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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 1	A brief history of the original Archibald settlers, centering mostly on S.G. Archibald, Truro lawyer and a leader in the Colonial Assembly from 1806 - 1836. This history describes the original Archibald settlers in Scotland who migrated first to Ireland, then to New Hampshire and finally to Truro after the expulsion of the Acadians. It explains also a little of the political events of the time dealing especially with the colonial fight for self-rule and responsible government. Mentioned such individuals as John Wentworth and Joseph How	1806 - 1836
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 2	S. Head to Jonathan Blanchard. A bill to be paid to S.G.W. Archibald.	Dec. 30, 1813
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 3	James Grant to S.W.G. Archibald	Dec. 29, 1807 (1817?)
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 4	Remsheg. Welwood Waugh to S.G.W. Archibald. Waugh asks to be sent the note of B. Stevens.	Jan. 2, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 5	Mr. M__ to S.G.W. Archibald. Mr. Laurence has given M information of a defamatory nature concerning a Mr. Blanchard. Apparently, there is a dispute between Laurence and Blanchard over a piece of land.	Jan. 5, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 6	Pictou. John McKay to S.G.W. Archibald. McKay has been building a house and would like Archibald to send the deed for the land on which the house is being built to Mr. Dickson, from whom he intends to buy the land.	Jan. 7, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 7	Lunenburg. Nicholas Oxner to S.G.W. Archibald. Oxner discusses a debt with a Mr. Oxner which apparently fell into arrears but has now been paid.	Jan. 25, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 8	Windsor. Lewis Wilkinson to S.G.W. Archibald. Wilkinson discusses a piece of land belonging to the Rev. D. Iylis which he has been mortgaged for 200 (pounds).	March 2, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 9	Chester. Lot Church to S.G.W. Archibald. Church says that he has lost 194 (pounds) as a result of a decision against him in the local court. He feels the decision was wrong and was due to false evidence. He is planning to go to Halifax as soon as possible to ask Archibald for advice.	March 25, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 10	Windsor. Benjamin DeWolf to S.G.W. Archibald. DeWolf writes about the unpaid balance of mortgage on the late Mr. Hutchison's property in the amount of 2224.10.0 (pounds). He says he will pay 100 (pounds) by next post and will try to pay the rest as soon as possible.	Apr. 11, 1819

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 11	Ramsheg. Alex McNab to S.G.W. Archibald. McNab says that a Henry Oliver has committed an act of trespass and conversion to Edward Langille's land on the French River. He says that Oliver and his brother, Robert, who own adjoining pieces of land have removed 75 tons of timber from Langille's land.	Apr. 1, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 12	Saint John, N.B.. Thomas Hanford to S.G.W. Archibald, concerning the settlement of a judgement against a Mr. J. Woodward. Hanford say that Woodward's brother, Isaac will pay for the settlement.	May 5, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 13	Annapolis Royal. J. Ritchie to S.G.W. Archibald. Will pay him when he next sees him.	May 9, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 14	Two year bond to John Brown	Aug. 14, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 15	Tatamagouche. A. Campbell to S.G.W. Archibald. Mentions a Donald Robertson living at Fox Harbour who owns a "good landed property"	Oct. 8, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 16	Pictou. W. Smith to S.G.W. Archibald the Estate of the late Mr. Edward Mortimer, former partner in Smith's farm.	Nov. 1, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 17	Shuball Dimock to S.G.W. Archibald writing on behalf of a Mr. James Reed who is 80 years old and owes a certain amount of money to various creditors. Dimock says that Reed has made a great effort to raise the money selling all his land and planning to sell his last ox. Dimock ask Archibald to use his influence to appease the creditors until "poor old James" is able to raise the remainder of the money.	Nov. 1, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 18	Antigua. Robert Grant to S.G.W. Archibald. Grant says that the proceeds of the Frances and Lucy amounting to two thousand dollars or thereabouts will be sent through a Mr. Wood to a Mr. Tobias of Halifax. Grant has included a copy of a letter he received from Wood verifying his promise.	Dec. 14, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 19	Antigua. A cheque from John Wood to Robert Grant J \$413.05.	Dec. 14, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 20	Charles R. Fairbanks to S.G.W. Archibald writes on behalf of a Mr. Lawson who claims money is owned to him.	Undated
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 21	Windsor. W. Fraser to S.G.W. Archibald concerning the estate of Robert Chambers.	Dec. 19, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 22	Mount Pleasant. James Grant to S.W.G. Archibald. Grant is the possessor of a valuable property and asks Archibald to help clear up the deeds and titles to his property. Grant also requests Archibald to alter his Will giving a larger proportion of his estate to his children rather than his wife.	Dec. 24, 1819
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 23	William Chipman to S.G.W. Archibald. Chipman says that in his community (Cornwallis) there are many questions and uncertainties about the government policy on the ownership of land and Chipman has sent his son with a list of questions for Archibald to answer. He asks Archibald to help	Nov. 23, 1816

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	clear up the matter by answering the questions and returning them to him.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 24	Yarmouth. Mr. John Moody to S.G.W. Archibald. Moody petitions Archibald to help get his father out of jail.	Jan. 2, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 25	Lunenburg. Rev. Roger Aitken to S.G.W. Archibald. Aitken is asking Archibald to task a petition of the Farmer Society of Lunenburg as well as of the people of Lunenburg for an Act establishing Public Markets before the House of Assembly. He says "we cannot get the necessary articles of life, without sending to distant parts for them; although the county around us is sufficient to supply us, if we had regular markets for the sale of them." He also asks that Archibald present another petition for Acts establishing markets in Halifax and Liverpool before the House. He adds that "It is needless to say, why we have not put these papers into the hands of our own members". He goes on to say that the Bills will be opposed by the merchants and shopkeepers who "would oppose any public measure, whatever benefit might accrue from it to the community, could they put one penny in their pocket by it". Aitken next directs Archibald's attention to the Law relative to District Schools. He generally approves of recent Legislative action in this area but says that it should be modified a little for the people of Lunenburg because "it point of civilization and mental improvement, (Lunenburg) is at least an hundred years behind any other part of the province". Aitken suggests two basic modifications for Lunenburg. First, he thinks it is essential that the clergy should be in charge of the "Superintendence of Schools". Secondly, and of essential importance, he thinks that English should be the only language spoken in the District Schools. He writes: "The present generation is the third which has been in this county since the first settlement of the French and Germans and yet many of them cannot speak a word of English..." There cannot be a greater reproach to the Jurisprudence of the country than the exhibition of a Lunenburg jury, the generality of whom do not understand one word out of ten addressed to them by the Counsel and Judges." He concludes by saying that these measures will not be well received by the local populace but he says, "the people here, though they are extremely headstrong when there is no law to set them right, will submit once, when they see that the law clearly require them."	Jan. 5, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 26	FortLawrence. Thomas Roach to S.G.W. Archibald. Roach says that W. Smith of Pictou, N.S., has promised to give money owed to Roach to Archibald to pay a debt of Roach's with a W. Foreman.	Jan. 7th, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 27	Pictou. Hugh Denoon to S.G.W. Archibald. Denoon writes about a piece of land the title and boundaries of which are in doubt and which Denoon has discovered can be rightfully claimed by two different parties.	Jan. 7, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 28	Marigonish. Robert Lowden to S.G.W. Archibald. Lowden has a not received money for road and pier repairs from the provincial treasurer and is asking Archibald to personally send it.	Jan. 11, 1820

