

Ochopee Florida
Nov. 20th 1933.

Mr. W. H. Gralle
133 Providence St.
Fort Myers Fla.

Dear Mr. Gralle:-

Pursuant to your suggestion and request I am preparing the following and will forward same to you as soon as answers to my letters are received and the other data prepared,---

Map of holdings in Collier County, relation to Railroad and Tamiami Trail, and Gulf of Mexico.

Letters from Mr. S. Rodman Ginsberg, excerpts from his report which was approved by Mr. A. J. Grief Vice President and General Manager of Haytien-American Sugar Company.

Letter from Hon. W. V. Knott State Treasurer.

Letter from Hon. Nathan Mayo, Commissioner of Agriculture of Florida.

Set-up of the members of our organization which we desire as members of new corporation to be formed to which loan will be requested, which company will operate the enterprise.

We are also having Mr. H. W. Bird of H. W. Bird Tomato Corporation write us a letter in which he will state that the lands in this vicinity when roaded and surfaced water controlled such as has been done, and for which we provide in our plan will readily rent for ten dollars per acre per year; as his company plants five hundred acres or more each year and as around two thousand acres is planted each year in this area it will show a source of revenue, a demand, as well as establish a value on our holdings; may get several letters as above.

Think it a good idea then to have some Miami Banker write as to responsibility, standing and operations of Mr. Bird and others who may write such letters.

If you think it advisable can get letters setting forth that the Seminole Indians in this area (about five hundred) would welcome a plan for them to grow sugar cane or become employed on plantation operations.

Will also send you some Kodak views of parts of our growing sugar cane.

If there is any thing else you desire me to secure or send you who will aid you in assembling the facts as you desire to present them please advise, I am,

Very truly yours,

J. F. Jaudon.