

Townsite speculation

February 4, 1883

Hill to Hon.N.G. Ordway [Gov.], Yankton,D.T.
"Private and Personal."

Re Col.John Farrington's four thousand acres of land and prospects for two large towns growing up there. "No one outside of the two Railray Companies [Manitoba & Nor.Pac.] has any information whatever.I think the Land controlled by Col. Farrington is fairly situated for R.R. lines... I will not finally determine the location until I see you."

St.P.M.& M.Ry.LetterBook 6:717(3/24/82-4/23/83)