance	28	11	39	32	15	47	...	...	7	1	8	...	...	9	8	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,078	4,696	...	
4 L'Eveuse	30	9	39	75	16	93	42	21	18	12	93	43	26	12	7	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,463	7,039	236	
5 Mon Desir	49	18	67	46	16	62	26	9	9	1	45	...	...	17	1	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,841	7,137	362	
6 Perseverance and St. John's...	74	33	107	94	43	137	62	49	12	12	135	73	29	18	25	145	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,588	14,179	740	
7 Ste. Marie and La Retraite...	44	15	59	98	21	119	85	63	50	40	238	78	68	84	27	207	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,563	10,572	677	
Totals	308	122	430	459	160	619	294	177	137	83	631	271	151	110	84	616	7	11	5	7	1	8	6	53,854	62,357	2,372	

COUNTY OF MAYARO.

NAMES OF ESTATES.	IDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.						BIRTHS.		DEATHS.			ABSENCES.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.		
	1889.			1890.			1889.			1890.			1889 1890		1889.			1889. 1890.			1889. 1890.			
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	1889.	1890.		1889.	1890.
Perseverance and yard...	10	4	14	17	7	24	25	15	...	40	15	10	3	1	23	...	1	...	...	1	2	1,310	2,488	Hogheads of Sugar made in 1890. ... Coconut.

ABSTRACT.

COUNTIES.		UNIDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.										BIRTHS.				DEATHS.		AD'TERS.		DAYS NOT WORKED.		REMARKS.					
		INDENTURED IMMIGRANTS.																Hogheads of Sugar made in 1890.									
		1890.					1890.					1890.		1890.		1890.											
		Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Children.	Adults.	Children.		Adults.								
1 St. George	1,363	536	1,879	1,461	568	2,039	809	419	387	362	1,917	1,077	584	549	390	2,600	61	51	14	34	11	40	40	47	189,080	204,033	12,948
2 Caroni	2,347	831	3,078	2,438	911	3,394	1,378	633	663	596	3,363	1,632	788	819	705	3,900	119	89	38	68	31	70	49	55	363,021	353,490	23,853
3 Victoria	2,501	948	3,449	2,533	1,063	3,594	1,131	945	831	5,017	2,305	3,071	1,190	788	5,263	88	101	28	57	34	60	120	129	63	436,533	454,613	23,988
4 St. Patrick	308	123	430	459	160	619	234	177	127	88	631	271	151	110	8	1	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63,564	63,307	2,379
5 Mayaro	10	4	14	17	7	24	25	15	...	...	...	40	15	8	1	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,310	2,486	...
Totals	6,419	2,431	8,850	7,353	2,708	9,960	4,536	2,358	2,172	1,902	10,918	5,160	2,718	2,566	1,979	12,413	275	352	76	167	71	179	318	239	1,035,948	1,186,386	67,941

ARRIVALS, 1890.

SHIPS.	Tonnage.	Date of Sailing.	Days of Passage.	NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS RE- BARKED AT CALCUTTA.					MORTALITY DURING VOYAGE.					NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS LANDED IN TRINIDAD.					BORN ON VOYAGE.		NAMES OF SURGEON.	REMARKS.
				Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Male.	Female.		
				Infants.	Infants.	Infants.	Infants.	Total.	Infants.	Infants.	Infants.	Infants.	Total.	Infants.	Infants.	Infants.	Infants.	Total.	Male.	Female.		
				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1 Hereford	1,469	8/ 11/89	89	848	147	34	35	84	602	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Arthur Harrison.	
2 Grecian	1,373	8/ 7/90	101	840	185	30	25	23	556	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	John Perkins.	
3 The Bruce	1,146	6/ 8/90	108	808	120	48	27	12	511	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	G. Stuart.	
4 Gauge	1,443	26/ 8/90	91	836	135	45	43	13	571	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	John Hazard.	
5 Allamshaw	1,589	31/ 9/90	83	370	175	40	50	23	663	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	W. A. Ireland, M.B.	
Totals	...	...	...	1703	716	186	179	106	2908	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

* One woman missing.

RETURNED IMMIGRANTS.

	1899						1890.						Amount deposited in Colonial Treasury for Transmission.						Consigned to care of Surgeon.									
	Men.			Women.			Boys.			Girls.			Infants.			Total.			£			s.			d.			
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Per Ship "Rhene" from Trinidad to Calcutta on 7th September, 1899
Per Ship "Hereford" from Trinidad to Calcutta on 4th September, 1890

CHARLES MITCHELL,
Protector of Immigrants.

Immigration Office, March, 1891

TRINIDAD.

No. 68.

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REPORT of Protector of Immigrants, with
Quarterly Returns, for the year 1890.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,

1st June, 1891.