

Upper, Joseph

March 17, 1879

Hill to George Stephen (two telegrams on earlier pages, 148 & 149)

Decodes "telegram of this morning: have had interview with Upper. They have closed agreement with Canadian govt. for 2 years. Govt. claims lease with Stephen binds St. P. & Pac. to all its conditions but does not bind Govt. for anything. Elaborates on this in letter. Union Depot Co. matter to be decided today. Thinks "we can get the \$250,000 and still have all we will ever want for ourselves" (land at depot).

JJH Letter Book, 1/14 - 9/11/1879, p. 151