GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE

1876 AUG. 1 - 10

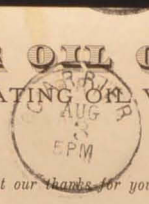
FOLDER NO. 6-1

JAMES J. HILL PAPERS

PLEASE RETAIN
ORIGINAL ORDER

PIONEER OIL CO.

CARBON AND LUBRICATING OIL WORKS.



Dear Sirs

Please accept our thanks for your duly received order, per Stimson *which is recorded and shall have prompt attention.*

Truly Yours,

Cleveland, O. Aug 1 *1876.* PIONEER OIL CO.

POSTAL CARD.

CLEVELAND O. JUN 1 4 PM

U.S. POSTAGE

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Mrs Hallbacker

St Paul

Minn

Worthington Minn
Aug 1, 1876

Messrs Hill & Cooke
St Paul:-

Gents— We enclose you this day by mail a Chk on Nat. Wan. Bank for Two Hundred (200 00) Dollars, which please place to the credit of our acct.

Very Truly
J. N. Jaler & Co
H.

Duluth Aug 1/76

Mess Hill & Acker
St Paul Minn

The Grate coal has not been screened, so that it will probably have more dirt in than you like. We had to pile this coal high and in a small space and as soon as we get some worked off, so we can use a screen, we will do so.

Very Respectfully
A C Jones

POSTAL CARD.

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U.S. POSTAGE
ONE CENT

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Mrs. Hill & Acker
St Paul
Minn

Cannon Falls Aug 2nd 1876

Dr Sir

Please send Price list of
Blossburg & Lump Cankiel coal & Connellsville Cokes
& Oblige

Bacon Bros

Pd
We are Sorry Friendly
& receive thanks and the Please
& accept it for your Patronage
Rates ~~[illegible]~~ & Terms
B & B

[WITH 8-2-76]

680 E 79
100 NW
1/20 Dorm

Chicago, Ill. Aug 7 1876

Mr. Conway and Brothers.

Gents

I find I can do a little better on the prices I gave Mr Hoffman when at your City. I can sell 1st @ 7¢ Range 2d Run 5½ Lump 2d 3¢ all Rail from mines and give you perfect satisfaction. I go into Chicago in a few days. please write me there

Respectfully yours

[redacted]

We can duplicate "any one" figures that we sell

M. C. NELSON,
(Successor to H. W. VanSickel,)

—DEALER IN—

FARM MACHINERY,

COAL, FLOUR & GRAIN.

Sibley, Io., Aug 2d 1876.

Messrs Hill and Acker

Gentlemen

I shal send Gow that little
acct Gow have got against me
as soon is I possible can, I ought
to have sent it before now but
it is all most impossible to
get eny Money at this present time
however I shal get it for Gow before
a great wel, hoping that will
be all right I remain
very Respectfully Yours

M. C. Nelson

OFFICE OF

D. W. JONES,

CHARLES E. WALES, SUCCESSOR.

Dealer in

Coal, Wood and Oil,

Cor. Nicollet and Washington Aves,

Minneapolis, Minn. Aug 4 1876

Mess Hill & Arbo
St Paul
Minn

Dear Sirs Eleven cars of Coal arrived here this A.M. consigned to me subject to charges of $5 per car. And in accordance with Mr Armstrongs instructions I stated the Agent that the Freight had been paid at St Paul. He then telegraphed the Agent there and in reply was instructed to hold the Coal until the Freight was paid

Yours Truly
C E Wales

Dubuque Aug 5th/76

Messrs Hill & Acker
St Paul Gents

Your favor
of the 4th to hand. It will crowd us
to place two cargoes each of nut & egg if you
can place two or more cargoes of stove. It
would be deffycult to keep two lots separate
except at the expense of deck room.
Shall not be able to get your other car of Grate
loaded until next week some time.

Very Respectfully
L C Jones

L. HIXSON. W. H. FISHER.

OFFICE OF

Hixson & Fisher

DEALERS IN

Lumber, Sash, Doors, Mouldings.

Building Paper and Felts, Paints, Coal, Lime, Cement, Stucco, &c.

Cherokee, Iowa, Aug 4 1876

Mess Hill & Acker

St Paul Minn

Gents. Are you prepared to give us figures on hard coal Del & Lackawana Screened best quality deliv Aug. Sept & Oct delivered at Le Mars. Blunts & the D&MRR are looking for this trade this fall & will bid low. We are posters but have no poster prices as yet. It is time we were looking it up. Awaiting your answer we remain

Respy yrs

Hixson & Fisher

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Rec'd

Dated Buffalo Ny Aug 4 1876

Received at St Paul Minn 1230 PM

To Kiel & Acker

Draft on account is received please remit in full am Exceedingly anxious to report business of last Year at the west Closed Own companies insist on My Closing up all old accounts

Mllnderhill

22 fed 7r 1/2 rate

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Dated Buffalo N Y 187 6

Received at 5 PM August 4

To Hill and Aaker

Have drawn on you at sight for balance June Settlement

M. Underhill

10 paid 25 c/s rate

Via Chicago

OFFICE OF

D. W. Wales,

CHARLES E. WALES, SUCCESSOR.

