

wear the badge, of their freedom; and to prevent any captain, master, or supercargo of any vessel, bringing back slaves transported off this island."—[19th December, 1761.]

C A P. XI.

An act to restrain the inhabitants of the parish of St. Thomas in the East from working any carriages of burthen, but with broad wheels, on certain roads in the said parish.—[19th December, 1761.] EXPIRED.

C A P. XII.

An act to make free a negro slave named Jack, the property of Peter Thomas, of the parish of St. Mary, planter, for his faithful services to the public.

[19th December, 1761.]

WHETHERAS a negro man named Jack, the property of Peter Thomas, of the parish of St. Mary, planter, has been very instrumental in the discovery of rebellious conspiracies, and was extremely active in suppressing the late rebellion in the said parish: In order, therefore, that he may be rewarded for such his fidelity and services to the public, We, your majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the assembly of Jamaica, most humbly beseech your majesty that it may be enacted; Be it therefore enacted by the lieutenant-governor, council, and assembly, of this island, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same, That the said negro named Jack be, immediately from and after the passing of this act, manumitted and set free; and he is hereby manumitted and set free of and from all manner of servitude and slavery whatsoever. Preamble: Negro named Jack manumitted.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the receiver-general, or the receiver-general for the time being, do, upon the first day of May next, pay to the said negro the sum of five pounds; and do also, on the first day of May annually, during his life, pay him the sum of five pounds, as a reward for his fidelity and services. Annuity granted him.

C A P. XIII.

An act for laying a duty on all wines, rum, and other spirituous liquors, retailed within this island, and applying the same to several uses; and for laying a further tax on licenses to be granted for the retailing of wine and other liquors.—[19th December, 1761.] EXPIRED.

C A P. XIV.

An act for raising and fitting out parties for suppressing any rebellion in this island, during the continuance of this act.—[21st November, 1761.] EXPIRED.

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