

**Guildhall Library**  
**Microfilm reels A-2153 to A-2161**

Reel Number	Description
	<p><b>The Gibbs Archives: The Papers of Antony Gibbs and Sons, 1744-1953. Selected for microfilming are volumes relating to Canada. National Archives of Canada Reference: MG28 III 132</b></p>
A-2153	MS 11073: 1853: Deed of Liverpool and Australian Navigation Company
A-2153	MS 11074: 1881-1909: Clerks Book giving particulars of employment
A-2153	MS 11075: 1839-1841: Accounts current of North America, particularly New York, clients.
A-2153	MS 11076: 1844-1900: Various accounts of both partnerships, i.e., Gibbs, Son & Bright and Gibbs, Bright & Co., etc.
A-2153	MS 11077: 1839-1863: Liverpool House (Gibbs, Bright & Co.): Bills of sale of merchant ships, with papers appertaining. ( <i>Almost all Canadian Content</i> )
A-2153	MS 11078: 1840-1841: Liverpool House (Gibbs, Bright & Co.) Mortgages of ships, with papers appertaining. ( <i>All Canadian Content</i> )
A-2153	MS 11079: 1828-1880: Liverpool House (Gibbs, Bright & Co.) Title deeds and papers relating to certain hereditaments in Jamaica
A-2153	<p>MS 11080: 1837-1839, 1859: File containing</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A. Correspondence and papers relating to business between the Liverpool partnership and Crookshank &amp; Walker, of St. John, New Brunswick, merchants, particularly concerning the freighter St. George, 1837-1839.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">B. Correspondence relating to business between the Liverpool partnership and Stephen Wiggins &amp; Son and G. Morrissey &amp; Shives, merchants, both of St. John, New Brunswick, merchants, 1859. (<i>All Canadian Content</i>)</p>
A-2154	<p>MS 11081: 1840-1842: Liverpool House (Gibbs, Bright &amp; Co.). Correspondence between the Liverpool partnership and John Steadman, of Petitcodiac, Co. Westmoreland, New Brunswick, merchants, chiefly relating to freighters and ships' insurance, 1840-1842.</p>
A-2154	MS 11082: 1869: Liverpool House (Gibbs, Bright & Co.). Deeds, mostly unexecuted, between the surviving partners fo the firm Bright brothers & Co., and the executors of Robert Bright, a deceased partner, 1869.

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<b>A-2154</b>	MS 11083: 1881-1903: Liverpool House (Gibbs, Bright & Co.). Memoranda, agreements, correspondence, accounts and other papers relating to the liquidation by Antony Gibbs, Sons & Co., of the old firm of Gibbs, Bright & C., including Bright Brothers of Australia, 1881-1903.

**New England Company fonds  
MG 17 B 3**

<b>Reel Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>A-2155</b>	<b>New England Company</b> <i>MS. 7920</i> <b>National Archives of Canada Reference: MG 17 B 3</b> <i>MS. 7920, Vol. 8: General Court and Committee Minute Books, 1906-1912, pages 1-502.</i> The contents appear at the beginning of the volume, 7 Feb. 1906 to 11 Dec. 1912. <i>MS. 7920, Vol. 9: General Court and Committee Minute Books, 1913-1925.</i> This reels covers pages 1 to 164, from 1913 to 14 June 1916.
<b>A-2156</b>	<b>New England Company</b> <i>MS. 7920, Vol. 9, General Court and Committee Minute Books, July 1916 to May 9<sup>th</sup> 1921, ca. 370 pages.</i> This reel covers July 1916 to 9 May 1921, ca. 370 pages.
<b>A-2157</b>	<b>New England Company</b> <i>MS. 7920, Vol. 9, General Court and Committee Minute Books, 1921-1926.</i> This reel covers 8 June 1921 to 30 Sept. 1925, to page 477, the end. <i>MS. 7920, Vol. 10, General Court and Committee Minute Book, 1926 - 1941.</i> There is an index at the beginning of volume 10.
<b>A-2158</b>	<b>New England Company</b> <i>MS. 8005: Muniments of Title, 1827-1934</i>

A more detailed description of microfilm reels A-2155 to A-2158 is available as finding aid no. 246.

