

Occurrences (continued.)

Parliament, first English, Jan. 23, 1269  
 Peel's bill for resumption of cash payments, 1819.  
 Pictures first exhibited at Somerset House, 1769.  
 Pins first used by ladies, 1543.  
 Plague in London, 1603 and 1665.  
 Police, Metrop., established, Sept. 1829  
 Population Census, May 30, 1831.  
 ————— July 1, 1841.  
 Postage, General, at a Penny, Nov. 10, 1840.  
 Post Office, New, opened, Sept. 23, 1820.  
 Prince of Wales, the first, 1284.  
 Printing, the art discovered, 1436.  
 Quaker, first sent to Parliament, Feb. 15, 1833.  
 Quakers, affirmation by, substituted for oath, 1696.  
 Queen Caroline's Trial abandoned, Nov. 10, 1820.  
 Railway Act, the first, May 22, 1801.  
 Regency of George Prince of Wales, Jan. 8, 1810.  
 Riots in London (no popery), June 2, 1782.  
 Royal Exchange built, 1564.  
 ————— burnt, Jan. 10, 1838  
 Royal George, foundered at Spithead, June 28, 1782.  
 ————— Society instituted, Dec. 30, 1660.  
 ————— Humane Society instituted, 1774.  
 Rye House Plot, 1683.  
 Safety Lamp, by Davy, 1815.  
 Sanctuaries for Debt abolished, 1697.  
 Saving Banks enacted, 1816.  
 Septennial Parliaments enacted, 1715  
 Small Pox, inoculation for, 1721.  
 South Sea Bubble, 1720.  
 Spa Fields riots, Dec. 2, 1816.  
 St. James's Park made public, 1668.  
 St. Paul's rebuilt by Wren, 1710.  
 Stamp duties first inst., June 23, 1694.  
 Star Chamber Court abolished, 1641.  
 Steam applied to printing the "Times" Nov. 29, 1814.  
 Tea first used in England, 1666.  
 Telescopes invented, 1590.

Tobacco brought to England, 1585.  
 Transports first sent to Botany Bay, Jan. 14, 1788.  
 Turnpike gates first erected, 1663.  
 Union with Ireland, Jan. 1, 1801.  
 Vaccine Nat. Institution, Jan. 18, 1809.  
 Watches brought to England, 1597.  
 Waterloo Bridge opened, June 18, 1817.  
 Wat Tyler's insurrection, June, 1381.  
 Westminster Bridge opened, 1750.

5. Occurrences (Political), Treaties, and Geographical Discoveries.

Aix-la-Chapelle Treaty, April 30, 1748.  
 America discovered, Oct. 23, 1492.  
 ————— Stamp Act repealed, March 18, 1766.  
 ————— First Congress, Oct. 5, 1775.  
 ————— Union and Independence declared, July 14, 1776.  
 ————— Treaty with England, Jan. 4, 1784.  
 ————— declaration of war against England, June 18, 1812.  
 Austria, first title of Emperor of, Aug. 11, 1804.  
 Azores discovered by the Portuguese, 1448.  
 Barrow's Straits discovered, 1819.  
 Bastille in Paris destroyed, July 14, 1789.  
 Bavaria made a kingdom, Jan. 1, 1806  
 Belgium, independence of, Oct. 1, 1830  
 ————— Leopold, King of, June 26, 1831.  
 Berlin Decree, Nov. 21, 1806.  
 Bermudas discovered, 1527.  
 Bernadotte, Crown Prince of Sweden, Aug. 21, 1810.  
 Buonaparte, First Consul, Dec. 13, 1799  
 ————— Emperor of the French, May 18, 1804.  
 ————— his Milan Decree, Dec. 17, 1807.  
 ————— marries Maria Louisa, April 2, 1810.  
 ————— sent to Elba, 1814.  
 ————— returns from Elba, March 1, 1815.  
 ————— 2nd abdication, June 22, 1815.

