TO: A. B. Stone
FROM: R. S. Stevens

Oct. 25, 1875
A. B. Stone, Esq.

Dear Sir:-

When with you last in N.Y. you will remember the matter of finishing up your trustle (sic) across Bear Creek at this place, for the purpose of enabling your trains to get over the levee, and across the creek into the yards of the H. and St. Joe, was discussed, and altho nothing definite was arrived at, I had hoped ere this, you would have given instructions to Mr. Wells to straighten up the trustle, and make connections.

He stated that there was plenty of iron on hand to do this, and the expense of straightening up the trustle would be slight.

In view of the fact that the Common Council of the city are very favorable just now to your Line, and willing to do whatever is necessary to afford equal facility with other Roads, I would suggest the propriety of this being done at the earliest possible day. It is of a good deal of importance to your Road, that its privileges should be well defined and the track secured over or along the Levee to a connection with our Line. I saw Mr. Wells Friday, and he told me would fix it up at once if you so directed.

Yours respectfully,

R. S. Stevens

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