

Le Duc, Wm.

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Wm. Le Duc to J. J. Hill.

Re establishing a "central North-American Farmers paper." Cannot contribute any financial help because of losses sustained while a partner in the Hastings & Dakota Road. States that "years ago I made an entry of the falls of the Kettle river on which I hope some day to see a flourishing manufacturing town - Leduc.." "The falls have enough power to drive much machinery - they are in the midst of a timber country - a magnificent spring & mineral waters dis-

charges enough water to supply a large town. The location is half way from St Paul to Lake Superior. Three miles from present Railroad & when your road is built from Hinckley to the Lake it must pass through a corner of the property."

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