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J.S. Kennedy to Hill

"I hope we can get along without any rupture with the Canadian Pacific Ry Co. I have spoken to Mr Angus about it who is of course in favor of peace and I think on Mr Stephen's return that the matter and also the Manitoba South Western business can be satisfactorily arranged, if not however, I would let them strike the first blow and only act on the defensive. Mr Stephen ... has postponed his departure [from England] till the 24th May and I will therefore pass him on the ocean. I regret this very much as I wished particularly to see him... Since Mr. D.A. Smith sold his 2000 shares [Manitoba stock] last week the

market has been rather weak."

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