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A-2159	<p><b>Ragged School Union</b>  <b>MS. 5754</b>  <b>National Archives of Canada Reference: MG 24 I 210</b>  Casebook of London Boys given assisted passage to Canada. Each case consists of a handwritten history with background on family breakdown, arrangements made for care, when and where in Canada sent, followup on wellbeing of each boy. Details of employment in Canada are frequently provided. In addition to the textual information, there is also a posed photograph of each boy mounted next to the case history. The case book runs for the period 1855 to ca. 1858. Ages range from approximately 12 years to 23 years. In addition to the posed portrait of each boy, there are also uncaptioned photos of groups of boys.</p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 5754: <b>Ragged School Union</b>  - casebook of London Boys given assisted passage to Canada  There is also an extract from the Union's minute book regarding George Gander or Gandy.</p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 5754: <b>Ragged School Union</b>  - casebook of London Boys given assisted passage to Canada  The following are the names of boys being sent to Canada for which there is a case file:  Robert Mandley, Edward Payne, George Crockett, William Ford, Ebenezer Davis, Elijah Shell, James Henry, William Ashmore, John Ragan, John Ward, Henry Harris, Thomas Clark, John Farrell, Richard Watson, George Morrell, William Hoare, Charles Holloway, Charles Stevenson, Charles Capps, Thomas Healey, Henry Mills, Geroge Day, John Brown, William Smith, William Wesson, James Yarnell, Thomas James, John Edwards, William Cullen, James Hardy, Thomas Harris, William Campbell, John Hesse, James Coleman, Joseph Kirby, Jeremiah Leonard, Harry Johnson, Charles Bugbird, Alfred Capps, Thomas Alexander Williams, Maurice Connor, William Collins, James Tulley, James Anderson, Richard Williams, Frederick Colin Gawford, John Matthew Turner, William Dowling, and William Ward (photo not useful).</p>

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A-2159	<p><b>MS. 6481/1: Robert Goodwin</b>  <b>National Archives of Canada Reference: MG 19 E 12</b>            Business and private letters relating to service with the Hudson's Bay Company, n.d., 1776-1797.            Goodwin worked for the HBC at Red River and was the second factor at Albany. This correspondence includes letters from family and other traders to Goodwin as well as drafts of his letters, reports on trade and miscellaneous accounts. Goodwin discussed family matters; his work with the HBC; the Napoleonic Wars; the trial for theft of William Walters, 1801 on board the <i>Prince of Wales</i>; rivalry with the XY Company and the depressed state of trade.</p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 6481/2: <b>Robert Goodwin</b> - business and private letters relating to service with the Hudson's Bay Company, n.d., 1797-1801</p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 8499: <b>Canada Company</b>  <b>National Archives Reference MG 24 I 46</b>            original minutes with provisions, draft commissions, 1826. Consists of original minutes of the intended arrangements between Earl Bathurst . . . with memoranda containing provisions to be introduced to the Company Charter, and draft commissions to be granted to the Commissioners appointed to value the lands in Upper Canada.  <i>Note: Documents overexposed when microfilmed.</i></p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 8500: <b>Canada Company</b> - original minutes, 1826            Original minutes of arrangements arrived at re grants of credit for public works and method of payment of purchase money to the government for one million acres of land in Upper Canada.</p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 8501: <b>Canada Company</b> - original minutes of definite settlement, 1824, 1826, 1828            Original minutes of definite settlement between Secretary Huskin and representatives of the company, 26 Nov. 1824, 23 May 1826.</p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 8502: <b>Canada Company</b> - bonds, 1828-1832</p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 8504: <b>Canada Company</b> - list of dividends payable to proprietors, 1864</p>
A-2159	<p>MS. 8505: <b>Canada Company</b> - list of shareholders, 26 Dec. 1864</p>

