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Claimed or Possessed as private Property, lying within the District of Quebec, and that part of New York which lies on Lake Champlain as likewise within the Province of New Hampshire and that part of New York which extends Westward from Connecticut River to Hudsons River, and within the Eastern part of Massachusetts Bay and that part of Nova Scotia which lies to the North of the Bay of Fundy; and further that the said Lords Commissioners of the Treasury Do give directions for Actual Surveys to be made of all such parts thereof as shall produce any Considerable Growth of White Pine Trees; every Tract so Surveyed to be distinguished by Boundary Lines or Marks, and a Map thereof Transmitted to the said Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, accompanied with Reports in writing Explanatory of such Map, describing every Circumstance of Advantage or Disadvantage, with the greatest exactness, and also by what means any Particular Disadvantage or Difficulty either in Conveying the Trees to such Places where they may be Shipped for this Kingdom, or of any other kind may be removed with exact Estimates of the Expence—And the Lords of the Committee do further offer as their opinion to Your Majesty, that when such actual Surveys with the Reports annexed, shall be returned to the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury their Lordships do lay the same before Your Majesty in Council in Order that such further measures may be pursued as may be found necessary for the purposes of preserving White Pine Trees in America, and Securing a perpetual Supply of Masts and other Naval Stores for the use of the Royal Navy. [VI. pp. 434–5, 454.]

[12.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Charles Spooner and John Willes, Esqrs., and the Rev. Charles Willes, for revocation of a grant of Reeds Island, Antigua, made by Governor Thomas, 3 April, 1766, to Valentine Morris Horne, or for such other relief as to his Majesty's wisdom and justice shall seem meet.] [p. 77.]

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Antigua.

[13.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of George Bonner, Esq., brother and heir at law of Henry Bonner,

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deceased, for a day for hearing his appeal from an order of the Governor of Jamaica as Chancellor, 20 Sept., 1765, overruling his demurrer to a bill filed in Chancery by William Greig and Jane his wife, for payment of an annuity of 200*l.* currency left to Jane by Henry Bonner, her late husband, with arrears and interest.] [*pp.* 78, 331.]
- (1768.) [On the Committee report of 7 July, the order is reversed
15 July. and the demurrer allowed. The case was heard *ex parte*, no appearance having been entered for the respondents.] [*VI. pp.* 232, 247.]
- 7 Nov. [14.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of John,
Rhode Thomas and Samuel, sons and executors of John Freebody,
Island. late of Newport, Rhode Island, for a day for hearing their appeal from so much of an order of the Supreme Court in Sept., 1765, as directs that the interest on 28,179*l.* lent on 52 acres mortgaged to Freebody by Joseph Whipple, deceased, should be paid by them to Jahleel Brenton, Benjamin Wickham, and George Gardiner, Whipple's executors,] in good and passable Bills of Publick Credit of the said Colony emitted before the Year 1748 at the rate of Six per Cent. from the 2d of October 1754 to the first Monday in September 1765 together with Costs the same not being Conformable to An Order made by His Majesty in Council on the 3rd of August 1764. [*p.* 79.]
- (1768.) [Reference to the Committee of a similar appeal from an
15 Jan. order of the same date in a case concerning another mortgage on 287 acres of land in Middletown.] [*VI. pp.* 8, 244.]
- (1769.) [Reference to the Committee of two cross-appeals from the
11 Jan. above judgments.] [*pp.* 423-4.]
- (1769.) [On Committee reports of 15 March, the orders for the
14 April. computation of interest are varied. The dispute concerned the date from which interest was to be computed and the rate at which the old depreciated paper currency should be reckoned.] [*pp.* 502-13, 538-9.]
- (1772.) [Reference to the Committee of the Freebodys' petition,
3 Feb. complaining of two decrees of the Superior Court in March, 1771, as repugnant to the Orders in Council of