Buonaparte dies at St. Helena, May 5, 1821.  
 Bourbon Family restored, July 8, 1815.  
 Brazil discovered, April 21, 1500.  
 Brussels, revolution at, Aug. 25, 1830.  
 Campo Formio, treaty of, Oct. 17, 1797.  
 Canada, reduction of, 1760.  
 Canary Isles discovered, 1364.  
 Cape of Good Hope discovered, 1486  
 Cardinals first elected, 308.  
 Charles X. of France dethroned, July 30, 1830.  
 Christophe crowned at Haiti, June 2, 1811.  
 Confederation of the Rhine, July 12, 1806.  
 Convention of Reichenbach, July 27, 1790.  
 ————— Pilitz, Aug. 27, 1790.  
 ————— Cintra, Aug. 30, 1808.  
 ————— Toplitz, Oct. 8, 1813.  
 Council of Trent, 1549.  
 Crusade, the first, 1094.  
 Cuba discovered by Columbus, 1492.  
 Dominica discovered, Nov. 3, 1493.  
 Edict of Nantes, 1598.  
 ————— revoked, Oct. 24, 1685.  
 Ferroe Islands discovered, 861.  
 French, Louis Philippe made King of the, Aug. 10, 1830.  
 ————— Revolution, July 14, 1789.  
 ————— Kalendar abol. Jan. 12, 1806.  
 Germanic Confederation, 1815.  
 Germany, empire dissolved, Aug. 6, 1806.  
 Greece, declared independent, Jan. 13, 1822.  
 Greenland discovered by Icelanders, 950.  
 Hanover made a kingdom, Oct. 12, 1814  
 Holy Alliance formed, Sept. 26, 1815.  
 Ionian Islands, under protection of England, Nov. 5, 1815.  
 Janissaries abolished, June 16, 1826.  
 Japan discovered, 1542.  
 League of Cambrai, Dec. 10, 1508.  
 Louisiana ceded to France, Oct. 1, 1800.  
 ————— sold to United States, Jan. 23, 1833.

Madagascar discovered by Almeida, 1506.  
 Madeira discovered by Masham, 1344  
 Mamelukes, massacre of, at Cairo, March 1, 1811.  
 Mexico discovered, 1518.  
 Netherlands, made a kingdom, March 16, 1815.  
 ————— disunited into Belgium and Holland, June 4, 1831.  
 Newfoundland discovered, June 24, 1494.  
 New Holland discovered, 1525.  
 New Zealand discovered, 1642.  
 ————— Sovereignty assumed by England, March 21, 1841.  
 Norway passed to Sweden, Dec. 4, 1814  
 Otaheite discovered, 1765.  
 Paris, Bastille destroyed, July 14, 1789  
 ————— Allies enter, March 31, 1814.  
 ————— Three days contest, July 27, 1830.  
 Peace of Ryswick, Sept. 30, 1697.  
 ————— Utrecht, 1713.  
 ————— Rastadt, March 11, 1798.  
 ————— Luneville, Feb. 9, 1801.  
 ————— Amiens, March 27, 1802.  
 ————— Tilsit, July 7, 1807.  
 ————— Vienna, Oct. 14, 1809.  
 ————— Paris, June 3, 1814.  
 ————— General Treaty of, Nov. 20, 1815.  
 Pope driven from Rome, Feb. 15, 1798  
 St. Domingo, independence of, Nov. 30, 1798.  
 St. Helena discovered, 1502.  
 Saxons came into England, 449.  
 Saxony made a kingdom, Dec. 20, 1806  
 Scottish Rebellion, 1745.  
 Sicilian Vespers, March 30, 1282.  
 Sierra Leone, settlement at, Dec. 9, 1786.  
 Slave Trade abolished, June 5, 1806.  
 Ulm, capitulation of, Oct. 19, 1805.  
 Van Diemen's Land discovered, 1616.  
 Venice ceded to Austria, Dec. 9, 1797.  
 Vienna, treaty of, Jan. 23, 1815.  
 Westphalia, Jerome Bonaparte, King of, Aug., 1807.  
 Wurtemberg made a kingdom, Jan. 1, 1806.

SUMMARY OF THE POPULATION OF GREAT BRITAIN, AND ISLANDS IN THE BRITISH SEAS. COMPARATIVE POPULATION.

	1801.	1811.	1821.	1831.	1841.	Males.	Females.
England	8,331,434	9,538,827	11,261,437	13,091,005	14,995,508	7,321,875	7,673,633
Wales	541,546	611,788	717,438	806,182	911,321	447,533	463,788
England and Wales	8,872,980	10,150,615	11,978,875	13,897,187	15,906,829	7,769,408	8,137,421
Scotland	1,599,068	1,813,688	2,093,456	2,365,114	2,628,957	1,246,427	1,382,530
GREAT BRITAIN	10,472,048	11,964,303	14,072,331	16,262,301	18,535,786	9,015,835	9,519,951
Islands in the British Seas	....	....	89,508	103,710	124,079	57,598	66,481
TOTAL	....	....	14,161,839	16,366,011	18,659,865	9,073,433	9,586,432

\* \* This Summary includes only such part of the Army, Navy, and Merchant Seamen as were on shore in the kingdom; and excludes Travellers by Canals and Railroads, which latter are taken at 4896.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

THE FOLLOWING IS A RECENT CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Free White	{ Males .....	7,249,266	} 14,189,108
	{ Females .....	6,939,842	
Free Coloured	{ Males .....	186,476	} 386,245
	{ Females .....	199,769	
Slaves	{ Males .....	1,246,408	} 2,487,213
	{ Females .....	1,240,805	
Persons on board Vessels of War			17,062,566
			6,100
Total			17,068,366

TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF HOUSES INHABITED, UNINHABITED, AND BUILDING, IN ENGLAND AND WALES, FROM 1801 TO 1841; AND THE INCREASE PER CENT. IN INHABITED HOUSES.

