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My Dear Sir,
Yours of the 21st inst. is just at
hand - I am glad that there will be
two tickets, it should always be so -
But I shall vote for Becker. He is a
good Railroad Engineer. I think
professional attainment should rule
over all other considerations.

I see you inquiring this morning
in ~~Engineering~~ news - regarding the oldest
wooden bridge in existence -

The Highway bridge over the Mahoning
River at Waterford near Troy New-York
was built in 1804 - The fact was vouchsafed
to me by the owner of the bridge who
drove me over it last fall at a 3 minutes
visit He has the original contract made
by his grand father with a Massachusetts
Company to supervise the work for five

Shillings out there glances of River for day!