

SAINT LOUIS HERALD-EXAMINER, JANUARY 4, 1928

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The last development within the city limits in the Eastern Lake Section.

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MARVANIA INVESTMENT CO.

EXTEND THEIR HEARTIEST FELICITATIONS TO HULICK AND HULICK AT THE OPENING OF THE

Hotel Forrest Lake

NEW HOTEL VERY ELABORATELY APPOINTED

Of Three 'Test' Hotels Incorporates Many Innovations

Typical Temple Of Florida Architectural Style Designer Maintains

Designed, Operated Hulick Bros.

Magnificent Building Planned As Sanford's Achievement

On the new eighty-foot boulevard that will soon Dixie Highway down Lake shore for three miles through the main section of the city, the new Lake, Sanford's new \$1,000,000 resort hotel, accessible from all sections of town and from both crossing highways, the city's reclaimed land, by bulkheading the lake filling in with loam from the bottom of the lake, a strategic position at peninsula curving out into the waters of broad Monroe, which is the head of the St. John's River, for thousands of tourists to enjoy the fishing, comfortable hotel accommodations and double city view, which is justly

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Sanford Lake is designed as a resort house, and a new invention tending to comfortable and without atmosphere has been provided attempt to establish not a stopping place, but a new for the transient, a here costly furniture, pictures and portieres, beautiful and a pleasing harmony of color combine to furnish a quiet, dignified atmosphere with the type of the hotel will cater to the new hotel represents the highest standard of the part of Sanford, a dis-

Ball Room
Stretching 80 feet along the north side of the hotel and looking out on Lake Monroe is the spacious ballroom. It is 40 feet wide and has several entrances from every side.

The floor is of carefully selected and polished white maple, and all electric light fixtures and interior decorations are typical of that quiet good taste, exhibited in all parts of the new structure. The large French windows leading onto the north veranda afford an opportunity for the guests to stroll out and enjoy the cooling breezes from Lake Monroe.

The fair patrons of the hotel may be accommodated, the building has installed a beauty parlor on the south side of the east corridor and complete equipment for its operation.

A noteworthy feature of the new hotel will be a thoroughly modern beauty parlor, under the personal supervision of P. Paul of New York city.

Mrs. Paul, years of experience in this country and scientific European training is expected to insure the ladies of Sanford and vicinity the same expert service, in all branches of beauty culture so characteristic of the fashionable New York shops.

The public parlor is luxurious in its furnishings and is easily the most beautiful of all the rooms. It is reached by way of the west corridor and is at the west end of the lobby.

The furniture, while more expensive than that of the average hotel, is of a general design as that used in other parts of the main lobby. The windows are draped with green and a deep shade of reddish brown.

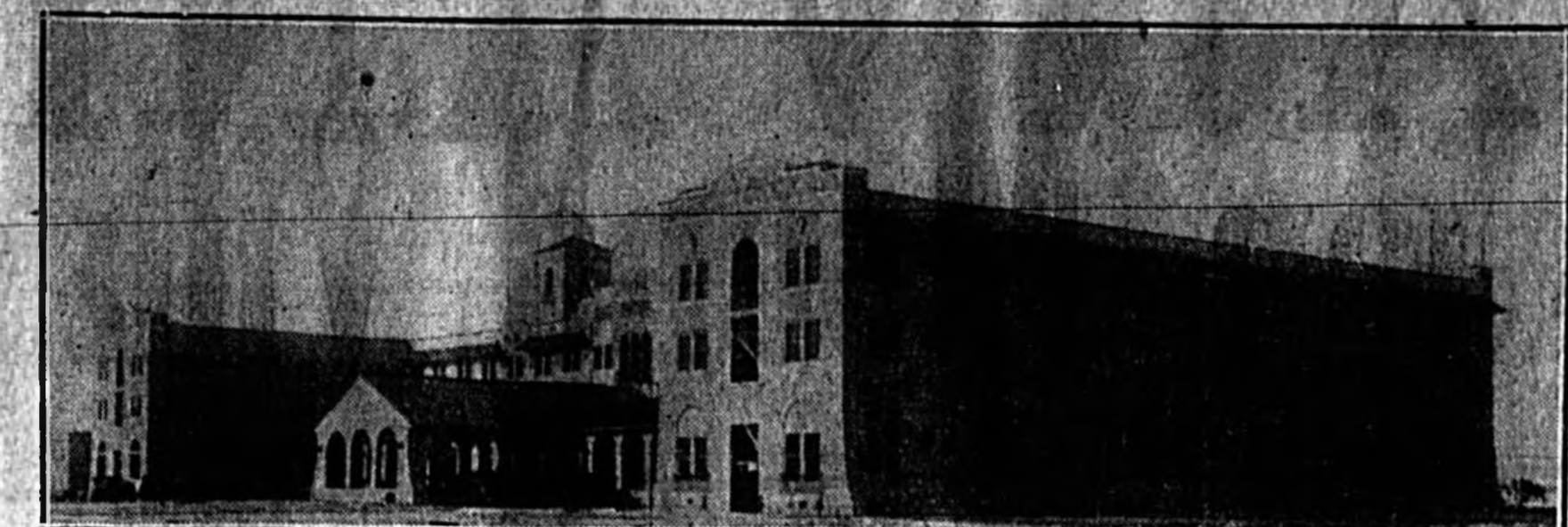
In one corner of this room is a recess nook containing several bookcases filled with a choice selection of good books. This little spot has a secluded and quiet atmosphere and is an excellent and entertaining.

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Hotel Forrest Lake From a West Side View



Located on the shores of Lake Monroe and facing First Street on the south and the proposed Seminole Boulevard on the north, the new hostelry is erected on one of the most desirable and attractive locations in Sanford.

steps are so placed that scarcely any effort is noticeable in climbing. The dining room of the new Hotel Forrest Lake lies near the west end of the main floor and faces Lake Monroe on the north and First Street Extension on the south. Its dimensions are 42 by 154 feet and it is capable of seating 380 diners.

The windows facing on Lake Monroe are arched, and a recessed wall allows for the enjoyment of the view from the room to enjoy the view. On the south end of the room, an arrangement of doors allows the cutting off of this section for use as a private dining room, and this room is expected to take care of parties, organizations, banquets and other special occasions.

