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*23 Merchants National Bank Building.*

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March 7th, 1893.

Mr. James J. Hill,  
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

Will you please advise us whether you will be in New York during the week commencing 13th instant? The writer has some expectation of being there then, and would like to see you.

Yours respectfully,

WALTER A. WOOD HARVESTER COMPANY

*P. S. Macgowan*

GENERAL MANAGER.

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W. A. Stephens, Private Secretary,

To James J. Hill,

St. Paul, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:-

The writer is desirous of ascertaining whether or not you hold a proxy from Mr. Hill, to vote on his stock at the meeting of this Company, to be held tomorrow afternoon, and would ask you to kindly telephone the desired information as early as possible tomorrow, Wednesday, morning. Our telephone call is 1234.

Yours respectfully,

*P. S. Macgowan*

General Manager.

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To

JAMES J HILL

ALBEMARLE HOTEL

NEWYORK.

WILL YOU CARRY MY SUBSCRIPTION CALLED HERE TENTH  
& NEWYORK FIFTEENTH SHORT TIME TO EASE MATTERS BANKS

ARE SHORT. PLEASE ANSWER

CHAS B LAMBORN



GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

40-42 WALL STREET,

P. O. Box 756.

NEW YORK.

March 8th, 1898.

Daniel R. Hayes, Esq.,

St. Paul, Minn.

My Dear Mr. Hayes:-

Your letter of the 3rd inst. duly received; also copy of the bill. I should be glad to do anything in my power to help your Committee, for I feel that the proposed legislation is right, and a wise thing in every way; but at this distance I can do little or nothing. The Governor is a very sensitive man, and is particularly afraid of the situation relative to Alliance and Populist influence. Time and experience will, I think, cure this. If not, his administration will be a failure, and of course he will go down with it. If I were at home I should feel able to do you some good, but am afraid that an attempt through correspondence might do as much harm as good.

Yours truly,



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Harness Making and Carriage Trimming,

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733 MAIN STREET,

OPP. THE ORTHODOX CHURCH.

Waltham, Mass. March 8<sup>th</sup> 1893

C. H. Larrabee.

Dear Sir

The Colt Surprise  
got his record  $29\frac{3}{4}$  in Haverhill Mass.  
It was a regular meeting and over an  
association Track by association judges.  
It was over a poor  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile Track as it was  
very muddy. He came in second the first  
heat. Took the next three straight heats,  
coming under the wire on a jog.

That is not the limit of his speed as I  
have seen him go a work out mile in  
26 the last quarter in 33 seconds.

Mr Titer the driver has driven him miles  
close to 20. Last June he couldnt trot a mile  
in 3 minutes (That is when I first sent him to  
the Track.) His first race was on Sept 5<sup>th</sup> in Waltham



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over a very poor  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile lap-track in a field of eleven Horses and he won in 3 straights Time 2.38, 2.37, & 2.36  $\frac{1}{4}$ . It not being an association track the judges gave the time out in the 40 so as not to drive me out of the 40 class I made that agreement with them before I started him. Surprise is a brown gelding stands 15.3 hands high. weight 1050 lbs.

Yours truly  
A. W. Hayes

Mr Stephens

The record 2.29  $\frac{3}{4}$  of Surprise is a pacing one. Mr Brannard writes that he was sold by Allen. I asked Mr Hayes for full particulars but only got the above. G. R. Larnach



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ELMER E. ADAMS,  
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FERGUS FALLS, MINN. March 8, 1893.

James J. Hill,

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:--

I am in receipt of Mr. Breed's letter of the 7th instructing me not to renew the two Ins. policies on the Red River Roller mill in this city expiring this month in the N. B. & M. and Syndicate Ins. Cos.

I have already written the policies and should have forwarded them to-day if your letter had not arrived. Will you think it an impertinence if I ask whether you are reducing the insurance? If you are--though I see no reason for it, so far as value of the property is concerned--I must be content; but if you are transferring the insurance to some other agent, I beg to call your attention to the following facts: That I have held the Ins. a number of years, always, I believe, with satisfaction to yourself; that I have cared for it assiduously, and have maintained it, even during long periods of vacancy--of course for my benefit as well as yours, but still it has taken a good deal of time and effort; that your interests are best served by having one agent look after the entire business; that I secured a reduction of rate two years ago in the face of opposition, which makes a difference to you of over \$3 pr. \$1,000; that the Co.'s which have long carried the risk and made money out of it are those most willing to settle on a liberal basis in case of loss; that when the St. Paul German failed we promptly looked after your Ins., and credited you all the unearned premium on the German policy, thereby causing me a loss of the amt.--some \$25, I think. It takes a good many policies at 15 pr. ct. commission to make up such a loss. In a word, I have tried to work consistently for your interests, and have shown zeal in serving you. Do you think it right to change agents? May I not ask for a reconsideration of your instructions, in case you intend to still carry the full \$10,000?

Sincerely yours,

Harry M. Wheelock



[ March 8, 1893 ]

Metropolitan Club.  
Washington.

Mr. James J. Hill  
McAlley's Hotel

My dear Mr. Hill -

Mr. Moore tells me you  
will be in town this evening.  
I will take great pleasure in  
paying my respects to you  
tomorrow, and, in the meantime,  
I would like you to know



that my office, 1419, F. St.  
and our private wire to Moore &  
Soley, and to the Chase Bank,  
is entirely at your disposal.

With best wishes, truly yours,

Jno W Macartney

March 8. 1893.





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