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petitioner's tenant 237 acres in Cranstown, Providence co., with a dwelling-house thereon and lying at a place called Seconasset.] [p. 64]

[On the Committee report of 10 June, the appeal is dismissed (1767.)26 June, for non-prosecution.] [pp. 330, 360.]

[Reference to the Committee of the petition of Patrick 15 Oct. [8.] Pennsyl-Crawford, brother and executor of James Crawford, owner vania. of the ship Chance and part of its cargo, and Charles Smith, owner of the rest of the cargo, for leave to appeal to the Council from the condemnation of the ship and cargo in the Vice Admiralty Court at Philadelphia, 8 Oct., 1765, at the instance of James Hawker, commander of H.M.S. Sardoine for illegal trade. An appeal had been allowed to the Commissioners of the Admiralty or High Court of Admiralty, but the appellants are informed that their proctor was mistaken as to the proper jurisdiction.] p. 64

[Reference to the Committee of Hawker's petition that (1772.)the appeal be dismissed with exemplary costs for nor 3 Feb. prosecution.]

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- (1772.)[On the Committee report of 8 April, the appeal is dismissed
- with 201. stg. costs for non-prosecution. 22 April. Robert Ruecastle is named instead of Patrick Crawford as representing Jame [IX. pp. 148, 173] Crawford.]

7 Nov. [9.] [Reference to the Committee of a Treasury report, <sup>8</sup> Cape Breton Board of Trade representation and other papers relating to several proposals for working coalmines in Cape Breto Island.] [p. 76]

Order in accordance with the Committee 3 Dec. report of 29 Nov., agreeing with the Treasury, who represented] that the late Grants of Lands in America Your Majesty had been advised to make an Express reservation of Mines of Cos which, although of less immediate and intrinsic Value that Gold, Silver and Copper, may yet, from other incidents Circumstances, and as a Material leading to Extensive manufactures, be consequentially and finally of as great, inot greater National Moment—That it has been the policy of