Coal, Wood and Oil,

Cor. Nicollet and Washington Aves.,

Minneapolis, Minn. Aug 5th 187 6

Messrs Hill & Acker
St Paul
Gents

Enclosed I hand you Freight bills for eleven Cars of Coal the other seven I gave to Mr Armstrong and Suppose he left them with you. Have you yet recieved a second Carg. of Blos Coal if so is it the same Kind as the first our Customers here are not very well pleased with the last you shipped

OFFICE OF [8-5-76]

D. W. Wales,

Dealer in

CHARLES E. WALES, SUCCESSOR.

Coal, Wood and Oil,

Cor. Nicollet and Washington Aves.,

Minneapolis, Minn., 187

Mr. I want a Cat sometime next week and as the parties I have sold it to are very much dissatisfied with the. the last I wish you would send something different if you have it

Yours Truly

C. Wales

H. H. SIBLEY, President. A. J. GOODRICH, Secretary and Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE

Saint Paul Gas Light Company,

No. 92 East Third Street.

St. Paul, August 7th 1876

J. J. Hill Esq.

City,

Dear Sir.

You are hereby respectfully notified, in accordance with the terms of the Contract of 6th April 1876, that you will be required to deliver six hundred tons of Youghiogeny coal at the works of the Company in this City, in addition to the 1200 tons specified in the Contract, to be delivered on or before the close of navigation this season, but not earlier than 15th October next.

Truly yours

H. H. Sibley

Pres.

POSTAL CARD.

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U.S. POSTAGE

Hall & Ackre
St Paul
Minnesota

Cinti Aug 7th

Gentlemen

Please send me
for taking deposition (Ford)
of Frank Broadwell - in
a case in which you are
party I send List of Qus
of Jur Counsel

B Butterworth
Cincinnati O,

Fergus Falls Minn
August 7-1876

Messrs Hill & Acker

Sirs

A few days ago we received a bill from you for $12 28/100 for 8 bbl coal sent July 31-1876. The said coal was sent C. O. D and collected by J. D Harker agent St Paul & Pacific RR at Campbell station. I have wrote to him about it and he says the fault must be with the express Co or with you please see the express company and let us hear from you soon

Respectfully
Dahl Hammer Co
per T. W. L

Worthington Minn Aug 7 1876

Mess Hill & Acker

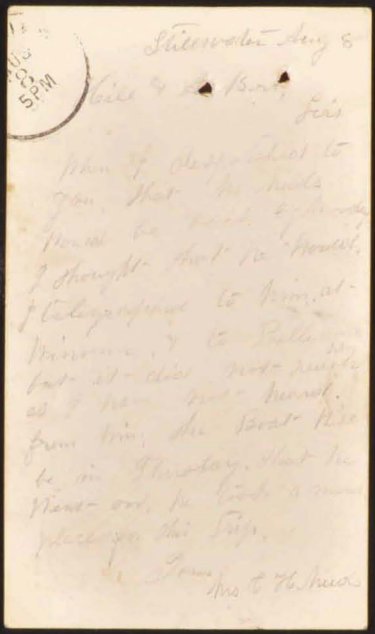
Dear Sirs

We herewith enclose you Dft for $23 in lieu of Sutton's check returned. What can you deliver coal at Lu Verne for? Think some of buying a car there.

Yours Truly

J. P. Sabin & Co

POSTAL CARD.
WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER.
WATERVILLE
MINN.
ONE CENT
Miss H Archer
62 E Third St
St Paul
Minn



Duluth Aug 8/76

Messrs Hill & Becker
St Paul } Gents

Did not succeed in getting a Mr & St P car and there being no prospects of getting one soon loaded the bloss in a L Sore. This cargo of bloss is a great deal finer than the last, and has a brighter look. The Nut coal per Northerner is not and there seems to be more dirt in it than there that came last year. Will have both vessels unloaded tomorrow

Very Respectfully
AC Jones

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23
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Duluth Aug 9/76

Messrs Hill & Acker
St Paul Minn

I have drawn on you for $116.30 through Savings Bank in payment of labor for unloading Barge Northerner

1100 bus 13¢ $116.30. I neglected to add exchange but will do it when I come to pay the freight. Shipped you this days car of Grain to day

Very Respectfully
AC Jones

Offices & Yards.
250 MADISON STREET,
East End of Bridge,
[illegible] SOUTH MARKET ST.,
AND
Lumber St., corner 18th.

Prices subject to fluctuation of market, if not accepted by return mail.

ROBERT LAW,

DEALER IN COAL OF ALL KINDS.

Chicago, Aug 10 1871

Miss Hill & Acker
St. Paul Minn.

Gentlemen. We have to day drawn on you at 1 days sight for $1781.25 amt of a/c. Being in need of the money to use. Please honor oblig'd.

Yours Truly
R Law
Per Wm

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