Approves St. Albans Bridge Application

Secretary of War Good has approved the application filed with him by the St. Albans Nitro Bridge company for an extension of one year in its permit to construct a bridge over the Kanawha river at St. Albans. The plans for this bridge, which received the approval of the Assistant Secretary of War on May 19, last year, carried as one of the conditions that such approval would be null and void unless construction was started within one year and a bridge completed within three years after the permit was issued. The request for an extension set forth that the bridge company now has under way negotiations with the state bridge commission of West Virginia, which has power to acquire toll bridge rights. The proposal being for the construction of this bridge without profit to the company.