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## THE FLORIDA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Forty issues of the ***Florida Historical Quarterly*** are still in print, including several complete volumes and other scattering numbers beginning with vol. X (1931). The price to the public is one dollar per issue, but these are sold to members of our Society and to public libraries in Florida at fifty cents each. Some of the most interesting and historically valuable articles we have published are included in these. Perhaps some of our members would like to fill out their files and add this large amount of our State's history to their libraries. Nowhere else can be found so varied or more authentic narratives of Florida's past. These forty issues will be sold to members of the Society and public libraries separately, or the lot for fifteen dollars.

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### DIRECTORS' MEETING

A called meeting of the Directors was held in the Society's library on October 27. President Daniel and Miss Snodgrass came from Jacksonville, Mr. Blocker from St. Petersburg, and Mr. Thrift from Lakeland. With the Gainesville members, this was more than a quorum.

A number of matters were discussed, the results of which will be referred to the Annual Meeting. These included the Osceola Commission, the Citrus Museum, an endowment fund, a complete index to all thirty volumes of the *Quarterly*, the printing of the Society's Constitution and Bylaws, the inclusion of genealogical material in the *Quarterly*, and institutional memberships.

It was agreed that the State Library Board be urged to expand the services of the State Library to provide a department of archives, publications, general references for State officials and legislators, and a library extension service.

President Daniel reported that the Annual Meeting, which

will be held in Jacksonville at the invitation of the Jacksonville Historical Society, will be on April 25 and 26, with headquarters at the George Washington hotel.

It was agreed that a meeting of the Directors be held in January next, subject to the call of the President.

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