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Mr. T. M. Rogers,
Florence, Alabama.

Dear Mr. Rogers:

You wrote me a few weeks ago relative to the Florence Bridge, but the letter was not answered due to the fact that I was confined to my bed with an attack of the flu.

I assure you that I am very much interested in the construction of the bridge between Florence and Sheffield, but as a member of the Public Works Board, and in view of my quasi judicial position, I cannot take any active part further than vote my sentiments on any question that is brought up before the Board. From the conversations I have had with some of the members of the Board I feel that there is a very favorable attitude toward the proposition.

I hope to be in Florence sometime during the next few weeks and will discuss the Lee Highway Bridge and other matters with you and your friends.

I am still in hopes that your Probate Judge and County Commissioners will make an effort to secure a Convict Camp for Lauderdale which would also serve adjoining counties. With such a camp you could soon have the Lee Highway fills and grades completed and ready for paving at the first opportune time.

Sincerely yours,

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R. H. Walker.