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 29	Sydney, Cape Breton. Chief Justice A.C. Dodd to S.G.W. Archibald. Dodd writes concerning and article in a Halifax Newspaper (The Recorder) of Jan. 2 in which Dodd's abilities apparently were brought into question. He says that the publications "contains most gross...falsehoods constituting a malicious and wicked libel on His Majesty's Supreme Court of this Island" Dodd asks Archibald to look into this matter with legal prosecution being the objective. He also sends money "as an earnest of my Esteem".	Jan. 12, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 30	Cornwallis. Allen Chipman to S.G.W. Archibald. Chipman writes about arrangements and difficulties concerning the purchase of Cris Heloler's farm by George Chipman.	Jan. 11, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 31	Cumberland. Sheriff Chandler to S.G.W. Archibald. General business about to writ against Daniel (Benjaw?) and the balance of money for past service.	Jan. 12, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 32	Annapolis. Sheriff Winniett to S.G.W. Archibald. Winniet writes about the case of Chenelotte v. St. Croix - a case involving a difference of a small amount of money.	Jan. 14, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 33	Pictou. George Smith to S.G.W. Archibald. Smith writes about land boundary problems in his County. He also writes about the settlement of a Mr. Patterson's Estate.	Jan. 14, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 34	Mr. Hall to S.G.W. Archibald. Hall is asking Archibald's assistance in a case which is to come before the courts soon.	Jan. 21, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 35	Douglas. Mr. Isaac Smith to S.G.W. Archibald. Smith writes about his brother Cobb against whom there is a writ to appear in Court on the following Tuesday in Halifax for non-payment of debt. Smith asks Archibald to take care of the matter and promises to send him money "by the first safe conveyance".	Jan. 17, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 36	Antigonish. Daniel Harrington to S.G.W. Archibald. Harrington is the defendant in a case which apparently was decided in his favor. The plaintiff intends to push the matter further hoping to have another trial. Harrington says to Archibald: "I have thought it just to apply to you to retard this as much as possible".	Jan. 19, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 37	Saint John, N.B.. Samuel Higgins to S.G.W. Archibald. Higgins asks Archibald to sell Hugh Wilson's farm if he can get its cost price or more. He also asks Archibald to collect money owed to him on "Cooks Account".	Jan. 19, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 38	Saint John, N.B.. Thomas R. Robertson to S.G.W. Archibald. Robertson writes about the payment of a bill on Dec. 23 and apologizes for sending business letters very late.	Jan. 22, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 39	Saint John, N.B.. Samuel Higgins to S.G.W. Archibald. Higgins writes about a letter he received from	Jan. 24, 1820

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	Mr. Charles William Chandler, Sherriff, asking for the deliverance of a Reed against whom Archibald had made a judgement. Higgins says that Reed's father has promised to pay the debts of his son on April 10 and Higgins has decided to take him as security for his son.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 40	Boston. Jas Partridge to S.G.W. Archibald. Partridge writes about an Elisha DeWolfe who promised to sell some goods. Partridge had received from England and as yet had not given Partridge his share of the profit, even though the goods have been sold. He arrived in Boston, on Dec. 23, after a voyage of 17 days. He has a job in Boston but would prefer to live in Nova Scotia and so is asking Archibald for information concerning employment prospects.	Feb. 4, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 41	Mount Pleasant. James Grant to S.G.W. Archibald. Grant is sick and worried that his friends will abandon him. He writes Archibald for reassurance.	Feb. 8, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 42	Annapolis. Charles D. Hicks to S.G.W. Archibald. Hicks replies to a letter from Archibald, stating that at the moment he is unable to send "the money", but in May he will send it.	Feb. 8, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 43	Sydney, Cape Breton. PHH. Clarke to S.G.W. Archibald. Clarke writes about a piece of land which a Capt. Williams is about to receive in lieu of payment of debt. Clarke inquires of Archibald whether he has heard anything about the rumour that Cape Breton Island will be annexed to Nova Scotia. He goes on to say that there will probably be opposition to the annexation but Clarke says that he, personally, is in a favor of it. He is also quite confident that annexation eventually will be a fact and therefore he recommends W. Crawley, the Surveyor General, "whose local knowledge united with the Strictest integrity recommends him as a very fit person", to be a representative from Cape Breton in the Provincial Legislature. He concludes his letter by saying that many of his own friends have asked him to run for office "but I have entirely relinquished in favor of W. Crawley who is better qualified".	Feb. 9, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 44	Truro. E. Blanchard to S.G.W. Archibald. Blanchard first asks Archibald his opinion "respecting a provincial Loan to this District". He says that such a Loan is popularly believed in the community to be a necessary measure. Blanchard says that he is in the process of gathering a petition to this effect. Secondly, Blanchard asks Archibald's opinion of the "Canadian Horse" which a D. Cock has agreed to keep for a yearly price of 26.0.0 (pounds). The other members of the "horse" is too expensive. Finally Blanchard writes about the fact that a provision in the Licence Law that permitted keepers of taverns to sell other goods has been repealed. He says that in his community local enterprises must combine the two businesses to make a profit and therefore requests Archibald's attention in this matter.	Feb. 15, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 45	Pictou. R. Lowden to S.G.W. Archibald. Lowden speaks about a pier which is in considerable disrepair and he says needs about 80 (pounds) to continue repairs on the pier. He also speaks about the need for a new bridge over the French River at Merigomish which he expects will cost at least 500	Feb. 23, 1820

