J.J.Hill & Company (Sept. 16, 1867-August 19, 1869).

Hill's partner in this company was Egbert S. Litchfield.

See: Articles of agreement between J.J.Hill and Egbert S. Litchfield to become co-partners in carrying on a general transportation business, Sept. 16, 1867. The partnership was to continue until December 31, 1872, but actually it lasted not quite two years.

See: Indenture of August 19, 1869 for sale of company. Litchfield sold his portion to Hill. Immediately following this sale on August 20, 1869, the firm of Hill, Griggs & Co. was formed.