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## RETURN

To an ADDRESS of THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, dated 17th February, 1875 ; For copies of any correspondence which may have taken place, relating to Addresses of this House presented last Session to the Governor General on the subject of the Act respecting the Copyrights, which Act was reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon.

By Command,

R. W. SCOTT,  
*Secretary of State.*

DEPARTMENT OF SECRETARY OF STATE,  
OTTAWA, 22nd February, 1875.

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*The Earl of Dufferin to the Earl of Carnarvon.*

(No. 132.)

OTTAWA, MAY 16th, 1874.

MY LORD,—I have the honour to transmit herewith for Your Lordship's consideration attested copies of Resolutions adopted by the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, respectfully urging the assent of Her Majesty's Government, to a Bill entitled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Copyrights" passed in the Session of 1872, and reserved by Lord Lisgar for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure, if not assented to within two years the Act will expire on the 14th of next month.

I communicated to Your Lordship to-day by Telegraphic Message the substance of these resolutions.

I also beg to enclose an Extract from the "Globe" newspaper, containing a "Globe" May report of the debate on the introduction of the Resolution into the 14th 1874. House of Commons.

I have &c.,  
(Signed,)

DUFFERIN.

The Right Honorable  
The Earl of Carnarvon,  
&c., &c., &c.

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*Earl of Carnarvon to Earl of Dufferin.*

(Canada.—No. 104.)

DOWNING STREET, 15th June 1874.

MY LORD,—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch No. 132, of the 16th ultimo, transmitting for my consideration attested copies of Resolutions of the Parliament of Canada, urging that Her Majesty's assent should be given to a Bill entitled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Copyrights" passed in the Session of 1872, and reserved by Lord Lisgar.