

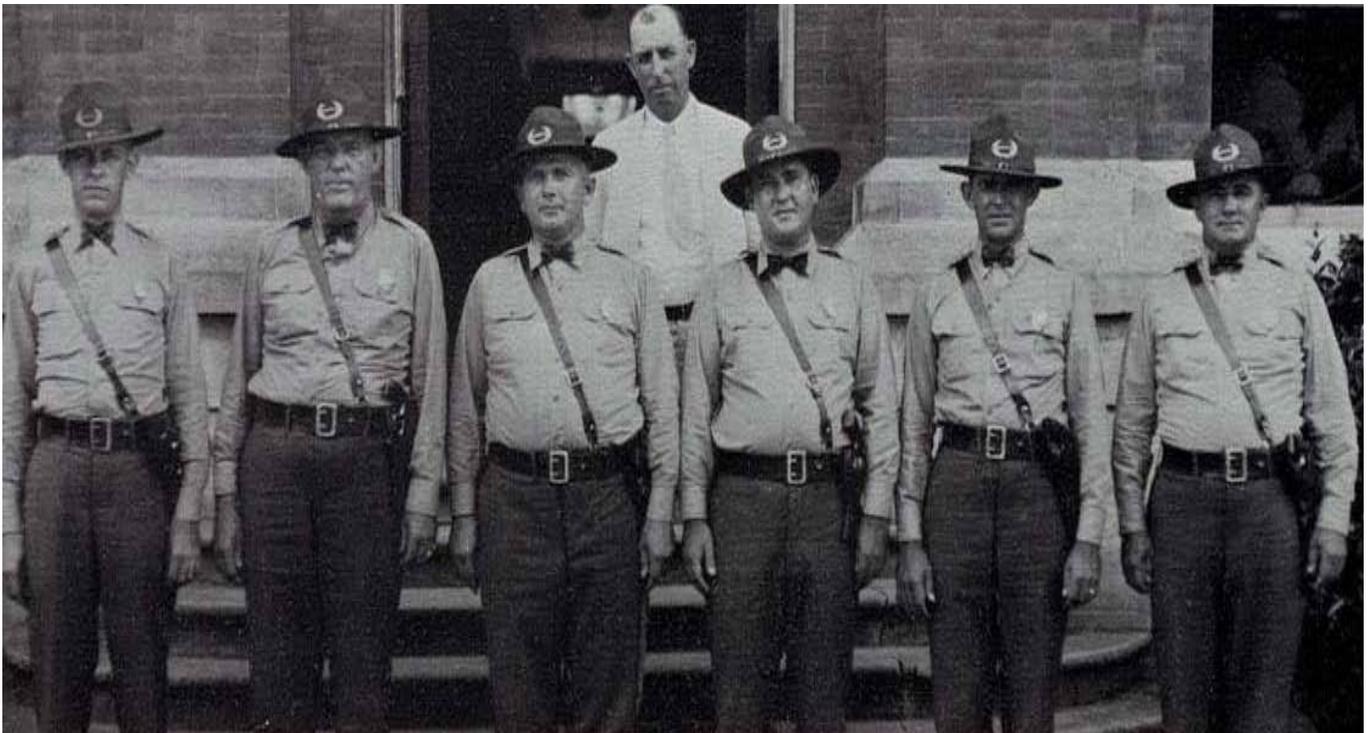
1930s



1936



1939



State Road Department Inspectors were the beginning for state law enforcement in Florida. Chief Inspector E. A. Shurman, Inspectors A. N. Motes, J. H. Vidal, C. C. Shepard and J. G. Gallop. Alachua County Sheriff J. P. Ramsey in the background.



