

ACTS OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL (COLONIAL). 31

[23.] [Reference to the Committee for Appeals of the petition of Edward Mann and Mary, his wife, for a short day for hearing their appeal from decrees of the Antigua Chancery obliging them to pay 1,000*l.* to James Gamble and Rachel his wife.] [p. 414.]

1721-2.
14 Dec.
Antigua.

[Order in accordance with the Committee report of 17 Oct., that the appeal be in part sustained, but in the main dismissed, and that this decision be enforced by the Master in Chancery in Antigua.] [IV. pp. 117, 144.]

(1722.)
29 Nov.

[24.] [The Committee to whom the instructions to the Duke of Portland had been referred on 14 Dec. last, recommend that those which relate to trade may be approved, but that in the others four alterations be made:—(1) The name of William Cockburn, inserted by the Board of Trade as a Councillor on the death of James Archbould, should be omitted, and the Governor empowered to fill up the vacancy on his arrival. (2) Article 21 is revised as not sufficiently guarded against passing Acts as to the issue of bills of credit. (3) Article 31, authorising him to accept additions to his salary, is to be made clearer: the Act for such addition to the Governor's salary as the Assembly shall think fit is to be passed at the first Assembly after his arrival, and is not to take effect till approved by his Majesty. (4) A clause is added at the end of Article 40 requiring an account of the arrears of rent due to his Majesty to be transmitted annually to the Board of Trade.] [pp. 442-4.]

1722.
3 Jan.
Jamaica.

[Council approves. P.R.]

[pp. 460-2.] 20 Jan.

[25.] [Reference to the Committee of the Council, to whom a report of the Board of Trade on the Acts in question stands referred, of the petition of Jonathan Blenman, John Bannatyne, and the rest of the barristers and practising attorneys of Barbados for his Majesty's disallowance of an Act of 1715, empowering licentiate lawyers to practise as barristers in the island; and two Acts of 1718 for the better ordering and regulating the

20 Jan.
Barbados.