

GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE

1892 JUNE 24-26

FOLDER NO.

JAMES J. HILL PAPERS

PLEASE RETAIN
ORIGINAL ORDER

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June 27/92

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

40-42 WALL STREET,
NEW YORK.

June 27th 1892.

W. A. Stephens Esq
St Paul Minn.

Dear Sir:

Please note that I have today sur-
rounded receipt N^o 162 in Mr Wells' name, showing
1st & 2nd installments paid on \$1,532,000. G.N. 4% Collat.
rat Trust Bonds and have received the following
receipts in his name showing similar installments
paid viz:

\$ 730	on	20,000 Bonds	
731	"	2,000	"
732	"	300,000	"
733	"	400,000	"
734	"	25,000	"
735	"	25,000	"
736	"	25,000	"
737	"	25,000	"
738	"	700,000	"
		\$	
		1,532,000	

Yours very truly
Chas. F. Nichols

*Ackd -
June 27/92*

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

40-42 WALL STREET,

NEW YORK.

June 24th, 1892.

P. O. Box 756.

W. A. Stephens, Esq.,

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir,

I beg to hand you herewith voucher for \$35. paid George Goodin June 4th, and voucher for \$12. paid H. B. Purse June 15th. These are the only items entered into Mr. Hill's account for the month of June to date, and I will therefore render no account until next month.

Yours very truly,

Charles C. Nichols
Asst. Treas.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

40-42 WALL STREET,

NEW YORK.

June 24th, 1892.

P. O. Box 756.

W. A. Stephens, Esq.,

Room 57 Gt. No. Bl'dg.,

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir,

I have your favor of the 21st inst., enclosing draft as stated to the order of the Chase National Bank for \$50,583.33. I have turned this draft over to the Chase National Bank and have received from them note of E. A. Hendrickson for \$50,000 dated April 15th, and stamped "paid." I have also received from them collateral securities of this note, namely:- \$50,000 St. P. M. & M. Consolidated Mortgage 6% bonds Nos. 10,012 to 10,061 having the coupons due July 1st, 1892 and upwards. I have endorsed the return of these securities upon Mr. Hendrickson's contract with Mr. Hill, bearing even date with the note. I have also received from the Chase National Bank coupons due July 1st, 1892 from the remaining \$150,000 St. P. M. & M. Consolidated Mortgage 6's loaned to Mr. Hendrickson by Mr. Hill, in accordance with Mr. Hendrickson's order on the Chase Bank, which you sent me a few days since.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the above mentioned note, and oblige.

Yours very truly,

Edw. T. Nichols

note herein referred to was delivered by messenger to E. A. Hendrickson June 28/92 - see letter copies in letter box June 28/92

SEABRIGHT, P. O.

The Terrace,
Rumson Road, N. J.

Friday evening
June 24/92

Dear Mr. Hill,

I just learn from Mr. James
Loeb, that you are in town; and
I know it during the day I
could not have failed to call
upon you. - I now must reserve this
pleasure until Monday, mean-
time I am commissioned by Mr.
Schiff & the other members of my
household to say to you, that
we hope you will come down
here on Friday afternoon next
& remain with us until Tuesday

morning, thus giving us an opportunity
for as jovial a, Fourth' as last
year. We have since then, not build
a road to the Pacific, but we
have made some changes here,
which I want to show you.

With kindly greetings from
all of us

I am, Yr sincerely
Jacob W. Schiff

To
James D. Hill Esq

St. Paul, Minn., June 24 1892.

To Jas. J. Hill

Please take notice that a certain ^{note}
made by Edward J. Hodgson
dated at St. Paul Minn. Dec 26 1892
payable ^{including} days after date (no grace /
to the order of Commercial Bank
for Forty five hundred — DOLLARS,
with interest at 5% per annum
at Commercial Bank of St. Paul Minn.
endorsed by Commercial Bank and by you,
has this day been duly presented by me for payment
and payment duly demanded and refused.

Whereupon I **DULY PROTESTED** said ^{note}
for non-payment and the holders look to you for the payment thereof,
with damages, interest and costs.

Yours respectfully,

J. J. Hill

Geo. S. Ruel

Notary Public, Ramsey Co., Minn.

Protested by request of the MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, of St. Paul, Minn.



Commercial Bank.

St. Paul, Minn June 24 1892

W. A. Stephens Esq
City

Dear Sir

Will you kindly send me
a memorandum of the amount
paid direct to Mr. Steel by maker
of note to Commercial Bank.
I would like to make entries
in the bank's book.

Yours Respectfully
Anonymous assignee
W. Schenk

Note him June 27/92 under date
June 25/92 enclosing statement asked for
as at date June 25/92.

Due paid May 1912

Minnesota Driving Club.

Badges recd. July 21/12

Saint Paul, June 24, 1892.

