

WILTON MANORS BULLETIN

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WILTON MANORS, FLORIDA, THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1951

DIRECTORY

VILLAGE OFFICERS

Mayor, Dave Turner.

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

President of Council, Al Hagen. James Boyd, Park Commissioner. J. Marvin Brown, Police Commissioner. Col. W. J. Robinson, City Attorney. Arthur Chabot, Fire Chief. Mary Harvey, Clerk and Village Treasurer. Building Inspector and License Clerk, Clayton R. Leaver. Archer Wilkinson, Village Marshall. Meetings: Third Friday of month at Village Hall.

CIVIC ASSOCIATION

President, Francis E. Gates. Meetings: First Monday of month at Village Hall.

KIWANIS CLUB

President, Frank Miller. Meetings: Every Tuesday night at 8:15 at Tropical Club.

BUSINESSMEN'S CLUB

President, Les Bagwell. Meetings: Third Tuesday of month at Village Hall.

BOY SCOUTS

Troop 123 meets Thursday evening at Village Hall.

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President, Mrs. Mabel Thomas. Regularly scheduled monthly meetings discontinued for summer months. Social meetings every third Tuesday until fall.

COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

512-518 NE 28th St. Rev. Russell D. Tooms, Pastor. Sunday School—9:45 A. M. Morning Worship—11 A. M. Young Peoples' Meeting—6:30 P. M. Evening Worship—7:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study—Thursday, 7:30 P. M. Women of the Church—2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 8 P. M.

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS

For the Police, call 6480. For the Fire, call 6481. For the Ambulance, call 6482. For the Mayor, call 6483. For the Village Council, call 6484. For the Village Office, call 6485. For the Village Hall, call 6486. For the Village Library, call 6487. For the Village Park, call 6488. For the Village Beach, call 6489. For the Village Estates, call 6490. For the Village Oakland Park, call 6491.

NOTICE

For children whose birthdays fall on the publication dates of The Bulletin in July, (July 19th and July 26th) here is some good news! Mothers, if your boy or girl's birthday is July 19th or 26th, Bell Bakeries will give a birthday cake absolutely free. All you have to do is register at Saxon's Market on Dixie Highway, Oakland Park. Bring with you authentic information; a birth certificate report card or Bible record. On your child's birthday, if it is July 19th or 26th, Bell Bakeries will leave a delightful birthday cake at Saxon's Market for you to pick up.

It Pays to Read Ads Weekly Free Gifts

Every week The Bulletin with the cooperation of the advertisers will give away gifts in merchandise. Check your copy of The Bulletin to see if you have the ad with the stamp marked "Gift" and if so bring it to the merchant with the copy of The Bulletin and receive your gift of merchandise.

NEWSY NOTES

Friends of Harley Sanderson will be glad to know he has recovered from his recent illness and able to be on the job again.

The YMCA and Tri-Hi-Y enjoyed a beach party at Birch Park on Friday evening.

Are you throwing money away? You are if you are not saving your old papers for the Scouts of troop 123. The boys want to say they have not given up the collecting of papers but are just slowed up a bit by the absence of so many of their members who are at present enjoying Scout Camp. So hold those papers for the boys will be around to pick them up.

Mrs. Herman Munson, Jr. and little son Stevie returned from their vacation in Conn. last Saturday. Mrs. Munson's older son, Bobbie, will be leaving before long to enter Michigan State University where he has won a scholarship. Bobbie, who is a graduate of Ft. Lauderdale High School, won honors in athletics during his school year, playing on both the football and baseball teams of the Flying L's and maintaining an average of 92 in all his studies. A fine record!

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Watkins are building a home in Highland Estates, second property south of 28th St. on 9th Ave. They expect to add rental units in time.

Mr. Watkins is a well-known builder and cabinet maker. Mrs. Watkins is office secretary and bookkeeper for the Lauderdale Finance Corp., 11 Wall St. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins have two young sons, Steve and Charles.

