

Mason City and Fort Dodge Railroad.

John West was the contractor who built the road. He had died by 1903.

See: Daniel Blythe to A.G.Briggs, attached to Briggs to Toomey, October 3, 1903, filed in Mason City & Ft. Dodge R.R. papers.

Hill sold the road on April 1, 1901 to the Mason City and Fort Dodge R.R. Syndicate.
See: J.D. O'B [John D. O'Brien], an attorney to Blythe, Markley & Rule, Nov. 25, 1905 in Mason City & Ft. Dodge R.R.Papers.