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granted to the Chief Judges and Justices of the Courts of Judicature in the said Colonies. [p. 604.]

[461.] His Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint all the Lords and others of His Majestys most Honourable Privy Council, The Chief Baron of His Majestys Court of Exchequer, the Justices of His Majestys Courts of King's Bench and Common Pleas and the Barons of the Court of Exchequer now and for the time being or any three of them to be Commissioners for receiving Hearing and Determining of Appeals from any Sentences already made or that shall hereafter be made in the Cases of Prizes either in the Courts of Admiralty of Great Britain or Ireland or in the Plantations in America or any other His Majestys Dominions abroad.— [A warrant for passing a commission for this purpose was ordered to be prepared.] [p. 585.]

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Appeals  
relating to  
prizes.

[Letter from W. Sharpe, Clerk of the Council, to Samuel Martin, Secretary to the Treasury, that the Lords of the Treasury may direct their solicitor to pass the new commission through the several offices with despatch as the time for renewing commissions will expire about the end of next month.

31 Dec.

A copy of the commission is given in the Register with a marginal note, “ Mem. on the 13th of June 1765 The original Commission was delivered to Nathaniel Bishop Esq. Deputy Register of the Court of Appeals in order to be deposited in the Registry.”] [pp. 626-9.]

[462.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of Lawrence Hearn, late master of the snow *Industry*, 115 tons, owned by Martin Murphy and Richard Gaul, of Waterford, merchants, for leave to appeal from a sentence of the Vice Admiralty Court at St. Johns, Newfoundland, 28 July, 1760, on an information by James Webb, commander of H.M.S. *Antelope* against the *Industry*, for importing contraband goods into Harbour Grace.] [p. 590.]

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land.

502 ACTS OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL (COLONIAL).

1761.  
 (1762.) [On the Committee report of 16 March, the appeal is  
 5 April. admitted. Security is given on 22 Sept. by James Dormer  
 and James Fanning, merchants, of Copthall Court, London.]  
 [II. pp. 120, 169.]
- (1763.) [On the Committee report of 15 Dec., the appeal is dismissed.  
 21 Dec. Hearn alleged that the *Industry* carried beef, pork and other  
 provisions from Waterford, and was seized at Harbour Grace  
 by William Brown, lieutenant of the *Antelope*, for carrying  
 some boxes of candles, about two hundredweight, which,  
 Hearn alledged, were part of the stores for the use of the  
 master and crew. Webb being dead, the respondents are his  
 executors, Henry Gapper and James Young.]  
 [II. pp. 399, 401, 468 ; III. pp. 176-7, 193.]
- 23 Nov. [463.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of  
 Rhode Joseph Wanton, of Newport, R.I., that the Council dismiss  
 Island. with costs for non-prosecution the appeal of Peter Simons  
 from a sentence of the Superior Court in March, 1758, affirming  
 a judgment of the Inferior Court in Nov., 1757, on his action  
 against Simons to recover 6,542*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* old tenor of Rhode  
 Island.] [p. 590.]
- (1762.) [On the Committee report of 6 April, the appeal is  
 12 April. dismissed with 20*l.* *stg.* costs.] [II. pp. 175, 201.]
- 3 Dec. [464.] [Reference to the Committee of the petition of  
 Antigua. Peter Prudden, late commander of the sloop *Beckey* in behalf  
 of the owners thereof, for a day for hearing his appeal from  
 the condemnation of the sloop with sundry boards and planks  
 in the Vice Admiralty Court of Antigua, 17 Nov., 1759, on a  
 libel exhibited by John Halliday, collector of customs for the  
 port of St. John.] [p. 606.]
- 14 Dec. [465.] [Orders for disallowing 3 North Carolina Acts of  
 North May, 1760, and for reprimanding the Governor, are given in  
 Carolina. accordance with the Committee report of 10 Dec., agreeing  
 with a Board of Trade representation referred to them on  
 3 Dec. :—]An Act for Establishing Superior Courts of Pleas  
 and Grand Sessions and Regulating the Proceedings therein.