that the Governor of the said Province hath neglected and refused to take any care for the Petitioners preservation. [p. 165.]

[Committee. A copy to be sent to Governor Gabriel 16 Aug. Johnson, to return his answer in writing.] [p. 210.]

[549.] [To the Committee is referred the petition of the 29 July. Georgia Trustees praying for release to the petitioners of the quitrents of 4s. per 100 acres reserved to his Majesty, and for his Majesty's] Approbation of an Act prepared by them Intitled an Act to repeal so much of an Act made in the eighth Year of His Majestys Reign intituled an Act to prevent the Importation and Use of Rum and Brandies in the said Province from the other British Colonys. [p. 203.]

[The Committee refer the petition to the Board of Trade.] 24 Aug. [p. 223.] (1743.)

[Committee. The petition of the trustees for liberty to 17 Jan. withdraw their former petition is granted.] [p. 289.]

[550.] [Reference to the Committee of the appeal of 29 July. Andrew Arcedeckne of Jamaica from a decree of the Jamaica Jamaica. Chancery of 7 July, 1741, upon a bill filed against him] by James Blackwood and Jane his wife for a particular Account of the Number and Quantity of the Negroes and Stock which were on two parcells of Land in the Parish of St. Thomas in the East in the said Island whereof the Petitioner and Alger Pestell deceased were seized as Tenants in Common. [p. 205.]

(1743.)

[Jane Blackwood was formerly the wife of Alger Pestell. 12 July. Pestell's only child Susannah married James Draper of Jamaica, and died without issue. Order in accordance with the Committee report of 6 July that the decree of 7 July, 1741, be reversed] And that the Cause do stand Over with Liberty for the Respondents to add Partys as they shall be advised. [pp. 464, 468-72, 489.]

[551.] [Reference to the Committee of a representation of 15 Sept. 19 Aug. from the Admiralty proposing that his Majesty issue Carolina.

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