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1755-1903; (added material 1910-1929).

202.5 cm textual records, 61 bound volumes, 2 microfilm reels

Biographical Sketch/Administrative History

Mills, David: David Mills was born 18 March 1831 in Orford Township, Upper Canada, to Nathaniel Mills and Mary Guggerty. David received his early education at the local school in Palmyra Corners. He became a teacher and from April 1856 to April 1865 he served as a school superintendent in Kent. He married Mary Jane Brown on 17 December 1860 in Chatham, Upper Canada, and had three sons and four daughters. During this time spent as superintendent he also farmed on his inherited part of the family farm at Palmyra. By 1864 he seems to have become active politically in the Reform party in Kent.

In 1865 he enrolled at the University of Michigan Law School from which he graduated in March of 1867. Mills attained his degree but made no formal application to the law society until 1878, and he was not called to bar until 1883. He first practiced law in the firm of Ephraim Jones Parke in London, Ontario and later practiced with one of his sons. In 1885 he was on the faculty of the newly opened London Law School as professor of international law and the rise of representative government. Five years later he became a Queen's Council lawyer.

After graduating from the University of Michigan in 1867, Mills returned to Canada and secured the Reform nomination for the federal constituency of Bothwell, which covered parts of Kent and Lambton counties. He would hold the seat until 1882 and again from 1884 to 1896. He introduced a motion to do away with the practice of dual representation at the federal level on 20 November 1867 and had it completely abolished in 1873. In 1872 he suggested that senators be properly elected or chosen directly by the provincial legislatures, and remained an advocate for the Senate to be rendered a better guardian of provincial interests. Mills told parliament in June 1869 that if ever it was "a question whether Federal or Local Legislatures should be destroyed," his view was that "the country would suffer far less by the destruction of the Federal power."

In 1872 he asked Oliver Mowat, the Liberal premier of Ontario from 1872 to 1896, to prepare a written defense of the province's placement of its disputed western and northern boundaries. The report was published in early 1873 and made Mills a key player in the boundary dispute. Mills was asked in January 1876 to chair the select committee established to investigate the economic depression and was appointed minister of the interior in October.

The defeat of the Mackenzie government in the election of 1878 put an end to Mills' ministerial duties and administrative ambitions. He retained Bothwell, however, making him one of the senior Ontario Liberals in the caucus. He was one of the leaders of the movement in 1880 to oust Mackenzie from the leadership position. Mills became one of Edward Blake's chief lieutenants when he became leader and coordinated the Liberal filibuster in 1885. He considered his speech of 1 April 1885 to be one of the finest speeches of his parliamentary career.

As editor-in-chief of the London Advertiser from 1882 to 1887, Mills built a case against the Macdonald government's administration of national affairs in a series of unsigned, but distinctive, editorials. He seems to have been particularly active as a journalist in 1883, when he was defeated in the election of 20 June 1882 and was forced to sit out a session of parliament while his case was considered by the courts. He won in February 1884 and returned to the commons. In 1886 he followed Blake in condemning the execution of Louis Riel and in 1889 he delivered a strong speech opposing disallowance, arguing that parliament had no business interfering with legislation that was clearly within provincial jurisdiction. In the 1890 debate over the use of French in legislature, Mills delivered an eloquent speech in defense of linguistic rights.

Mills lost Bothwell in the general election of 23 June 1896. Although summoned to the Senate in November 1896, he was not invited to join the cabinet. He consequently devoted more time to his law practice in London, continued his work at the University of Toronto, where he had been appointed in 1888 to teach constitutional and international law, and wrote and lectured on a wide variety of religious and political subjects. Laurier asked Mills to fill the vacancy left by Sir Oliver Mowat in 1897 and on 18 November he was sworn in as minister of justice and became government leader in the Senate.

In 1902 Mills arranged his own appointment as a puisne judge of the Supreme Court of Canada, a move that was widely criticized. On 8 May 1903, Mills died suddenly of an internal haemorrhage, leaving behind his wife and six of his children.

Scope and Content

This fonds contains case files, reports, doctrines, treaties, charters, bills, papers, certificates, journals, lectures, addresses and speeches, personal papers, correspondence and scrapbooks from the personal and professional life of David Mills: teacher, office holder, farmer, lawyer, politician, journalist, author and judge.

Custodial History

Records acquired from Mills family members, most likely Walter Mills (son), prior to 1940.

Restrictions

Access to records is generally unrestricted, but access to some is restricted for preservation reasons, and/or because the records have been reformatted.

Series Descriptions

AFC 272-S1 Student Notes and Documents.

1864-1873.

13 bound volumes, [0.5 cm] textual records

Scope and Content

This series contains lecture notebooks and general notebooks from Mills' time as a student, as well as a certificate from Victoria College and his Bachelor of Law diploma from the University of Michigan.

Restrictions

Open. Records are available for consultation without restriction.

AFC 272-S1-F1 Lecture Notebooks. -- 1864. -- Box Number AFC 272-1

Scope and Content

Notes on lectures; University of Michigan.

AFC 272-S1-F2 Lecture Notebooks. -- 1866. -- Box Number AFC 272-1

Scope and Content

Notes on lectures; University of Michigan.

AFC 272-S1-F3 Lecture Notebooks. -- 1866. -- Box Number AFC 272-1

Scope and Content

Notes on lectures; University of Michigan.

AFC 272-S1-F4 Lecture Notebooks. -- 1867. -- Box Number AFC 272-1

Scope and Content

Notes on lectures; University of Michigan.

AFC 272-S1-F5 Lecture Notebooks. -- 1865. -- Box Number AFC 272-1

Scope and Content

Notes on lectures; Ann Arbor University of Michigan; 2 volumes.

AFC 272-S1-F6 Lecture Notebooks. -- 1864-1867. -- Box Number AFC 272-1

Scope and Content

General notes on lectures; 2 volumes.

AFC 272-S1-F8 Lecture Notebooks. -- 1864-1865. -- Box Number AFC 272-2

Scope and Content

Questions on lectures; 3 volumes.

AFC 272-S1-F9 Lecture Notebooks. -- 1864-1867. -- Box Number AFC 272-2

Scope and Content

Notes on political questions.

AFC 272-S1-F10 Lecture Notebooks. -- [1864-1867]. -- Box Number AFC 272-2

Scope and Content

Notes on Supreme Court of Canada.

