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FARGO, N. D., Feb. 8, 1892.

W. A. Stephens, St. Paul.

Dear Sir: I enclose all the insurance policies I have in force

Since writing you this morning, a further examination of the press shows that it is almost a hopeless case. The machinist says he can not do anything with it. He can patch it, but it is a patch on a patch, and he cannot guarantee that it will run any time at all. Even after I get the new parts I have sent for, there are so many weak points about the old press that we cannot rely on it for a minute. If you want to save The Argus from great injury from a forced suspension at any moment on account of defective machinery, you should authorize me by wire to order a press at once. This morning we ought to have gotten out an extra later edition giving details of the Fargo fire which occurred at 2 a.m., but the press went back on us about that time and we could not do it. The result

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is that the Forum scores a scoop by getting out an extra with full details. Had our machinery been all right, we could have gotten out two hours ahead of them. We had the fire in our regular edition, but not full details. The press runs so slow that we were obliged to go to press with what we had to catch the mails, and by the time our regular edition was off, it broke down completely and we had to send for a machinist.

I don't like to annoy you with this, but I am looking after the interest of your investment here, and I know as a newspaper man that it is seriously jeopardized by the want of a reliable

Very truly yours,

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Office of Pordvesten.

St. Daul, Febry 8 1892

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W. A. Stevens, Esc., April.

(July, 1881.)

AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY,

OFFICE, 334 JACKSON ST., FREIGHT DEPOT, FOOT OF ROSABEL ST.,

ST. PAUL, MINN. 2-8-92.

Dear Sir: .

Herewith please find further correspondence, relative to the shipment forwarded from New York on Oct. 20th, from Franklin & Co. to J. J. Hill, C. O. D. \$13.00

Yours truly.

n'l. Agent.

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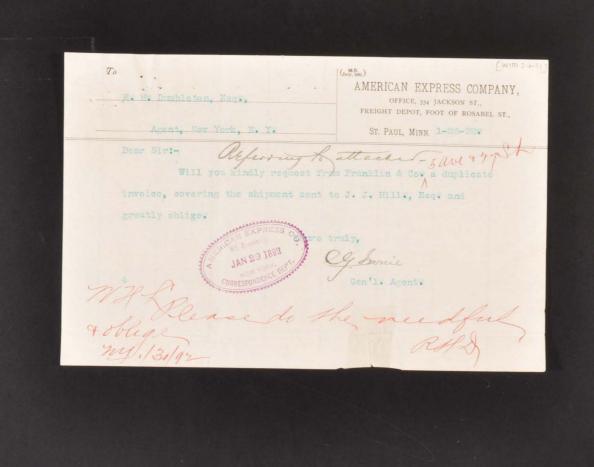
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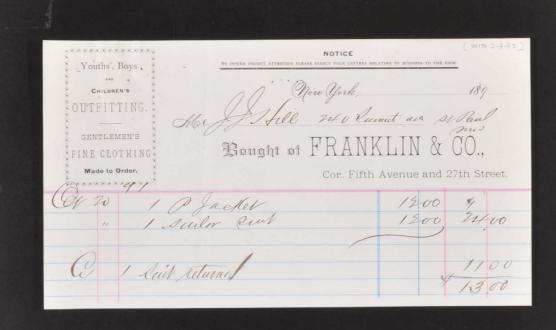
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-- Personal and Confidential --

February 10th, 1892.

J. J. Hill, Esq.,

C/o Great Northern R.R.Co.,

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I was sorry to hear the other day that you had sold your stock in the Minnesota Iron Co. under the idea that there was something that was perhaps not fair in the consolidation of the Minnesota Ore with it. What was done was I think in the true interest of the Minnesota Iron Co., and some time when you are in Chicago I want you to let me know, that I may show you the thing exactly as it was, knowing that it will meet your approval, and that had you known what I shall show you, you would have thought me derelict in not advocating it, and that at the same time it was entirely and thoroughly and conscientiously honest on the part of everybody towards every Minnesota stockholder.

Yours truly.

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