

486 ACTS OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL (COLONIAL).

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8 Dec. [Referred by Committee to Board of Trade.] [p. 270.]
(1736.)
22 Dec. [Committee postpone consideration of the Board of Trade report with an additional instruction to the Lt.-Gov. of South Carolina to prevent his granting any lands to the southward of the river Alatomaha.] [V. p. 47.]
- 26 Nov. [364.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Lewis
New York. Morris, freeholder of Albany, N.Y., on behalf of himself and the other freeholders there, complaining against Governor Cosby,] for having sent to the Major of Albany to attend him with a Deed made by the Mohock Indians containing a Grant of a very large and Valuable Tract of Land called Tiondorogue to the said Freeholders of Albany, and for causing the said Deed to be destroyed. And humbly praying in regard they cannot proceed against the said Governor Cosby by due Course of Law for the Damages they have Sustained by the Destroying the said Deed, whilst he continues in the Post of Governor, that His Majesty will be pleased to take the Premises into His Royal Consideration, and afford such relief therein as His Majesty in his Great Wisdom and Justice shall seem meet.
[p. 264.]
- 15 Dec. [Committee. A copy of the petition to be transmitted to
(1736.) Gov. Cosby for his answer.] [p. 274.]
- 5 Feb. [Reference to the Committee of (a) the petition of Morris complaining of several matters affecting the government of the province by Cosby: (b) the petition of several of the corporation of the City of Albany complaining of the destruction of their deed, and praying that for the future their deeds be not destroyed or set aside but by the law of the land to which they have always readily submitted.] [p. 359.]
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- 21 April. [Committee. Cosby to have copies of both petitions and to return his answer.] [p. 431.]
- 26 Nov. [365.] [Reference to the Committee for Appeals of the petition
Rhode of Josiah Arnold of James Town, Newport Co. R.I., that the
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appeal of Ezekiel Johnson from a judgment of the Superior Court, 26 Mar., 1734, be dismissed for non-prosecution.]

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[On the report of the Committee of 8 Dec., the appeal is dismissed.] 18 Dec.
[pp. 269, 283.]

[366.] [Reference to the Committee of the representation of several traders to Jamaica and others in behalf of the Jews who are inhabitants there, setting forth that several Acts have been passed which lay extraordinary taxes and hardships upon the Jews, and praying for directions to the Governor] not to pass any Act whereby such extraordinary Taxes and hardships may for the future be laid upon the Jews residing there, but on the Contrary that the said Jews may freely and fully enjoy all the Rights Privileges and Immunitys which they are legally intituled to in common with any of his Majestys Natural Born Subjectis in that Island. 18 Dec. Jamaica.
[p. 284.]

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[Referred by Committee to Board of Trade.] [p. 317.] 24 Jan.

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[Committee. The Board of Trade report] That they find the Legislature of Jamaica have frequently inserted Clauses in their Annual Acts for raising the necessary Supplys, whereby the Jews who live there, have been taxed seperately as Jews, and are distinguished by such Taxations from the rest of Your Majesty's Subjects, and altho some pretences are alledged in those Clauses for Proceeding in this manner towards the Jews, Yet that they are not Sufficient to Justifie the Rigourous Hardships and Taxations complained of by the Petitioners and that the said Jews seem to have the better Title to Redress, in regard many of them are Your Majestys Subjects by Virtue of Letters of Denization, and are Persons of Substance largely engaged in the Trade of that Island and therefore the said Lords Commissioners proposed that the Governor of Jamaica might be instructed not to give his Assent to any Tax to be imposed on the Jews as Jews only, over and above what is laid upon the rest of your Majestys 13 April.