AFC 272-S1-F11 Certificate & Diploma. -- 1867-1873. -- Box Number AFC 272-2

Scope and Content

Certificate from Victoria College, May 27, 1873 and Bachelor of Laws diploma, University of Michigan, March 27, 1867.

AFC 272-S2 Legal Documents and Reports.

[1755-1918].

90 cm textual records

Scope and Content

This series contains case files, reports, doctrines, treaties, charters, bills, papers, and notes from Mills' time as a lawyer and judge.

Restrictions

Open. Records are available for consultation without restriction.

AFC 272-S2-F1 Aliens. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Legal documents discussing aliens.

AFC 272-S2-F2 Aliens. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Aliens - constitutional law (ref. Canning 1824-04-02).

AFC 272-S2-F3 Expulsion of Aliens. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Expulsion of aliens.

AFC 272-S2-F4 Restraints on Alienation. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Restraints on alienation.

AFC 272-S2-F5 Miscellaneous. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous and incomplete items.

AFC 272-S2-F6 Appeal Cases. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Appeal granting pardon to criminal.

AFC 272-S2-F7 Appeal Cases. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Three appeal cases: Power v. Griffin, Petition of Isabella Maxwell, Joseph Gosselin.

AFC 272-S2-F8 Insanity Plea. -- 1898. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Insanity plea in the case of James Hadfield; memo regarding insanity plea, 1898-01-12; memo regarding insanity of accused, being reason for ending criminal proceedings.

AFC 272-S2-F9 Illegal Convictions. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Illegal convictions: Queen v. Frost, Williams & Jones, includes other cases.

AFC 272-S2-F10 Supreme Court Cases. -- 1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Imperial Bank of Canada v. The Bank of Hamilton, 1902-11-13; Attorney General of Ontario v. Attorney General for Quebec, 1902-11-12; Attorney General for Dominion of Canada v. Seybold and others, 1902-11-12.

AFC 272-S2-F11 Early Royal Charters. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Description of early Royal Charters (England).

AFC 272-S2-F12 Early Royal and United States Charters. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Description of early Royal Charters and U.S. Charters.

AFC 272-S2-F13 Early Royal Charters. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Description of early Royal Charters, incomplete (pp. 1-3 missing).

AFC 272-S2-F14 British Claims in Central America. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

British claims in Central America.

AFC 272-S2-F15 Clayton-Bulwer Treaty. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

The Clayton-Bulwer Treaty Chaps.

AFC 272-S2-F16 Paper on Clayton Bulwer Treaty. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Paper on the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty.

AFC 272-S2-F17 Paper on Clayton-Bulwer Treaty. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

General paper on the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty.

AFC 272-S2-F18 Great Britain/U.S.A. Relations. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Great Britain/U.S.A. relations: controversies between the United Kingdom and the United States relating to North America.

AFC 272-S2-F19 Great Britain/U.S.A. Relations. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

England and the United States in Central America.

AFC 272-S2-F20 Great Britain/U.S.A. Relations. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-3

Scope and Content

Great Britain/United States relations regarding Great Britain/Venezuela relations.

AFC 272-S2-F21 The Monroe Doctrine. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Monroe doctrine on international law.

AFC 272-S2-F22 The Monroe Doctrine. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

The new Monroe doctrine of Messrs. Cleveland and Olney.

AFC 272-S2-F23 The Monroe Doctrine. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Monroe doctrine; incomplete papers.

AFC 272-S2-F24 Panama Canal Papers. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Panama Canal papers (incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F25 Treaties Between Great Britain/Spain. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Copper mines of Honduras; logwood cutters of Belize; treaties between Great Britain and Spain.

AFC 272-S2-F26 Central and South America Papers. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

General paper on Central and South America (draft incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F27 Barnardiston v. Soame. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

British case Barnardiston v. Soame on the boundary between common law and the customs of Parliament. The proceedings in the court of King's Bench Exchequer, and the House of Lords, in the case of Sir Samuel Barnardiston v. Sir William Soame, Sheriff of Suffolk, concerning the Election of the Members to Parliament, 1674, Charles II.

AFC 272-S2-F28 Common Law and Custom of Parliament. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

The separating line between what is usually known as the common law of England and the Custom of Parliament. Ashby v. White.

AFC 272-S2-F29 Court System. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Courts of England; background to system of courts.

AFC 272-S2-F30 Insurance Cases. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Several insurance cases about insurance companies.

AFC 272-S2-F31 Fire Insurance Case. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Fire insurance case; points of law in Castelain v. Preston, 11 Q.B.D. 380.

AFC 272-S2-F32 Insurance-Mortgage. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Insurance-mortgage, including insurance (incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F33 Constitution. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

United States Constitution (several documents).

AFC 272-S2-F34 Constitution re: Patent. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Constitutional issue regarding patent for flax-cutting machine.

AFC 272-S2-F35 Constitution. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Constitutional issues (incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F36 Constitution. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Constitutional issues (incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F37 Capital Punishment. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Capital punishment; doubts surrounding conviction in cases of murder.

AFC 272-S2-F38 Capital Punishment. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Capital punishment; granting of pardons.

AFC 272-S2-F39 Jessie Maclaachlan Case. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Capital punishment; case of Jessie Maclaachlan (Hansard v. 170 n.d.).

AFC 272-S2-F40 Charles Wiltshire Case. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Remission of capital sentences; case of Charles Wiltshire (Hansard v. 195 n.d.).

AFC 272-S2-F41 Remission of Sentences. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Remission of sentences; role of home office (Hansard v. 190).

AFC 272-S2-F42 George Hall Case. -- 1864-04-12. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Regard for popular feeling; case of convict George Hall (Hansard v. 174, 1864-04-12).

AFC 272-S2-F43 Capital Punishment Abolition Bill. -- 1869-07-28. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Capital punishment abolition bill (Hansard v. 198, 1869-07-28).

AFC 272-S2-F44 Judicial Sentences Question. -- 1870-04-07. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Capital punishment; judicial sentences - question (Hansard v. 200, 1870-04-07).

AFC 272-S2-F45 Memo by the Minister. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Memo by the Minister; commissioner of inquiry into criminal prosecutions.

AFC 272-S2-F46 Employment of Prisoners. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Employment of prisoners (incomplete); manufacture of twine in Kingston, Pen (draft copy, missing p. 10).

AFC 272-S2-F47 Criminal Sentences. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Constitutional issue regarding criminal sentences (incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F48 Criminal Law Cases. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Criminal law cases (incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F49 Election Fraud. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Constitutional issue regarding election fraud.

