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"Relation | des | Affaires du Canada, | En 1696. | Avec des Lettres des Peres de la | Compagnie de Jéfus depuis | 1696 jufqu'en 1702. | [Cut with storks] | Nouvelle-York: | De la presse Cramoisy de Jean-Marie Shea. | MDCCCLXV."

Title, verso blank, I leaf; Avant Propos, signed by Shea, p. (I); contents, on verso; text, pp. 7-73; no colophon. Frequently bound in with Nos. 21 and 22 of the series—Bigot's Relation de la Mission Abnaquise de St. François de Sales l'Année 1702 (New York, 1865); and Gravier's Lettre of February 23, 1708 (New York, 1865).

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