The Watkins will be a welcome addition in fine folks residing in Highland Estates.

Just received a nice letter from Mrs. Lloyd B. Sellow of East Hampton, Conn., who tells us that she has been receiving The Bulletin every week and keeps informed of what is going on in the area. Mrs. Sellow has been a resident of Highland Estates for four seasons and states that she enjoys reading The Bulletin and is glad that this little newspaper was started.

Thanks for your kind letter, Mrs. Sellow: EDITOR.

Roberta's Beauty Salon, Mrs. Swinea, is on a trip to New Jersey. Bruce and Garry are visiting relatives in Tennessee.

Diane and Joyce Hagen, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Alvar Hagen appeared as models in a style show at Park Temple Church on Friday the 13th.

The Frank Tamburrinos' and family of 415 NE 25th Street have returned from a visit to Chicago. Francis Tamburrino brought back a college acquaintance who will spend a week at her home.

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AWAITING OK FOR NEW LIBRARY

Awaiting for a go ahead signal from the Federal government, for the erection of a library, Pompano Beach officials have included \$10,000 in the 1951-1952 budget. The library is estimated to cost \$30,000.

The plans call for a library to hold 18,000 books and to contain a children's room, reference room, stack rooms, work room and club room. The building is to be on 13th avenue between Atlantic Boulevard and NE First street and will be approximately 80 feet wide and 42 feet in depth.

Courtney Stewart, Ft. Lauderdale architect, is transferring the original sketches into blueprint form for contractors.

The building will have a floor of a resilient material and a ceiling of acoustical tile to maintain a quiet atmosphere.

There will be several windows with exhaust fans at the ceiling to draw out the war mair. An impressive entrance will be built on 13th ave. with possibly a side entrance on Atlantic blvd. to be used as the club room or children's room.

Mrs. Umber Urges

Cotton Plants Destroyed

Mrs. Edward Umber of 2640 NE 9th Avenue about a year ago planted some cotton seeds and as many of her friends admired the plant, she gave seeds to others.

Mrs. Umber just learned that it is a violation to grow cotton in yards as there is no control of the boll weevil which is very injurious to hibiscus and other Florida shrubs.

Mrs. Umber urgently requests that all those who have cotton plants to please destroy them at once, as she has done to her cotton plants. Mrs. Umber, grew the plants innocently and is making this appeal to those who may have got plants from her.

Local Women Enjoy Picnic and Bridge

These warm days finds many people "highing" themselves off to the beach for a swim, followed by a delicious picnic lunch at one of the pavillions. One group from Wilton Manors and Ft. Lauderdale spent a pleasant afternoon in this manner recently. Later Bridge and canasta were enjoyed by the following:

Mrs. Charles Everet, Mrs. Williard Clark, Mrs. Marget Deswysen, Mrs. D. Nuber, Mrs. Richard Erwin, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Norman Clark, Mrs. Orville Bluteau, Mrs. Benning, Mrs. Ralph Shaw, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Frank Tanburrino and Mrs. W. H. Price.

McArthur Dairies Joins Radio Program

A brand new radio sponsor has joined the family of advertisers on the Betty Dickens show heard over WIOD Monday through Friday. McArthur Dairy of Miami, who recently opened a huge new, modern plant in North Miami, and is one of the finest in the entire south, will now inform WIOD listeners about their products on "The Latest From Lauderdale" at 10:45 a.m.

McArthur Milk, by the way, can be purchased in fresh supply at Saxon's Market in Oakland Park, one of the good advertisers of this paper. McArthur Dairy products are known throughout south Florida for their superior quality due to the steadfast adherence to highest milk producing

Early History Of Wilton Manors - Early Developers

By Norman Malcolm

COUNCIL MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

The Village Council will meet this Friday the 20th at Village Hall. It is expected that the water question will be discussed and a report rendered by the water committee which was recently appointed by Council President Hagen.

