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JAMES J. HILL PAPERS

PLEASE RETAIN  
ORIGINAL ORDER



HOMER C. ELLER. JARED HOW.  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

GREENLEAF CLARK, COUNSEL.

SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA, Feb. 28, 1893.

Mr. William A. Stephens,  
Great Northern Building,  
St. Paul.

Dear Sir:-

I notice in the published list of delinquent taxes a description in the name of James J. Hill of 16 feet north of the south 200 feet of Lots 16, 17 and 18 in Block 71, Dayton & Irvine's Addition to St. Paul, with a tax assessed against it of \$11.50. I do not know whether you are informed of this or not. I notify you so that you may take care of it in case it has happened to escape attention.

Yours truly,

*Jared How.*

SAM'L THORNE,  
71 WALL STREET.

NEW YORK,

551-84  
Sept 28<sup>th</sup> 1893.

My Dear Will

I do hope you will  
dine with us this p.m. at 7.30  
Besides the pleasure it will give  
Mr Thorne & as you will enjoy meeting  
Geo. Clark & Capt. Hayes - They & their  
wives are the only ones to be there -  
Do please make a little extra effort  
Home -

Yours sincerely

Sam'l Thorne

I do not have time to ask you how well  
are at home - Trust very well -



P.O. Box 1000.

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# Minneapolis Trust Company

CAPITAL, \$500,000.

Cable Address  
"TRUST"  
MINNEAPOLIS.

330 HENNEPIN AVENUE, Minneapolis, Minn.

Feb 28/93

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Mr Jas J Hill,  
Pres Great Northern Ry Co,  
40 Wall St, New York,-

Dear Sir: The suits involving title to Boom Isd and Boom Landing have now been settled in our favor and the parties are ready to pay the \$25,000 and take the title. The enclosed is a copy of the form of Declaration of Trust which the Trust Company gave, and it will therefore be necessary to have the approval in writing of some of the other parties. I spoke to Lord Mount Stephen and Sir Donald A Smith in regard to the matter and they said to me that any arrangement made by you would be entirely satisfactory. This being only verbal, we should further have their written approval in order to make the records of the Trust Company straight.

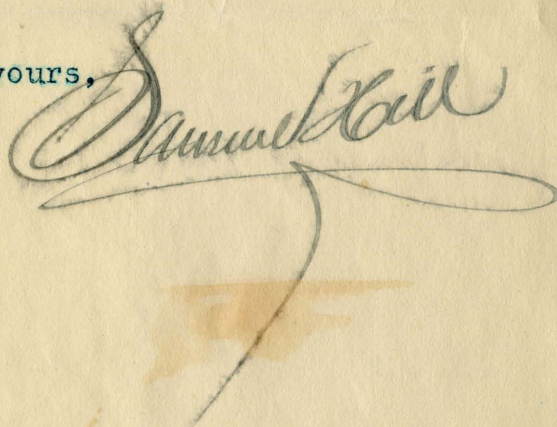
Everything seems to be progressing favorably. Some complications have arisen in Washington which on consultation with Mr Grover and Mr Mellen ~~was~~ adjusted. I hope everything will progress favorably. We are all in better health at home than when you left. I have not seen any of the family in St Paul since. The storm last night was the most severe that I have experienced in this country and everything is badly drifted. The trouble has been in the southwest, however, and not north, so far as I am informed.



JJH2

The snow at Brainerd was about 4 inches deep, only, while here it is about 2 feet. Mr Grover is of the opinion that the suggestion I made in regard to the Leech Lake country is legal and feasible, and I will work the matter out in shape to lay before you on your return.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Samuel Hall". The signature is written in dark ink and features a large, sweeping flourish that extends from the end of the name.

Diet

(encl)



John De Lattre, Pres't & Treas.

R. L. McKean, Asst Secy.

Jacob Stone, Secy. & Gen'l. Man'g'r.

Office of  
**THE**  
*Syndicate Insurance Co.*  
*of Minneapolis, Minnesota.*  
*National Bank of Commerce Building.*

*Minneapolis, Minn. Feby 28. 1893*

*Mr. James J. Hill.*  
*St. Paul, Minn.*

*Dr. fr: Policy No. 5577 on dwelling, barn &c at*  
*409 South Ninth street, this city, will expire at*  
*12 o'clock noon March 11. 1893. Amount \$3400.*

*Premium \$21.<sup>25</sup>*

*al.*

*Please advise as to renew-*  
*al. Very Truly* *Jacob Stone, Secy*



A NORTHWESTERN INSTITUTION.

# THE SYNDICATE INSURANCE COMPANY

Of Minneapolis, Minnesota.

ORGANIZED 1886.

JOHN DeLAITTE, President.

JACOB STONE, Sec'y and Gen. Manager.

Cash Capital, \$200,000.00.

Statement of Condition of Company, January, 1893.

## ASSETS.

Loans on Bonds and Mortgages .....	\$222,150.00
Stock of Nicollet Nat. Bank, Mpls .....	4,800.00
Accrued Interest .....	3,986.25
Real Estate—unincumbered .....	2,000.00
Outstanding Premiums .....	30,093.18
Cash in Bank and in Office .....	44,268.52
Due from Other Sources .....	3,881.32
Total Assets .....	\$311,179.27

## LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock .....	\$200,000.00
Reserve for Re-insurance .....	59,911.40
Reserve for Losses .....	36,016.03
Other Liabilities .....	2,098.27
Total Liabilities .....	\$298,025.70
Net Surplus .....	\$ 13,153.57

State of Minnesota,  
Department of Insurance.

St. Paul, January 27, 1893.

I, C. H. Smith, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that I have made an examination of the assets and liabilities of the Syndicate Insurance Company of Minneapolis, Minnesota, on this day, and that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of its condition at this time.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the Official Seal of this Department, the day and year first above written.

(Signed) C. H. SMITH,

Ins. Commissioner.

PATRONIZE YOUR HOME CONCERNS.

INSURE YOUR HOMES IN A HOME COMPANY.

SEE LIST OF DIRECTORS ON OTHER SIDE.



## DIRECTORS.

JOHN DELAITTRE, President Bovey-DeLaittre Lumber Company, President and Treasurer.

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JOHN MARTIN, President Northwestern Consolidated Milling Company.

J. C. OSWALD, Wholesale Liquor Dealer.

J. W. PENCE, Capitalist.

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H.W.Cannon,  
PRESIDENT.

Wm.H.Porter,  
VICE PRESIDENT.

J.T.Mills Jr.,  
CASHIER.



*The Chase National Bank*

*New York,*

Feb. 28th. '93

Dear Mr. Nichols:

I was not aware until a few moments ago that Mr. Hill was in town. I would like to see him during the day if possible. Chas. R. Flint is going around the town trying to find him and induce him to take an interest in the New York Times. I want to see Mr. Hill before Flint dies in order that I may lay the whole matter before him. In other words I don't want him to make a subscription until I have seen him.

Sincerely,

H.W.Cannon





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