

1883, May 7.

Kennedy to Hill.

" I hope we can get along without any rupture with the Canadian Pacific Ry. Co. I have spoken to Mr Angus about it who is of course in favor of peace and I think on Mr Stephen's return that the matter and also the Manitoba South Western business can be satisfactorily arranged, if not however, I would let them strike the first blow and only act on the defensive, Mr Stephen ... has postponed his departure [from England] till the 2nd May and I will therefore pass him on the ocean. I regret

this very much as I wished particularly
to see him."

"Since Mr. D. A. Smith sold his 200 shares
[Manitoba Rd. stock] last week the market has
been rather weak."