HOUSES.—ENGLAND.				
Census.	Inhabited.	Uninhabited.	Building.	Census.
				Increase per Cent. in the Inhabited Houses.
1801	1,467,870	53,965	—	
1811	1,678,106	47,925	15,189	1801 to 1811 14.3
1821	1,951,973	66,055	18,289	1811 to 1821 16.3
1831	2,326,022	113,885	23,462	1821 to 1831 19.1
1841	2,755,710	163,077	25,704	1831 to 1841 18.4

  

HOUSES.—WALES.				
Census.	Inhabited.	Uninhabited.	Building.	Census.
				Increase per Cent. in the Inhabited Houses.
1801	108,053	3,511	—	
1811	119,398	3,095	1,019	1801 to 1811 10.5
1821	136,183	3,632	985	1811 to 1821 14.
1831	155,522	6,030	1,297	1821 to 1831 14.2
1841	188,229	10,157	1,764	1831 to 1841 21.

increase per cent. on both houses and population was nearly equal; between 1811 and 1821 the increase per cent. on the population, as compared with the increase per cent. of inhabited houses, was, in England, greater by 1.2 per cent., and in Wales, during the same period, by 3 per cent.; while between 1821 and 1841, the inhabited houses increased in a much higher ratio than the population, both in England and Wales; a fair test of the improvement of the country, for if the number of inhabited houses in a country falls off in proportion to the increase of the population, it might fairly be inferred that the condition of the country was deteriorated. The number of houses building affords also a good criterion of a country's progress in wealth and industry, and a reference to the statement above given, shows, that as compared with 1811 there were 10,515 more building in 1841 (at the period when the Census was taken) than at the former period. On the other hand, the number of houses uninhabited has more than tripled since 1801, and though this great number, no doubt, partly arises from the depression of trade and commerce within the last few years, still, a great proportion of these were uninhabited in consequence of being so dilapidated, as to be unfit for occupation, and the greater conveniences and comforts of the modern houses inducing the people to desert the old and less-comfortable mansions of their forefathers.

From the above statement it will be seen, that between 1801 and 1811 the



64] TABLE, SHOWING THE NUMBER OF PERSONS OF BOTH SEXES, CLASSIFIED UNDER THE FOLLOWING HEADS OF OCCUPATION, FOR EACH COUNTY IN ENGLAND, WALES, AND SCOTLAND.

