

1755.

appeal from a judgment of a Court held at Savannah, 7 July, 1749, awarding 300*l. stg.* damages against him in an action brought by Caleb Davis for his refusal to allow the *Duke of Cumberland* and the *Heron* to proceed on their respective voyages. [p. 363.]

[266.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Daniel Stanton of Philadelphia, son and heir of Daniel Stanton of the same place, mariner, for leave to appeal from a judgment of the Superior Court of Rhode Island in Oct., 1749, in favour of Elias Thompson, reversing a judgment of the Superior Court in March, 1748, in a case between them relating to a fifth part of 600 acres in King's co., R.I., known as the Cedar Swamp.] [p. 363.]

27 Mar.
Rhode
Island.

[The appeal is admitted, on the Committee report of 12 Feb. Security is given on 28 Feb., by Richard Partridge.]

(1756.)
17 Feb.

[XVI. pp. 34, 42.]

[On the Committee report of 2 March, the appeal is dismissed.] [XVII. pp. 118, 379, 381-2, 396.]

(1759.)
3 Mar.

[267.] [Reference to the Committee of a Board of Trade representation on the state of the Virgin Islands,] proposing, that a Civil Government should be established on the said Islands, dependant upon the Government of the Leeward Islands, and that Custom house Officers should also be appointed to take care that the Laws of Trade and Navigation be observed as in His Majestys other Colonys and Plantations in America, by which Means the said Lords Commissioners conceive those Islands may become a real and considerable advantage to Great Britain. [p. 367.]

3 April.
Virgin
Islands.

[Committee.] Representation . . Read and the consideration thereof Ordered to be Postponed for the Present. [p. 396.]

7 May.

[268.] [Reference to the Committee of a Board of Trade representation of 20 March, transmitting a letter from Governor Reynolds,] setting forth the present defenceless State of the said Province, and the danger it appears to him to be in from the precarious disposition of the Neighbouring

3 April.
Georgia.