

Stephen, George

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Hill to Stephen

Pembina Branch; Schultz and the bonus at Winnipeg; Billings' letter re Nor. Pac.'s projected line on west side of Red River; John Ross; construction details; Shepard is laying a little over a half mile of track a day; Farley is still in Dubuque; Judge Brill has not decided on Young & Galusha demurrer; "I understand that Russell Sage .. controls a majority of the stock of the Hastings & Dakota and that the road was offered to the Mil & St. Paul from Glencoe west (they own east of Glencoe) for the bonded debt \$15,000 per mile." possibly we would buy it.

St. P. M. & M. Ry. Letterbook 1, p. 188