The room is furnished throughout in the same design as that which characterizes the entire building. The walls have a base of buff with which has been mixed a light green and deep red mixture. The ceiling is of ivory and the draperies and tapestries are of a pale green.

The tables and chairs are of mahogany with a finish of walnut, and have tapestry seats. The lay plates are of a deep brown tone with decorations of palmetto trees and those flowers which are tropically grown.

The china ware is plain white with the family crest of Mayor Forrest Lake painted on the edge. All the linens are imported and both it and the silverware are embellished with the Lake crest of arms.

The north veranda of the new Hotel Forrest Lake stretches across the entire center of that side of the building and looks directly out upon Lake Monroe and the new 80 foot Seminole Boulevard being built by the city.

The veranda is completely equipped with vari-colored roof furniture, and has been specially manufactured for the Forrest Lake. Part of the chairs and tables are decorated in orange and black designs and others are made up of green and yellow. The color scheme is in harmony with the balcony finish and the exterior walls, which are of a deep buff color, ornamented with colored mosaic work.

These Firms Helped Build The Forrest Lake Tourist Hotel

W. D. Gerbrick Company, general contractors, John Hinduston, superintendent of construction, John Haugard, contractor's engineer; Mahoney-Walker Company, plumbing and steamfitting; S. Redick, electric wiring; Peninsula Electric Company, electric fixtures; L. Smith and Company, iron work; C. H. Johnson, roofing and water proofing; Robert Elman, painting contractor; John Green and Sons, plastering; Seldon Cypress Door Company, millwork; Hill Hardware Company, hardware; John Wanamaker Company, furnishings; Branch-Hall-Deane Company of New York, kitchen equipment; Otto Schmehl, masonry; Jacksonville Marble and Tile Company, tile work; Dixie Elevator Company, two elevators.

The beds are of the famous Englander type popular at all resort hotels, and the mattresses are a special type manufactured by the Simmons Spring-Mattress Company specially for the Hotel Forrest Lake.

There are 110 twin bed rooms, and 42 double bed rooms. Each room is equipped with a large roomy clothes closet in addition to numerous little innovations that have been incorporated into the building for the first time in the history of Florida hotel construction. The corridors run east and west 202 feet and north and south of 154 feet.

The appointment and equipment of the desk office and administration rooms is of the most modern design, the many little labor saving devices pointed out in the foregoing having been included in the Forrest Lake's design.

The large switchboard is a PBX model manufactured by the Western Electric writing and equipment. All wiring and electric communication connections were supervised by Howard Overland, whose work was praised warmly by the Hulick brothers.

The desk is attractively finished in oak, with cashier's office at the north end. Patent lockers and a distinctive room check system have been installed, and all necessary equipment in the way of notification taps, extra keys and "Not to Disturb" signs have been provided.

The hotel has two modern Otis elevators, one for passengers and another for freight. Commenting on the kitchen of the Forrest Lake Hotel, Howard Hulick said that it was with pride that he spoke of this division of the structure as absolutely the most modern and conveniently designed and arranged of any that he had ever seen.

ELTON MUGHTON IS DESIGNER OF HANDSOME HOTEL

Local Architect Says New Structure Embodies Many Distinctive Features Of Advanced Construction

In discussing details of construction in the new hotel, the architect, Elton J. Moughton, whose office is in the First National Bank building, stated that several new ideas of hotel designing had been incorporated in the plans of the Forrest Lake. The new hotel is one of the three in the state of Florida, and one of 27 in the entire country, which have been designated by the American Hotel Association as a "test" hotel.

The word "test" is applicable in the sense that many ideas and features are being tried in this new structure, which are believed to be the latest and most modern inventions for the comfort and convenience of the hotel guests and features which will, should they prove satisfactory under all conditions of service, be installed in the hotels of the association all over the country.

Mr. Moughton, who was the architect for the Sanford City Hall and other municipal buildings, as well as numerous fine residences, and prominent business buildings throughout the central part of the state, believes in adopting the name "Floridian Architecture" as being a fitting description for the new hotel and for other buildings of the same type.

California adopted the bungalow and made it popular; they did not originate the bungalow, but they designed it with a touch peculiarly Californian in style, and the name has stuck even though the rest of the country builds many, or more, in the neighborhood of all large cities as could ever be used in that state.

The potato peeler stands a revolving disk operated on an electric motor and coated with a rough sandpaper finish which chafes the skin off the potatoes while flowing water removes the waste through a pipe which leads to a receptacle outside. A large barrel of potatoes can be cleaned and washed in less than five minutes by the use of this invention.

Next to the potato peeler stands an electric meat and vegetable chopper designed for use in salad and sausage preparation. A dough mixer operated electrically with four speeds and a variety of attachments has been installed for mixing all materials that require a whipping motion.

has become symbolical with construction in Florida and is not properly fitting to the style of architecture now being used in the state, he satisfactorily proved that there are very few ideas from Spain being drawn into buildings in Florida and where the word "Spanish" originates in description of local architecture I am at a loss to explain.

"Florida has a style all its own. We can see many improvements in the plans for buildings yet to be constructed which, while they help to reproduce the atmosphere of the tropics, do not in any way resemble Spanish architecture. A combination of all the best features in building which have been developed within the past century and a half are incorporated in the Florida style, and nowhere else in the world can one see such beautiful, yet practical and substantial buildings as those now being erected over the entire state," Mr. Moughton concluded.

"The new Hotel Forrest Lake is of this style, and in designing the plans for it we have tried to include every late improvement. I feel proud of having been the architect for a new structure that is sure to bring more and more visitors to bring more and more visitors to enjoy the hospitality of Sanford."

All Employees Experienced
The office staff of the Hotel Forrest Lake has been carefully selected from the ranks of experienced resort hotel men, and every employee entrusted with the provision of guest needs and the administration of the desk office has had many years of service in this kind of work to equip him for his duties.

Eugene Hendrickson, chief clerk, was for many years clerk and desk man of the Berkeley-Carter Hotel at Asbury Park, one of the leading resort hotels of the east. He has been in hotel work for more than 12 years, and is said to be thoroughly conversant with the duties of his office.

Charles Dittmar, who was associated with the Hulick brothers at the Loch Arbor summer hotel in Allentown, N. J., has been appointed assistant clerk of the Forrest Lake, and Mrs. Mabel Beech, an experienced office worker, who will for several years bookkeeper for Cheney Stores, has assumed her duties as private secretary to Howard and Bloomfield Hulick.

