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9/25/93 J. J. Hill

St Paul Minn Feb 16.
1893

Mr J J Hill
St Paul
Dear sir

In speaking to you
of my indebtedness that day. I never
thought untill I was out side that
the mortgage I spoke of was for
five hundred dollars and the
two thousand dollars is on a note
and held by Mrs Thomas Boerman
in the excitement of meeting you
I did not think of that so thought
I would take the liberty ^{of writing} you to
explain thanking you for your

great Kindness to us. I remain
Very Respectfully
Yrs John Boem
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2/21/93

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

40-42 WALL STREET,
NEW YORK.

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE,
G. N. RY.
File No. 1591

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE,
G. N. RY.
Received,
FEB 18 1893

July 16th 1893

Dear Mr. Neil:

I suppose you are posted on the condition of N. P. finances, but I think the information I have just received from Mr. Schiff is with authority and as it confirms the reports that have been circulated I give it to you.

The N. P. floating debt is to be taken care of by selling to the N. P. Stockholders (not stated whether Preferred only or both) the Capital stock of the St. Paul & N. P. with a guaranty of 80% dividends for two years and 7% per annum thereafter. The price to the Stockholders to be about 93-95%. This means funding the debt at the rate of about 7 3/8% as against about 8% which it is costing to carry it now.

It is reported here that Mr. Hoke Smith, Mr. Cleveland's Secretary of the Interior is a rank rail road hater (for revenue only) and has made a fortune out of damage suits against Corporations.

I will pick up what gossip I can concerning him. If Villard favored him, as reported I presume he calculates on concentrating his hostility on some thing beside the N. P.

Much inquiry here for Great N. 4? - I have been bid 95 for them and understand they are going

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40-42 WALL STREET,

P. O. Box 756.

NEW YORK.

abroad. Pacific Ex. 4[?] sold at 93 in London last week and early this, so Clark Dodge & Co are advised by cable. Consols 6[?] 121³/₄ last sale 4¹/₂[?] 101 last sale but have been bid 101³/₈ since. Have none left and cannot get more than \$50,000 more, if all the outstanding uncalled 4¹/₂[?] Come in.

Hope to see you soon.

Mr Savage is drawing regularly, I presume under instructions. I have after meeting his draft now advised and providing for past due Coupons and dividends only about \$125,000. to meet the interest coming due March 1st \$300,000, to meet which we will of course have to borrow. The \$300,000. Carried on my a/c as money loaned is purely nominal and remains there only until arrangements can be made to make the proper entries for its removal, the money having been repaid by the Ill. Trust Co in St Paul.

Yours very truly
 Wm. D. Rockefeller

The Daily National Hotel Reporter,

F. W. RICE, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER,

NO. 7 MONROE STREET, EAST,
CHICAGO.

Feb. 16, 1893.

S. S. Breed, Esq.,

St. Paul, Minn.

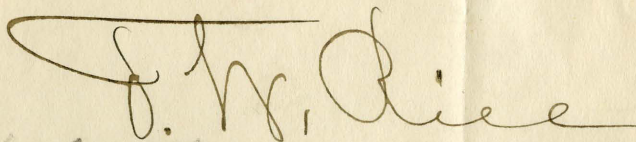
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Yours truly,



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at end of the 26 insertions*

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LAW OFFICE OF

YOUNG & LIGHTNER,

24, 25 & 15 GILFILLAN BLOCK.

ST. PAUL, MINN.

Feb 16 1893

My dear Mr. Hill:

Mr Harlan, on behalf of Peterson
 heirs, has been with me this morning. He makes
 a suggestion which, if the court should act on it, might
 remove the objection to his taking part in the
 argument of Farley's case. If agreeable to you I will
 bring him to see you at about 3 o'clock. He is a son of
 Judge Harlan of U.S. Sup Ct & appears quite well. Please
 answer at once -

Yours truly
 G B Y

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RECEIVED at Fourth and Robert Streets, St. Paul, Minn.
M. Standard Time.

Feb 16 1893

Dated

To

New York 16
W a Stephens G N Bldg
See Warren compare his letter to
one of 13th with my letter to
you of 7th & advise if settlement
on Basis warrens letter is
satisfactory to you
ET Nichols



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