

§ 45 *cont.*]

1767.

Coal Mine in the Island of Cape Breton for a Term of Years and under such other Conditions as His Majesty shall please to Order. [pp. 460, 486.]

[The Committee considered the Board of Trade report, and] (1768.)
observing that the Board of Trade have reported three several 31 May.
times against Mr. Levy's applications directed him to be
acquainted therewith and to be advised to apply for a Grant
of Lands in some other Province. [VI. p. 194.]

[Reference to the Committee, and on the same date to the (1768.)
Board of Trade, of Levy's petition for 20,000 acres of land 28 Sept.
in some convenient place in America, the ceded islands
excepted.] [VI. pp. 337-8.]

[46.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of 26 Aug.
Godfrey Laycock, merchant of Halifax in Yorkshire, for a Rhode
day for hearing his appeal from a judgment of the Superior Island.
Court at Newport, Rhode Island, in March, 1767, abating
an action brought by him in the Inferior Court about 10 Feb.,
1766, to recover from James Clarke of Newport and Solomon
Southwick of Dartmouth, Bristol co., Massachusetts,
1,862*l.* 0*s.* 11½*d.* *stg.* due to him by book debt, and condemning
him in costs of suit.] [p. 460.]

[Committee orders for reviving the appeal in the name of (1768.)
Hannah, widow of Godfrey Laycock, for hearing it on 5 Oct., 7 July.
and for affixing summons on the Royal Exchange and in the
New England Coffee House.] [VI. pp. 240-1.]

[On the Committee report of 13 March, the judgment of (1769.)
1767 is reversed and that of 1766 affirmed. The case was 14 April.
heard *ex parte*, no appearance having been entered for the
respondents.] [VI. pp. 493, 539.]

[47.] [Reference to the Committee of a letter of 3 Aug. 7 Oct.
from the Secretary to the Treasury, transmitting to the Clerk Virginia and
of the Council] a Memorial addressed to their Lordships, of Maryland.
John Stewart, Contractor for Transporting Felons [from
Newgate, Bucks and the five counties of the home circuit],
Praying Protection with respect to the Laws passed in