All other employees of the hotel, including waiters, cooks and housekeepers and maids have had years of experience in their respective positions, the majority having been brought here direct from the Loch Arbor hotel. Mr. Howard Hulick, president of the New Jersey Hotel Association, and was treasurer of the same organization for one year, resigning to give his attention to private affairs.

Promoters Of New Hotel Speak Of Its Value To This City

Howard Hulick



HULICKS FAMOUS AS RESORT HOTEL ADMINISTRATORS

Howard H. and Bloomfield Hulick, owners and operators of the new Hotel Forrest Lake, have been identified with the hotel profession for more than a score of years and both are well known in hotel circles in all sections of the United States.

Howard Hulick began his chosen career 23 years ago when he built the Hotel Brighton at Asbury Park, N. J., and operated the house under the firm name of Hunt and Hulick.

Six years later his brother, Bloomfield became associated with him in the building and management of the Loch Arbor Hotel at Allentown, N. J. The two brothers have managed this hotel successfully for the past 17 years, during which time they also became identified with leading resort hotels in various parts of the nation.

Howard Hulick was for two years president of the New Jersey Hotel Association, and was treasurer of the same organization for one year, resigning to give his attention to private affairs.

Bloomfield Hulick is a member of the same organizations to which his brother belongs, and is also an executive member of the New Jersey Hotel Association, and was for a number of years in charge of registration at the annual convention of the New York Hotel Association.

Howard Hulick is a member of the Chamber of Commerce, and one of the first to suggest the need of a tourist hotel here, today lauded the following statement relative to the opening of the new Hotel Forrest Lake:

Wider Popularity As Tourist City Will Come According To Leading Citizens

Hulick Brothers Warmly Praised

Mayor Forrest Lake Says Opening Is Memorable Event

The men who were largely responsible for inducing the builders of the new hotel to select Sanford as an ideal location for such a modern tourist home were interviewed this morning by a representative of the Herald and their statements on what benefits the city will derive as a result of the building of the hostelry are given as follows:

Mayor Forrest Lake
Mayor Forrest Lake, the man for whom the new hotel was named, and one of the original instigators of the movement to provide the city with a modern tourist hotel, today gave out the following statement:

"With the completion and the opening of the new hotel, another solid block is added to the structure of substantially which this city boasts, and I believe I am expressing the sentiments of every citizen when I say that we are proud to call this magnificent edifice, whose visitors to our city may receive and enjoy the hospitality for which Sanford is noted, our very own."

"For several years past it has been evident that the need for a modern tourist hotel was very pressing and that one of the greatest means of selling Sanford to the rest of the nation would be had through the erection of such a hotel. Through the efforts of several of our leading citizens a movement was launched in an endeavor to interest experienced hotel men in the city of Sanford as an ideal location for a modern tourist hotel."

"The efforts of these earnest workers have borne fruit to such an extent that today we have this beautiful new hotel directly in our midst."

"It seems fitting that at this time all praise and all credit should be extended the Hulick brothers for their ceaseless and untiring efforts to complete the hotel on scheduled time and without sacrifice of any of the essentials in making it a thoroughly modern and comfortable hostelry, comparable to the urban hotels of the state and nation."

"And now that the hotel is complete, I feel that we should gaze upon it with a deep feeling of satisfaction which is derived from a deed well done. I believe that the new hotel is an inspiration for the citizens of Sanford to spur them on to future deeds of greatness for the city. Other outstanding improvements will follow, more hotels will be built, our business and social life will prosper, and Sanford will take its rightful place among the metropolitan cities of the South."

Edward Higgins, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and one of the first to suggest the need of a tourist hotel here, today lauded the following statement relative to the opening of the new Hotel Forrest Lake:

"After long months of effort on the part of citizens interested in the welfare of the town, Howard and Bloomfield Hulick were induced to come to Sanford to investigate the possible location here of a modern tourist hotel. That their efforts were successful and that the Hulicks were impressed with the possibilities of such a structure in this city, the completed hotel today stands as testimony."

"Magnificently rearing its beauties within a stone's throw of shimmering Lake Monroe, the Forrest Lake is a completed monument to the untiring efforts of those loyal sons of Sanford and to the Hulick brothers, who have overcome many difficulties and who had many trying hours during the past months while the hotel was in process of building."

"That this magnificent home for tourists and travelers will greatly enhance Sanford's value as a wintering resort and add to the widespread publicity of the city is a foregone conclusion, and not only in the hotel one of which Sanford alone will boast, but it is of greater value in 1926. The club has two candidates for first base in George Grantham, a comparative youngster, and Shuffy McIntosh, the veteran whose leading innings was starting the ball to rolling."

SMOKE PROPOSES FROM WASHINGTON, Jan. 4. (AP)—A congressional investigation of the long standing...

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"On the High Shores of St. Johns River"

EXTENDS

Heartiest Congratulations and Best Wishes

to

Hotel Forrest Lake

INDIAN MOUND VILLAGE is designed to supply the perfect setting for those people who desire to consummate their dreams of an ideal home in this matchless section of Florida.

It would seem impossible to demand of location more than Indian Mound Village offers, and that's exactly the reason lot sales are approximately \$100,000.00 at the close of the first week.

There are just 116 lots now on sale, and our sales efforts are exclusively for Sanford people during this week. Don't fail to make your reservation.

The Davey-Winston Organization, Inc.

SALES AGENTS

Masonic Building

Telephone 707

CAROLINA SPORTS 14 DEAD IN AUTO MISHAPS

Of Eleven Southern Shows 61 Killed and Injured in Motor Accidents During Week

SA, Ga., Jan. 4.—(P)—A week ran Christmas week second for the number of fatalities in the accidents. The death toll for the previous week witnessed 70 persons in traffic accidents, 231 injured last week.

These figures are reported today by the Press in 11 states.

14 killed, her nearest being Florida and Michigan eight each. Kansas reported only one fatality.

Dead in accidents with 49, Florida scored 42. Georgia followed with 35. Alabama had only two.

Reduction of about \$330, voted by the House must be preceded by the senate.

is proud to claim an attorney general an ex-teacher, Miss Grace E.

tern Lectures by Leah A. Watters

WOMAN'S CLUB HOUSE AT 4:00 P. M.

h Lake country and her Jan. 6.

burgh, Scott and Burns—Jan. Chubb and Chaucer's Tales—2.

