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1922 Public Service Map of Louisiana (on wall & scanned in “Railroad Photos from Other Collections” on Archives Tiff Server)

Sanborn Maps (showing track routes, facilities, etc.)
  Note: Portions of several Sanborn Maps showing Shreveport railroad facilities have been digitally photographed and are stored on the Archives Server in Maps (Part 1)
  Sanborn Maps Sorted by Railroad with Titles

Many other maps also show track routes
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