Memory by his Letters patents under the great Seale of this
province bearing date the 7th day of December one
thousand Six hundred & Eighty Six granted unto Richard Stamp-
-son and his heires & assigns that Island called Popplar Island to
& forward came to the right & inheritance of Thomas
Hawkins of Hominy in the County of Westmorland and
Colony of Virginia who by his last will & Testament in writing
devised one half of the said Island to Seth Foster & his heires
one fourth part thereof to Thomas his son & the remaining
four parts to Elizabeth his daughter the wife of the said Seth
which said Seth afterward viz^t upon the fourteenth day
of November one thousand Six hundred & Eighty nine
obtained a Grant from the said Council under the great
Seale of this province for one fourth parth of the said Island
And the said Thomas his son of the remaining fourth part And
whereas the whole Island afterwards came to the right
of the said Seth & Eliz^a his wife they by an instrument under
their hands & Seals dated the fourth day of March one
thousand Six hundred & Eighty nine conveyed all their right title
& Interest of in and unto the same unto Alexander Vincoyard of
Boomell in the Kingdom of Gilderland who by his last will
& Testament devised the same to Johannes & Alexander his Sons
& to his Daughter who by a certain instrument dated the two
and twentyeth day of November one thousand Six hundred Eighty seven as well
under their hands & Seals as under the hands & Seals of
their Husbands released all their right thereunto unto Alexander Vin-
-coyard which said Alexander by his said indented bearing date the
Seventh day of April One thousand Six hundred Eighty Six
Conveyed one Moiety of the said Island to Coll^o Peter Beyer & his