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14 Oct.

[On McCulloh's petition, pointing out that, though the instruction suspended by the Order of 13 Oct., 1756,] refers not only to the Condition of the Grants with respect to the Settlement of the said Lands, and the Quit Rents arising therefrom but also to the resuming all such of the said Lands, belonging to the Memorialist or his Associates, as should not be settled in the proportion of One White Person for every two hundred Acres, so that His late Majesty having been graciously pleased to deferr carrying into Execution the said 84th Article of the Governors Instructions relative to the said Lands and Quit Rents, evidently shews that the Priviledges under the said Grant, belonging to the Memorialist, and to the other Grantees were extended from March 1757 until the 25th of March 1760, and that there could not be any regular Charge of Quit Rents made until the said Governor had certified what proportion of the said Lands were forfeited or escheated to the Crown, and what remained to each of the Grantees. Yet the Receiver of the Quit Rents in North Carolina has charged the Memorialist and the other Grantees with the whole of the Quit Rents from the Year 1757 to this time, and by this Means endeavours not only to defeat the Grantees of the Indulgence granted to them by the Crown, but also to make them liable to the Payment of Quit Rents for such Lands as are in pursuance of His Majestys 74th Instruction to the present Governor to be seized and taken possession of for the Use of the Crown.

[McCulloh's prayer is granted that the money be set off against the quitrents due since 25 March, 1760, from which time the payment of quitrents is to commence.]

[To the reference to this entry in the Index is appended a note—" There is a bundle of McCulloh's papers in the month of October, 1762."]

[Geo. III, Vol. II. p. 384.]

[246.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of John Mills Esqr. by Thomas Mills Esqr. his Attorney ; and of Peter Mathew Mills Esqr. an Infant, by Cornelia Mills

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Widow, Peter Soulegre Esqr., The said Thomas Mills and John Mills Merchants his Guardians ; And of the said John Mills Esqr. and the said Peter Matthew Mills the Infant, by his said four Guardians ; And of the said John Mills Esqr., And of the said Cornelia Mills, Peter Soulegre, Thomas Mills, and John Mills Merchant ; And of Richard Goodright their feigned Lessee, [for a day for hearing their appeal from a judgment of the Court of Errors of St. Christopher, 26 Nov., 1753, reversing a judgment of the Court of King's Bench and Common Pleas, 2 July, 1753, on their action of ejectment against George Bryan for recovery of various lands &c. in the parish of St. John Capsterre.] [p. 175.]

(1755.) [On the Committee report of 13 Feb., the judgment of 25 Feb. the Court of Errors is affirmed with 20*l.* *stg.* costs.]

[pp. 259, 332-3, 348.]

6 Aug. [247.] [In accordance with an Admiralty memorial of Jamaica. 10 July, order is given for allowing in the accounts of Captain Thomas Bloss of H.M. hulk *Ludlow Castle*, late at Jamaica, 23*l.* 6*s.* 2*d.* for a quantity of powder which was expended in blowing up rocks at English Harbour for erecting the naval battery there. An account is given of quantities supplied on various dates from Feb. to Sept., 1746.]

[pp. 226-7.]

6 Aug. [248.] [Reference to the Committee of a Board of Trade Montserrat. representation of 24 July with an extract of a letter from Governor George Thomas of the Leeward Islands transmitting a copy of the proceedings against George Frye, President of the Council in Montserrat, whom the Governor had suspended from that Council. The Board of Trade propose that the suspension be confirmed.] [p. 229.]

6 Aug. [249.] [On a Board of Trade representation of 24 July Antigua. there is referred to the Committee, and by them on 13 Feb., 1755, to the Board of Trade, an extract of a letter from Governor Thomas] Setting forth the expediency of augmenting the Regiment Commanded by Colonel Durour, and of Granting