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Senator R.H. Walker,
Athens, Alabama

My dear Senator:-

I have been confined to my home with the Flu for several days, otherwise I would have immediately sent you my congratulations on your appointment as a member of the Public Works Board.

I think that Governor Graves has selected a very strong Board, three of whom are personally known to me and I do not believe that he could have found three better qualified men in the State of Alabama than Harry Walker, Donald Comer and Frederick I. Thompson.

I sincerely hope that you gentlemen will list as your first project, the construction of a bridge between Florence and Sheffield, Docket No. 27504, now pending before the Public Works.

This project has been approved by both the Legal and Finance Departments and is now in the hands of the Engineering Department of the P.W.A.

Nothing would mean more to North Alabama than the building of a magnificent bridge here, so sorely needed by everybody who travels in this section of the State, either local or tourists.

There are some matters of vast importance about the Lee Highway, Bridge and other things, that some of your friends here would like to discuss with you and I am wondering if you are going to be in this section anytime soon. If so, please advise me at least a day in advance so that I can get just the right men together for a conference, and be assured of my appreciation in advance.

Your friend,


T.M. Rogers

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