

1882, June 13

Montréal

Geo. Stephen to J J Hill

Hasn't written because he was so annoyed
"wounded & bothered by finding out the
black mail Peter Mitchell through
McIntyre's folly & good nature seems
to have lived on the C P R Coy. I have
taken effectual steps to put an end to it
& to all such arrangements but I cannot

~~From 18-13-82~~

"Our affairs with the Govt
do not please me at all & I must
try to get them into shape

tell you what bother &
no 2e it has caused
me, I am so annoyed at

what has happened that I dare not trust myself to write about it in case I should say too much. All this keeps yourself for the present. I am sorry about the bloc at Winnipeg. It is not the customs this time, but the ~~consignees~~ consignees cannot take their goods away fast enough. This difficulty must be got over in some way, either by a cartage co. as exists here or some other plan. I have written Mr. Van Home today that there must be ~~no~~ no let up on the 500 miles otherwise our finances will get into confusion. Sargenton said he could do it if he got the material. It must be done at all hazards. I am writing this just on the eve of starting for the N.W. where I will write you fully. I am about played out at the moment." Starts the middle of July. n. w. ans Stephen will go to your new Hotel. x. gen.