Course Tickets \$1.25

Leads Quintet



This is Alfred Mannheim, captain of the Columbia University basketball quintet. He plays center and is a good all-round performer.

Columbia hopes to make a big showing in the eastern collegiate chase.

WITHDRAW TROOPS SOON

TOEIO, Jan. 4.—(P)—The war office has announced that all troops will be withdrawn from Mukden before January 8, except the regulation railway and consulate guards. It was stated also that Marshal Chang Tso-Lin had sent his regrets over the rebellion involving his lieutenant, Kuo Sun-Lin, and promised future peace in Manchuria.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA, IN CHANCERY.

GEORGE BLASENICK, Complainant, vs. ALFRED D. LEVESQUE and Ida L. Levesque, his wife, if they, or either of them be living, Charles Winters, if living, all heirs, legatees, devisees or grantees of William G. Audenried, deceased, all heirs, legatees, devisees or grantees of Robert H. Ramsey, deceased, Volusia Investment Company, a corporation, and all unknown persons, heirs, devisees, grantees or grantees, claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described in this Order of Publication.

THE STATE OF FLORIDA, TO THE FRESHEST: I, V. E. DOUGLASS, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Seminole County, Florida, at the Court House in Sanford, Florida, this 2nd day of Jan., A. D. 1926.

known persons, heirs, devisees, grantees or grantees of the above named deceased, if they or any of them be dead, and all persons having or claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described, situated in Seminole County, Florida, and more particularly described as: The North one-half (N½) of the Northeast one-quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) Township Twenty-four (24) North Range Thirty (30) East.

It is ordered that you and each of you appear to the sworn Bill of Complaint herein filed on or before the first day of February, A. D. 1926, the same being Rule Day of said Honorable Court.

Witness the hand and seal of V. E. DOUGLASS, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Seminole County, Florida, at the Court House in Sanford, Florida, this 2nd day of Jan., A. D. 1926.

BY: A. M. WEEKS, D. C. ALDRIDGE HART, Solicitor for Complainant.

Business Site On Railroad

One block from First Street. Frontage on three paved streets. Railroad frontage entire block. Plot contains about 56,000 square feet. Price, \$37,500. Terms arranged.

The speculative possibilities of this plot will appeal to discriminating investors because no transfer has occurred in years and it is held by one individual owner.

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Lansing, Michigan



Our Heartiest

Felicitations are extended to Hulick & Hulick upon the completion, and opening of the Hotel Forrest Lake.

WE CONGRATULATE THE CITY OF SANFORD, AND THE PEOPLE AT THIS TIME WHEN THE DOORS OF THIS MAGNIFICENT HOSTELRY WILL BE THROWN OPEN TO RECEIVE THE MANY VISITORS TO THIS FAIR CITY.

Plumbing and heating installed in the new Hotel Forrest Lake by this company. Another proof of our satisfactory service.

Mahoney & Walker, Inc.

207 East Commercial Street, Sanford, Florida

Our Appreciation---

It is with pleasure we look to the completion of the Hotel Forrest Lake, another beautiful building to our credit in Sanford. We wish to refer you to Hulick & Hulick, owners of the new hotel whether or not we have made good our contract, and we willingly accept their decision.

We take this means to thank the sub-contractors, material dealers, transportation companies and every individual who co-operated with us and helped us to complete the structure on appointed time. It is our hope that the united effort that led to the building of the Hotel Forrest Lake, will continue for, with this unselfish spirit of progress and co-operation bigger and better things are in store for greater Sanford during 1926.

May the New Hotel Forrest Lake prosper and prove a great benefit to Sanford.

W. D. GERBRICH CO.

General Contractors

SANFORD

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To Change This Year's

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 THE COMRADES OF THE
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ON, Jan. 4.—(AP)—The riv-
 al fiddlers seems to be
 bad as the Charleston
 e. A competition for the
 and title begins at Pro-
 night. A world cham-
 meeting is between Dun-
 Uncle Jimmy Thompson,
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It may be winter up north, but it's
 still summer down in Mississippi.
 Miss Patsy Nelle Jolly of Gulfport,
 Miss., was elected queen of a bath-
 ing beauty pageant held there on
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 When Knud Rasmussen took his
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 sledge and a single dog team, he
 completed the longest sledge jour-
 ney ever made.

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 Country Club and Golf Course
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A great big group of attractive coats priced
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Nearly every smart fabric
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Afternoon Dresses

Our entire stock of fall afternoon dresses will
 be placed on sale at these two special prices.
 Fall models of satins and crepes in most be-
 coming styles, showing long sleeves and high
 necks.
 Favored among the colors are cuckoo, wren,
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 Dresses originally retailing for \$29.75, for these
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 Another group of dresses priced to sell as high
 as \$49.75, now—
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Speak Of Its To This City

(Continued From Page 1.)

The people of the city to Sanford has long ago in its swaddling story emerged into a healthy and developing metropolis of central section of Florida. I know, that when the development of our possibilities, other necessary and improvements, and more will follow.

Harry T. Bodwell

Bodwell, one of the first and best of the plans for a large resort today declared that the plan of last year's plans section marked an epoch in the development of a city from a small town to a city.

traced just as accurate child's growth to maturity in its swaddling story has conformed in the development of cities. First came the streets, then modern utilities, then sanitation and water development, and now come the big requisites, an elaborate hotel that will be the highest type of visitation that Sanford needs development along high roads.

Sanford has long needed a tourist hotel. Mr. Bodwell continued, fulfillment of this need was in Sanford history. Development that contributed largely to this more than any other element that Sanford has its long list in the past.

well said that the contributed by the hotel operation of many sections of the city result in bringing to the city a new vitality, and the substitution of real estate activity in other industries.

menting on the management of the hotel, Mr. Bodwell said in his opinion no better efficient hotel men have been secured than the others.

ve E. C. Miller, of New York, to thank for the Hulick presence here in the city.

"For it was Mr. Miller suggested the Hulicks as men to operate a resort hotel at Sanford.

