

Omaha.

Omaha Electric^{Co}

GEO. L. BRADLEY, Vice President and Director.

W. H. FORBES, President.

THEO. N. PITT, General Manager.

THE NATIONAL BELL TELEPHONE CO.
No. 95 Mill Street,
P. O. BOX 3466

Boston,

day 12th 1879.

Dear Sir.

Yours of May 6th recd.

I am glad to hear that the Omaha Electric company has organized and I am sure with the list of stock holders that you give opposition will simply be impossible.

Please let us have your probable orders as far in advance as possible, so that we may not delay you, and before ordering your switch boards for the central office I would advise you to correspond with Mr. Watson as we have a very simple plan, and one by which it is possible to run a central office very expeditiously and econonimically.

Husting to hear from you

soon,

W. H. Korty
Omaha. Neb.

I am Yours truly
Theophilus

GEO. L. BRADLEY, Vice President and Treasurer.

W. H. FORBES, President.

THEO. N. VALE, General Manager.

THE NATIONAL BELL TELEPHONE CO.
No. 95 Milk Street,
P. O. Box 446

Boston,

18 April 1879.

A. H. Koch, Omaha.

As regards I will have sent to you as soon as possible a couple full sets of our instruments in order that you may exhibit them, and show their work.

I wrote Mr Dickey to day in regard to the switch board and apparatus to be used in connection with the exchanges & think it would be well to let our W Watson supervise the construction of the apparatus for your central office system, as he can bring to bear upon it an experience of over two years.

Very truly yours.
Theo. N. Vale
Genl.

Subject,

GEO. L. BRADLEY, Vice President and Treasurer.

W. H. FORBES, President.

THEO. N. VAIL, General Manager.

THE NATIONAL BELL TELEPHONE CO.
No. 95 Main Street,
P. O. Box, 3466

Wm. W. Mackie
Louis M. Skory. Boston, 15 April. 1879.
Omaha, Neb.

My Dear Sir. I enclose you your appointment
as Agent as made full Mr.
Madden. It is affording me more
than usual pleasure in doing this
for I had some fears that Omaha
would not avail herself of the ad-
vantages of our system so sometime
to come, and, remembering all the
associations I had more than the
usual desire to see Omaha provided.
Trusting you will succeed.

I am faithfully yours.
Theo. Vail

OCTAGONAL BUILDING.
CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

~1876.~

FROM A TABLE LOCATED IN THIS BUILDING WITHIN SPACE ASSIGNED TO THE SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO. (SEE 'T' BELOW) MR. E. T. KEIM ASSISTED IN DEMONSTRATING THE BELL TELEPHONE OVER A WIRE CONNECTING WITH THE BELL EXHIBIT IN MACHINERY HALL. THE INSTRUMENT USED BY MR. KEIM WAS A WOOD CASE TELEPHONE LIKE THOSE SHOWN IN PICTURES OF THAT PERIOD.

TO BOUND BROOK
STATION
P. & R. R.

LAFAYETTE
RESTAURANT.

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