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13	Foreign Office	July 25	States that copies of the correspondence relative to the use of purse seines in fishing for mackerel have been sent to Her Majesty's Minister at Washington for his opinion as to the expediency of making representations to the United States Government at the present moment.	19
14	To Lord Stanley of Preston	143	July 29	Encloses copy of a letter from the Board of Trade respecting the use of purse seines in mackerel fishing, and states that Sir J. Pauncefote has been instructed to report as to the desirability of approaching the United States Government.	19
15	To Foreign Office .. ..	.. ..	Aug. 2	Transmits copy of a letter from Sir W. Whiteway and of a Despatch from the Governor of Newfoundland respecting the fishery rights of American subjects, and enquires Lord Salisbury's opinion as to the proposal for the negotiation of a separate agreement between Newfoundland and the United States, independently of Canada.	19
16	Foreign Office .. ..	.. ..	Aug. 8	States that Lord Salisbury is prepared to consult Her Majesty's Minister at Washington as to the opportuneness of overtures to the United States Government for the negotiation of a separate treaty with Newfoundland, but thinks it should first be ascertained how Canada would view such a step.	20
17	Lord Stanley of Preston ..	138	July 24 (Rec. Aug. 9.)	Transmits a minute of the Privy Council on the subject of pound net fishing on Lake Erie, which his Government desire may be brought to the notice of the United States Government.	20
18	Foreign Office .. ..	.. ..	Aug. 13	Transmits copy of a Despatch from Sir J. Pauncefote, stating that he will take an opportunity of again calling the attention of Mr. Blaine to the question of the use of purse seines, which had already been under discussion.	22
19	To Foreign Office .. ..	.. ..	Aug. 14	Transmits copy of a Despatch from the Governor-General of Canada respecting pound net fishing on Lake Erie, and requests that Her Majesty's Minister at Washington may be instructed to approach the United States Government on the matter at a suitable opportunity.	22
20	To Lord Stanley of Preston	Confidential	Aug. 16	Transmits copy of Sir J. Pauncefote's Despatch inclosed in Foreign Office letter of 13th August respecting the use of purse seines.	23
21	To Foreign Office .. ..	.. ..	Aug. 18	Observes that Lord Knutsford hesitates to consult the Dominion Government upon a matter in which Canada has no right to interfere, and would suggest that Sir J. Pauncefote should be consulted at once as to whether it would be possible or desirable to approach the United States Government at the present time.	23