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51	To Copyright Association (F. R. Daldy, Esq.).	May 1	States that there is no separate Copyright Bill before the Canadian Parliament, but encloses copy of a clause in the Tariff Bill now before the Dominion Government, and of an extract from the speech of the Finance Minister dealing with copyright, and adds that the subject is under the consideration of Her Majesty's Government.	81
52	To the Earl of Aberdeen.	May 1 Telegraphic.	Inquires whether his Ministers have considered the effect of the 2nd section of the Colonial Laws Validity Act of 1865 upon the section of the Revised Tariff which proposes to admit foreign reprints after March 27, 1895.	81
53	To Treasury	May 3	Transmits copy of a telegram to the Governor General relative to the clause of the Tariff Bill admitting foreign reprints after March 27.	81
54	To Board of Trade -	May 3	Transmits copy of correspondence with the Foreign Office on the subject of the proposed admission of foreign reprints into Canada.	81
55	To Foreign Office -	May 3	Observes that the Secretary of State has no power to prevent the Dominion Parliament passing any laws it thinks fit, and that he would not be prepared to disallow the Revenue Act on account of the clause permitting the importation of foreign reprints.	82
56	Copyright Association (F. R. Daldy, Esq.).	May 3	Asks that no reply may be sent to Canada on the subject of copyright before the views of the Association and the Chamber of Commerce have been heard.	82
57	To Board of Trade -	May 4	Requests that the Committee which considered the Canadian Act of 1889 may be again summoned to consider the present position of the question.	82
58	To Foreign Office -	May 4 Extract.	Concurs in the proposal to again refer the question to a Departmental Committee.	83
59	The Society of Authors.	May 7	Asks for information as to the Bill on Canadian Copyright which is understood to be now awaiting Her Majesty's assent.	83
60	To Copyright Association (F. R. Daldy, Esq.).	May 12	States that the communications from the Dominion Government on the subject of copyright in Canada are being referred to the Committee appointed to consider the Canadian Copyright Act of 1889, and that his Lordship will be glad to refer any observations on the subject to that Committee.	83
61	To Foreign Office, Board of Trade, and Treasury.	May 16	Transmits an extract from the Canadian Parliamentary Debates containing an announcement by the Minister of Finance of an extension of the date at which duties on foreign reprints will cease to be collected.	84
62	To the Society of Authors.	May 18	Observes that there is no Bill on Canadian Copyright now before Her Majesty's Government, but encloses copy of the clause in the Tariff Act which proposes to remove the duty on foreign reprints.	84
63	The Society of Authors.	May 19	Expresses thanks for Colonial Office letter of 18th May.	85
64	Copyright Association (F. R. Daldy, Esq.).	May 22	Expresses the willingness of the Association to consider carefully and report on the Canadian papers, and requests copies of the communications from the Dominion Government accordingly.	85