Final plans for the holding of the annexation vote on August 7th will in all probability be a subject of the meeting. Commissioner Brown will not be present as he is on vacation to California.

BETWEEN YOU AND ME

Feel pretty sure that those special Saturday and Sunday chicken and turkey dinners that Mama Maria is putting out at the Tropical Club will be mighty good. The price seems right too. A complete chicken dinner for \$1.75 and the complete turkey dinner for \$1.95.

In order to make working conditions a little more pleasant the publisher of The Bulletin, Betty Dickens Advertising Agency has had installed in their office and WIOD (NBC) studio a Fedders air conditioning unit. Believe me, it is really delightful. The unit was installed by Bell Electric Co. at 2700 E. Broward Blvd., through their salesman Hugh Sample.

Those hard to get size tires, which Manor "Standard" Service Station has a large supply on hand are really moving. Manor Service is handling the famous Armstrong tire and a goodly number of people took advantage in purchasing tires since they ran their ad in The Bulletin last week. Every person who purchased these tough, long wearing Armstrong tires who brought a copy of the Bulletin with them received \$1.00 off of the regular purchase price on each tire. Here is a real buy for those who need tires.

We get a good deal of enjoyment in going out to dine and have "tried" various places including Brown's, Town House, Pioneer House and last Friday we decided to try Pal's. The food was superb, the prices reasonable and the service by Ann, our waitress was excellent. In fact, all of the dining places that we have gone to in the area have been tops. We have to add to the list, The Tropical Club for their opening dinner last Saturday was delicious.

We were very much surprised, in our first 4th of July in the area, at the lack of the spirit of the 4th of July. Not that we don't believe in a safe and sane 4th, but we did feel that in commemorating the 175th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, some type of exercises would have been held to commemorate this event. We noticed that even Fort Lauderdale had no parade or exercises and both in the Village and adjacent areas there were very few American flags displayed. We did see, however, that Hollywood had a splendid parade and Plantation had some outstanding exercises. Both of these communities received splendid publicity in the press, which will react in their favor.

Let's hope that next 4th plans can be made so that a real celebration can be presented. It would be a fine

Over the week end we heard some very nice comment on the article of "Early History of Wilton Manors" which was compiled by Mr. Malcolm and we are continuing to run this article. Below is the second installment.

In the year 1881 a group of St. Augustine people headed by John Westcott incorporated The Florida Coast Line Canal and Transportation Co., capitalized at \$100,000 for the purpose of "Constructing, maintaining, and operating a canal, or artificial waterway for the passage of boats and vessels, with the necessary locks, for public use in the conveyance of persons and property, to extend from some point near the head of Matanzas River, in St. Johns County, southward to the head of the Halifax River"—a distance of about -12 miles. In 1882 the project was enlarged to extend the canal all the way to Biscayne Bay in Dade County. The canal was to permit passage of vessels drawing three feet of water or less.

In 1885 the Legislature made a grant of land to the canal company to make up deficiencies along its "present and proposed extended line" and in 1889 confirmed the grant of land to the company, at the rate of ~~and in 1890 confirmed the grant of land to the company, at the rate of~~ 1940 acres per mile for the entire distance of 320 miles, St. Augustine to Biscayne Bay. The canal was to be 50 feet wide and 5 feet deep, at mean low water.

The Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of The State of Florida had, meantime, been designated as custodians of all the Swamp Lands of the state. Thus it came about that The Trustees in 1890 issued the first deed to lands in Wilton Manors (and other lands). The total was something over one million acres.

At this our investigator lost himself in speculation on the question whether this canal project had any influence in the decision of Fort Lauderdale's pioneer Frank Stranahan to settle on the bank of New River in 1885.

It may be mere coincidence but it Waterway, had some influence in the the beach and installation of a bridge was played in position in 1926. It dense clump of beautiful royal palms subdivision, Wilton Drive, 90 feet inserts of concrete rock and, after the which it stands were acquired some years ago by Merle D. Mace. After completion of his own handsome residence the tower with additions was converted into a unique and convenient residence while still preserving the original design.