COUNTIES.	Commerce, Trade, and Manufacture.	Agriculture.	Labourers.	Domestic Servants.	In Miscellaneous Pursuits.	Of Independent Means.	Almspeople, Pensioners, Paupers, Lunatics, and Prisoners.	Residue of Population.	Total Population.
<b>ENGLAND</b>									
Bedford	14,333	14,933	2,369	4,603	958	1,720	1,999	67,638	107,936
Berks	16,479	21,249	5,130	11,538	8,482	4,779	2,424	96,066	161,147
Bucks	19,664	21,897	3,214	8,650	1,597	3,084	1,846	96,031	155,983
Bucks	14,744	22,918	3,778	9,258	2,158	3,822	1,488	106,225	164,459
Cambridge	93,314	26,804	14,544	24,001	7,167	8,444	2,355	219,031	395,660
Chester	31,793	26,862	30,325	29,172	6,865	9,077	3,371	212,884	341,279
Cornwall	26,053	15,611	6,879	11,872	3,201	6,597	2,138	105,687	178,038
Cumberland	51,675	19,333	15,477	15,235	3,173	5,193	1,585	160,546	272,217
Devon	69,470	54,532	11,768	41,855	14,319	20,353	7,448	313,725	533,460
Dorset	19,459	19,192	4,382	9,530	3,335	5,589	2,374	111,182	175,043
Durham	45,179	14,362	27,580	10,111	8,549	8,231	2,043	203,229	324,284
Essex	32,120	51,116	9,517	20,256	6,774	7,403	3,777	214,016	344,979
Gloucester	65,016	31,270	21,603	31,094	9,469	16,002	4,847	252,882	431,383
Hereford	11,265	16,616	3,052	11,193	1,318	3,276	1,036	66,122	113,878
Hertford	20,181	20,145	5,218	10,163	2,133	3,696	2,027	93,614	157,207
Huntingdon	5,365	8,480	1,161	3,524	736	1,157	501	37,625	58,549
Kent	55,688	47,585	20,293	36,392	28,337	18,629	13,047	328,466	548,337
Lancaster	467,784	49,569	76,079	67,998	61,698	33,207	12,717	923,003	1,667,054
Leicester	41,554	17,092	3,676	13,547	2,612	4,377	2,134	130,845	215,867
Lincoln	35,140	57,561	6,147	26,534	6,022	9,099	3,269	218,830	362,602
Middlesex	315,259	18,164	82,240	156,731	62,155	76,369	24,083	841,635	1,576,636
Monmouth	17,641	8,685	16,788	7,556	2,174	2,622	737	78,153	134,335
Norfolk	48,821	50,365	8,291	23,118	7,717	10,358	4,840	259,154	412,664
Northampton	26,859	25,731	3,228	10,568	2,911	3,788	2,389	123,724	199,228
Northumberland	37,298	17,339	15,615	13,918	6,492	6,875	1,858	150,883	230,278
Nottingham	51,373	20,358	5,460	13,283	3,465	4,818	1,923	149,230	249,910
Oxford	17,369	20,789	3,578	9,573	2,199	3,857	1,920	109,058	161,643
Rutland	1,955	3,916	430	1,435	927	416	259	13,264	21,302
Salop	28,485	28,003	13,698	17,481	3,224	5,927	2,657	140,554	239,018
Somerset	56,531	44,467	20,474	20,025	6,947	14,907	6,693	257,935	435,982
Southampton	37,466	35,541	12,715	22,698	12,936	11,762	7,208	214,688	355,004
Stafford	31,572	43,858	5,212	17,817	5,083	7,499	3,669	309,107	510,504
Suffolk	95,581	29,130	34,917	23,331	6,606	8,173	3,669	900,131	1,315,073
Surrey	94,389	25,352	32,079	44,202	18,937	24,580	10,217	332,972	582,672
Sussex	20,134	35,708	10,149	22,208	6,627	8,915	4,237	182,775	299,753
Warwick	87,947	24,239	11,804	33,925	7,538	8,976	3,499	233,787	401,715
Westmoreland	7,771	6,566	1,277	4,329	770	2,275	679	32,791	56,454
Wiltshire	28,057	36,390	9,252	13,066	2,632	5,996	4,659	158,381	253,733
Worcester	39,027	23,549	9,020	11,031	3,742	5,231	1,935	139,801	223,336
York, E. Riding	25,297	23,506	5,304	13,075	6,007	6,038	1,717	113,992	194,936
—, City and Ainsty	6,994	2,179	1,202	3,345	999	1,595	513	21,493	38,321
—, N. Riding	23,025	28,177	4,556	13,777	8,541	6,389	1,515	122,542	204,122
—, W. Riding	284,446	49,297	40,681	42,400	15,248	21,550	7,150	693,329	1,151,101
Persons Travelling	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,016	5,016
Total, England	2,929,073	1,157,816	620,492	835,823	332,330	421,995	168,376	8,834,340	15,000,154
<b>WALES</b>									
Anglesey	4,100	7,720	1,336	2,986	724	1,094	718	32,213	50,801
Brecon	5,789	5,589	5,418	3,706	708	1,305	393	62,695	85,003
Cardigan	5,657	8,996	1,596	5,865	833	2,193	665	42,961	68,766
Carmarthen	9,070	14,511	3,429	8,078	1,163	3,662	1,031	65,443	106,326
Carnarvon	6,278	9,913	5,799	5,122	1,331	2,281	401	50,068	81,063
