

1759.

An Act to enable the Inhabitants of this Colony to Discharge their Publick Dues, Officers Fees, and other Tobacco Debts in Money for the ensuing Year—Passed in October 1758.

[A petition against the Acts was heard by the Committee from the Convention of the clergy of the Church of England settled in Virginia, and against the last Act from the merchants of London trading to Virginia.]

[XVIII. *pp.* 84, 86-7, 100.]

[An instruction prepared by the Board of Trade, on 29 Aug. an order from the Committee on 3 Aug. is approved, requiring the Lieutenant Governor strictly to observe and obey the directions of Article 16 of his instructions relating to the passing laws, upon pain of his Majesty's highest displeasure and of being immediately recalled from his government.]

[XVIII. *pp.* 84-6, 126.]

[395.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of John Weatherby, John Stephens, and Diederich Jacobi of Jamaica, for a day for hearing their appeal from an order of the Chancery there, 26 Nov. 1757, on a bill filed by Andrew Rait against them for payment of 1,833*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* with interest from 1 July, 1750.]

15 May.
Jamaica.

[*pp.* 275, 513.]

[Committee. On the request of the appellants' solicitor, the hearing is adjourned till December. The appellants' agent has lately failed, and the solicitor expects to receive fresh instructions from the appellants themselves in a few months.]

(1760.)
7 July.

[XVIII. *p.* 430.]

[On the Committee report of 20 Jan. when all parties were heard, the appeal is dismissed with 100*l.* costs.]

(1761.)
28 Jan.

[Geo. III. Vol. I. *pp.* 155, 178.]

[396.] [Reference to the Committee of a Board of Trade representation of 16 May, proposing an additional instruction to the Governor of Georgia, to revoke the first article of his general instructions and instead of the councillors named therein to appoint the following,] Sir Patrick Houston, James Habersham Noble Jones Francis Harris Jonathan Brian

21 May.
Georgia.