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…ly and of his colleagues.

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Private 66. Grosvenor Street. W
2d. July 1866

Dear Mr. Cardwell

I am much obliged
by your note of yesterday
evening.
I have no wish to take power to
deal by O. in C. with any single
point which can be dealt with
at once on the arrival of the
Delegates: but as you are aware
there will be after their arrival
barely time to introduce a

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...lly, as I have before said, the passing
...e introduction of the bill must be
...hether or no I may count upon the
...ll and cf. late colleagues.

pass the necessary measure — assuming
that I am able to have every
thing ready in the meanwhile.
I see no alternative but to reserve
for discussion with the Delegates
all points on which there has
been a difference of opinion
either as between them or you
or the Govt. Genl. or the Govrs. of
N. Brunswick & N. Scotia. They
constitute doubtless in many cases

weighty matters: but if you
are prepared to trust me at all
I am afraid you must trust me
generally. I sd. be very glad for
my own sake to reduce as far as
possible the questions left to the
decision of the Govt. But, him it
as I may, there must be a large &
important residuum.
If however you can make it
convenient to call at the C.O.

provided that the N. American Delegates reach
sufficient time to allow of the passing of
t they cordially accept the proposed mode
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and of late colleagues.
istances it wd be unusual to
ce, but you are as fully aware
at importance in an imperial

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Any time today that you
may name between 12½ and
4½ I think I cd show you
on paper substantially what
my proposal amounts to & you
wd be then in a position to
say whether you are willing or
not to support it.

Believe me dear Mr. Cardwell

Yrs very sincerely

Carnarvon

with many papers before him & among
others a printed draft, or outline, of
a Bill for effecting the Union of the B. N.

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into A & formed Lord C into
many papers before him & among it

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to get his colleagues into a
scrape: but I thought he was

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