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TWO LUCKY WINNERS FOR FREE GIFTS

That it pays to read the ads is attested to by two lucky women in the area, Miss Hattie of Oakland Park and Myrtle Hill of Rt. 3, Box 83, Ft. Lauderdale. Both of the aforementioned received large gift baskets from Saxon's Market for bringing copies of The Bulletin with the word "gift" stamped on Saxon's Market ad in last week's issue.

Better read your ads thoroughly to see if you may be the lucky winner for every week there are several copies of The Bulletin gift stamped for passes

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THE PASTOR'S STUDY

By Rev. Russell D. Toms
Covenant Presbyterian Church

"He hath made Him to be sin for us . . . that we might be made the righteousness of God . . ."—2 Cor. 5:21.

Some who claim to be very modern and up-to-date in their thinking and in their formulating of their philosophy of life would have us believe that Jesus died for our sins out of sympathy. However, the Word of God teaches us not that He bore our sins out of sympathy but that He was made to be sin. Christ's death on the Cross was not just an example of the true obedience of Christ which should inspire us to lead a similar life. This would put all the efforts on man to save himself by his own abilities which he is unable to do. We emphasize again that Jesus Christ was actually made to be sin for us. This is most certainly in accord with the teaching of the New Testament.

There are some who say that Jesus Christ came merely to show us what a loving heavenly Father we have, and they say too that God is only a God of Love and not a God of wrath. The New Testament states that He, Jesus Christ, came into the world to save sinners to deliver us from the wrath of God. The revelation of God the Father is not real until we have seen Jesus as the Sin-bearer, the bearer of our sins. Only as we become identified with Jesus Christ as the One being sin for us can we be made the righteousness of God.

The Atonement of Jesus Christ justifies the sinner. All the claims of the Law are satisfied through the righteousness of Jesus Christ. "Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus: Whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood." Jesus Christ offered himself once for all. Christ was the perfect offering for He was without spot or blemish. Because of Christ's atoning work, the wrath of God is done away and the favor of God is procured.

Classified Advertising

FOR SALE—In Wilton Manors. CBS, 1 yr. old, 2-bedrooms, large screened back porch, living room, dinette, kitchen, bath, large closets, completely furnished. Property 80x130. Owner must go north. Act fast, telephone 5777 for appt.

WANT TO BUY OR RENT—House in Wilton Manors, must have 2 bedrooms, bath, etc. Write full particulars to Betty Dickens Advertising Agency, 11 Wall St., Fort Lauderdale.

FOR SALE—Two electric fans, oscillating, one for \$15.00, other for \$10.00, both new. Can be seen at Betty Dickens Advertising Agency, 11 Wall St., Fort Lauderdale. 2-3976.

Vacation at Home is Fun Says Garden and Pet Supply Store

There are two ways to take a vacation. Away or at home. Did you know that there are two ways to take a vacation at home? You can sit around bored to death or else develop an interesting hobby. We suggest a speedy visit to that fascinating place called the Garden and Pet Supply Store at 610 N. Andrews Ave. Maybe you didn't know gardening could be so much fun before you had decent tools with which to do the work. Or, perhaps, you failed to realize that incentive you'd get from a summer at home with a new pair of shrub clippers or a tool for cutting straight edges where the grass grows along the walk. A new, low-priced power mower could make this summer at home seem as good as the summer you took up golf and tipped a caddy to carry the bag.

Plans In Making For Legion Post

A goodly number of Veterans in the Village and surrounding area are interested in the formation of an American Legion post in the Village and in order to get the opinions of service men we have been requested to run the following coupon so that a meeting of those interested can be held in the very near future.