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	(pounds). He says that he has mentioned these matters to a Mr. Smith (Pictou) the representative from Pictou and he asks for Archibald's support.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 46	George Grassie to S.G.W. Archibald. Grassie thanks Archibald for his efforts in securing for him the position as head of the Building Commission.	March 2, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 47	Cumberland. C.H. Chandler to S.G.W. Archibald. Chandler sends the letter to accompany the delivery of 12.0.0 (pound) in an Execution against a C. Whalen.	March 10, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 48	J.R. Hyde to S.G.W. Archibald. Hyde asks Archibald to intervene in an action against a certain Archeson whom Hyde thinks is an honest man.	March 17, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 49	Pictou. Mrs. Sarah Read to S.G.W. Archibald. Mrs. Read asks Archibald to pay her 2.0.0 (pound) on behalf of a William Corbet.	March 24, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 50	Mount Pleasant. James Grant to S.G.W. Archibald. Grant thinks he is about to die. Therefore he plans to travel to Halifax to organize and settle his debts. He is principally concerned with a debt of 180 (pound) to a Mr. Fawson. He plans to pay this with a 500 (pound) mortgage on his house. he also goes on to discuss problems he is having with the tenants on a farm he owns. Finally he says that the Shubenacadie Bridge is in bad shape and a new one should be built.	March 25, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 51	Antigua. Robert Grant to S.G.W. Archibald. Grant writes about the payment of money to Archibald by a certain Mr. Wood.	March, 27, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 52	Antigua. Robert Grant to S.G.W. Archibald. Letter concerning a debt owed to Archibald by Mr. Wood.	Jan. 7, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 53	Lunenburg. H. Kaulbach to S.G.W. Archibald. Kaulbach the County Sheriff, asks Archibald to send him the Bill of Debt for the case Fisher V. Hardy.	March 30, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 54	Fredericton. Thomas Wetmore to S.G.W. Archibald. The General Assembly in Fredericton has just prorogued. States that the session had extended 53 or 58 [?] days and that many important Bills were passed. Finally he asks Archibald whether there is any hope of the Naval Yard being re-established in Halifax.	March 30, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 55	A Freeholder to S.G.W. Archibald. "On the issue of Mr. Wilkie's trial depends your future popularity, if Mr. Wilkie is not tried by an Impartial Jury, I for One Freeholder and in the name of a great many more do say we will oppose your Election. I never spoke to Mr. Wilkie in my life time but I have to you, I still hold the same respect for you as formerly and tomorrow will decide whether it shall continue or not. A Freeholder"	April 1, 1820

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 56	Merigomish. N.P. Olding to M. McDougal. Olding expects to receive some "bills...drawn up by W. Anderson and justly due to him" from Archibald. The writer, however, claims that he has not received them and wonders whether Archibald has send them.	April 20, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 57	Pictou . Thomas Dickson to S.G.W. Archibald. Dickson asks Archibald to speak to Bishop Burke and ask him to tell his Priests not to encourage a certain Munro to run for Election as they have been doing. Dickson is afraid that Munro, with the encouragement and support of the clergy in the area, might enter the Election. "... you should see Cutler and if possible fix him but I fear it is impossible, for it is the Policy of his Father to get him in with some such fellow as Munro and then ten to one lest they should both join the opposite side of the House at all events old Cutler would again Rule the County of Sydney in all Public Matters."	April 22, 1810
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 58	Cornwallis. William Allen Chipman to S.G.W. Archibald. Chipman says that the people in the area are waiting anxiously for road money so they will be able to work on the roads to pay for Spring seed.	April 26, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 59	John W. Harris to S.G.W. Archibald. Harris says that a Mr. Scott has been notified of his debt to Archibald and will pay it by next post.	June 7, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 60	Sherbrooke. Wentworth Taylor to S.G.W. Archibald. Taylor is sending an address containing the sentiments of the inhabitants of Sherbrooke (presumably on government matters). He writes "... as none of the members (or rather late members) for the County of Sydney are in Town we have taken the liberty of troubling you to present it (to the legislature) for us".	May 4, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 61	Cornwallis. William Chipman to S.G.W. Archibald. Chipman has just lost the election to represent King's County in the House of Assembly. He says that he was "shamefully used" by one of the other candidates, John Wells. According to him John Wells attempted to secure Chipman's support a while before to run for election for the town of Cornwallis. Chipman refused to lend his support to anyone, but Wells vowed to run against Chipman on the County election. Chipman suggests that the practices of Wells during the campaign were less than fair, he says that "Wells and Several his friends went to Parrsborough and then reported many false stories to hurt me and gain votes". The result of this action, according to Chipman, was that both he and Wells failed to win the election and a third candidate, Bishop, was declared winner.	June 24, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 62	Pictou. George Smith to S.G.W. Archibald. Apologizes for not getting some business (which is not elaborated upon) completed. He is also concerned about the expected arrival of Lord Dalhousie.	July 21, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 63	Cornwallis. William Chipman to S.G.W. Archibald. Chipman writes about problems related to the sale of land owned by a Cummings. The land is dyke land and quite valuable.	August 21, 1826

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 64	Hilary. List of cases Marked Hilary, 1821	1821
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 65	G. Chipman to S.G.W. Archibald. A statement of the costs of judgement in the case Peter et al V. Silas Hatch.	First Term 1822
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 66	Charles D. Archibald to Mr. DeWolfe to S.G.W. Archibald. A statement of expenses.	1823
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 67	Cornwallis. Abraham Gesner to rev. James Robson, Pictou. Gesner is begging Robson to revoke a debt he owes to him. He offers to give Robson his farm but would prefer that Robson simply remove the debt. If Robson will accept neither then Gesner will either go to jail or leave the country. Gesner pleads for mercy on behalf of himself and his family who have been reduced to misery.	Nov. 1, 1824
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 68	Cornwallis. Abraham Gesner to Rev. James Robson. Gesner is replying to an answer to his letter to November 1 to Robson. Apparently Robson has agreed to remove Gesner's debt in return for the proceeds from the sale of his farm. Gesner asks him to restrain the sheriff from selling his farm until Gesner can get a good price for it.	Dec. 10, 1824
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 69	Halifax. J.L. Stan to Chief Justice S.G.W. Archibald. Starr is Secretary of the Committee of the Halifax Po Men's Friend Society and on behalf of the committee is extending and invitation to Archibald to address the society at its next monthly meeting.	Jan. 20, 1825
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 70	West River, Pictou.. James Robson to S.G.W. Archibald. Robson has enclosed the two letters from A. Gesner (#67 and 68). He asks Archibald's advice on the matter.	Feb. 10, 1825
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 71	Cornwallis. Ebenezer Condon to John Foreman. Condon asks on behalf of his mother, Mrs. Ruth Condon, for the recovery of one third interest in a property formerly belonging to Benjamin Steadman of Cornwallis and now in the possession of John Foreman. Condon hopes to settle the matter as amicably as possible.	Dec. 3, 1825
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 72	The Will and Probate of Rich Dulhanty of Halifax. Everything is left to his wife, Catherine.	Dec. 19, 1825
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 73	Pictou. A letter of credit for Thomas Dickson in the amount of 17.10.02 (pound)	Jan. 16, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 74	Sydney, Cape Breton. Edward Dodd to S.G.W. Archibald. Dodd speaks about a petition which Crawley was supposed to, but did not, delivered to Archibald.	Feb. 20, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 75	Lunenburg. Charles Mosehely to _____. Mosehely asks the person to whom the letter was sent to obtain information from Archibald regarding a sale of land and the recovery of some money.	March 10, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 76	Halifax. Thomas Kitchen to S.G.W. Archibald. Kitchen seeing that an amicable settlement with regards to foreman, Grassie & Co. cannot be reached, he announces his intention to imitate legal	April 13, 1826