AFC 272-S2-F50 Election Fraud. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Constitutional issue regarding election fraud (incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F51 Elections in Kent, Lambton and Bothwell. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Constitutional issues regarding election in electoral districts of Kent, Lambton and Bothwell.

AFC 272-S2-F52 Functions of Returning Officer. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Functions of returning officer.

AFC 272-S2-F53 Newspaper Reports. -- 1900-1901. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Newspaper reports: typed transcripts regarding the decline of Mills' nomination for Bothwell due to his position in the Senate London Advertiser, 1900-08-30); Moral Sentiment in Politics (London Advertiser, 1900-08-30); report concerning Sir Richard Cartwright/Mr. Cameron/Mr. Cook (Toronto Mail & Empire Report, 1901-04-25).

AFC 272-S2-F54 Election Papers. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-4

Scope and Content

Election papers (incomplete).

AFC 272-S2-F55 Fishery Policies. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-5

Scope and Content

Cases, reports, and correspondence in relation to Atlantic fishing and fisheries, specifically those in and around Fortune Bay, Newfoundland, the fishing rights of U.S.A. within areas of British jurisdiction, and Canadian fisherman.

AFC 272-S2-F56 Reciprocity Treaties. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-5

Scope and Content

Reciprocity treaties between various countries.

AFC 272-S2-F57 French-Liberian Agreement. -- 1892-12-08. -- Box Number AFC 272-5

Scope and Content

Reports discussing the French/Liberian agreement.

AFC 272-S2-F58 Queen's Council Appointments. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-5

Scope and Content

Papers regarding Queen's council appointments: "Argument: Appointment of Queen's Council"; includes corrected Queen's council case, references to public documents, and other items.

AFC 272-S2-F59 Military Items - General Darling. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-5

Scope and Content

Military items; court martial; case of General Darling.

AFC 272-S2-F60 Military Items - Martial Law in Australia. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-5

Scope and Content

Military items; martial law in Australia.

AFC 272-S2-F61 Supreme Court Reference Case. -- 1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-29

Scope and Content

Reference case from Supreme of Canada on representation of provinces in the House of Commons, 1903-04-(21-22).

AFC 272-S2-F63 Railway Acts. -- 1888-1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Includes official railway Acts and handwritten notes by David Mills.

AFC 272-S2-F64 Weekly Notes. -- 1902-08-30. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Excerpt from the Weekly Notes.

AFC 272-S2-F65 Legal Papers. -- [189?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Legal papers including indenture, memo to the Minister, county court list of names of judgeship, excerpts from John Adams diary, judicial council of privy council.

AFC 272-S2-F66 Notes. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous and incomplete notes.

AFC 272-S2-F67 Notes. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Variety of notes including legal notes.

AFC 272-S2-F68 Notes. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous and incomplete notes.

AFC 272-S2-F69 Notes. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous and incomplete notes.

AFC 272-S2-F70 Notes. -- 1883-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous and incomplete notes.

AFC 272-S2-F71 Civil Service. -- 1898. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Memo as to civil service in Britain.

AFC 272-S2-F72 Crown Revenues. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

The revenues of the Crown and the Right of Taxation.

AFC 272-S2-F73 Debates. -- 1892-05-31. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Whitehaven rioters - Hansard Debates, v. 211.

AFC 272-S2-F74 Dissolution of Parliament. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Dissolution of Parliament.

AFC 272-S2-F75 Judicial. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Report regarding the Constitution of the Judicial Committee.

AFC 272-S2-F76 M.P.'s. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

The House of Commons judges the qualifications of its own members.

AFC 272-S2-F77 M.P.P.'s. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

The removal of an M.P.P. from the government of a province, under B.N.A. Act.

AFC 272-S2-F78 Naval. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Reports regarding the following: retirement of older officers; peninsular officers; case of Captain Wood; purchase of commissions; loss of the ship "Conquere"; Navy promotion and retirement; Naval Courts of Inquiry; case of Col. Crawley; publication of the Irish reports; Lord Northbrook on the Army Regulation Bill.

AFC 272-S2-F79 Naval. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Case of Dr. Williams regarding Admiralty Board half pay list.

AFC 272-S2-F80 Privy Council. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-6

Scope and Content

Reports regarding: a) Privy Council and the courts of law; b) Memo regarding Privy Council; c) Memo as to Privy Council Changes; d) Conference regarding reorganization of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council - list of delegates.

AFC 272-S2-F81 Privy Council. -- [1898]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

To the Honourable the Privy Council - memo regarding dismissal of civil servants. Includes letter to Mills from writer of memo.

AFC 272-S2-F82 Privy Council. -- 1896-1901. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Extracts from Privy Council reports.

AFC 272-S2-F83 Railway Acts. -- 1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Report regarding railway debts - Bill No. 159: An Act respecting the jurisdiction of the exchequer court as to railway debts.

AFC 272-S2-F84 Remedial Bill. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Changes to a Bill regarding separate school board of education.

AFC 272-S2-F85 Revenue. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Estimates: a) Public works - railway subsidies; bridges. b) Memo by minister regarding G.T. Railway Bill.

AFC 272-S2-F86 Revenue. -- 1898. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Reports from Customs and Excise, post office, and other sources, plus expenditures.

AFC 272-S2-F87 Sovereign Power. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

a) Two reports on sovereign power; b) Oath of the King.

AFC 272-S2-F88 Sovereign Power. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous and incomplete writings on sovereign power.

AFC 272-S2-F89 Supply Bills. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Reports regarding granting of supplies to Crown by House of Commons and definition of the grant.

AFC 272-S2-F90 Treasury. -- 1811. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Case for the opinion of His Majesty's attorney and Solicitor General, January 1, 1811, regarding authority of exchequer.

AFC 272-S2-F91 Miscellaneous. -- 1898-1918. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous printed items regarding Senate hearings, bills, House of Commons debates.

AFC 272-S2-F92 Memo by the Minister. -- [1895]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Memo by the Minister of Justice on a proposal for a measure of prohibition.

AFC 272-S2-F93 Prohibition Press Reports. -- 1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Press reports: typed transcripts, including reports and letters to the editor. Times Law Report, August 6, 1895 (Mr. Blake's argument for the distillers and brewers). Also Toronto Globe, 1895.