I am interested _____
Address _____
Phone _____
I am a member now of Post No. _____
I do not belong any Legion Post _____
Mail to Tom E. Hinds, 11 Wall St., Fort Lauderdale

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SCOTT'S STORE HAS LIBERAL POLICY

We have been a customer of various stores of national repute in Metropolitan New York and yet right here in this area is a store, Scott's, a store for men—a store for women, that certainly is outstanding.

Scott's opened in Ft. Lauderdale at Andrews Avenue at Second street on December 9, 1948 and since that time its sales have doubled. This is due without question to the quality merchandise handled by Scott's and to their overall store policy. Of course every store values a customer, but Scott's goes "all out" to see that the customer is really satisfied. No sale is final at Scott's until the customer is satisfied and this goes for 365 days in the year on regular purchases and also on "sale" purchases. They have a most liberal exchange policy and peculiarly the percentage of returns is exceedingly small.

Scott's is a store that is not to big or to little and a customer can easily find all departments where every fashion for men and for women is carried by this enterprising establishment.

Scott's store for men, has a separate entrance as well as the store for women which facilitates shopping by both sex. The success of Scott's is due to the high type sales personnel one meets in the store, its liberal customer policy and the quality merchandise sold. Great credit for the progress of Scott's is due to Sam C. Glover, treasurer and manager who sees that the store policy is carried out every day in the year.



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BRAVES NOTES

First scheduled "break" in the Florida International league season will be enjoyed by the Lauderdale Braves today and Friday, dates allocated for the annual all-star game. The F-I classic is to be played tonight at Miami Stadium; or, if a delay is necessitated because of weather conditions, the contest will be reslated for Friday evening.

Players from the other seven clubs will face the league leader. At this writing, this could be either St. Petersburg or Tampa, which have been leap-frogging each other in and out of the front-running spot.

Saturday and Sunday the Braves will be in St. Petersburg for a two-night stay at Lang Field against Art Rebel's aints. Monday and Tuesday night finds Miami Beach's Flemings at West Side park (1400 West Broward blvd.) for 8:30 clashes with Chuck

If we noticed little pleasures
As we notice little pains,
If we quite forgot our losses
As we remembered all our gains,
If we looked for people's virtues
And their faults refused to see;
What a comfortable, happy,
Cheerful place this world would be!"

—Apost.

Dr. James E. Folsom

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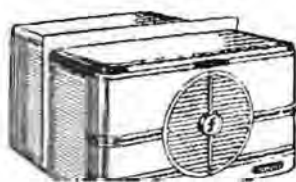
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POMPANO BEACH NEWS

The hope that a major league baseball team might select Pompano Beach for training is expressed by City Commissioner W. K. McLean and W. L. Kester if the location of the park is changed to the southeastern strip of the airport.

The present park donated in part by Kester, holds a deed restriction to the property requiring the land to be used for public purposes. The other half of the 10-acre park was sold to the city by W. L. Blount without restrictions.

City Manager H. P. Edmond has suggested that the park be sold, if deed restriction can be removed, so that funds could be used to build a better and bigger athletic field between NE Sixths st. and NE Eighth st. east of 12th ave. to Beachway.

A plan to eliminate the pine trees planted in front of the elementary school will be submitted to the city commission by City Manager H. P. Edmond in an effort to reduce accident possibilities.

The space could be paved and a sidewalk added to give more room and safer conditions to children whose parents leave them in front of the school each morning, Edmond explained.

The two new traffic lights to be added to the present one on Federal Highway, with one light placed north and the other south of the present signal, would eliminate hazards to motorists going east and west on Atlantic Blvd., according to Chief of Police Frank Tuppen, as reported to the City Commissioners. As it is so many people try to beat the light when it is changing.

City Manager H. P. Edmond stated that the three traffic lights will be synchronized so that a driver maintaining a speed of 25 miles per hour will not have to stop.

The entire community will pay a 10-mill tax with residents in the east paying an additional mill on District Two assessments and residents in the west paying an additional two mills on District One assessments.

"This raises the operating and maintenance ad valorem taxes by one mill," explained G. T. Hull, Jr., city commissioner, "but we had no alternative unless it was to retard the growth of the community."

