

The New Worlds of Thomas Robert Malthus

REREADING THE *PRINCIPLE OF POPULATION*

Alison Bashford and Joyce E. Chaplin

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY PRESS
PRINCETON AND OXFORD

CONTENTS

<i>Illustrations</i>	<i>vii</i>
<i>Tables</i>	<i>vii</i>
INTRODUCTION	1
PART I: Population and the New World	
CHAPTER 1	
Population, Empire, and America	17
CHAPTER 2	
Writing the <i>Essay</i>	54
PART II: New Worlds in the <i>Essay</i> , c. 1803	
CHAPTER 3	
New Holland	91
CHAPTER 4	
The Americas	116
CHAPTER 5	
The South Sea	146
PART III: Malthus and the New World, 1803–1834	
CHAPTER 6	
Slavery and Abolition	171
CHAPTER 7	
Colonization and Emigration	201
CHAPTER 8	
The <i>Essay</i> in New Worlds	237
CODA	276
<i>Acknowledgments</i>	285
<i>Abbreviations</i>	287
<i>Notes</i>	289
<i>Bibliography</i>	317
<i>Index</i>	345