

Wood as fuel

September 5, 1876

Hill to W. J. Sanderson, Syracuse, N.Y.

Engine works well. "We have towed a barge with 50 cords maple wood six miles across the Lake [Minnetonka] in a few minutes less than an hour and have towed two barges same size loaded at rate of four to four and a half miles an hour."

Hill & Acker Letterbook, 5/16/76-10/4/76, p. 324