Denbigh	8,334	11,441	4,539	6,668	759	1,968	931	54,126	88,866
Flint	6,387	5,401	5,401	4,270	1,016	1,252	365	42,407	66,919
Glamorgan	23,939	10,086	19,360	9,143	3,241	4,071	854	160,485	171,188
Merioneth	3,176	5,677	1,801	5,023	438	1,043	455	23,719	39,332
Montgomery	7,550	10,229	1,966	5,010	669	1,177	864	42,454	69,219
Pembroke	7,883	9,470	2,770	7,415	1,689	3,147	943	54,727	88,044
Radnor	1,970	4,609	306	1,930	188	845	180	15,398	25,356
Total, Wales	90,133	103,632	53,300	63,216	12,758	23,978	7,830	556,626	911,663
Isles in the British Seas	17,589	8,493	3,273	7,535	4,571	7,176	1,173	74,130	124,040
Total, England and Wales, and Isles in British Seas	2,936,795	1,269,941	677,295	1,006,583	349,659	453,149	177,379	9,464,996	16,035,797
<b>SCOTLAND</b>									
Aberdeen	27,937	25,324	3,559	14,711	4,575	6,837	1,947	107,597	192,587
Argyll	6,194	13,187	1,545	6,071	2,917	1,401	1,039	65,017	97,371
Ayr	33,137	11,160	6,189	8,480	2,275	2,510	720	99,883	164,356
Banff	4,236	7,581	615	3,715	1,596	1,581	573	29,782	49,679
Berwick	3,608	6,173	439	2,424	676	734	540	20,044	34,438
Bute	1,848	1,419	156	1,089	692	511	67	9,958	15,740
Caitness	3,166	5,116	422	1,925	1,329	648	323	23,413	36,343
Clackmannan	3,144	952	1,274	674	321	387	34	12,369	19,155
Dumbarton	11,417	2,603	2,817	2,380	938	852	100	23,189	44,296
Dumfries	9,229	10,938	1,515	3,712	1,009	1,683	743	44,001	72,880
Edinburgh	44,479	7,755	9,126	20,664	9,718	8,634	3,538	121,539	225,454
Elgin	3,547	5,080	739	3,147	789	1,259	379	20,072	35,012
Fife	30,691	10,041	4,035	5,508	2,985	2,911	650	83,319	140,140
Forfar	44,709	10,078	3,747	8,696	4,050	3,599	928	94,713	170,520
Haddington	3,564	6,168	752	2,120	806	810	176	21,480	33,886
Inverness	5,847	13,746	1,309	6,990	1,923	2,044	1,220	64,720	97,799
Kincardine	4,061	5,848	307	2,814	999	689	503	17,844	33,075
Kinross	1,798	1,032	129	411	91	266	25	5,011	8,763
Kirkcudbright	4,025	5,256	715	3,081	579	1,175	309	25,979	41,119
Lanark	116,121	13,169	26,936	20,710	9,213	6,879	3,099	230,845	426,972
Linlithgow	4,038	2,456	2,707	1,387	371	487	98	15,328	26,872
Nairn	782	1,591	136	788	224	219	81	5,396	9,217
Orkney & Shetland	4,627	6,251	352	3,823	3,600	1,023	748	40,641	61,065
Perth	1,004	1,669	289	984	148	242	89	6,077	10,499
Perth	23,400	16,302	2,824	9,483	2,112	3,147	944	79,378	137,390
Renfrew	44,117	5,866	4,974	6,005	3,178	2,517	883	87,532	155,072
Ross and Cromarty	4,411	10,281	631	4,967	2,508	987	741	54,163	78,685
Roxburgh	7,446	6,330	818	2,901	526	1,102	494	26,208	46,025
Selkirk	1,372	902	150	546	87	149	59	4,725	7,990
Stirling	14,949	6,415	4,922	4,298	1,235	1,830	346	48,042	82,057
Sutherland	1,166	3,380	172	1,635	566	423	386	17,054	24,782
Wigton	3,511	5,167	445	2,491	633	759	108	26,081	39,195
Total, Scotland	473,581	229,337	84,573	158,550	62,660	58,291	21,690	1,531,402	2,620,184
Army abroad and in Ireland	..	..	..	..	80,230	..	..	..	89,230
Navy and Merchant Seamen afloat*	..	..	..	..	96,799	..	957	1,467	99,223
Total, Great Britain	3,110,376	1,499,278	761,868	1,165,233	598,348	511,440	200,026	10,997,865	18,814,434

Col. 2. includes Farmers and Graziers, Agricultural Labourers, Farm-Servants, Gardeners, Nurserymen, and Florists. Col. 3. includes Labourers whose employment is not otherwise specified, also Miners, Quarriers, Porters, Messengers, and other persons engaged in laborious occupations. Col. 5. includes Army at home, Navy and Merchant Seamen on shore, Mariners, Fishermen, Watermen, Professional Persons, including Clerical, Legal, and Medical, Persons in the Government Civil Service, Parochial Officers, Police, &c., and other educated persons following Miscellaneous Pursuits.

\* Exclusive of 70,000 Seamen absent on the Foreign and Coasting Service, making a total of 288,630 men belonging to Great Britain, employed on the Sea and Inland Navigation.