

**HERMAN LONGSHORE**  
TAX ASSESSOR OF LAUDERDALE COUNTY  
FLORENCE, ALABAMA

October 7, 1935

Hon. Harry Walker  
Athens, Alabama

My Dear Mr. Walker:

My good friend Wm. C. (Bill) Alvis of Florence, is an applicant for the position of Highway Patrolman from this County, and if you are in position to help him obtain this job it will be appreciated. I have known Bill for several years and know that he is well qualified. He is the type of man that will make a good Patrolman, as he honest, trustworthy and energetic, and a man of good habits.

He is the leader in the East Florence ward and was an ardent supporter of Governor Graves.

When I can be of service to you, please command me.

Yours very truly,

*Herman Longshore*

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