Hotel Forrest Lake means Sanford than the young of this community can realize," said Frank P. today in commenting on the opening of the Hulick brothers' half-million dollar resort.

an old timer like myself, I can say in connection with the hotel opening without regretting the statements of others," Mr. Key added, "but I do want to try to impress upon Sanford citizens the importance of the establishment of a resort hotel here, where no tourist hotel has existed hitherto, despite the increasing number of tourists who have been wintering in Sanford."

"This city's location on a great scenic inland waterway extending for many hundreds of miles will in the near future make Sanford one of the most popular resort centers in this section of Florida," Mr. Key said, "and in supplying the Hotel Forrest Lake the city of Sanford has laid the corner stone of its resort development."

Mr. Key was also loud in his praise of the Hulick brothers for their work in opening the building so near the scheduled date despite innumerable delays and inconveniences caused by rail embargoes.

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Miss F. Whitner

F. Whitner, cashier of National Bank today declared the opening of the Hotel Forrest Lake has removed the last obstacle in the path of any aided development.

"Commercial and industrial development has always advanced from earliest times," Whitner said, "but in Sanford, on agricultural and industrial improvements Sanford has effected the stimulation of trade, an industry which is recognized as a fundamental of any Florida community."

establishment of this large, modern hostelry here has done this fault to a large extent. Transients may now find accommodations comparable to the finest obtainable in any section of this state.

of prosperity. Mr. Whitner declared, "and any community does not supply tourist attractions never hope to keep up with the development of other cities that recognize the importance of tourist trade and those many innovations that transients demand."

Mr. Whitner said, "Nearby the sea filled with fish, near the shore and hammocks abound in

OUT OUR WAY



By Williams

INDIAN MURDER MYSTERY SEEMS NEAR SOLUTION

Wholesale Killing Ring Is Scouted As Federal Men Close Net Around Group Suspected Of Many Deeds

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 4.—(AP)—The Osage murder mystery, as dramatic as any created by a novelist's pen, today seemed nearer a solution.

Federal and state officers, were closing a net round suspected members of a murder ring that is believed to have been responsible for the deaths of nearly a score of Osage Indians and white persons. Action was divided today between Guthrie, where a federal grand jury is convened, to consider the testimony of 150 witnesses, and the "Osage nation," home of Osage Indians where state officials are expected to arrest several suspects.

The Indians are reputed to have the greatest per capita wealth of any group of people in the world. It has been indicated that the federal officers will leave prosecution of murder charges to the state. The belief is that many times the murders were the outgrowth of a conspiracy to gain possession of the fortunes of the victims, estimated to total \$2,000,000.

Although the most recent of the crimes was committed about three years ago, none of the perpetrators have as yet been brought to justice.

It appears that solution of the case would revolve about the dynamiting of the W. E. Smith home in Fairfax, three years ago. The Oklahoma City Times has asserted that Dick Greig, inmate of the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, has confessed to complications in the crime.

Smith, his wife, and Anna Brookshire, a servant girl, were killed by the explosion. Smith was a white man and his wife was an Indian, a sister of Ann Brown whose immediate family was either killed or died under mysterious circumstances. Seventy witnesses are to be summoned.

SINGS AFTER VICTORY

LONDON, Jan. 4.—(AP)—Joe Doop, a Dutch heavy weight boxer, who sings from the ring. After forcing Billy Presgrave, an Englishman to quit in two rounds, Doop sang.

Long before Archimedes, the Mayan worked out a system for measuring time, which is more accurate than any system ever evolved in the whole course of the world's history.

Not only do the Mayans not make history; they take advantage of it.

Fights Last Night

Loughran, of Philadelphia, outpointed Ferrah, of Grand Rapids, 10 rounds.

NEW YORK—Dave Shade of California defeated Roland Todd of England, 10 rounds; Tommy Freeman, Hot Springs, scored a technical knock-out over Sammy Baker, of Mitchell Field, 7 rounds; Willis Harmon, of New York, knocked out Nate Goldman, of Philadelphia, 2 rounds.

NEWARK

Mickey Walters of Newark, defeated Pete Zivic, of Pittsburgh, 10 rounds.

MILWAUKEE—Solly Seaman, of New York defeated Billy Bortfield, of Milwaukee, 10 rounds.

SAN FRANCISCO—Frankie Campbell, of San Francisco, won a decision over Frankie Muskie, of St. Paul, 10 rounds.

KANSAS CITY—Ever Hammer, of Chicago beat Bud Hamilton, of Kansas City, 10 rounds.

CINCINNATI—Billy Ryan, of Cincinnati, outpointed Bobby Barrett, of Philadelphia, 10 rounds.

Buffalo—Jimmy Slattery, of Buffalo, won a decision over Maxie

PHILADELPHIA

Honey Fitz Finegan, of Boston, defeated Lew Mayors, of Baltimore, 10 rounds.

Mike Dundee, of Philadelphia beat Billy Kennedy, of New Orleans, 10 rounds; Freddy Boyistem, of Pittsburgh won from Harry Fischer, of Philadelphia, 6 rounds; Joe Chasney, of Baltimore, beat Ray Mitchell, of Philadelphia, 6 rounds.

Combination



The newest pearl necklaces combine the charms of the choker with the grace of the longer string of beads, by the device of wrapping themselves quite tightly twice, rather than three times around the throat, and once loosely.

George Washington was born at Wakefield, his father's plantation.

"The average tourist is a stickler for form and comfort, and must necessarily be surrounded by every facility for an enjoyable visit. Fanned and petted and luxuriously served everywhere, it is not to be expected that he will make an extended stay in a city that cannot offer the comforts and blandishments that he is used to."

"The Hotel Forrest Lake's appointment and skilled corps of employees are capable of supplying every tourist whim," Mr. DeCottes said, "and the well known dining service characteristic of Hulick hotels will attract many to the Forrest Lake in preference to many hotels operating in this section of the state."

"A city is judged largely by its hotel accommodations," Mr. DeCottes said, "and this fact has in the past been a great detriment to the development of Sanford as a resort center, while comfortable commercial houses have long been in existence here, so strictly tourist hostelry has been in operation."

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Jacksonville, Fla.

E. C. Miller, President of Sanford Grove, Inc., and for fifteen years a delighted patron of Messrs Howard and Bloomfield Hulick's Loch Arbor Hotel at Attenhurst, N. J., takes this opportunity of extending to the Hulick brothers his heartiest congratulations upon the opening of their new Florida tourist hotel, and his assurance of the unparelled success that must attend their Florida venture.