City Commissioners approved a 11-mill tax program for the residents east of 13th ave. and a 12-mill program for citizens west of 13th ave. so that a

total of \$336,903 may be spent for the fiscal year 1951-52.

The difference in mills dates back to the debt service originating when Pompano and Pompano Beach merged into one community.

Expenditures include \$10,000 toward a library and \$10,000 for beach improvements listed as a capital improvement under miscellaneous expenses that total \$66,100.

The budgeted expenditures total \$299,817 also including \$43,285, administration department; \$67,580, public safety; \$65,290, public works; \$15,305, miscellaneous departments and \$42,257, public utilities.

Other items include \$10,000 for interest and principal payments on the city hall revenue certificates; \$9,085 for interest and principal payments on water revenue certificates; \$10,256 for principal and interest on general obligation bonds, tax district one and \$7,745 for tax district two.

A public hearing will be held after the budget has been advertised for 10 days. City Manager H. P. Edmond has not set the date.

\$12,900,350 is the property value in Pompano Beach according to the assessment roll prepared by Richard Longworth, tax assessor, and accepted by the board of equalization without a single appeal.

This figure represents an increase of \$1,794,335 over last year's total assessed value of \$11,136,044. That amount includes personal property assessments totaling \$1,160,720, a decrease from last year's \$1,667,022.

Land values totaled \$4,775,855 for the coming year compared with \$4,682,062 for last year. The greatest increase was shown in improvements with a total of \$6,993,805 for the coming year compared with \$5,386,690 last year.

Longworth subdivided his report into district one, west of 13th ave. and district two, east of 13th ave. representing the division before Pompano and Pompano Beach were incorporated into one community.

Personal property, land and improvements were greater in the section east of 13th ave. Personal property totaled \$1,234,390 for the 1951-52 fiscal year in district two and \$926,330 in district one.

Land in the first district totaled \$1,480,925 compared with \$3,294,930 in the second district. Improvements totaled \$2,761,110 in the first district and \$4,232,695 in the second district.

Every Saturday night at the Sit 'N' Sip is "Corsage Night". Through the courtesy of Pompano Flower and Gift Shop a beautiful corsage will be presented to one of the lucky patrons of this popular establishment.

POLICE NEWS

James Elijah Davis of Ft. Lauderdale was fined \$18.00 by Acting Mayor Hagen at the Mayors' Court last Friday. Davis was up on a speeding violation and a warrant was issued for failure to appear on a summons.

Joe Lawyer of 420 NW 14th Terrace, Ft. Lauderdale forfeited an \$8.00 bond. His violation was for "No Passing."

In case of emergency for Police call 2-1411, that is the Ft. Lauderdale Police Department number and the call will be put out for radio contact with the Village patrol car.

BETWEEN YOU AND ME

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thing if the Village Council, Civic Association, Woman's Club, Kiwanis and Businessmen's group got together to plan such an event.

Saxon's Market (Luella and Paul Miskell) are renovating their store. A new floor will be laid, partitions moved to make larger space for their fast growing business and the building completely painted. Since taking over, only a short period ago, the Miskells have certainly done a nice job which is evidenced by their increased customers not only from their own Oakland Park but from Wilton Manors and Pompano Beach.

The "jam session" at the Tropical Club last Sunday from 4 to 8 with Flush Gordin at the piano proved most enjoyable from all reports. Two splendid people, Howdy and Florence Worden are certainly conducting a good clean business establishment. Their slogan, "A nice place to meet nice people," is certainly justified.

Have noticed that Williams Pharmacy is certainly shaping up with their renovation. The store, without question, is one of the finest in the state and when final plans have been completed will be a really one-stop drug store. At present Robert L. Moore has taken space and is conducting a jewelry, watch and clock repairing business. Mr. Moore has had a good deal of experience in his line and is ready to give the best of service to people in the area. Incidentally, we learned that "Doc" is getting things ready for a gigantic Rexall sale and it is well worth waiting for as we saw some of his good drug and household buys.