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A-2159	<p>MS. 11713: <b>Morrison, Cryder &amp; Co.</b>  <b>National Archives of Canada Reference: BAN 2003-00238-3</b>  Correspondence regarding the debt of Larocque Bernard &amp; C., Montreal, 1839-1840.  This firm of merchants dealt in Canada. The material consists of letters, 1838-1840 concerning the settlement of debt owed by LaRocque, Bernard &amp; Company of Montreal to Morrison, Cryder, Messrs. Lee, Coates &amp; Company and J. Wiggin &amp; Company. Material provides information on Montreal business.  <i>Note: Only Canadian related material has been microfilmed from MS. 11713.</i></p>
A-2160	<p>MS. 14911: <b>London Diocese:</b>  <b>National Archives of Canada Reference: BAN 2003-00238-3</b>  Presentation volume to Bishop Winnington Ingram from the Diocese of Nova Scotia, 1910.</p>
A-2160	<p>MS. 16519: <b>London Chamber of Commerce:</b> Canadian Section:  Minutes, 1959-1968  <b>National Archives of Canada Reference: MG 28 III 133</b></p>
A-2160	<p>MS. 16520: <b>London Chamber of Commerce:</b>  Minutes of proceedings of Standing Committee on Canadian Trade, 1954.</p>
A-2160	<p>MS. 16693/1: <b>London Chamber of Commerce:</b> Canadian Trade Section  Minutes, 1885-1928. Canadian references include copyright and the Newfoundland cod fisheries. With indexes.</p>
A-2161	<p>MS. 16739: <b>London Chamber of Commerce:</b> Canadian Manufacturers' Association  preparation for CMA visit to London, 1905, ca. 250 pages. Includes correspondence and itineraries.</p>

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A-2161	<p>MS. 18479: <b>British American Land Company - National Archives of Canada Reference: MG 24 I 54.</b>  Deeds and papers, 1834-1843, relating to the settlement through the agency of the Canada Company of Goderich and Stanley, in Huron County in Upper Canada: 43 items. The majority of the material relates to Bayfield. It includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• plan, 1840, of Bayfield, showing the townships of Goderich and Stanley. Surveyed by D. Smith.</li> <li>• printed prospectus, 1834, for the British American Land Company, outlining the terms governing the sale of farms in the Eastern Townships of Lower Canada, chiefly at Shefford, Standstead and Sherbrooke. Detailed information is provided on the physical circumstances of the settlements: climate, soil, roads, bridges, schools, and special facilities for the transportation of immigrants to the area.</li> </ul> <p><i>Note to user: Heavy bleed-through black ink from other side of some pages.</i></p>
A-2161	<p>MS. 19076: <b>Hambro's Bank</b>  <b>National Archives of Canada Reference: MG 28 II 18</b>  Loan papers: Kirby, Oldfield, Gardner of Winnipeg, 1912. Correspondence concerning negotiations for a loan of 1.4 million pounds to J.D. MacArthur to assist in the construction of the Edmonton, Dunvegan &amp; British Columbia Railway: 1 bundle. The loan application was rejected.</p> <p>MS. 19077: <b>Hambro's Bank</b> - Correspondence and papers concerning Hambro's purchase of 600,000 pounds of City of Calgary treasury notes which were later cancelled, 1 file, 1913.</p> <p>MG 19078: <b>Hambro's Bank</b> - Correspondence with the Dominion Bond Company concerning a tender offered to the City of Ottawa by Hambro which was rejected, 1913.</p>
A-2161	<p>MS. 21406: <b>B.C.T. Gray &amp; Sons.</b>  <b>National Archives of Canada Reference: BAN 2003-00238-3</b>  Diary of business trip to Nova Scotia and Newfoundland, 1847. Contains descriptions of the scenery and weather, the itinerary and remarks about fellow travellers.</p> <p>MS. 21408: <b>B.C.T. Gray &amp; Sons.</b> Correspondence from Benjamin Gerrish Gray in Halifax to his brother, A.G. Wentworth Grey, in London concerning the estate of their grandfather, the Rev. Benjamin G. Gray. 1856-1857.</p> <p><i>Note: This correspondence is extremely difficult to read because of cross-writing (horizontal and vertical writing on each page).</i></p>