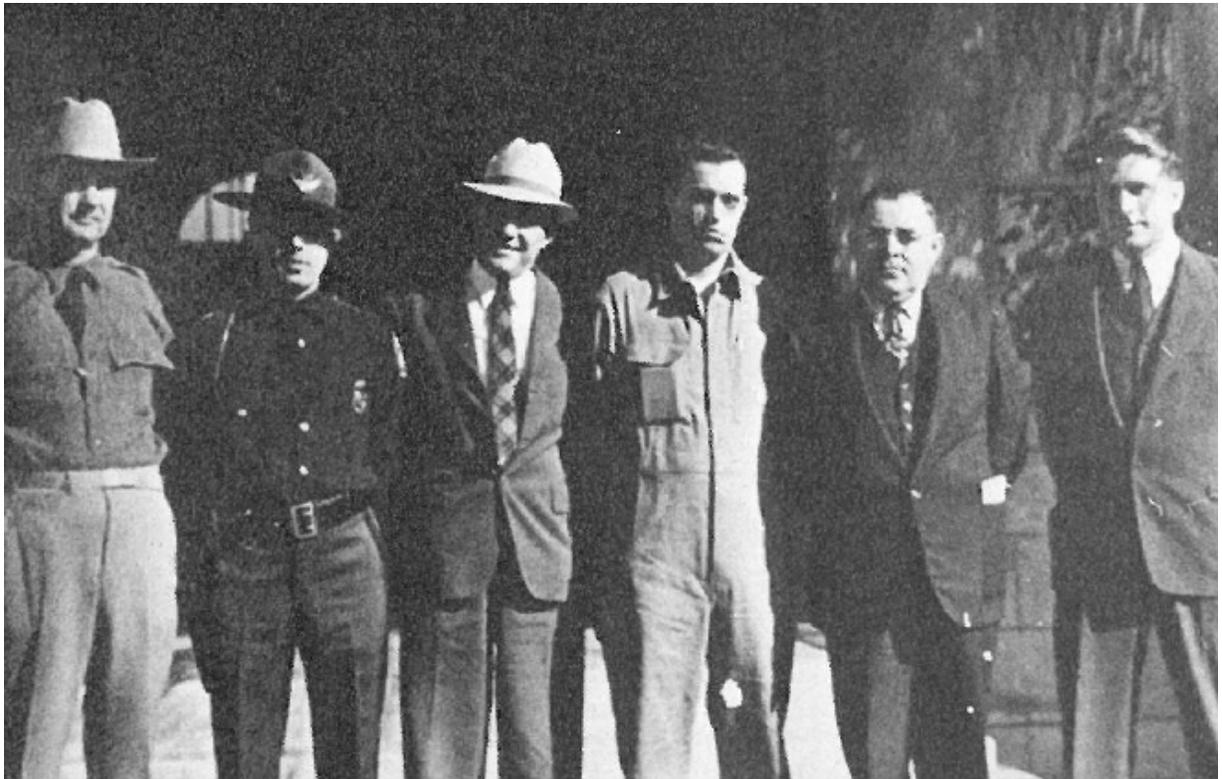
Members of the State Road Department Traffic Division. This photo was taken in Ft. Myers in 1936. Captain George Mingle in uniform (center) came to Florida to help with training. Captain Mingle later became Superintendent of the Ohio Highway Patrol.

Left to Right: Lts. Oakford, Gallop and Shepard, Capt. Mingle, OSP, Chairman Treadway, Chief Shurman, Walter R. Gall and H. M. Birtley, State Road Dept. all participated in the training school in 1936.



Simeon Huey "Simmie" Moore, an early Road Patrol employee, holding his daughter Frances Monteen "Teenie" Moore (Cave) - Madison County, Florida - 1937

Simmie drove an Indian Motorcycle at times. 1948 to 1972, he was the Sheriff of Madison County.



LtoR: Director Kirkman, Captain George Mingle, Ohio State Patrol, C. J. Hutches, Sheriff of Manatee County, James T. Lowe, Duval County Patrol, W. F. Reid, Director of Department of Public Safety and an unidentified man. Bradenton-1939