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	proceedings in order to obtain a just settlement.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 77	Glasgow . George Handerson to S.G.W. Archibald. Henderson writes on behalf of the executers of the estates of Messrs. Pagon and is asking Archibald to obtain information on the state of the affairs of the late William Pagan, their brother, who had been living in St. John's	April, 23, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 78	Windsor. Mr. Kidston to Charles D. Archibald. Kidston intends to lease land from a Mr. Foreman for his son, Richard William and asks Archibald to arrange the necessary legal particulars. He also asks Charles D. Archibald to inform him of any land conveyances in his area so that he can buy land for his large family.	May 22, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 79	Windsor. Benjamin DeWolfe to S.G.W. Archibald. A note respecting a certain A. MacPherson who authorized his employers, Peabody & Paley, to send the balance of his wages to Archibald when he has finished the time "which he has engaged to work for us. We do not know what the sum will be but it will be large".	May 17, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 80	Miramichi. Peabody & Paley to S.G.W. Archibald. A note respecting a certain A. MacPherson who authorized his employers, Peabody & Paley, to send the balance of his wages to Archibald when he has finished the time "which he has engaged to work for us. We do not know what the sum will be but it will be large".	May 9, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 81	Sydney. E.M. Dodd to S.G.W. Archibald. He speaks about Archibald's intended visit to Cape Breton.	May 29, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 82	London, England. Robert Atcheson to S.G.W. Archibald. Atcheson has failed to obtain an agency (which is not described) for the province but thanks Archibald for his efforts on his behalf.	June 13, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 83	Pugwash. James Harris (Member of Horton) to S.G.W. Archibald. Harris replies to a letter from Archibald requesting his support in Archibald's bid for the Speaker's chair. Harris says that he cannot pledge himself but he also says, "from your well known ability and the able and satisfactory manner in which you have discharged the duties of that office hitherto I think you are justly entitled to favorable consideration".	June 14, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 84	Pugwash. James Colburn to S.G.W. Archibald. An affidavit of evidence concerning the case, Roach V. Leaman.	June 20, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 85	E. Peers to S.G.W. Archibald, Cumberland. An affidavit of evidence concerning the case, Roach V. Leaman.	June 27, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 86	Halifax. J.F. writing on behalf of the late Freeman Grassie to the Hon. William Campbell, Chief Justice, York, Upper Canada. J.F. is asking Campbell to settle debts (500.0.0 pounds) of the Freeman	July 4, 1826

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MG 1. Vol 89, Item 86 1/2.	St. John, N.B.. W.H. Roach to Charles D. Archibald. Roach writes on behalf of Mrs. Robertson who wants to know if there is any possibility of a speedy settlement of her "business".	July 22, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 87	Truro. Jon. Monster to Charles D. Archibald. Marster seeks money from Archibald for services.	July 22, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 88	Douglas. James Whidden to Charles D. Archibald. Whidden writes concerning the McDougal farm dispute. He says that Duncan McDougal will not give up possession and asks Charles D. Archibald to take the necessary steps to remove him forcibly.	July 26, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 89	Pennant Point. Lawrence Keating to S.G.W. Archibald. Keating is looking for job of lighthouse keeper, Meagers Beach which Archibald has promised to give him.	August, 1826
MG 1. Vol 89, Item 89 1/2.	Barrington. John Homer to S.G.W. Archibald. Homer, the new member for Barrington, says he will probably support Archibald in his bid for the Speaker's chair.	Aug. 1, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 90	A brief from the Nova Scotia Court of Vice - Admiralty. The brief relates the case concerning a certain McKay.	Aug. 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 91	Pictou. James Robson to S.G.W. Archibald. Robson speaks about the ejectment of S. Richard's from a farm in Stewiacke.	Aug. 1, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 92	Windsor. Thomas King to S.G.W. Archibald. King asks for Archibald's support in a case in which he is the plaintiff. He says it is against the wife of a friend of Archibald's.	Aug. 2, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 93	Saint John. Charles Peters to S.G.W. Archibald. Peters writes to Archibald concerning problems in settling the Dajans (?) estates.	Aug. 2, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 94	Pictou. Thomas Dickson to C.D. Archibald. Dickson writes about a petition he has left with a Sir Rupert George for the appointment of Commissioners to investigate the Estate of the late Robert Patterson.	Aug. 4, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 95	Pictou. Thomas Dickson to C.D. Archibald. Dickson asks Archibald to send him a copy of "old Hatton's Will" so he can settle a dispute. Mentions eight week draught has finally ended.	Aug. 9, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 96	J. Allison to S.G.W. Archibald. Allison mentions an evening he spent dining out with Mrs. Archibald. He says that rains have damaged the hay and wheat crops. The North River Bridge has been washed away and a new and more "substantial" one should be built as quickly as possible.	Aug. 11, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 97	Affidavit from the Nova Scotia Court of vice Admiralty concerning the case, The King V. The	Aug. 14, 1826

