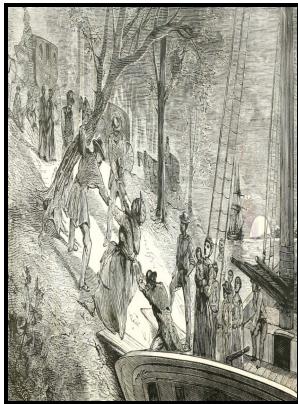


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Sheddan 1755 and Spens v. French Enlightenment philosophers such as Montesquieu argued that slavery went against the natural rights of man.

## Slave Rebellions and the British Anti

Sometimes captains at risk of being caught by the would throw slaves into the sea to reduce their fines. Mass flight from plantations, organized efforts to obstruct the internal slave trade, and increasingly ebullient and defiant public demands for abolition ultimately led to final emancipation in 1888, a century after the unpredictable struggle to destroy slavery had taken root in the Atlantic world.

## Emancipation Day

Of special importance was the successful secret negotiation with France to obtain a 30-year monopoly on the Spanish slave trade, called the Asiento. But the masters, unwilling to change their habits, find new excuses to explain their behavior. Queen Anne 2001 , pp.

## Resistance and Abolition

Slave revolts continued into the nineteenth century in British and Spanish Caribbean colonies. Africans themselves played a visible role in the abolition movement.

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