Dunkirk, Nov. 2, 1875

R. S. Stevens, Esq.
General Manager
Dear Sir:-

Upon my return from New York, I found letter from you, which must have been detained in Houston, the reason of my not receiving it sooner etc. I am just now not feeling very well and will remain North a few days. In the mean time if you will send me Passes from Dunkirk to Hannibal I will take a car down and see you about rail building (welding) contracts, etc., which I am sure would be an advantage to your road.

 Truly Yours etc.,
     H. J. Skinner