

West Indies in 1829 has been 5,264,000, nearly a million more than 1828.

HOOPS.

Amount required 702,821

Exported 1828 348,000

354,821

This deficiency is trifling, and easily made up either from the colonies or the United Kingdom.

STAVES.

Amount required 12,545,404

Exported from the North American colonies in 1828 :—

No. 14,898,060

Being above 2,000,000 more than the amount required.

The export from Canada in 1829 has been 2,117,565 more than the quantity from Canada included in the above sum; and the export from Nova Scotia to the West Indies 1,252,000 more. Supposing the increase from New Brunswick to have been in the same proportion, and it was probably greater, the whole export in 1829 must have exceeded the amount required by about 7,000,000.

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