

174 ACTS OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL (COLONIAL).

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23 Nov. [92.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of
Jamaica. George, William, Thomas and John, infant sons and devisees
of William Reid, of Jamaica, by their uncle and guardian,
Thomas Reid, for a day for hearing their appeal from a
Chancery decree of 8 July, 1767, overruling their demurrer
to a bill filed by Thomas Bourke for a perpetual injunction
against them for recovering some land in Norman's Valley,
St. James parish.] [p. 376.]

(1770.) [On the Committee report of 6 April, the decree is reversed
27 April. and the demurrer allowed.] [VII. pp. 330, 358.]

(1776.) [Reference to the Committee of the appeal of G., T., and
25 Oct. J. Reid, (Wm. being dead), from a decree of the Court of
Appeals, 1 and 2 Dec., 1774, in favour of Bourke with reference
to Norman's Valley.] [XIII. p. 168.]

(1777.) [On the Committee report of 27 May, the appeal is dismissed
13 June with 20s. costs.] [XIII. pp. 514-7 : XIV. p. 13.]

23 Nov. [93.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of
Antigua. Thomas Coursey, master and owner of the ship *Peggy*, and
most of her equipment, on behalf of himself and William
Kirkpatrick, planter, of St. Christopher, owner of 14 out of
the 24 guns, for a day for hearing his appeal from the
condemnation of the ship in the Vice Admiralty Court of
Antigua, 21 Dec., 1767, in favour of Thomas Underwood.]
[pp. 376, 403, 440.]

(1770.) [On the Committee report of 6 April, the sentence is reversed,
27 April. and ship, tackle and cargo, or their value, ordered to be
restored.] [VII. pp. 331, 357.]

23 Nov. [94.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Peter
Jamaica. Furnell, Esq., of Jamaica, for a day for hearing his appeal from
a Chancery decree of 1 July, 1767, on a bill filed against him
by John Ashburne, praying a stay of proceedings on a judg-
ment of the Supreme Court in Oct., 1764, in an action of
account by the petitioner against Ashburne's father.] [p. 377.]

(1769.) [On the Committee report of 11 March, the decree is
14 April. reversed, and Ashburne's bill dismissed. The case was heard

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ex parte, no appearance having been entered for the respondent. Other names in the report are Furnell's wife, Sarah Archbould, his partner,—Hutchison, and Henry Archbould.

[*pp.* 404, 481–2, 541.]

[95.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Jacob Isaacks, merchant of Newport, Rhode Island, for a day for hearing his appeal from judgments of 28 May, 1764, and March, 1765, in William Stead's action against him for 1,200*l.*]

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Rhode
Island.

[*p.* 387.]

[On the Committee report of 2 April, the judgments are affirmed.] (1770.)

[VII. *pp.* 297, 356.] 27 April.

[96.] [Reference to the Committee, and by them on 9 March 1769, to the Board of Trade, of the] Memorial of sundry Inhabitants of Great Britain Virginia and Maryland who have formed themselves into a Company by the Name of the Mississippi Company, proposing with the approbation and protection of His Majesty to settle as speedily and effectually as possible, some part of that vast Country, to the Westward of the Alligany Mountains now unquestionably His Majesty's Territory by the late Treaty of Peace, and therefore humbly praying His Majesty to Grant unto the Memorialists to be fifty in Number by the Name of the Mississippi Company 2,500,000 acres of Land in one or more Surveys to be located or laid off between the 38th and 42d Degrees of North Latitude the Alligany Mountains on the Eastward, and thence Westward to the Dividing line the running of which His Majesty has lately been pleased to order, and that the Memorialists shall have Liberty of holding their Lands 12 Years or any greater Number that his Majesty shall approve (after Survey of these be made and returned) clear of all Imposition Money Quit Rents or Taxes; and that the Memorialists shall be obliged to seat the said Lands within twelve Years, with 200 Families at least (if not interrupted by the Savages or some Foreign enemy) and return Surveys

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Mississippi.