1901, May 17

Cable in code (decoded), Hill to Esteven
Actual count shows over two million
majority more ~~tonnage~~ than, two thirds
Burlington stock will be deposited
by tomorrow.

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Cable in code (decoded) Estevan to Hill

Hope your efforts to secure permanent peace are successful but you should know that many old friends here are becoming uneasy about safety of their G. Nor. interests because of newspaper reports of your Wall Street operations and aggressive schemes in various directions + lack of personal attention to your G. Nor. affairs 3pp.