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	Schooner Surprise and her master Samuel Corning.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 98	London. Andrew Belcher to S.G.W. Archibald. Belcher requests Archibald's support as Provincial Agent. He says he has the unanimous support of His Majesty's Council in N.S. but lacks full support in the House of Assembly.	Aug. 14, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 99	St. John. W.H. Roach to S.G.W. Archibald. Roach promises his support for Archibald "on the day of Election" (presumably for Speaker).	Aug. 19, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 100	Pictou. John McKay to S.G.W. Archibald. John McKay is replying to a previous letter from Archibald in which apparently he suggested that McKay seek "appointment" to an undisclosed position. Mr. Lawson appears to be the person most anxious to have McKay appointed and not Mr. Denoon. McKay writes: "If he (Denoon) is to lose it, him and Mr. Wallace may be laying plans for some other of your enemies". McKay adds that he feels "confidant that Mr. Cunard would do all he could for me if needful".	Aug. 21, 1816
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 101	Pictou. George Smith to C.D. Archibald. Smith is waiting for Archibald's father to settle a land dispute.	Aug 21, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 102	An unaddressed note relating to the case, Kennikel V. Keunikel.	Aug. 21, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 103	Pictou. George Smith to S.G.W. Archibald. Smith writes about the McKay appointment and the settlement of the Robert Hill Estate.	Aug. 24, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 104	D. McFarlane to Stephen Seaman. A short note concerning a petition.	Aug. 27, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 105	Annapolis. Thomas Ritchie to S.G.W. Archibald. Ritchie replies to Archibald's letter concerning the payment of money from the estate of a Mr. Walker to a Gendall and Truner.	Aug. 28, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 106	Saint John, N.B.. Thomas Brown to S.G.W. Archibald. Thomas Brown thanks Archibald for his support in his getting a job in the Customs Office. Brown, however, must decline owing to the ill health of his grandmother who is suffering from cholera.	Sept. 1, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 107	Windsor. Joshua Smith to Charles D. Archibald. Order to pay over to John Steele the debt owing to J. Smith by John Blois.	Sept. 5, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 108	Lunenburg. John Heckman to S.G.W. Archibald. Heckman assures Archibald that he will support him in his bid for the chair of Speaker.	Sept. 7, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 109	Amherst. Joshua Chandler to C.D. Archibald. Sheriff Chandler is sending information and fees relating to the case, Holland V. Roach.	Sept. 1, 1826

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 110	Truro. Thomas Wilson to Charles D. Archibald. Wilson asks Archibald to pay a note owing to J. Steele.	Sept. 14, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 111	A list of Court costs signed by a Mr. Morse.	Sept. 16, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 112	Arichat. Clement Hubert to S.G.W. Archibald. Hubert, in a previous action against a certain Markham for damage to his fishing boat, was awarded 40.0.0 (pounds), of which he has not receive " One farthing". (Markham had damaged his boat because Hubert, who was then Commissioner of Roads, put a road through the property on which he lived). Markham is now dead and Hubert is asking Archibald to award the property to him.	Sept. 18, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 113	Petite. William Thomas to S.G.W. Archibald. Thomas asks Archibald to write concerning the state of business between him and Mr. Barlow of St. John, N.B.	Sept. 25, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 114	Windsor. John Whidden to S.G.W. Archibald. Whidden is planning to come to Halifax to explain his side in a Court dispute about the costs of building and a new dyke in Cornwallis.	Sept. 27, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 115	Dublin. Henry and Elizabeth Harwood presumably to S.G.W. Archibald. The Hardwoods are extremely upset over a mix-up in an exchange of deed between them and Archibald.	Sept. 27, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 116	Fort Lawrence. Thomas Roach to Charles D. Archibald. Roach is writing about the unfairness of a settlement of costs in the case Roach V. Seaman.	Sept. 27, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 117	Halifax. from Customs House Officers in Halifax to S.G.W. Archibald. The Officers are acting under the instruction of the Surveyor General and are wondering about the delay in proceedings against Collins and Allison for recovery of duties on Wines, their cause having been tried settled against them in the Supreme Court.	Oct. 4, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 118	Onslow. James McCurdy and Samuel Archibald to S.G.W. Archibald. McCurdy and S. Archibald say that the Pictou and Tatamagouche roads need improvements.	Oct. 5, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 119	Arichat. John Fuller to C.D. Archibald. Fuller discusses the sale of a lot of land which has been awarded a certain plaintiff in a recent court settlement.	Oct. 13, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 120	Fort Lawrence. Thomas Roach to C.D. Archibald. Roach has decided to accept the settlement of costs even though he still thinks it is most unfair.	Oct. 19, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 121	Halifax. Jones Fawson to S.G.W. Archibald. Fawson is requesting Archibald's support in his bid for the position of Sergeant at Arms.	Oct. 19, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 122	Boston. Mrs. Taylor to S.G.W. Archibald. Taylor speaks of her upcoming journey from Boston to ?	Oct. 26, 1826

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	And her anxieties respecting the delay in the receipt of money from the Robert Lyon Estate.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 123	Pugwash . George Raymond to C.D. Archibald. Letter accompanying a payment of money in the amount of 98.9.0 (pound).	Oct. 27, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 124	Timothy Weatherly to S.G.W. Archibald. Weatherly asks Archibald to send him some wine.	Oct. 12, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 125	Pictou. Peter Grant to S.G.W. Archibald. Grant writes respecting escheat of grant if land to Philip Merchanton, who, according to Grant, has not made "the least shadow of improvement" of the land. Grant has four sons who would very much like to have the grant, themselves.	Oct. 26, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 126	Waterford. Stephen Seaman to S.G.W. Archibald. Seaman writes respecting a petition, the contents of which he does not explain.	Nov. 10, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 127	Halifax. Joseph Austen to S.G.W. Archibald. Austen is treasurer of the Philanthropic Society and as such is requesting Archibald to pay his dues in arrears since August 30, 1823. Also, the note informs Archibald of the next meeting, the topic of which will be the sending of relief or the payment of debts of those suffering in debtor's prison.	Nov. 13, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 128	Fort Lawrence. Thomas Roach to C.D. Archibald. Thomas Roach continues to write about problems and complaints in relation to the settlement of costs in the case Roach V. Seaman.	Nov. 19, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 129	Onslow. John Henderson to C.D. Archibald. A letter dealing with land matters.	Nov. 17, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 130	Boston. Mrs. Taylor to S.G.W. Archibald. Mrs. Taylor is worried about obtaining her share of the settlement of the Estate of Robert Lyon and asks Archibald to send the money as quickly as possible. She has been waiting over a year and has little money left.	Nov. 18, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 131	Pictou. G. Smith to C.D. Archibald. Smith writes concerning the Escheat of his father's lands and is asking Archibald's assistance in defeating this.	Nov. 18, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 132	Pictou. George Smith to C.D. Archibald. Letter in relation to a certain note from M. Crichton.	Nov. 20, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 133	Pictou. George Smith to S.G.W. Archibald. Smith speaks about the length of the Assembly Session and also mentions the importance of getting "our friends" together in some "contents".	Nov. 20, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 134	Annapolis. Thomas Ritchie to S.G.W. Archibald. Ritchie writes respecting the settlement of the Estate of the late L. Walker.	Dec. 11, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 135	Kentville. John Whidden to S.G.W. Archibald. Whidden is requesting advice on the procedure of bringing a matter, involving the Commissioners of Servers and the establishment of rates, before the	Dec. 11, 1826