AFC 272-S2-F94 Prohibition Press Reports. -- 1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Prohibition press reports: typed transcripts, including reports and letters to the editor: London Advertiser, 1895, also the Chronicle and Canadian Dairyman, October 3, 1895.

AFC 272-S2-F95 Prohibition Press Reports. -- 1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Incomplete prohibition press reports.

AFC 272-S2-F96 Prohibition. -- 1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Reports: a) The Bar Abolished; b) Self Mastery; c) The Temperence Question.

AFC 272-S2-F97 Alaskan Boundary Dispute. -- 1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

The Canadian view of the Alaskan Boundary Dispute, by Hon. David Mills. Interview with Chicago Tribune, August 14, 1899.

AFC 272-S2-F98 Territorial Limits. -- 1755. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Memorial by Ministry of London, June 7, 1755, regarding territorial limits of a) Acadia or Nova Scotia; b) Canada; c) Course and territory of Ohio; d) Islands of St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Dominica and Tobago.

AFC 272-S2-F99 Limits of Canada. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Concerning the limits of Canada, including discussion of Indian Rights; course and territory of Ohio.

AFC 272-S2-F100 Territorial Waters of a State. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Report on territorial waters of a state. From Handbook of International Law, by Captain E.F. Glenn.

AFC 272-S2-F101 Canada/U.S. Boundary Lines. -- 1818. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Report regarding Canada/U.S. border lines - 49th degree N latitude; Columbia River boundary. Extracts from a letter from Mssrs. Galltin and Rush to the Sec. of State.

AFC 272-S2-F102 Territorial Waters. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Incomplete reports.

AFC 272-S2-F103 Transit of Troops. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

2 reports regarding transit of troops through neutral territory.

AFC 272-S2-F104 Miscellaneous. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Incomplete cases and reports on territorial rights.

AFC 272-S2-F105 Canada/U.S. Territorial Waters. -- 1872. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Reports regarding territorial waters of the U.S. and Canada; use of canals by both countries.

AFC 272-S2-F106 Water Rights. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-16

Scope and Content

Paper on the rights and remedies as to the use and misuse of water.

AFC 272-S2-F107 Indian Affairs: Education. -- 1887. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Includes report on Indian schools. Sent to Sir John A. MacDonald, Supt. Gen. of Indian Affairs, from Vankoughnet, L., Deputy Supt. Gen. of Indian Affairs, August 6, 1887.

AFC 272-S2-F108 Indian Affairs: Education. -- 1879. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Includes report on industrial schools for Indians and Half-Breeds. To the minister of the Interior, from McColl, E., Inspector of Indian Agency, March 14, 1879.

AFC 272-S2-F109 Indian Affairs: Expenditure. -- 1873. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Includes additional report respecting the three overdrawn accounts of the Dept. of Indian Affairs: The Indian Land Management Fund, Indian School Fund, and the Quebec Indian Relief Fund; September 21, 1873.

AFC 272-S2-F110 Indian Affairs: Expenditure. -- 1879-1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Includes report on expenditure on Indian schools from 1879-1895.

AFC 272-S2-F111 Indian Affairs: Expenditure. -- 1879-1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Includes statement on total Indian expenditure from 1879-1895.

AFC 272-S2-F112 Indian Affairs: Indian Acts. -- 1887-1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

A series of printed sheets regarding Acts to amend or further amend "The Indian Act."

AFC 272-S2-F113 Indian Affairs: Indian Acts. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Pamphlet: An Act Respecting Indians and Indians Advancement Act.

AFC 272-S2-F114 Indian Affairs: Land Claims. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Testimonies regarding Indian claims to Point Pelee Island.

AFC 272-S2-F115 Indian Affairs: Indian Affairs. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Extracts from "Colonial Records," regarding early settlements and claims.

AFC 272-S2-F116 Decorations and Honours. -- 1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Two papers regarding Royal prerogative on conferring of honours: a) Ottawa, Feb. 9, 1902; b) General paper.

AFC 272-S2-F117 Decorations and Honours. -- [1902]. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Paper regarding foreign decorations.

AFC 272-S2-F118 Provincial Constitution - Manitoba Schools Case. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number

AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Parliamentary address regarding the Manitoba Schools Case.

AFC 272-S2-F119 Provincial Constitution - Manitoba Schools Case. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number

AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

The Law of the Constitution in the Manitoba Schools Case, and the legal position of separate and dissentient schools under the B.N.A. Act.

AFC 272-S2-F120 Provincial Constitution - Manitoba Schools Case. -- 1897. -- Box Number

AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Manitoba schools question.

AFC 272-S2-F121 Provincial Constitution - Manitoba Schools Case. -- 1897. -- Box Number

AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

4 notebooks regarding the Manitoba schools case.

AFC 272-S3 Political Addresses and Speeches.

[1880-1901]; 1910.

[30 cm] textual records

Scope and Content

This series contains addresses and speeches given by Mills during his time as a politician.

AFC 272-S3-F1 Jesuits' Estates Act of Quebec. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Parliamentary speech in defense of the majority against Mr. O'Brien's motion for disallowance of Jesuits' Estates Act of Quebec.

AFC 272-S3-F2 Mr. Girourd's Bill on Marriage. -- 1880-02-27. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Parliamentary speech on Mr. Girourd's Bill on marriage with a deceased wife's sister by David Mills.

AFC 272-S3-F3 Preferential Trade. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Parliamentary speech on preferential trade and commercial treaties.

AFC 272-S3-F4 To the Governor General. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Parliamentary address in House of Commons to the Governor General of Canada, Lord Aberdeen.

AFC 272-S3-F5 Commercial Treaties. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Parliamentary address on the negotiation of commercial treaties.

AFC 272-S3-F6 Redistribution. -- 1892. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Redistribution by David Mills in the House of Commons.

AFC 272-S3-F7 Bothwell, Ontario. -- 1891. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Speech at a political meeting in Bothwell, Ontario.

AFC 272-S3-F8 Bothwell, Ontario. -- 1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Speech at Bothwell, Ontario.

AFC 272-S3-F9 Bothwell, Ontario. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Political speech given at Bothwell, Ontario, twenty-six years after being elected as a member for Bothwell.

AFC 272-S3-F10 Collingwood, Ontario. -- 1891. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Political speech at Collingwood, Ontario.

AFC 272-S3-F11 Dresden, Ontario. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Political speech at Dresden, Ontario.

