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the subsistence of 3,000 palatines, Employed in the Province of New York, in the production of Naval Stores, according to her late Majestys Order and the Estimate thereof settled at the Treasury. [p. 216.]

[1228.] [The Board of Trade represent the necessity of sending new seals to each of his Majesty's plantations in America. The Treasury is accordingly ordered to supply the necessary charge, and the Board of Trade to prepare the seals, and lay them before his Majesty for his royal approbation at the Board.] 17 June. Seals. [p. 227.]

[1229.] [Reference to the Committee of the Council of Windsor Sandys' petition for passing his patent, and another of Morgan Randyll for recalling the order for passing this grant to Sandys] for recovering a Considerable Treasure (he Alledges to have been Several Years since) Wreckt and lost in the American Seas, between the Latitude of 12 and 27 Degrees of North Latitude, Which the said Randyll hath already her late Majestys Grant for. [The Attorney General had reported that Sandys might be granted a patent despite the prior grant to Randyll.] 17 June. Treasure Trove. [p. 235.]

[Committee of the Council : Sandys' patent may be granted, with proviso] that if Mr. Randyll or any other prior Patentee Shall find any Wreck, and Continue to take up the Same, Mr. Sandys shall not Disturb them or fish upon the said Wreck, till they have left it. 24 June. [p. 238.]

[Order accordingly.] [p. 243.] 30 June.

• [1230.] [Reference to the Committee for Appeals of the petition of Thomas Bannister of Boston in New England for a day for hearing his appeal] from a Judgement Given against him in the Superior Court of Judicature in that Island the 4th day of May 1714 in favor of Margaret Bowe relating to the Sum of 400*l.* 1*s.* 2*d.*, which the Petitioner was Obliged by the said Judgement to pay to the said Bowe. 17 June. New England. [p. 235.]

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8 Dec. [Committee minute : the sum was made up of 392*l.* 4*s.* said to be due to the defendant from one Jeremiah Garvan, whose goods were supposed to be in the appellant's custody, but were not, and of 7*l.* 17*s.* 2*d.* costs. They recommend that the judgment be reversed, and that the defendant pay the appellant 6*l.* costs.] [p. 323.]

13 Dec. [Order accordingly.] [p. 325.]

17 June. [1231.] A Letter from Major Caulfield Lieutenant Governor  
Nova Scotia. of Annapolis Royall dated the 12th of January 1714 together with Severall other Papers relating to the Oaths that the Inhabitants have taken there to his present Majesty, [is sent to the Board of Trade]. [p. 236.]

17 June. [1232.] [To the Board of Trade is referred] the humble  
Bahamas. Petition of John Graves, Collector of the Customs in the Bahama Islands in behalf of himself and the poor distressed Inhabitants there, Setting forth the great Losses they have Suffered for want of a Governor to reside with them, and also for want of Warlike Stores and other necessarys for the defence of the said Islands, They having been plundered 4 several times, their Houses burnt downe, Their Forts Demolished, and their Guns Carried off, whereby they are now left in a miserable Condition, And humbly Praying his Majesty to Appoint them a Governor to Settle those Islands againe, and also send such Supplys thither as shall be thought requisite. [p. 236.]

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12 Jan. [Reference to the Committee of the Council of a report from the Board of Trade] On the Petition of the Proprietors of the Bahama Islands, touching the Settlement thereof. [p. 335.]

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23 Feb. [Committee minute : they approve the Board of Trade report, viz.] :—That as to the Report made by the said Commissioners in pursuance of his Majestys Order in Council of the 31st of August last, wherein his Majesty (upon the humble Representation of the Lords Proprietors of the Bahama Islands) was pleased to Approve of Roger Mosteyn Esqr. (whom they