



Farrer, Gaspard

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Gaspard Farrer to J.J.Hill.

"In case your Road should at any time be wishing to dispose of the \$1,000,000 4½ s left unsold under Messrs Kuhn Loeb's option, & you care to let us "[Lefevre & Co.] "know, we should like to see if we can bid you as good a price as New York."

!!! "In writing as above I am assuming that the Bonds issuable & unsold are not sufficient in amount for the purpose of approaching the Barings, for there  no question but that they <sup>are</sup> looking to the  best interests of the

property, they are the people in London to handle the Company's securities if ever there is any considerable amount to be dealt with."

...."My cousin and junior partner is a personal friend of theirs so that if at any time we can be of any use to you, in that quarter, as well as Sir George <sup>[stephen]</sup>...let us know."

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Wants some of the 4½ bonds left over under Kuhn Loeb's option to sell in London through the Barings. "My cousin & senior partner is a personal friend of theirs." I was with Sir George [Stephen] for a couple of days at Metis. Sir Donald [Smith] is here [London] far from well. I have been meeting the owner of one of the richest mines in Butte." the Union Pacific is unpopular there.

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