AFC 272-S3-F12 Highgate, Ontario. -- 1901. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Political speech at Highgate, Ontario.

AFC 272-S3-F13 London, Ontario. -- 1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Political speech at London, Ontario.

AFC 272-S3-F14 Ridgetown, Ontario. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Political speech at Ridgetown, Ontario.

AFC 272-S3-F15 St. Thomas, Ontario. -- 1894. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Political speech in front of Sir Oliver Mowat, Premier of Ontario, held at St. Thomas, Ontario.

AFC 272-S3-F16 Victoria, British Columbia. -- 1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Political address in Victoria, British Columbia.

AFC 272-S3-F17 Bar Banquet. -- 1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Speech made at Bar Banquet, Victoria, British Columbia and reported in Vancouver Daily Times.

AFC 272-S3-F18 Canadian-American Relationship. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Speech on the Canadian government and relationship with United States and empire.

AFC 272-S3-F19 Canadian-American Relationship. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Speech to a club (unknown) on relationship with the United States.

AFC 272-S3-F20 Fiscal Policy and Trade. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Speech on fiscal policy and trade with the United States.

AFC 272-S3-F21 Irish Home Rule. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-11

Scope and Content

Speech on Irish Home Rule.

AFC 272-S3-F22 Political Systems. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-12

Scope and Content

Speech on political systems in Canada.

AFC 272-S3-F23 General Topics. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-12

Scope and Content

General speech on public affairs, government expenditures, immigration, mining, voter's lists, reciprocity with the United States.

AFC 272-S3-F24 Queen Victoria. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-12

Scope and Content

Speech on the reign of Queen Victoria.

AFC 272-S3-F25 Senate. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-12

Scope and Content

Speech on the utility and function of the Senate.

AFC 272-S3-F26 Miscellaneous. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-12

Scope and Content

Speeches that are incomplete, missing pages, on the public affairs of the Dominion.

AFC 272-S3-F27 Walter Mills. -- 1910. -- Box Number AFC 272-12

Scope and Content

Speeches made by Walter Mills of Ridgetown.

AFC 272-S4 Lectures.

1822; 1875-1879; 1883-1902.

60 cm textual records, 3 bound volumes

Scope and Content

This series contains lectures given by Mills on various topics.

Restrictions

Open. Records are available for consultation without restriction.

AFC 272-S4-SS1 Constitutional Law.

1822; [1883-1902].

25 cm textual records, 3 bound volumes

Scope and Content

This sub-series contains lectures given by Mills on constitutional law and related topics.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F1 Acquisition of Tunis by France. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The acquisition of Tunis by France.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F2 Acquisition of New France. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The acquisition of New France; Lecture 12.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F3 Behring Sea Controversy. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The Behring Sea controversy; Lecture 1.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F4 Behring Sea Controversy. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The Behring Sea controversy; Lecture 2.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F5 Behring Sea Controversy. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The Behring Sea controversy; Lecture 3.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F6 Behring Sea Controversy. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The Behring Sea controversy; Lecture 4.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F7 Behring Sea Controversy. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The Behring Sea controversy; Lectures 1 and 3 (drafts).

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F8 Behring Sea Controversy. -- 1894. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The Behring Sea controversy, 1894. 4 lectures by Mills.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F9 Behring Straits and United States/Russian Claims. -- 1822. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

Letters between Chevalier de Poletica and Secretary of State regarding Behring Straits and United States/Russian claims: 1922-02-28, 1922-03-21, 1922-03-30.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F10 Canada and her Relation to the Empire. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

Canada and her relation to the Empire and some views of the effects of the Confederation, by Walter Mills.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F11 Constitution Under the French. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

Constitution of Canada under the French; Lecture 13.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F12 Dental Jurispendence. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

Dental jurispendence: 3 lectures discussion of cases of malpractice.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F13 English Constitutional Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

English constitutional law; account of the various offices of state.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F14 Constitutional Law in Spain. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

Constitutional law in Spain.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F15 English v. United States Government. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

The English and the United States systems of government, compared by David Mills.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F16 Early Colonization. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

Historical sketch of early colonization; Lecture 2: regarding granting of charters to Hudson's Bay Company; Eastern Canadian provinces.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F17 International Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-7

Scope and Content

International law: our Atlantic fisheries.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F18 The British Empire. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

The permanent unity and integrity of the British Empire.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F19 Early Histories. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Handwritten papers discussing the early history of: a) Maine, Connecticut and Rhode Island, b) Maryland, c) Wales.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F20 Constitutional Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Constitutional law: taxation and the power of the House of Commons.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F21 Mills - International and Private Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-13

Scope and Content

Mills (1 volume): Lecture 1 - Introductory: Scope of the Subject. Lecture 2 - General

Maxims. Lecture 3 - National Domicile. Lecture 4 - Capacity of Persons. Lecture 5 - Marriage. Lecture 6 - Incidents to Marriage. Lecture 7 - Foreign Divorces. Lecture 8 - Foreign Contracts. Lecture 9 - Foreign Contracts continued. Lecture 10 - Personal Property. Lecture 11 - Real Property. Lecture 12 - Succession and Distribution. Lecture 13 - Foreign Guardianship and Administration. Lecture 14 - Jurisdiction and Remedies. Lecture 15 - Foreign Judgements. Lecture 16 - Penal Laws and Offences..

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F22 Mills - International Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-13

Scope and Content

Mills (1 Volume): Lectures 1-9 (untitled).

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F23 Mills - International Law. -- 1833-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-14

Scope and Content

Mills (1 Volume): Lecture 10 - Untitled. Lecture 11 - Our Atlantic Fisheries. Lecture 12 - Territorial Properties. Lecture 13 - Rights of Legislation. Lecture 14 - Negotiation and Treaties. Lecture 15 - War. Lecture 16 - Rights of war as to Belligerents. Lecture 17 - Rights of war as to Belligerents continued. Lecture 18 - Laws of War as to Belligerents and Neutrals. Lecture 19 - Laws of War as to Belligerents and Neutrals continued. Lecture 20 - Rights of War as between Belligerents and Neutrals..

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F24 English Constitutional Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-14

Scope and Content

English Constitutional Law; Lectures 1-9.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F25 English Constitutional Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-15

Scope and Content

English Constitutional Law: (notes at front: Booty of War) Untitled; Lecture 10. Untitled; Lecture 11. Perogatives of the Crown in Relation to the Business of Parliament; Lecture 12. Concerning Certain Perogatives of the Crown; Lecture 13. Constitution and Functions of Parliament; Lecture 14. Untitled; Lecture 15. Untitled; Lecture 16. Untitled; Lecture 17. Untitled; Lecture 18..

