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**NEW DRAINAGE  
DISTRICT WILL  
BE ORGANIZED**

**Three Thousand Acres to  
Be Included in Arch  
Creek Project; to Run  
Canal Back Into the  
Everglades.**

Preliminary steps for the organization of the Arch Creek drainage district were taken at a meeting held at the Knights of Pythias Hall at Arch Creek last night, attended by about 50 interested property holders who decided that the district will contain about 3,000 acres.

County Attorney George E. McCaskill outlined the legal steps necessary to be taken, and directed the property owners in their conduct of the meeting. A special committee was named to circulate a petition for the signatures of property holders, it being necessary to secure either a majority of the property holders within the district or the owners of a majority of the property as signers in order to bring about the organization of the district. This special committee is composed of R. B. McCalley, R. B. Stephens and Jerome Cherbino.

This committee will hold daily meetings with the standing committee on ways and means, which is composed of James Bright, J. C. Baile, A. M. Griffing, Mr. Burr and George A. Douglass. George P. Elliott is secretary of the committee and of the organization. The place where the committees will hold their daily meetings will be announced in a few days.

According to suggestions made at the meeting last night the main canal of the district would run east from Biscayne bay opening up Big Arch Creek, to the east Dixie Highway, then south to Little Arch Creek, thence west to the Tuttle ditch, opening this ditch up and running in a north-westerly direction to pass north of Hialeah, possibly connecting with the Miami canal.