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1760.

19 June. [425.] [Reference to the Attorney and Solicitor General of New Jersey. a Board of Trade representation of 17 June,] relating to the Difficulties the Governor of New Jersey has laboured under and the confusion which has arisen in that Province, from a Claim set up by Robert Hunter Morris Esquire to resume the Office of Chief Justice to which he was formerly appointed in opposition to the Right of Nathaniel Jones Esq., whom His Majesty was pleased to appoint to that Office in June 1759. [The law officers are to report] what Measures are most proper to be taken in order to support His Majesty's Right of Nomination against the extraordinary and unprecedented Claim of Mr. Morris. [p. 410.]

[Reference to the Attorney and Solicitor General of a Board (1761.)18 April. of Trade representation of 17 April, with copies of a letter from Governor Boone and of Morris's memorial to him setting

forth the grounds on which he thinks himself entitled to resume the seat of Chief Justice.] [Geo. III. Vol. I. p. 302.]

[426.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Charles 1 July. Rhode Whitfield, mariner of Newport, R.I., that the Council dismiss Island. with costs for non-prosecution the appeal of Paul Creaugh from a judgment of the Superior Court in Aug., 1758, affirming a judgment of the Inferior Court, 15 Nov., 1757, in an action of Sur Trover brought by the petitioner for damages laid at 5,000l. New England currency.] [p. 417.]

11 July. [On the Committee report of 7 July, the appeal is dismissed with 201. stg. costs.] [pp. 425, 444.]

1 July. [427.][Reference to the Committee, and by them on Massachu-10 July to the Board of Trade, of the] Petition of Reuben. setts Bav. Cognetew a Mohegan Indian of the Tribe commonly known by the name of the South Shore Indians in behalf of himself and the rest of the said Tribe of Indians, relating to their Right to a Tract of Land within the Province of the Massachusets Bay, and complaining that the English Inhabitants of the said Province have of late Years unjustly encroached upon the said Lands and hindered and obstructed