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**TO:** R. S. Stevens

**FROM:** Jas. Murdock

Grenada, Mi. 24<sup>th</sup> July 1875

Dear Sir:-

I am an expert shorthand and rapid long hand writer, and have four years Railroad experience. I beg respectfully to make inquiry whether you have any vacancy on your Line I could fill? Up to last March I was employed as shorthand clerk to the Genl Manager (Joseph Price) of the Great Western Railway of Canada, but upon a change of management taking place on that Road in the Spring, I took the opportunity of going to England (my native country) on some private business, returning to America again via Havanah & New Orleans.

I have excellent testimonials, which I will forward should I hear from you in reply.

Yours truly

Jas. Murdock

R. S. Stevens, Esq.

Genl Manager

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<sup>1</sup> FROM: 1875 Book of Letters to R.S.S.