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F27 Constitutional Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-15

Scope and Content

Constitutional Law: Colonial Constitutional Law; Lectures 1-5. Canadian Constitutional Law; Lectures 1-5..

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F28 Fishing Rights. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-15

Scope and Content

The Fishing Rights of France in Newfoundland.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F29 Medical Jurispendence. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-14

Scope and Content

Medical Jurispendence; Lectures 1-8.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F30 Treaties. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-17

Scope and Content

Constitutional, regarding treaties: Abrogation of Treaties in United States. Mills, D. (1 Volume). Index as follows: U.S. and Treaties; Influence of the Treaty of Peace on the Provisions of the Constitution; Treaty-making; Commercial Treaty with Great Britain; Judicial Decisions; Ware, ad. of Jones v. Hylton; Texas v. White et al.; Hauenstein v.

Lynham; Berbier v. Connolly, Soon Hing v. Crowley; Turner v. American Baptist Union.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F31 Party Pledges. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Lecture on party pledges, regarding the Conservative Party - includes discussion of the franchise, taxes, fundraising, etc.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F32 Provincial Government. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Lecture on the election of provincial government officials (incomplete).

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F33 Various Political Topics. -- [1895]. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Lectures on various political topics forming a collection: a) What became of It - discussion of Liberal Party expenditure in Ontario (defense of government spending). b) Mr. T.P. Watson - regarding his declining nomination as Conservative candidate for East Kent. c) East Kent Nominations. d) Editorial Notes on the East and West Kent Candidates. e) The Duty of the Hour - regarding political campaign. f) We Mean What We Say - regarding newspaper opinion on political issues. g) The Temperence Question - regarding the election. h) Confederation Life Association v. Township of Howard. i) Notes on Liberal Party Expenditure.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F34 Behring Sea Controversy. -- 1894. -- Box Number AFC 272-18

Scope and Content

4 lectures by David Mills on the topic of the Behring Sea controversy.

AFC 272-S4-SS1-F35 Treaties. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-18

Scope and Content

Constitutional, regarding treaties: Abrogation of Treaties in United States. Mills, D. (1 Volume). Index as follows: U.S. and Treaties; Influence of the Treaty of Peace on the Provisions of the Constitution; Treaty-making; Commercial Treaty with Great Britain; Judicial Decisions; Ware, ad. of Jones v. Hylton; Texas v. White et al.; Hauenstein v. Lynham; Berbier v. Connolly, Soon Hing v. Crowley; Turner v. American Baptist Union.

AFC 272-S4-SS2 Religious.

1883-1902.

[10 cm] textual records

Scope and Content

This sub-series contains lectures given by Mills on religious topics.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F1 Abraham. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Abraham as leader of political revolution.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F2 Abraham. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Abraham as leader of political revolution.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F3 History of Israel. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

The beginning of the history of Israel.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F4 Church and State. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Church and state in Canada.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F5 Christian Faith. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

The contentment produced by Christian faith.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F6 The Exodus from Egypt. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

The Exodus from Egypt; Lecture 9.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F7 The Higher Criticism. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing the theory of "the higher criticism."

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F8 Isaac and his Sons. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing Isaac and his sons.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F9 General Law and Special Providence. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-8

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing general law and special providence.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F10 Israel Papers. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Israel and Egypt and the Exodus; Lecture 6. Israel in Egypt; Lecture 7. Israel in Egypt; Lecture 8.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F11 Ladies in Church. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Ladies circles in churches; regarding their relationship to the Church.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F12 The New Kingdom. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing "the New Kingdom."

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F13 Old Testament Literature. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Old Testament literature and the principles of historical criticism.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F14 Character and Christian Belief. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Relation of character to Christian belief.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F15 Prayer. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Prayer and its conditions.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F16 Settlement of Israel in Canaan. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing the settlement of Israel in Canaan.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F17 The Story of Isaac. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

The Story of Isaac; Lecture 3.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F18 The Story of Jacob. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

The Story of Jacob; Lecture 4.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F19 The Story of Joseph. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

The Story of Joseph; Lecture 5.

AFC 272-S4-SS2-F20 Miscellaneous. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous and incomplete notes for lectures on the influence of the pulpit, the Divine purpose in history, religious law, Biblical events, Isaac, Jacob, Joseph, and the Creator.

AFC 272-S4-SS3 Historical.

1883-1902.

[5 cm] textual records

Scope and Content

This sub-series contains lectures given by Mills on historical topics.

AFC 272-S4-SS3-F1 The British in Africa. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-10

Scope and Content

The British in Africa: British Dominions in South Africa; Lecture 1. The English in Europe; Lecture 2. British Dominions in West Africa - Nigeria - the Sudan; Lecture 3. The English in the Sudan. The British in Central South Africa.

AFC 272-S4-SS3-F2 The British in Africa. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-10

Scope and Content

The British in Africa: The Jameson Raid. African Treaties. African Treaties. African Treaties; Agreements between the British and German governments, regarding Zanzibar. African notes. Convention, 1881 regarding settlement of Transvaal Territory.

AFC 272-S4-SS3-F3 The British in Africa. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-10

Scope and Content

The British in Africa; chapter drafts for book on South Africa.

AFC 272-S4-SS3-F4 The British in Africa. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-10

Scope and Content

The British in Africa: miscellaneous and incomplete papers.

AFC 272-S4-SS3-F5 The British in Africa. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-10

Scope and Content

The British in Africa: miscellaneous and incomplete notes.

AFC 272-S4-SS3-F6 British Lecture Series. -- 1897. -- Box Number AFC 272-17

Scope and Content

Lecture 1: British Dominions in South Africa, 1897. Lecture 2: The British in Egypt, 1897. Lecture 3: British Dominions in West Africa, 1897. Lecture 4: British East Africa.

AFC 272-S4-SS4 General.

[1875-1879]; [1883-1902].

[20 cm] textual records, 5 bound volumes

Scope and Content

This sub-series contains lectures given by Mills on various topics.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F1 Attainment of Knowledge. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Books - discussion on the attainment of knowledge.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F2 Formation of Character. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Formation of Character. Discussion of the moral constitution of man.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F3 Leadership. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Leadership among states and the growth and decline of states.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F4 Henry George's Theory of Property. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Herny George's theory of property in land and taxation. Discussion of George's political views regarding property.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F5 Life and its Purposes. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing life and its purposes.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F6 Marie Antoinette. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing Marie Antoinette and her times.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F7 Peace and its Contentment. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing peace and its contentment.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F8 Peace and its Conditions. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing peace and its conditions (incomplete).

