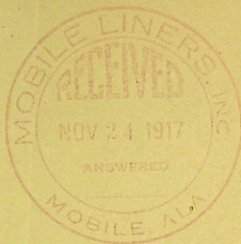


November 23, 1917.



Mr. Palmer Pillans, President,  
Old Spanish Trail Association,  
Mobile, Ala.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of October 16th, addressed to Mr. William Allen, Manager of our Convention and Tourist Bureau, together with copies of letters and telegrams addressed to your Association by the New Orleans Association of Commerce, was handed to the undersigned by Mr. Allen upon his return to the City. The New Orleans Association of Commerce is anxious to have as many highways as possible make this City their terminus.

The Old Spanish Trail Highway is one of our old highways that should be encouraged. A Convention of the Old Spanish Trail Association, we believe, would greatly benefit not only New Orleans but every City and town located along the Highway.

Of course New Orleans wants the Old Spanish Trail Convention and we therefore request you to give us information as to just when we can arrange for such a Convention in this City.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R. M. Milner". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping tail.

Chairman,  
GOOD ROADS BUREAU.

Copy to : Mr. S. A. LeBlanc, Sec.  
Old Spanish Trail Assn.