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	Court of Chancery.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 136	Pictou. Peter Grant to S.G.W. Archibald. Peter Grant asks again "if there is any likelihood that the Escheat of Merchanton's lands can be effected and what fees will be needful to send for that purpose".	Dec. 20, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 137	Fort Lawrence. Thomas Roach to S.G.W. Archibald. Roach writes concerning the case, Roach V. Niles.	Dec. 22, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 138	Arichat. D. Sheriff John Fuller to Charles D. Archibald. Fuller writes about the difficulties of selling a lot of land belonging to a McMillan. It is being sold in the settlement of a debt. Apparently Fuller has decided to purchase it himself.	Dec. 23, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 139	Halifax. Peter Grant to C.D. Archibald. Grant disclaims any knowledge of W. Sutherland's transactions with a R. Kidston and cannot understand why he should testify about something of which he has no knowledge.	Dec. 15, 1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 140	Horton. James N. Crane to "Judge Archibald" Crane is worried about a debt which he claims he has paid.	Dec. 17, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 141	Amherst. James Morse to C.D. Archibald. Morse writes about a Mr. Chipman who failed to reply to a summons.	Dec. 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 142	Halifax. David Williams to S.G.W. Archibald. Williams is extremely worries about the failure of a certain J.G. Boggs to come to a settlement of terms on some business of an undisclosed nature.	Dec. 26, 1826
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 143	Halifax . Robert Noble to C.D. Archibald. Noble, attorney of Alex Smith, writes respecting his mortgage on Keatings' lands.	Jan. 6, 1827
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 145	London, England. Order of the Commissioners of Customs accompanied by a letter from W. Hill (one of the Secretaries to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury). The Order deals with the lifting of a ban of trade with Ships of the United States, the announcement of Prussia as "Most Favoured Nations" and the lifting of a ban on ships of France.	July 16, 1827
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 146	From S.G.W. Archibald to Charles DeWolfe. An expense account of normal household expenditures including items such as buttons, socks, sating silk and shoes.	August 5, 1827
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 147	Pictou. S.G. Archibald to his uncle S.G.W. Archibald. Archibald (nephew) asks his uncle for a recommendation for a job as an "agent" in Sydney with Mr. Richard Smith. Mr. Dickson has already mentioned his name and he feels that "a few lines from you (Archibald) would be sufficient to insure	August 7, 1827

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 148	A brief note which is not addressed concerning a mortgage from a Mr. Allan to a Mr. McDougall.	August 23, 1827
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 149	Stewiacke. William Logan to S.G.W. Archibald. Logan writes about the settlement of the debts of his father's Estate. He says there has been a long delay as a result of "occurrences unforeseen" particularly a delay in the settlement between J. Fulton and the Estate. Logan suspects that the amount Fulton claims is owed to him grossly exaggerated and Logan thinks that he will have to go to court to reach a final settlement.	September 26, 1827
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 150	Mortlake near London. John Turner to J.R. Archibald Turner who has recently arrived in Nova Scotia from England. He asks for information about the condition and whereabouts of John Lawson who has promised to remunerate Turner for past services rendered in his will. Turner suspects that Lawson has already died. Turner also mention a Mr. Foreman's son Thomas whom he met in England and who had since departed to live in New South Wales.	October 27, 1828
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 151	Annapolis. Phebe Walker to S.G.W. Archibald. Mrs. Walker begs to be released from the execution against her husband's estate. She says that in order to pay the "just demands" of her husbands creditors she has had to give up that part of the Estate to which he is legally entitled. (i.e. her Dower interest).	February 16, 1829
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 152	Windsor. Thomas King to S.G.W. Archibald. King is concerned about the Private sale of Mr. W. Liddell's Store to William Hale by a Mr. Lawson in settlement of Liddell's Estate. King says when there is a mortgage and the normal practice is a public Auction. King suspects foul play.	March 26, 1829
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 153	Judge Ritchie to S.G.W. Archibald. Ritchie appears to be making an offer to purchase some lands which from a part of a Mr. Walker's Estate.	Undated
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 154	Philadelphia. Jacob Chamberlain to S.G.W. Archibald. Chamberlain requests that Archibald, his attorney in Halifax, furnish him with information concerning the law as it relates to a business arrangement which he intends to establish in Nova Scotia.	December 26, 1829
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 155	John (--) to S.G.W. Archibald. The entire letter is a sermon based on the theme that trust in God will overcome ill health. Apparently Mrs. Archibald is ill.	February 5, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 156	Windsor. Lewis Wilkins to S.G.W. Archibald. A letter of political and philosophical advice.	March 26, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 157	Halifax. Excise officer, Binney, to S.G.W. Archibald. An announcement of an increase of duties imposed on Wines pursuant to an "Act for the further increase of the Revenue by Imposing a duty upon Articles Imported from Foreign Countries".	April 14, 1830

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 158	Richard J. Uniacke to S.G.W. Archibald. Uniacke, the Attorney General, interprets the above mentioned Act (10 Geo. 4th C.3) as not including Wines imported to Nova Scotia from great Britain or any British Colony. He goes on to say that the second part of the Act dealing with importation of live stock refers only to Houses and Cattle and no other types of livestock.	April 15, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 159	Pictou. George Smith to S.G.W. Archibald. Smith urges Archibald to call an election when Sir Peregrine (Maitland) the new Governor, arrives. He feels that the Arrival of a new Governor might strengthen the Privy Council which he says is of "rotten fabric". He goes on to say that in order to gain support for the Assembly. Funds are scarce but must be used with an eye to our own interest. "They would never allow their Candidate to pass Truro..." if "we" were better organized.	May 7, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 160	Saint Mary's. W. McKeer to S.G.W. Archibald. McKeer comments on Mrs. Archibald's poor health and expresses the hope that she resumes her normal state of health soon. He also says that he is building a new house which cannot be completed until he obtains money to buy certain materials. He says that he had been depending upon the normal Spring roadwork to provide him with the 5 or 6 (pound) required to finish his house. (Apparently, however, the Government has not repaired the roads this Spring due to a shortage of funds). Therefore McKeer is asking Archibald to loan him the money so that he will not have to wait a year before he can finish the house. mcKeer promises to pay Archibald with money from the following roadwork.	May 10, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 161	Saint Mary's. W. McKeen to S.G.W. Archibald. McKeen expresses his deepest sympathies concerning the death of Mrs. Archibald. He also expresses his sadness on hearing of the "delicate state of health" of Archibald's brother Edward. McKeen thanks Archibald for sending copies of the Government debates. He writes: "I would like to see the debates of the House in full as it seems to be a subject of much concern at present among the public at large. Mr. Young and Mr. Dickson gained much of the good will of the people in this County for supporting you in your undertaking in the Important question now in debate. There has been a paper of the Free Press circulated.. (he then says who, in the area, has read it)... it contains the Councils Report to the House of Assembly on the Bill sent up to them which is now in dispute and several letters all in favour of the Council - we wish you to be successful in the cause you have undertaken". Finally he thanks Archibald for his promise to send him the money so that he will be able to finish his house this year.	May 24, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 162	London. British Law Firm (Brown, Dan__, Wilkes) to Charles D. Archibald. Letter concerning the will and estate of Charles' brother in England.	June 3, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 163	C. Yorke to ? Yorke discusses a voyage involving a Miss Archibald. (A voyage by steamship).	June 17, 1830 (?)
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 164	Halifax. To Sir Peregrine Maitland (Lieut. Genl) from S.G.W. Archibald (copy). Archibald asks Sir Peregrine to send a copy of the Journal of the Assembly to which Archibald has added a few	June 12, 1830

