

LAKE HIGHLANDS CLUB HOUSE
CLERMONT, FLORIDA

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it purposes building for the education of veterans of the late war, in the Lake Highlands section of Florida. Jacksonville thought it had the location cinched and its chamber of commerce is sore as the proverbial bear with a sore head, because Col. G.R. Forbes, director of the veterans' bureau and who will make the selection, has intimated that the Clermont proposition looks good and will be given the onve over before any choice is made. Some of the smaller newspapers of the state are joshing Jacksonville because a little and never before geard of town like Clermont had the temerity to get something the metropolis of the state wanted.

Enough guff. If we get an agitation for a world's fair really started the CST will have the opportunity of its life to get into the limelight because it will have a cause in common with the fair--the preservation of the historic and romantic background of the state, so long neglected that it is almost forgotten. Whether we get the fair idea properly launched or do not, we will frame up a story for the papers based upon the early history of the Trail and through that work up some sentiment in favor of doing something to save the aforementioned back ground.

In the meantime believe me to be,

Yours very truly,

George H. Clements.

