

GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE

1877 NOV 12 - 13

FOLDER NO.

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JAMES J. HILL PAPERS

PLEASE RETAIN
ORIGINAL ORDER

St. Louis City Nov 12th 1778.
 Will, Saunders & Schick.

Bill, Saunders & Becker.

Saint Paul Minn.

Gents

Please find inclosed
draft on Chicago for \$200. dollars.
Our books do not balance
within \$2.68 with your last
statement. Did you not
forget to give us credit for
that last Freight-bill sent
you Oct. 2d.

My son is not in town at present but when he comes I will have him look it up and send you the balance. I am sorry that I was absent

to keep you waiting so
long for your money.
The F. C. R. R. Co. have sold
most all the coal and timber
being so dull I could not
help myself.
Please acknowledge the receipt
of the same and oblige.

Yours very Truly
J. W. Young
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YOUNG & PETERSON & CO.
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
DRUGGISTS.
CORNER WESTFALL BLOCK.

Minneapolis, Minn. Nov. 21 1874

*Wm. H. H. Saunders & Co.
St. Paul.*

*Receipt
Season send by rail one
Hb. Egypt oil.*

*Yours truly
Young & Peterson & Co.*

*OB
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T. CHRISTIE,
DEALER IN
GRAIN AND COAL.

AT THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL DEPOT.

Waterloo, Iowa, Nov 12 1877.
Wm Saunders & Sons

Got your car of Hunt
Lackawanna received and unloading today,
the coal is good but it is so perfectly wet,
I had to lean out a bin and throw it in and
see if I could not dry it. I had the amounts
in the car sold but the parties that I had
sold to would not except of it. but I had
enough on hand dry to fill contracts. now I
want a good deal more coal and I intend
getting it from you. but you must give
me dry coal, or is your coal all wet. if
you can give me dry bin of Chestnut Lack
please ship me another on receipt of this
letter, let me hear from you on the subject
of wet and dry

and oblige

T. Christie

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Ellen Page Long

Nov 12th - 1877
Miss Nell Saunders & Sister

Dear - What do you
think as to our new and what rule
bring this we have used no statement
from you yet -

Resph

Caroline Merrill also

Today, sent Mr. Jordan the printer on the 50 barrels of oil
and Ben's time with sent a statement of his way of a
draft.

Very Respectfully A. Jones

Duluth Nov 12/77

Mr. E. J. Jaynes

S. Paul

Dear Sir

Enclosed
please find Prof. Sovereign receipts
for 35 Tons Coal. The watchman called
her at the Hocking instant of below. He
was not aware she was one of Beatty's
boats until after coaling. Got word of
the Sioux City order off today. This was
what we intended to do yesterday but owing
to circumstances we could not control we
did not get at them ^{until} today and after we got
the cars we had almost to fight to hold
them. We got thirteen cars today and have
since made in to commence on in the morn-
ing. Also fifteen gondolas here and have
a gang of men loading them. Will try and
get two cars of this Parula Coal to you. I
am sorry there is so much small ^{coal} in
it, as otherwise I think it will give satis-
faction. Finished the Peter Jane Bell yes

OFFICE OF

LEVI SHELL.

DEALER IN

Lumber, Wood and Grain.

Sibley, Io., Nov-12-1877

Will Saunders & Ackley
St Paul

Messrs

I am selling wood & coal and
would like to handle the Mountain
Bank coal. What can you furnish
it at laid down at Sibley
Yours Truly
Levi Shell

W. P. SMITH.

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W. P. SMITH & BRO.,
DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
Pine Lumber AND Coal.

Hampton, Iowa, Nov 12 1877
Messrs Bill Saunders & Acker
St Paul
Gents

Enclosed find
Draft on Union National Bank
Chicago for Two hundred
and Fifty Seven ^{40/100} Dollars
To Pay on Hand Coal please
Place to our credit & we will
when paid & oblige

Yours respectfully
W. P. Smith & Bro

Pioneer Oil Company,

Rooms 1 & 2, No. 212 Euclid Avenue,

CLEVELAND, O. Nov 12th 1874

Wm. H. L. Lumber & Co. St. Paul.
Dear Sirs

We have your valued favor of the
9th inst. with Eighteen hundred
forty & 50/100 dollars
in settlement of Overhead Oct 1st to 10th 1874
and for it please accept our thanks.

Awaiting your further commands, which shall have
our prompt attention, we remain,

Very Truly Yours,

PIONEER OIL CO.,

By Clarke



OFFICE OF
HENRY MILLER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Drugs, Medicines, Books, Stationery,
Wall Paper, Fancy Goods,
Paints, Oils, Glass, &c., &c.

Lake City, Minn. Nov 12th 1877

Mrs. C. L. Saunders & Co.
St. Paul

Enclosed please
find Draft on St. Paul
for Twenty One Dollars
\$21.⁰⁰ & Bal. first Bill
As you forgot to allow me
the 1st draft Bill, as you did
before. I charged you of a with
60⁰⁰ also & my of with 21⁰⁰
& 60⁰⁰

Yours truly
Henry Miller
Jm
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A. D. MULFORD.

OFFICE OF

GEO. W. MARCHANT.