Announcing

The Opening

of the

HOTEL FORREST LAKE

"A Northern Hotel In The South"

SANFORD

In The Heart Of Florida

Monday, January 4th, 1926

THE REALIZATION OF A DREAM COME TRUE.

We desire to express our keen appreciation to the architect, general contractor, sub-contractors, mechanics, material men, and all who have contributed in any way to the successful completion, on time, of this splendid new enterprise.

Also to Mayor Forrest Lake, City Manager Williams, Frank Forster, President of First National Bank, Hutton Construction Co., Edward Higgins, President of Chamber of Commerce, H. T. Bodwell, all city officials, as well as every man, woman and child in Sanford, we owe a debt of gratitude for their unstinted support, both physical and moral and without which Hotel Forrest Lake could not have been a reality.

Let's Go for a Bigger and Better Sanford

BLOOMFIELD HULICK
HOWARD HULICK

YOUR NEWSPAPER
Largest in Florida's Heart,
World's Greatest Vegetable
on Its Richest Garden Land

The Sanford Herald

THE WEATHER
Florida: partly cloudy, probably
showers in central and north
portions tonight and Wednesday
and in extreme north portion

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LOCAL MINISTER FACES LARGEST CHARGE

Mayor Begins Twelfth Term As Mayor

COLLECTION IS ANNOUNCED AT SPECIAL MEET

At a special meeting held at the city hall last night, Mayor Forrest Lake announced that he had been elected to his twelfth term as mayor of Sanford.

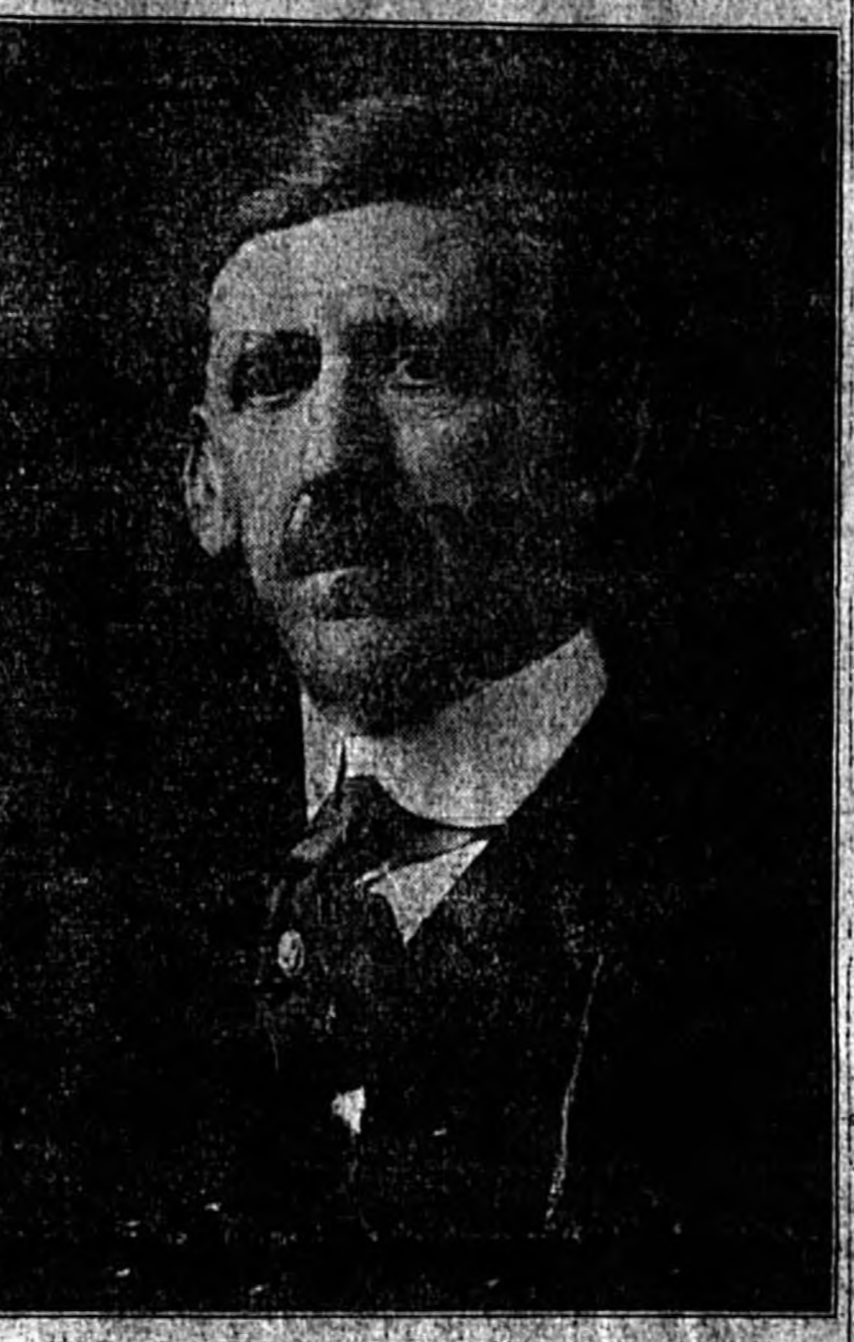
News Summary

LOCAL
Forrest Lake is elected mayor of Sanford to commence twenty-fourth year of service as city's chief executive.
Local office of Southern Bell Telephone Company reports tremendous increase of business during past year.
Judge J. G. Sharon opens court with 62 cases on docket.
Robert Scott, commissioner-elect, is officially sworn to fill vacancy caused by expiration of Dr. C. J. Marshall's term of office.
Per capita cost of city government shows decrease over last year's figures.
Detroit financier says Sanford needs more homes.
Hundreds attend public reception at new Hotel Forrest Lake last night.
County license increase in number over 1924 instances.

SCORES VISIT SANFORD'S NEW HOTEL MONDAY

Hullek Brothers Recipients Of Scores Of Congratulatory Messages From Hotel Owners All Over Country

Re-Elected Chief Executive Of Sanford



Mayor Forrest Lake today started his twelfth term as mayor of Sanford, having been re-elected at a special session of the City Commission this morning after E. F. Housholder had been sworn in as the successor of Dr. C. J. Marshall.