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F9 Sleep and its Mysteries. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing sleep and its mysteries.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F10 Self Mastery. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing the concept of self mastery.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F11 The Bar Abolished. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

The Bar Abolished - lecture based on a paper by Mills.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F12 The Chinese Question. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

The Chinese Question. Walter Mills K.C. regarding life and business practices of the Chinese in the community. Includes general paper on racial prejudice and Chinese activities.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F13 The Emotions. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing the emotions.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F14 Miscellaneous. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-9

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous lecture notes related to law and religion.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F15 The Life of the Neighbourhood. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-17

Scope and Content

Lecture series as follows: The Life of the Neighbourhood; Lecture 1. The Life of the Neighbourhood; Lecture 2. The Life of the Neighbourhood; Lecture 3. The Position of Moral Law in the Christian System. Relation of Character to Christian Belief. Unaided Human Achievement. Formation of Character. The Church. its Aims and its Instruments.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F16 Lectures and Memoranda. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-17

Scope and Content

Lectures and memoranda: Henry George's Theory of Property in Land. Memo: Goodwin v. the Queen regarding contract between Department of Railways and Mr. Goodwin in respect to the construction of certain parts of the Soudan Canal. Perjury.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F17 Patriotism and War. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-17

Scope and Content

Patriotism and War. Lecture by Walter Mills.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F18 International Law. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-17

Scope and Content

Notes of lectures on international law.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F19 Evolution and History. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-18

Scope and Content

Evolution or Derivative Creation; Lecture 1. History and Geography of the Exodus of Israel; Lecture 2.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F20 Life and its Purposes. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-18

Scope and Content

Lectures about life and its purposes; Pyramids of Egypt.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F21 The New Kingdom. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-18

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing "the New Kingdom."

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F22 Indian Title. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-18

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing Indian title.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F23 Nature and the Extent of the Indian Title. -- 1883-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-18

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing nature and the extent of the Indian title.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F24 French Revolution. -- 1879. -- Box Number AFC 272-18

Scope and Content

Lecture discussing the French Revolution.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F25 Lecture Notebooks. -- [1875-1882]. -- 2 bound volumes. -- Box Number AFC 272-1

Scope and Content

General notes for lectures; 2 volumes.

AFC 272-S4-SS4-F26 Lecture Notebooks. -- [1886]. -- 3 bound volumes. -- Box Number
AFC 272-2

Scope and Content

General notes for lectures; 3 volumes.

AFC 272-S5 Correspondence.

1876-1903; 1914; 1922-1929.

2 microfilm reels, 10 bound volumes, [15 cm] textual records

Scope and Content

This series contains letterbooks, letters, and telegrams between David Mills and various correspondents. It also includes some correspondence between a researcher and Fred Landon from 1922-1929.

Restrictions

Access to records is generally unrestricted, but access to some is restricted for preservation reasons, and/or because the records have been reformatted.

AFC 272-S5-F1 Letterbook [microfilmed]. -- 1876-1877. -- Box Number M1241

AFC 272-30

Scope and Content

1 book of various private letters; 1876-11-29 to 1877-07-07

Restrictions

As these records have been reformatted, the original records are withdrawn from circulation.

AFC 272-S5-F2 Letterbook [microfilmed]. -- 1877-1878. -- Box Number M1242

AFC 272-31

Scope and Content

1 book of various private letters; 1877-07-0 to 1878-02-19

Restrictions

As these records have been reformatted, the original records are withdrawn from circulation.

AFC 272-S5-F3 Letterbook. -- 1897-1898. -- Box Number AFC 272-19

Scope and Content

1 letterbook; 1897-11-20 to 1898-04-15

AFC 272-S5-F4 Letterbook. -- 1898. -- Box Number AFC 272-19

Scope and Content

1 letterbook; 1898-04-15 to 1898-11-02

AFC 272-S5-F5 Letterbook. -- 1898-1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-19

Scope and Content

1 letterbook; 1898-11-02 to 1899-03-31

AFC 272-S5-F6 Letterbook. -- 1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-20

Scope and Content

1 letterbook; 1899-03-31 to 1899-08-17

AFC 272-S5-F7 Letterbook. -- 1899-1900. -- Box Number AFC 272-20

Scope and Content

1 letterbook; 1899-08-18 to 1900-03-31

AFC 272-S5-F8 Letterbook. -- 1900. -- Box Number AFC 272-20

Scope and Content

1 letterbook; 1900-04-02 to 1900-12-10

AFC 272-S5-F9 Letterbook. -- 1900-1901. -- Box Number AFC 272-21

Scope and Content

1 letterbook; 1900-12-10 to 1901-10-03

AFC 272-S5-F10 Letterbook. -- 1901. -- Box Number AFC 272-21

Scope and Content

1 letterbook; 1901-10-03 to 1901-02-12

AFC 272-S5-F11 Sir Oliver Mowat. -- 1896. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Includes various letters, including some to Sir Oliver Mowat, Minister of Justice, from various correspondents, and a Remedial Bill of Political Warfare.

AFC 272-S5-F12 Government Departments. -- 1897. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Includes legal and letters from various government departments to Mills.

AFC 272-S5-F13 Various. -- 1898. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Various letters to Mills.

AFC 272-S5-F14 Various. -- 1897-1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Various letters to Mills.

AFC 272-S5-F15 Various. -- 1900. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Letters to Mills, including one from Mines Company of British Columbia and from Ministry of Justice.

AFC 272-S5-F16 Various. -- 1901. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Letters to Mills, including one from Secretary of State for the Colonies and High Commissioner.

AFC 272-S5-F17 As Judge. -- 1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Letters to Mills as judge.

AFC 272-S5-F18 Various. -- 1892-1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Various correspondence to and from David Mills.

AFC 272-S5-F19 Manitoba Liberal Executive Department of Justice. -- [189?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Letters from Manitoba Liberal Executive Department of Justice and from David Mills

AFC 272-S5-F20 Alice Mills. -- 1889-1896. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

David Mills to daughter, Alice Mills, 1889, 1896. Letters discuss family history.