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	<p>explanatory observations to R.W. Hay (Under Secretary of State for the Colonies). The Journal is dated April 20, 1830. He also asks that Sir Peregrine solicit the attention of the Right Honorable Sir George Murray with respect to the "subject of controversy between the House of Assembly and His Majesty's Council". Archibald goes on to say: "I deeply regret that after so many years of Public labour in which I have endeavoured to promote the quites and prosperity of this province that It has now become necessary for me to vindicate the conduct of the House of Assembly of which I have been so long a member but I trust on their behalf that a speedy and impartial determination may serve in some degree to restore that tranquility which as so long prevailed in this province and to allay many of the evils under which the County is now most severely suffering".</p>	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 165	<p>A note concerning the case of Susannah Fader (or Westhauer) V. Charles Henry Fader involving the settlement of the devts of the Estate of the defendant, Charles Henry Fader and the dispersion of the remainder under his will.</p>	July 21, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 166	<p>Digby. John Mortan to S.G.W. Archibald. Morton says that the people of his part of the province support the House of Assembly. "I find the people are satisfied with the line of conduct pursued by the House with the exception of Eight. Two of whom are Judges and two Lawyers... The country are very spirited in this measure...Howe has reflected a great deal of credit not only upon himself but the province at large, that restless being of a Barry* is stirring up more strife but the father he enters upon this business the more discredit he will reflect on himself. * John Alexander Barry - "hero of the Brandy election of 1830" see M.L.A's page 24.</p>	May 11, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 167	<p>Halifax. John Steele to S.G.W. Archibald. This is a very interesting letter. Steele says that he has examined papers left with him by a George Soap who is presumed dead since he has not returned from a trip in the woods several months before. Included in the papers are documents which show that "the Evil report in circulation continued respecting the Conduct of your son and yourself (Archibald) in Soap's affair is without foundation having been raised by your political enemies to answer their political purposes in the approaching Election". Steele goes on to say: "You are not to understand from this communication that I will either vote or support your interests. I merely make it as a duty I owe to myself, to society, and truth, which I always feel it my duty to support and to discountenance falsehood without regard to friend or foe, loss or gain, favor or affection from anyone."</p>	August 28, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 169	<p>Pictou. William Mortimer to S.G.W. Archibald. Mortimer writes in reply to a letter from Archibald, "I assure you I feel for you in the present state of affairs and allow me to say that my regard for you as a connection and friend would lead me to exert what little influence I may have in this District in your favor at the coming election...yet as my views of the policy forbid me to give way to them I</p>	August 27, 1830

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	must...decline taking such a part as your purpose to me".	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 170	Sydney Mines. Richard Smith to S.G.W. Archibald. Richard Smith reports that Archibald's popularity in the "Eastern District" is at an all-time high. "With regard to yourself I consider your return so safe that it will be conferring no favor whatever to enlist with your ranks". Some discussion of the possible use of the steam boat "Richard Smith" by Archibald.	September 21, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 171	Copy of a bill to amend the Act entitled, "An Act for Encouraging the Establishment of Schools Throughout the Province". Calls for the establishment of parish examining Boards to test the competence of teachers and for the purpose of hiring and firing teachers; for an increase in pay for teachers in Nova Scotia by means of a Provincial and Municipal (parish) sharing scheme; requires that students be fluent in English before any other language is taught in the schools. (This was probably written by Rev. Roger Aitken. See #25).	1820
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 172	Windsor. Hugh Jenkins to W.P. Holland. Letter including a Bill from Holland to Jenkins in the amount of 6.7.3. (pounds) and a reply from Jenkins saying that he cannot pay until March 11, 1831	October 31, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 173	Halifax. S.G.W. Archibald to G.P. Nichols, and John W. Tupp. A note containing legal advice concerning a wall built by William Flinn on Citadel Hill which has fallen down.	December 24, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 174	Halifax . G.P. Nichols and J.W. Tupp to S.G.W. Archibald. A note requesting legal advice on the matter of the Wall on Citadel Hill Built by W. Flinn	December 20, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 175	Windsor. Thomas King. He is tired of living in Windsor which is a "wicked place" and he wants to return to Halifax. He cannot return until he sells his house which is quite large and expensive (1500 pounds). He thinks the house would make a suitable country retreat for the Governor and therefore King asks Archibald to propose to the House that the Province purchase or rent it for that purpose.	December 13, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 176	Saint Johns. Charles D. Archibald to Edward M. Archibald. Charles complains that he receives very little news from the family and found out about his father's trip to England by reading the newspaper. Charles writes about his friends, Arthur Brocking and W. Robinson who are travelling to Halifax. Charles asks Edward to help make their trip pleasant by providing accommodation and by introducing them to the people of Halifax. Charles describes the Newfoundland seal industry. "This Island, in my opinion, is of more real value than all the North American provinces together". He says that the revenue from the seal hunt amounts to one half million pounds Sterling a month.	March 30, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 177	Thomas Howard's Case Briefs.	January 12, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 178	Londonderry. The last will and testament of Robert McEthenney of Londonderry. Names of children	March 23, 1831