Public Reception Is Given By Operators

Hotel Orchestra Furnishes Music For Dancing Which Was Enjoyed In Evening

Scores of congratulatory telegrams from various hotel owners and patrons in many sections of the United States and Canada were received by Howard and Bloomfield Hullek yesterday and this morning following the opening of the new Hotel Forrest Lake, Sanford's half-million-dollar "best hotel on the lake shore."

At the public reception held last night, the lobby, corridors and rooms of the building were thronged with admiring Sanford citizens and many visitors from Orlando, Daytona and other nearby points who came to inspect and "praise what is said to be one of the most thoroughly modern and elaborately appointed hotels in this section of the state."

Masses of flowers presented by many citizens were placed in profusion about the lobby and were mixed with tropical shrubs and pot plants, creating beautiful displays with rich tints of red and orange.

While the older heads formed an interested gallery of spectators, many of Sanford's younger set enjoyed dancing to a late hour in the large ball room on the lake side of the building, music being furnished by the Forest Lake Trio, augmented by several local musicians.

The Forrest Lake Trio is composed of Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, and Miss Elizabeth Hillek, who specialize on dance and concert music of the classical, operatic and popular classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray were formerly concert musicians at the Fort Sumner Hotel in Charleston, S. C., one of the South's leading resort centers. They will remain at the Hotel Forrest Lake for the remainder of the season according to an announcement made today by the Hullek brothers.

More than 850 names were registered on the book of visitors at the Forrest Lake last night, and it is thought that less than a fourth of the attendance complied with the request of the management in this connection.

The list of registered names includes many distinguished persons from practically every section of the United States, and in commenting this morning on the multitude of "communities represented," Howard Hullek declared that few realized what a cosmopolitan citizenship Sanford boasted until a perusal of his guest book brought out the fact that practical by every state in the Union, and some parts of Canada had helped to swell this city's list of permanent residents.

"I naturally have in mind a few things in regard to our city, which I shall advance and endeavor to have such matters properly placed before the commission for favor," Housholder said.

"In assuming office today I do so with a grateful desire to assist in the forward movement of Sanford. The interest of Sanford and the people of our city as a whole will always be uppermost in my mind and efforts."

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E. F. HOUSHOLDER COUNTY COURT IS TAKES SEAT ON OPENED WITH 52 CITY COMMISSION CASES FOR TRIAL

Successful Candidate In The General Election Of Dec. 8 Is Officially Installed To Succeed Dr. Marshall

Before a crowded courtroom with a docket of 54 criminal cases and 18 civil cases, Judge J. G. Sharon this morning opened the regular January term of the Seminole County Court.

The entire morning was occupied with the calling of the cases, setting the dates for their trial and entering the pleas of the various defendants.

E. F. Housholder, prosecuting attorney, and members of his staff were kept busy reading the indictments in the criminal cases and the deputies from the office of Sheriff Hand were engaged in rounding up witnesses, and defendants who had been released on bond following their arrests.

Judge Sharon expects to continue court throughout the week and it is believed that all the cases on the docket will be disposed of by that time.

During the morning, when the judge called the name of Pasco Duncan, charged with drunkenness, he was taken to the county jail.

Typical of the numerous letters that arrive daily at the local Chamber of Commerce requesting diversified and comprehensive information concerning the "City Substantial" is the following clipping from a communication contained in this morning's mail to R. W. Pearson, Jr., secretary:

"For a personal reason, one that seems to make it advisable that I escape the rigors of our northern winters, I am considering locating in your state. Will you object to my asking you a few questions regarding your section of the state?"

ROBERT SCOTT IS DISCOVERED IN CALIFORNIA

Brother Whom Russell Scott Accused Of Killing Drug Clerk, Was Serving Term In San Quentin Penitentiary

Will Be Returned To Chicago To Face Trial

Robert, Who Was Saved From Gallows By Governor, To Stay In Asylum For Life

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—(AP)—An invalid father last summer made frantic appeals by radio, through newspapers and friends for Robert Scott to come home and save his brother, Russell, doomed to die for a murder he said Robert committed. The pleas went unheeded and Russell, once rated as a millionaire in Canada, was snatched from the gallows by a last minute insanity verdict.

Robert Scott could not have answered the appeal, even if he had heard it. Hiding under the assumed name of John Redding, he was confined in the California State Prison, San Quentin, for a robbery of a haberdashery in July, 1924. Now he will be brought back here to face trial on a murder indictment with prosecutors determined to fight for his death.

Photographs in Chicago police bulletin broadcast in the nation-wide search for Robert, led to the identification which officers regarded as positive, in California. He showed considerable emotion when addressed as Scott and told he was waiting in Chicago for the killing, but he refused to talk. A Christmas package for good conduct, which was to be his when he had a job to go on, had been indefinitely postponed.

Robert Scott pleaded guilty and then withdrew the plea when it was indicated that the death penalty would follow. A jury trial resulted after Joseph Maurer, a drug clerk, was killed in a drug store, opposite the city hall, precipitated one of the bitterest legal fights in Illinois.

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Five Injured, Three Seriously, When Bus Turns Over In Ditch

BRADENTON, Fla., Jan. 5.—(AP)—Five persons were injured, three of them seriously, when a bus turned over near here today shortly after noon. The bus was crowded off the road by a touring car and turned turtle into a ditch. The bus was coming from Tampa with a load of passengers.

S. F. Cannon, Mrs. J. W. Spier, and Mrs. J. B. Haggard were seriously injured while W. H. Speer and Mrs. I. D. Roy were badly bruised and shaken up.

All of the passengers were on the bus that left Tampa for a tour of this section and were presumably non-residents. Their addresses were not available.

FORMER WIFE OF H. K. THAW TRIES TO KILL HERSELF

Evelyn Nesbit Takes Six Ounces Of Poison After New Year's Party During Engagement In Chicago

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—(AP)—Evelyn Nesbit, Thaw's former wife, today by drinking six ounces of a powerful disinfectant and this afternoon her condition became serious. Her physicians were forced to administer heat stimulants but they held out some hope for her recovery.

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GREENWELL IS NABBED AFTER CHURCH MEET

Officer From Atlanta Attends Services At Orlando And Recognizes Sanford Divine Denial Of Guilt Is Issued By Accused

Pastor Declares He Is Ready Make Good Money Lost In Deals

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 5.—(AP)—Rev. O. H. Greenwell, formerly pastor of a local congregation, is under bond today awaiting further developments of an indictment charging larceny after trust.