AFC 272-S5-F21 Wilfred Laurier. -- 1887-1900. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

David Mills with Wilfred Laurier, 1887, 1897, 1900. Includes telegram, ????-09-28

AFC 272-S5-F22 Sir John A. MacDonald. -- 1890-02-20. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

David Mills to Sir John A. MacDonald, 1890-02-20 (Letter signed by MacDonald and returned to Mills, 02-24)

AFC 272-S5-F23 Fred Landon - Mills Research. -- 1922-1929. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Research correspondence, 1922, 1927, 1929: O.D. Skelton to Fred Landon re Mills research; John Willison to Fred Landon re Mills research; Fred Cook to Fred Landon re Mills research; James Coyne to Fred Landon re Mills research.

AFC 272-S5-F24 James Coyne. -- 1886-1900. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

James Coyne with David Mills. 1886, 1891, 1897, 1900. (Copies; originals in Coyne Papers, B4019: Item: Correspondence: David Mills)

AFC 272-S5-F25 Willison to Colquhoun - Mills' Poems. -- 1923. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Includes a letter from Sir John Willison to Dr. A.H.U. Colquhoun, enclosing some of David Mills' poems.

AFC 272-S5-F26 Various. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Includes various letters.

AFC 272-S5-F27 Various. -- 1886-1895. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Includes various letter, including some written to Mills' daughter Alice.

AFC 272-S5-F28 Walter Mills to Mother. -- 1914. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Letter from Walter Mills to his mother.

AFC 272-S6 Personal Papers.

[1864-1903].

30 bound volumes, [7 cm] textual records

Scope and Content

This series contains journals, scrapbooks, news clippings, and notes compiled by David Mills.

AFC 272-S6-SS1 Journals.

1864-1901.

14 bound volumes

Scope and Content

David Mills' daily journals, 1864-1901

AFC 272-S6-SS1-F1 Daily Journals. -- 1864-1865. -- Box Number AFC 272-23

Scope and Content

Daily journals; 1864, 1865

AFC 272-S6-SS1-F2 Daily Journals. -- 1868-1873. -- Box Number AFC 272-23

Scope and Content

Daily journals; 1868, 1873

AFC 272-S6-SS1-F3 Daily Journals. -- 1887-1888. -- Box Number AFC 272-23

Scope and Content

Daily journals; 1887, 1888 (includes typed transcript of 1888)

AFC 272-S6-SS1-F4 Daily Journals. -- 1890-1893. -- Box Number AFC 272-23

Scope and Content

Daily journals; 1890, 1891, 1893

AFC 272-S6-SS1-F5 Daily Journals. -- 1895-1896. -- Box Number AFC 272-23

Scope and Content

Daily journals; 1895, 1896

AFC 272-S6-SS1-F6 Daily Journals. -- 1897. -- Box Number AFC 272-23

Scope and Content

Daily journals; 1897

AFC 272-S6-SS1-F7 Daily Journals. -- 1899. -- Box Number AFC 272-24

Scope and Content

Daily journals; 1899

AFC 272-S6-SS1-F8 Daily Journals. -- 1900-1901. -- Box Number AFC 272-24

Scope and Content

Daily journals; 1900, 1901

AFC 272-S6-SS2 Scrapbooks.

[1880-1903].

6 bound volumes, [2 cm] textual records

Scope and Content

Scrapbooks of newspaper clippings

AFC 272-S6-SS2-F1 Scrapbook. -- 1880-1882. -- Box Number AFC 272-24

Scope and Content

Scrapbook - newspaper clippings; 1880-12-10 to 1882-01-03; various papers from London Advertiser.

AFC 272-S6-SS2-F2 Scrapbook. -- 1897-1898. -- Box Number AFC 272-24

Scope and Content

Scrapbook - newspaper clippings; 1897-11-30 to 1898-07-27; various papers from London Advertiser.

AFC 272-S6-SS2-F3 Scrapbook. -- 1897-1901. -- Box Number AFC 272-25

Scope and Content

Scrapbook - newspaper clippings.

AFC 272-S6-SS2-F4 Scrapbook. -- [188?-189?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-25

Scope and Content

Scrapbook - newspaper clippings; clippings from public journals (includes loose clippings at back of book).

AFC 272-S6-SS2-F5 Scrapbook. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-25

Scope and Content

Scrapbook - newspaper clippings; clippings of political meetings addressed by Mills.

AFC 272-S6-SS2-F6 Scrapbook. -- 1897-1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-25

Scope and Content

Scrapbook - newspaper clippings; includes several newspaper accounts of Mills' speech of Hon. David Mills at Chatham (in pocket at back of books).

AFC 272-S6-SS2-F7 Newspaper Clippings. -- 1903. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Newspaper clippings; death of David Mills, reported in London Advertiser, 1903-05-09.

AFC 272-S6-SS2-F8 Newspaper Clippings. -- [19-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-26

Scope and Content

Newspaper clippings; miscellaneous from various newspapers after the death of David Mills (included at the back is a speech of Hon. David Mills at Chatham).

AFC 272-S6-SS3 Miscellaneous.

[1884-1898].

10 bound volumes, [5 cm] textual records

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous personal documents and papers

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F1 Reminiscences. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Includes a fragment of Mills' reminiscences.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F2 Commissions. -- 1897-1902. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Includes 2 commissions: appointment to Minister of Justice, November 18, 1897 and a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of Canada, February 18, 1902.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F3 Account Books. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Includes 2 of David Mills' account books, one including a list of names and amounts paid (possible subscription lists?); one regarding Canada imports and exports.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F4 Poetry. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-22

Scope and Content

Poetry by David Mills.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F5 Notebooks. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-27

Scope and Content

Notebooks regarding the Constitutional Law of Canada.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F6 Notebooks. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-27

Scope and Content

Notebooks regarding Queen's Council.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F7 Notebooks. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-27

Scope and Content

Notebooks regarding medical jurisprudence; dental jurisprudence; international law.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F8 Notebooks. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-27

Scope and Content

Notebooks on religious topics.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F9 Notebooks. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-27

Scope and Content

Notebooks on political meetings.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F10 Notebooks. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-28

Scope and Content

Notebooks on political meetings.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F11 Notebooks. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-28

Scope and Content

Notebooks on general topics.

AFC 272-S6-SS3-F12 Notebooks. -- [18-?]. -- Box Number AFC 272-28

Scope and Content

Miscellaneous notes.