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	and allied families are given.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 179	John Geddes to Edward Archibald. Geddes is seeking legal information about an undisclosed matter.	April 13, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 180	John Geddes to S.G.W. Archibald. Geddes writes respecting his mother's Dower.	no date
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 181	John Geddes to Edward Archibald. Geddes writes again on the subject of his mother, (Elizabeth) dower.	April 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 182	Blank	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 183	Receipt from Charles Walton for twenty pounds - the cost of passage on the ship, New Prospect.	June 17, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 184	Jonathan Archibald to Mr. Archibald. Asks for a loan in the amount of 5 (pound).	July 30, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 185	Halifax. Michael Reardon. Duplicate of a receipt of 62 (pound) from A.L. Jones.	September 6, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 186	Halifax. C.R. Fairbanks to S.G.W. Archibald. Fairbanks gives opinion regarding the importation law as it affects Yarmouth which is not a freeport.	September 9, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 187	Musquodoboit. John Geddes to S.G.W. Archibald. Geddes writes seeking to finalize arrangements concerning payment of his mother's Dower interest in her husband's lands so that legal title may pass to Geddes himself.	September 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 188	Cornwallis. Petition from William C. Moore to Lieutenant General Maitland. The petitioner, Moore, says that the Government Appraiser of Properties, Samuel Elder, is almost always in an advanced state of intoxication. A road is being built through Moore's property. The Commissioner of Roads, realizing Elder's incapacity to carry out his duties, has asked the contractor to assess Moore's property and other properties for damage which will probably be incurred by the property owners as a result of road construction. There being a conflict of "interest", Moore thinks the contractors have appraised his property and others "too small". Therefore Moore is petitioning the Governor for more money.	September 5, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 189	Halifax. S.G.W. Archibald to William C. Moore. Copy of a letter from Archibald to Moore wherein he says that the proper procedure to follow in obtaining redress in the matter of the above petition is to bring an action in court.	September 12, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 190	A memorandum of questions concerning trade and importation duties between Yarmouth and the United States.	

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 191	Yarmouth. ____ to S.G.W. Archibald. The letter is from the Secretary of a Mercantile Society of Yarmouth. The letter accompanies #190 and concerns the affect of an Act recently passed by the British Parliament which imposes trade restrictions and importation duties on non-British trade goods. "While I am upon this topic, I would further inquire if we have any chance of obtaining what has so long and so unjustly been withheld from us, The Free Port".	September 30, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 192	A reply from S.G.W. Archibald in which he describes the affect of the recently passed regulations concerning trade in the British Empire.	September 10, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 193	Halifax. Sir Rupert George, to S.G.W. Archibald. George Asks about the legality of granting water lost in front of lands owned by private individuals.	November 10, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 194	Halifax. Reply from S.G.W. Archibald to Sir Rupert George. Archibald answers that the Lieutenant-Governor can grant water lot, even without the consent of the private owner of the adjoining land.	November 14, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 195	Halifax. Sir Rupert A. George to S.G.W. Archibald. Asks whether a balance of 70 (pound) remaining in the Treasury, to which the School Commissioners were entitled under the School Act of 1826, must still be paid now that the new School Act of 1828 has taken effect. Archibald replies in the negative.	December 5, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 196	W. Anderson to S.G.W. Archibald. Asks Archibald to visit him that night or the next day with respect to a delay in a settlement.	no date
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 197	Halifax. S.G.W. Archibald to Sir Rupert George. Archibald gives a legal opinion concerning the effect the Act of the Imperial Parl. (6 Geo. 4th Ch. 114) on imposition of duties on distilled spirits.	December 26, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 198	J. DeWolfe to S.G.W. Archibald. An expense account in the amount of 163/9/3 (pound).	December 21, 1831
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 199	W. Archibald's Docket of Cases for Easter term 1832.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 200	W.Hill to S.G.W. Archibald. Comment on a legal opinion.	no date
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 201	J. Marchington to S.G.W. Archibald. Marchington writes with regards to a suit he is planning to file.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 202	Halifax. Sir Rupert George to S.G.W. Archibald. Requests that the Assembly act upon a resolution made in January 1831 that a committee be appointed to investigate the withdrawal of dutiable articles in the month of April 1830 from the warehouse of the city. A copy of the resolution is enclosed.	January 7, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 203	Halifax. Capt. Maitland to Archibald. Debts owed to Mr. Price.	January 18, 1832

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 204	Halifax. Broke to S.G.W. Archibald. Asks about the legality of firing on a ship which fails to comply with orders to alter her course and proceed to the quarantine ground.	July 24, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 205	Extracts of a letter from Richard Smith dated Sydney Mines, Feb. 5, 1832. Smith petitions the Governor to urge the passing of a Bill which will enable the Crown to reserve all mineral rights found in land grants.	
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 206	Windsor. Lewis M. Wilkins to S.G.W. Archibald. He is of the opinion that the President of the Courts of session of the Western division of N.S., Thomas Ritchie, intends to appoint a certain "young Ritchie" to the position of Judge formerly held by Judge Stewart. Archibald apparently has applied for the position. Mr. Wilkins then stated that the Chief Justice is "using all his influence in favor of Chipman". However, Mr. Wilkins cites a few lines from a letter written to him from the Chief Justice in which he says that he is supporting Archibald.	February 20, 1830
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 207	Halifax. Sir Rupert George to S.G.W. Archibald. Sends extracts from Richard Smith's letter of Feb. 5, (#205) to Archibald with comments on the procedure of expropriation of lands for the purpose of reserving mineral rights.	Feb. 27, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 208	Halifax. Copy of the letter to Sir Rupert George from S.G.W. Archibald upon the subject of R. Smith's application to the Governor of behalf the Mining Association.	March 2, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 209	Halifax. Letter from the Military Secretary's Office accompanying a letter from Sir Archibald Campbell forwarding a report from the Attorney General of New Brunswick concerning Mr. Prices' Affairs.	March 28, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 210	S.G.W. Archibald gives legal opinion concerning the divesting of the land of John Brown of Bradford, who died intestate.	April 10, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 211	Halifax. Copy of a letter from S.G.W. Archibald to Captain Maitland, Military Secretary in which Archibald states that in order to clarify the affairs of Mr. Price Archibald travelled to New Brunswick to procure certain necessary documents.	May 19, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 212	Halifax. S.G.W. Archibald to Captain P. Maitland. Copy of legal opinion of Attorney General Archibald as to further proceedings against the estate of Price.	May 21st, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 213	S.G.W. Archibald to Captain Maitland. Copy of a letter concerning the estate of Price.	May 21, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 214	Halifax. From Commissioners of Streets to the Lieutenant Governor. A request that the Crown officers may be directed to proceed against George Jones for obstructing a public sewer at the corner of Sackville and Water Streets.	May 12, 1832

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MG 1. Volume 89, Item 215	Halifax. S.G.W. Archibald to Captain Maitland, Military Secretary concerning the affairs of the Estate of Price.	May 19, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 216	Halifax. A notification of the date of hearing of the action between James McDonald and Michael Byren.	March 9, 1832
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 217	a memo from ___ to S.G.W. Archibald	no date
MG 1. Volume 89, Item 218	A bill from Archibald to the Governor in the amount of 10/0/0 (pounds)	May 19, 1832

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