

*file*

# The Florence Times

ESTABLISHED 1889

Florence, Alabama

March 23, 1935.

Honorable R. H. Walker,  
Exchange Hotel,  
Montgomery, Alabama.

Dear Mr. Walker:

I appreciated very much your favor of the 21st and was glad to know that Mr. Graves of Alexander City was on the Commission. I know him by reputation as being a high class and outstanding fellow.

I am satisfied that all of the Commission will work together for the best interest of all concerned.

I am indeed pleased to see the stand that Governor Graves is taking on the telephone rate question, I believe that eighty five or ninety percent of the people are with him. His program is so closely in line with that of President Roosevelt that we could not do other than endorse him. If he keeps along the lines he is going now it is going to be a real pleasure to support him in everything he does, of course there might be times when some things he does would not meet with our exact ideas, however if it did not we would not criticize him.

Some of these days before the Legislature meets again I want to have a talk with you which will cover a multitude of sins from Driver's Licenses to the next Governor of Alabama.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

*J. L. Meeks*  
J. L. Meeks

JLM:  
mc