

17 First St Troy N.Y.:
Mar 20 '89.

Theodore Cooper C.E.:

35 Broadway N.Y.:

Dear Sir:

I have yours of 19th inst. Of course I should be glad to get the prints of old bridges referred to but I don't want to put you to any trouble in the matter at all. I can't make head or tail out of some of the dates given for those old Mohawk bridges. There's a history of Albany + Schenectady Counties here which enumerates the bridges built around Schenectady for about 200 yrs. or so and it has the following about the Mohawk bridges
"Bridge at foot of State St. over the Mohawk - begun 1797 - arched or elliptic - upset by wind when nearly