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terms. Persons who were not parties in the first instance are not to be entitled to an appeal after a year has elapsed. In the case of appeals already entered the periods of three, nine and twelve months are to be computed from the date of this order. In the case of decrees given a year before this order in which no inhibition has been obtained, no appeal may now be prosecuted by any of the parties or entered by any other without the order of the Commissioners of Appeals after notice to the parties appellate.

The order was transmitted to Mr. Bishop with a letter of 16 Dec.] [pp. 465, 468-70, 486.]

18 Aug. [382.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of John Sagadahoe. Calef, Esq., of Massachusetts Bay, on behalf of James Duncan, Benjamin Herrod, John Wire, Edmund Morse, Peter Parker, David Marsh and other grantees of land between Nova Scotia and the river Sagadahoe, setting forth that they and many other settlers east and west of Penobscot river have taken the oath of fidelity and are desirous of being severed from Massachusetts Bay and made a separate province.] [p. 351.]

18 Aug.

Jamaica. [383.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Jasper Hall and Philip Livingston, surviving executors of George Paplay, who was executor of Edward Manning, for a day for hearing their appeal from an order of the Chancellor of Jamaica, 25 July, 1777, on a bill filed by the Attorney General against Paplay for an account of four French prizes taken by H.M. ships of war.]

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20 Sept. [384.] [An Antigua act of 3 July, 1779,—for borrowing 20,000l. stg. by drawing bills on the Treasury for the purchase of provisions to be deposited in public granaries and distributed to all owners of slaves, and for laying certain capitation taxes on slaves to pay off the loan etc.—is confirmed, on the Committee report of 14 Sept., agreeing with a Board of Trade representation of 1 June, referred to them on 21 June, showing that the distressed state of the island justified the measure, that the Treasury had accepted the