

County of Escambia, Florida

DEPARTMENT OF ROADS AND BRIDGES
PENSACOLA, FLA.

June 1, 1922.

Mr. Herral B. Ayres,
Care, Elk's Club,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Ayres:

I have yours of May 28th. I was glad to hear from you and appreciate the word you sent from sent from your talk with Judge Phillips.

Judge Phillips' fear that we were slipping into a position where the bridge might get lost will quickly be dispelled now. The plan is to match further allotments of federal aid on our roads and the county pay the state 100% for the same, the state thus accumulating a fund for our bridge. A recent fight we have had over here with some blundering snatchers has re-united those who have been handling the matter throughout, and the prospects for the bridge are brighter than ever. We will be in position to go ahead as soon as the new federal appropriation is made.

With kindest regards,

Yours very truly,

Winston E. Wheat
COUNTY ENGINEER.

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