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to cause such effectual Measures to be taken as shall compel the Governments of New Hampshire Connecticut and Rhode Island to redeem their Bills at the same rate at which the Bills of this Government shall be redeemed and that the said Governments may be immediately restrained from making any Addition to the paper Currency as such Addition will tend to render the drawing in and sinking the whole so much the more difficult. [p. 243.]

5 May. Memdm. A Copy of the Petition . . was this Day laid before the House of Commons pursuant to their Address of the 2d. Instant. [p. 246.]

2 May. [107.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Montserrat. William Chambers and William Roynon, Esqrs., on behalf of themselves and the rest of the freeholders and inhabitants of Montserrat, complaining of Governor Mathew for issuing a writ in 1748 for electing four additional members to the Assembly, and praying that the writ and all proceedings thereon be annulled, and that they be otherwise relieved in the premises.] [p. 243.]

19 June. [Committee order a copy of the petition to be sent to Governor Mathew for his answer. The petitioners are to be allowed copies of all necessary papers and records authenticated under the seal of the colony on paying the usual fees. [p. 280.]

[108.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of 2 May. Antigua. Benjamin King, Esq., of Antigua, for leave to bring a writ of error before the Governor and Council and, if necessary, to appeal to his Majesty, from a fine of 100l, imposed on him by the Court of King's Bench and Grand Sessions for Antigua, 12 July, 1748, on the Attorney General's information against him] for having unlawfully and extorsively received several Sums of Money during the time the Petitioner had been Commissary and Judge of the Court of Vice Admiralty of that Island. [p. 244.]

2 May. [109.][Reference to the Committee of the petition and Antigua. appeal of John Dunbar of His Majestys Island of Antigua