EARLY HISTORY—

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The canal apparently did not play an important part in transportation until years later when it had become the inland waterway. It might have been some improvement over the route of "The Barefoot Mailman" who walked the beach regularly from Palm Beach to Miami with mail and pack-

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ages. "The Commodore Story" by Munroe has this to say about it. "Previous to 1896 sailing by the ocean or walking the beach seemed about the only way until just before the railroad came a County Road was opened by which the trip from Lake Worth to Miami could be made in two days, stopping overnight at Stranahan's Camp at New River. Few traveled this very rough road, however, and before it was improved the railroad came through to Miami in 1896, and pioneer days were done." But one must remember that Munroe was a sailor at heart and never did think much of travel by land if there was an alternative water route. The County Road he speaks of thus disparagingly was a rock road before the railroad came. It became the Dixie Highway, and later, on completion of the Federal Highway, the Old Dixie.

It seems strange that inquiries about old times developed so little comment about the coming of the railroad about 1895. That must have produced quite a commotion, at least among the Indians. A railway station was located at the present Mahanna road. It was called Colohatchee. This station was later moved to Oakland Park where it later burned down. Colohatchee is an Indian place-name of local origin, current before the railroad came. It is said that William C. Collier was the first white settler in this northeast section not long after Stranahan settled on New River. He had a rich little area along the south side of the North Fork of Middle River east of the present railroad. He had an orange grove and the Indians developed quite a fondness for his oranges. They called him Colo and hatchee meant river, hence the location was Colohatchee-Collier at the river.

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Our informant knew Collier very well and described him as a well educated man, some years older than Stranahan. Collier had perforce to trade with the latter and they became fast friends. Both Stranahan and Frank Oliver were owners of land here in Wilton Manors. In fact, in 1910 Oliver, Moody and Weaver platted the land lying between the railroad and Old Dixie, south of Mahanna Road and called it Colohatchee. This was taken in recently when the Wilton Manors Village was incorporated. The name is still preserved in the Colohatchee Womens Club of Oakland Park and in the Colohatchee Nursery of Mr. Cutler. There was another old settler in the neighborhood by the name of Hatch and Mrs. Crim ascribes the origin of the name to the combination of the two names but for my taste give me the Indian source. Besides there were a lot more Indians than white in those days who needed a designation for the place where they could get wonderful fruit.

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NEWSY NOTES

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Mrs. Siefert, accompanied by her two daughters Patty and Mary and nephew, Tommie and nieces, Ann Frances and Barbara have left for an indefinite stay at Cleveland, Ohio.

I see the Charlie Horns are back.

"Doc" Williams of the pharmacy was a little unfortunate the other day

when he dropped a large roll of paper on his foot. Although "Doc" was "koed" for a short time, he was indeed fortunate that the injury was not more serious.

Heard that Jack Hines of Wilton Manors Furniture and family are back from North Carolina after a combined business and vacation trip.

Manor Craftsman, the Spavins', are planning a trip to New England.

When Tommy Thompson came home with that orchid last Friday, which he won at the Tropical Club, Mrs. Thompson couldn't believe her eyes. She knew it wasn't her birthday or wedding anniversary. Noticed that she wore it to the opening of the Tropical Club dining room, last Saturday night. By the way a nice crowd was on hand, the dinner delightfully prepared by Chef Ralph Cantall and overall supervised by Mama Maria.

Frank Ghiotto was the speaker at the last meeting of the Kiwanis Club. He took as his subject "Civil Defense."

Now that Woody Bramble and family are back from their vacation, we feel sure that Woody, Supervisor for Famous Beer Co., Schlitz distributors, will be out working hard to again win the national contest. Fred Kirkham and Dick Marthens will be plugging right along with him to again garner the coveted award, as well as Jim Rowley and Don Stonebrecken.

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