*The Club House Badges for this year are now ready
for delivery. Please call early. Dues must be paid before
badges can be delivered.*

JAMES DORAN, Secretary.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Mr. J. J. Hill.
259 E. 9th St.
City

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THOS. T. ECKERT, General Manager.

NORVIN GREEN, President.

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RECEIVED at No. 16 Broad St. (Next door to Stock Exchange).

Dated

To

June 24 1892
 Spaul Munn 24

Joe J Hill
 Alkmarle Hotel ny

We are all well

Mary J Hill.

J. W. Mason.

C. L. Hilton.

Law office of
Mason & Hilton,
Fergus Falls, Minn.

June 25, 1892.

Dear Sir:—

I send you herewith Certificate No. 10365, duly recorded, which completes, as far as can be done, Mr. Kennedy's title to the R. R. R. mills, under the tax proceedings.

I have disbursed in this matter, to sheriff, serving notice \$1⁷⁰ Reg. Deds. \$1⁰⁰ which please send me. As to my fee, I dislike to make a charge, and leave it to you to send me such amt. as you deem my services worth in the premises.

Yours very truly,
J. W. Mason.

Mr. W. A. Stephens,
St. Paul,
Minn.

Mr. Jones
Spk to me
W. J.

Charles W. Gould,
Counsellor at Law.

No. 2 Wall Street.

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New York, June 25, 1892. 189

W. A. Stephens, Esq.,

Room 57 Great Northern Railway Building,
St. Paul, Minn.

My Dear Sir:-

I have to thank you for your note expressing Mr. Hill's
courteous intention to myself.

If it would be convenient for Mr. Hill; that is to say,
if Mr. Hill is not too much occupied with his business and his
friends, it would give me great pleasure to call upon him and make
his acquaintance in New York, provided he comes to this city.

I beg you will allow me to look to you, both for suggestion
and for Mr. Hill's address in case he visits this town.

Faithfully yours,

Charles W. Gould

Room 57.
GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY BUILDING,
SAINT PAUL.

June 25th 1892

James J. Hill, Esq.,
40 Wall Street,
New York.

My dear Sir:

I beg to hand you herewith
the following letters (which reached my hands today)
as you may desire to use them while in New York,
viz:-

<u>Writer.</u>	<u>Date.</u>	<u>Subject.</u>
Ho. Y. Thompson.	June 16/92.	Relative to Wilson & Congill interests in Fairhaven Land Co. and Skagit Coal & Lumber Co.
Marcus Daly.	June 22/92.	Coal matters and Hearst Estate interest, &c.
Whitehead Lydman.	June 23/92.	Furness, Grand Old Claim.

Mr and Mrs Samuel Hill left for New York
last evening quite well; all the members of your family here
are well also -

Very respectfully,
W. A. Stephens

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT, S- 3397
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency,

Washington, D. C., June 25, 1892.

Mr. Charles S. Hulbert,
President, First National Bank,
Devils' Lake, N. Dak.

Sir:-

The report of an examination of your bank, made on the 17th instant, is received.

Overdue paper is reported amounting to \$25,117.43, of which \$19,876.29 is classed as "bad debts", as defined by Sec. 5204, U.S.R.S. Such of the overdue paper as is good should be collected or made active by renewal with satisfactory security for payment after a reasonable extension. The "bad debts" unless satisfactorily arranged in the meantime, should be charged off prior to declaring any dividend.

It would appear from the large accumulation of this paper that the requisite amount of care is not given to its collection, and it is respectfully suggested that this matter receive more attention in future.

The examiner reports that your bank will sustain losses amounting to \$3,278.75 upon the items classed as "bad debts", and \$3,812.32 upon the horses, cattle and farm implements, which were taken for debt.

The examiner states that this will be an actual loss, and you are respectfully informed that no further dividends should be declared by your

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association until all losses have been charged off.

It appears from the report that you have no certificate of deposit register. It is respectfully suggested that one be procured.

The examiner reports that your discount committee is not active, that you have no examining committee, and that your board of directors does not meet regularly.

It is respectfully suggested that the conduct of the affairs of a national bank is by law devolved upon the board of directors, and regular and frequent meetings are therefore very desirable.

Please bring this communication to the immediate attention of your board of directors for consideration, and request them to unite in making a prompt reply over their individual signatures.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) R. M. Nixon,

Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

New York, June 26th 1892

Hon. Gilbert A. Pierce
Minneapolis, Minn.

McChesney, of Aberdeen, has bright prospects of being appointed Controller of currency. A telegram from you to the Secretary, endorsing him for position will help him.

Wm. J. Hill

New York, June 26th 1892

Hon. W. R. Merriam
St. Paul, Minn.

McChesney, of Aberdeen, has bright prospects of being appointed Controller of Currency. A telegram from you, endorsing him for position, to the Secretary, will help him.

Jas. J. Hill



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