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Unit Date

1750

Language

The materials in the collection are in French.

Abstract

The Slaveship "Elizabeth" Records contain six manuscript pages concerning the trafficking of 324 guinea enslaved persons to M. de Fleurian by Captain Audebert of the Navire l'Elizabet de la Rochelle in St. Dominique in 1750. The pages also concern the sale of indigo and unrefined sugar. They are written in French and cover the period 7 April to 5 June 1750.

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Historical Note

"Elizabeth" was a ship used in the human trafficking of enslaved persons and in the trade of indigo and unrefined sugar in the mid-1700s. Records from the ship are written in French.

Scope and Content

The records relate to the ship "Elizabeth" and contain six manuscript pages concerning the trafficking of 324 guinea enslaved persons to M. de Fleurian by Captain Audebert of the Navire l'Elizabet de la Rochelle in St. Dominique in 1750. The pages also concern the sale of indigo and unrefined sugar. They are written in French and cover the period 7 April to 5 June 1750.

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Arrangement

The documents are arranged in chronological order.

Description of Subordinate Components

Records

Unit Date 1750

folder 1

Scope and Content

Debit ledger accounts (5 June 1750), original and a copy, the original signed by de Fleurian and Audebert.

Credit ledger accounts (5 June 1750), original and a copy, the original signed by de Fleurian and Audebert.

Receipt (5 June 1750), signed by Audebert.

"Liasse de Compter" (June 1750), an unsigned slip of paper