MULFORD & MARCHANT,
No. 5 Nicollet House Block, Washington Ave.,

DEALERS IN

All Kinds of Wood and Coal,

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov 12th 1877

Mrs. Will Lundin & Acker

St. Paul

Leakstown

Enclosed you

will please find our check for
fifteen hundred dollars on Ake.

Cannot you hurry up some coal
when I was down Saturday. Mr. Lundin thought
we would get some cans today and we have
received one. We are much out-

and are in want of it very much have
not a pound of it in our sheds.

We want the Egg. Short but very bad as we
have orders to fill & no coal on hand.

It do it with your prompt attention will oblige
we can find some of it for cans Friday easily.

C/B
Nov 13

Yours
Mulford & Marchant

OFFICE OF
HENRY JONES,

DISPENSING DRUGGIST.

St. Peter, Minn.

Nov 13th 1877

Will Samuelson & Co.

Gusto.

me one barrel of "Crystal Oil"
as soon as possible and please

Yours &c
Henry Jones
Dr.

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C. W. GRIGGS.

SAINT PAUL



MINNEAPOLIS



DULUTH

R. W. JOHNSON.



Office of Griggs & Johnson.

Duluth, Nov 12 1877
 Messrs. J. & C. A. C. & Co.

Gent. Yours of 15th at hand -
 We made a mistake of 1000 lbs. we need
 send \$74 for you lot & had paid you for 500
 & we have now made it 800 lbs. as regards the
 160 lbs. we don't know who got them. now as
 we proposed when we will stand half of it
 although we are not bound to pay for any of it
 as we told you when salt was put on the dock
 we must not assume any responsibility -
 You can make a draft on above or
 we will round you \$26.80 to hold the sum
 up.

Yours Griggs & Johnson

Stand

334.40

760



Sion City, Iowa, Nov 12th 1877
Messrs. Kell, Jamison & Co.
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sirs, Check
Enclosed find ~~draft~~
for \$62⁵⁰ in payment your invoices
Nov 3 & 6th Please send receipt
Respectfully Yours
H.B. Booge & Co.

Leu Burn Nov 12/77

Wm. Hill Saunders & Co
St Paul

Gents
Please

send me One bar of
Mountain Brand Coal
and oblige

Yours Truly
Wm. H. Battelle

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H
B

Grand Forks Nov 13th 1877

Mr Will Saunders & Acker
Gentlemen

Please send us
1 Car Load (~~ten~~ tons) of good Bleking Coal
del at Lakes landing at 14.50 Cwt and
will send you check on receipt of invoice
send good coal for some we have had
has been poor

Yours Truly
Brown & Mudgett

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OFFICE OF

D. L. RILEY.

DEALER IN

LUMBER, COAL, WOOD, GRAIN, LIME AND CEMENT.

Sibley, Iowa, Nov 13th 1877

Bill Sumner & Acker
St Paul Minn

Why don't coal come?

I have had orders in for sometime
I am out of both kinds of coal -
Lehigh & M. B. coal has come today
and as no coal was in town it all
went before night I have orders in
for 42 cars of Lehigh and balance
for three cars of M. B. coal - Please
send it along at once to the amount
of not less than 6 car loads or I
will have to look to Fort Dodge for a
supply - M. B. coal in last car was
short 595th How comes that? Send me
a car load a day for a week including
what may be on the way

Yours C. D. Riley

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East Branch Sea
Nov 13/11

W. M. Saunders & Co. Kex

Please Ship our receipt

Two Good Egghead Coal, & full up

Put of Coal with Moun Linn

Bank Coal, on Y. Horn L

M. R. Phincke



POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE-THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER



Will Saunders St. Peter,
St. Paul,
Minn.

ROSENBERGER BROS.,

DEALERS IN

Hardware and Stones,

Tinware, Sash, Glass, Leather and Rubber Belting, and
Agricultural Implements.

St. Cloud, Minn., Nov 13th 1877

Wm. Hill Chandler & Son

St. Paul

Wm. — Yours & ^{the} son to hand
& contents inclosed. Please send
us 1 Car Load Best Blossburg
Coal, don't want a poor
quality.

Yours truly

Rosenberger Bros.

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E. M. SMITH.

HARVEY SMITH.

OFFICE OF
E. M. SMITH & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

COAL AND WOOD.

Opposite B., C. R. & N. Depot, West Side.

Lehigh, Lackawanna, Pittsburg, Elzeburg and Illinois Coal, Smithing Coals a
Specialty. All kinds of WOOD Constantly on Hand.Waterloo, Iowa, Nov 13th 1877

Mrp Nell Saunders & Acker

Gentlemen

St Paul Minn

Please ship us immediately as follows
Five (5) Tons selected Summit Lehigh coal
for foundry use

~~5~~ Seven (7) Tons of Range Lackawanna
Coal Clean and a No 1 in quality say
of Breida, P.S. I have succeeded in
making this sale of the coal to one of our
Foundrymen here and have represented
to him as you, Mr Saunders did to me
that the Sp Lehigh will be selected i.e. no
finer coal and of A No 1 quality as
good as any our keep and when I tell
you that he will pay just exactly
\$3.25 for all our trouble on it you
can perhaps appreciate the kind of competition

we have to sell against this man will wish all
the coal on his order, I could give you no more but I will
me Oct 19th was 24 Lehigh, 5 Tons selected now do your best
no more or but coal had arrived here yet Very Respectfully
E. M. Smith & Co.



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