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24 July. ———. Report of De Grey and Dunning.

9 Aug. ———. Committee report.

1768. SECOND BUNDLE.

6 July. [792.] NOVA SCOTIA. *Impost and Excise duties*. B. of T. V. p. 156. representation; and Committee report of 9 Aug., with an additional instruction to the Governor.

7 July. [793.] JAMAICA AND RHODE ISLAND. *Appeals*. Committee V. pp. reports on *Bonner v. Greig*, and *Hall v. Laing* (Jamaica); 23-4, *Holmes v. Freebody*, and *Bannister v. Brown* (Rhode Island). 51-5.

14 July. [794.] BARBADOS. *Dispute about land*. Letter from Cf. V. Lord Hillsborough to Gov. Spry, enclosing (I.) a memorial p. 325. of J. Keeling, complaining of delay in hearing his actions in Barbados; and asking for a report from the Governor.

24 Sept. ———. Spry to Hillsborough, promising to keep a watchful eye over the proceedings. He has asked the judges for copies of papers and their observations thereon, but has not yet received their answer.

4 Nov. ———. Spry to Hillsborough, expressing confidence in the judges, and transmitting (II.) a copy of the proceedings (29 pp.); and (III.) the answer of S. Bedford, the Chief Judge of Common Pleas (43 pp.), supported by four affidavits of James Polgreen, Deputy Provost Marshal, Wm. Forbes and James Elder, attorneys, and Thomas Chase—all dated 26 Oct. Keeling filed seven actions on 28 May 1762, but failed to prosecute them. On 28 Aug. 1765 he filed eighteen other actions, "which appear to have been proceeded on with as much dispatch as the rules and practice of the Court could admit."

10 Dec. ———. Hillsborough to Spry, enclosing (IV.) Keeling's second memorial, complaining that on 15 July he was required, as an absentee, to give security for costs of suit before the defendants should be obliged to go to trial,