- Letter accompanying the Commission appointing Thompson one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law in the Province of Nova Scotia, 18 June 1879.
- 9. Letter of appointment as Commissioner of the Court House at Halifax, 17 February 1882.
- Letter of Appointment as Attorney General of Nova Scotia, 25 May 1882.
- 11. Letter accompanying Commission as a Judge of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, 9 August 1882.
- Report, correspondence and letter of appointment as Deputy Judge of the Vice-Admiralty Court at Halifax, 13-26 February 1883.
- 13. Letter appointing Thompson to help revise a Judicature Act to take the place of the Supreme Court Practice Act, 31 January 1884.
- 14. Letter from Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George altering several of the statutes of the Order, 8 December 1891.
- 15. Letter notifying Thompson of his appointment as one of the Arbitrators of the Tribunal of Arbitration respecting the seal fisheries in the Bering Sea, 21 June 1892.
- 16. Letter from T.F. Bayard of the Embassy of the United States, "London to the Earl of Rosebery, thanking Her Majesty for the services of Lord Hannan and Sir John S.D. Thompson as Representatives in the International Tribunal of Arbitration held in Paris, 1893, 2 October 1893.
- 17. Letter from Rosebery to Thompson enclosing the note from the U.S. Ambassador, 13 October 1893.
- Invitation to meet the Queen to be sworn as a member of Her Majesty's Privy Council, 8 December 1894.
- Xerox copy of notice of swearing of Sir John Thompson to Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 12 December 1894.
- 20 Letter to Sir Charles Tupper enclosing the above document 15 December 1894.