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TO: R. S. Stevens
FROM: The Backus Oil Co.

THE
BACKUS OIL COMPANY.

FINE LUBRICATING & HIGH FIRE TEST CARBON OILS,

144 Superior Street

Cleveland, O. Nov 10th 187 5

R. S. Stevens, Esq., Genl Manag'r
Hannibal & St. Jo. R.R.
Hannibal, Mo.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed we hand you our original invoice for a car load oils shipped yesterday to "Supply Department" of your road, to which Dep't. we mail duplicate Inv. & B/L. We are pleased to learn our goods are liked & hope they will be found so economical that we shall often have to perform the pleasant duty of mailing original Invoices to your address.

Very Respectfully Yours,
The Backus Oil Co.
by H. C. Rose, Manager

¹FROM: 1875 Book of Letters to R.S.S.