May 14, 1896

Dear Miss Sabree,

Yours of the 12th is just at hand.

The bent against the Rock Island Bridge proved not of an accident to the Steamer "Effie After" while she was attempting to pass through the bridge draw, and was caught by a strong gale blowing at the time, which leaving her around against one of the fixed beams; whereby her reserve stocks were knotted down, and the steamer and the chain of the bridge against which the steamer and the chain of the bridge against which the steamer bent bent to remain for their loss; and the bent was actually afloat of as the "Rider Case" or the "Effie After Case".

May our conclusion is that the accident occurred in the ships of 1887.