



D. B. SMITH,

DEALER IN

Agricultural Implements,

CARRIAGES AND COAL.

Austin, Minn., Dec 15 1876

Will and Ack
Gents

Enclosed find \$825 - which please
place to my Credit

Send me another car of
large Lehigh nut coal
large size at once
Send from Minn's

Respectfully
D. B. Smith

West Wisconsin Railway,

E. Q. THOMAS,
Freight and Ticket Agent.

\$1310 90 Eau Claire Station Dec 15th 1876

Messrs Hill and Acker
St Paul Minn
Gents:

I enclose you herewith
the sum of Thirteen hundred and ten
and 90/100 dollars being full proceeds on
following shipments to Noah Shaw.

Cors

1346
2252
531

Stove Coal 348 35 ✓

568 Egg & Pittsburg Coal 98.00 ✓

2312
2182

2016
1168 Stove Coal 460.08 ✓

3318 Nut Coal 119 23 ✓

132
320 Blossburg Coal 190 24 ✓

1088 Blossburg Coal 95 00 ✓

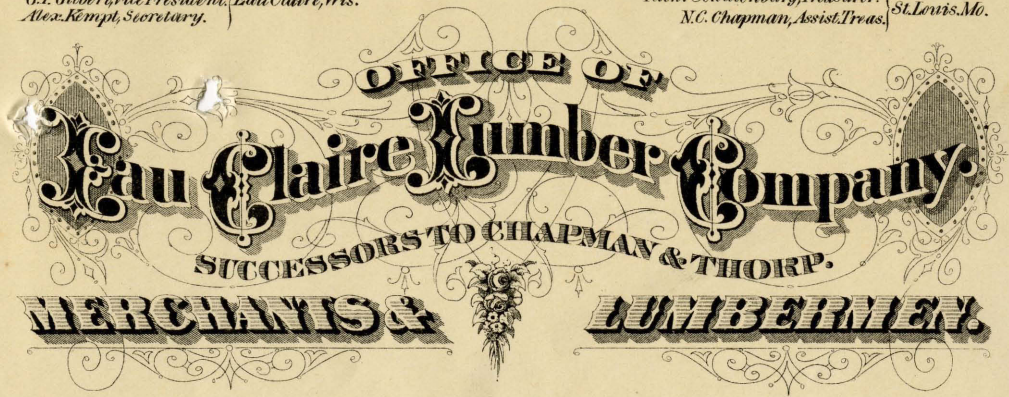
\$1310 90

This I believe closes out all my
indebtedness up to the present time.

Yours Truly
E. Q. Thomas

J.G. Thorp, President.
G.Y. Gilbert, Vice President. Eau Claire, Wis.
Alex. Kempf, Secretary.

Rich^d Schulenburg, Treasurer. St. Louis, Mo.
N.C. Chapman, Assist. Treas.



Eau Claire, Wis. Dec 15 1871.

Messrs. Hill & Acker

St. Paul

Gent^l

Enclosed we send you Draft on
Boston for \$118⁰⁰

in payment of your invoice of Oct 11

Please acknowledge receipt.

Yours truly

Eau Claire Lumber Co

RHC

228.00

110

118

COMINGS ^{AND}
SNODGRASS,
COMMISSION
MERCHANTS,
^{AND}
GRAIN BUYERS.
Cor. 2d & Pearl.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec 15 1876

Wm Hill & Acker
St Paul Minn. } Gents:

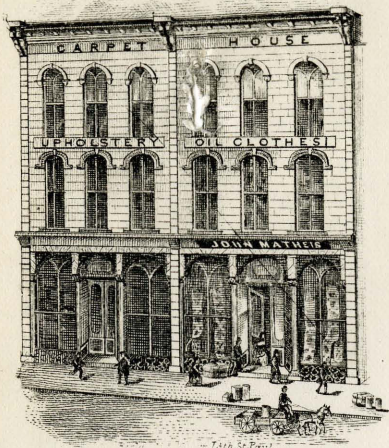
Your Invoice of Gas
Coal Car #306 - 23450# just reached us, and
we notice you have charged us \$9⁸⁵ per ton!!
We have contracted with the Gas Co of this
City to furnish them all the Coal they may
require this winter but cannot "fill" if we are
compelled to pay \$9⁸⁵! How is this?

Very Respectfully

Yours &c

Comings & Snodgrass
Curry

Kindest regards of winter to Mrs H & A
C



OFFICE OF
JOHN MATHEWS
CARPET HOUSE.

NO. 11 EAST THIRD ST.

S. Paul Dec 16 1876

Wm Hill & Acker
Please let Bear & Co. have one board and
and charge to Mr. John Mathews

Benj. Jones,

E. F. Parkhurst.

 **Jones & Parkhurst,**

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

Dealers in Grain, Coal, Wood, Lime, Brick And
FARM MACHINERY.

Sheldon, Iowa, Dec 16 1876

Miss Hill &acker

St Paul Minn

Gents

Inclosed

find \$100⁰⁰. do not send us any
more S. V. Coal send Mo Brk.

Yours &c

James & Parkhurst

West Wisconsin Railway,

E. Q. THOMAS,
Freight and Ticket Agent.

Eau Claire Station. Dec 16th 1876

J. H. Kill Esq
St Paul Minn

Dear Sir:

I have today
remitted Still and Acker \$1310⁹⁰
amt due firm on a/c shipments
to Noah Shaw paid promptly
on time. This closes out all the
orders I have sent in. In connection
with this there is a little matter
I have concluded to lay before you
and that is the selling of the
Blossburg Coal at the 900 rate
which you gave me. I was told
that they had these figures given
them and were afterwards shown
me and on one of your cards. I
supposed you might have given
the figures to them before
you gave to me, yet I did not

West Wisconsin Railway,

E. Q. THOMAS,
Freight and Ticket Agent.

Station.....187.....

undertake to undersell your own prices. In what trade you have done on my orders Milwaukee, Chicago, and Green Bay have all been kept out and by doing so my benefits have been very small. I have possibly made \$3500 on the whole thing which is pretty thin in my estimation. Would it be objectionable if you made any concessions on the 3 car loads Blossburg sold to Shaw,

Yours Truly
E. Q. Thomas



Minnesota Historical Society

Copyright in this digital version belongs to the Minnesota Historical Society and its content may not be copied without the copyright holder's express written permission. Users may print, download, link to, or email content, however, for individual use.

To request permission for commercial or educational use, please contact the Minnesota Historical Society.



www.mnhs.org