

Trade in 1734.—Present state of the trade with Spanish America.—Origin and policy of the act for establishing free ports.—Display of the progress of the island in cultivation, by comparative statements of its inhabitants and products at different periods.....	360
APPENDIX to Book II. No. 1.....	311
.....No. 2.....	312

## BOOK III.

## ENGLISH CHARAIBEAN ISLANDS.

## CHAP. I.

Barbadoes.—First arrival of the English at this Island.—Origin, progress, and termination of the Proprietary Government.—Revenue granted to the crown of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum on all Produce exported—how obtained.—Origin of the Act of Navigation.—Situation and Extent of the Island.—Soil and Produce.—Population.—Decline and Causes thereof.—Exports and Imports.....	316
--	-----

## CHAP. II.

Grenada and its Dependencies.—First discovery, name and inhabitants.—French invasion and establishment in 1650.—War with, and extermination of the natives.—The island and its dependencies conveyed to the Count de Cerillac.—Misconduct and punishment of the deputy governor.—The colony reverts to the crown of France.—State of the island in 1700.—And again in 1762, when captured by the English.—Stipulations in favour of the French inhabitants.—First measures of the British government.—Claim of the crown to levy a duty of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on produce exported.—Arguments for and objections against the measure.—Decision of the court of King's Bench on this important question.—Strictures on	
--	--