He was arrested Sunday in Orlando, Fla., after completing the morning sermon to his congregation, by a special representative of the solicitor general's office. The representative of the solicitor general's office, Bert Donaldson, was in Orlando searching for Harry Gray, charged with murdering J. L. Arnsfeldt, an aged negro watchman of the Patterson Lumber Company.

After visiting the Orlando jail to examine the prisoners there, Donaldson attended church and recognized Rev. Greenwell.

The pastor denies he is guilty of any crime and says he has given his money to certain loans and that he authorized another man to make the payments but that he had failed to do so, he said.

He expressed himself as ready to make good any sum his friends might have lost through the transaction.

No Record of Arrest
ORLANDO, Jan. 5.—(AP)—The local police have no record of Rev. O. H. Greenwell, former pastor of the South Orlando Christian Church, being arrested here. They expressed the belief that he was arrested in Sanford.

According to Chief of Police Ercerton, Bert Donaldson from the solicitor general's office in Atlanta, came here Sunday to look for Harry Gray, charged with murdering J. L. Arnsfeldt, but the man under arrest here proved not to be the one wanted.

Chief Edgerton stated that Donaldson received a telegram from Atlanta stating the Rev. Greenwell was wanted there for larceny and that an officer of the local force escorted Donaldson to the old home of the former pastor where they learned that he was in Sanford.

No Information Available Here
Police did not divulge any information today concerning the above dispatches in which it is intimated that Rev. Greenwell had been arrested at the instance of Atlanta authorities.

Efforts to locate Rev. Greenwell for a special meeting of the organization held on Sunday for the purpose of naming a chief executive to control the policies of the religious society during the year 1926.

Mr. Raffeld will direct the construction of a \$50,000 synagogue to be built at Orlando immediately, it is said, and will probably be appointed acting rabbi for the new structure upon its completion, according to officials of the organization. Mr. Raffeld has announced his resignation as rabbi and said he will be thoroughly compensated for the office.

STEELE MAGNATE
ORLANDO, Jan. 5.—(AP)—The annual meeting of the Florida Association of the U. S. Naval Reserve Officers will be held here tonight with delegates from all over the state in attendance. The meeting will be called to order by Commander T. R. Hodges, president of the association and state shell fish commissioner, at 8 o'clock at the radio station at Rollins College.

During the meeting, at which affairs pertaining to the naval reserve will be discussed, the convention will be in radio communication with the national convention of the radio station at Key West.

Co-Operation Citizens Asked

Holder Sworn In Succeed Marshall

Forrest Lake was today elected mayor of the city of Sanford for the twelfth term, a meeting held by the Commissioners for the purpose of seating, E. F. Housholder, successor to City Commissioner C. J. Marshall, whose term expired on the 1st of the year.

Commissioner S. O. Chase nominated Mr. Lake for mayor and nomination was seconded by Marshall after which the city clerk, R. Phillips, called for the vote. Mr. Lake received 23 votes and served his twenty-fourth year as mayor of the city of Sanford for the fourth consecutive term.

For Lake was first elected to the office of mayor in 1902 when he was only 23 years of age. At that time was under the old aldermanic form of government and the term of his office was only two years. At the conclusion of his term he was re-elected and resided there until he returned to this city last year he has served consecutive as alderman or commissioner.

Mr. Lake has also served the office of the legislature for four consecutive terms. He first represented Orange county and it was his second term in the legislature. This two terms from this time he succeeded in securing passage of the bill which the county of Seminole in Lake subsequent to his term in the legislature for two terms, and in the achievement of the city during the years administration were pouring friends all over the state.

Mr. Lake, in answering the question, intimated that he would continue the progressive program which he planned.

For the continued good and support of the community and the citizens of Sanford, he spoke also of the approval held for the service to the city by Dr. Marshall, the newly elected mayor, and his duties since the commission and well wishes of the community.

Mr. Marshall, whose place was taken by Mayor Lake, was sworn in as mayor of the city by the commission, as a preparation for his service during the past three years.

The mayor's words of commendation for the service of Dr. Marshall during the past three years had been heard during the term of office.

During from office I want each of you gentlemen counsel and for the unsolved in which you have with me in the proper manner the various duties that have been from time to time during the past three years. In every of business pertaining to the good of the city has been noted by the City Commission has enjoyed complete harmony.

commission will hold their monthly meeting next week afternoon for the transacting regular business, it was announced.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—(AP)—The House tax bill will increase from \$10,000,000 the limit of income tax and the reduction of the national debt, income tax bill was approved today by the House Finance Com-

LOCAL OFFICE OF TELEPHONE FIRM GROWING STRONG

Manager of Southern Bell Company Says Additional Force Required To Handle Many New Phones Installed

During the year 1925 a total of 350 new telephones were installed by the local office of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, according to an announcement made this morning by the manager, Howard Overlin.

With the addition of these new stations, the company now has in operation within the city limits, 1,611 telephones, he said.

The company employs 17 operators to secure additional outside calls and there will be a matter of only a few weeks, according to Mr. Overlin, last year, at the height of the winter season, when the number of calls was at its peak, the company only employed 18 operators.

It is estimated that during the year 1925 over 5,000 long distance calls were made from the office. In 1924 the number of calls did not exceed 3,000 per month.

"That the company is expecting great growth in Sanford is evident from the fact that they have authorized the expenditure of approximately \$57,000 in equipment for the office and the expansion of our service," Mr. Overlin said. "It is known that the switchboard facilities are to be doubled immediately and that an effort is to be made to secure additional outside calls for installation and service work."

Mr. Overlin said this morning that the rail embargo had seriously handicapped the company in its local operations and that people all over the city were calling for service phones which should have been installed long ago.

He announced that every thing within his power was being done to accommodate the public in the matter of procuring additional equipment and the installation of new phones.

Winter Park Host To Florida Naval Reserve Officers Convention

WINTER PARK, Jan. 5.—(AP)—The annual meeting of the Florida Association of the U. S. Naval Reserve Officers will be held here tonight with delegates from all over the state in attendance. The meeting will be called to order by Commander T. R. Hodges, president of the association and state shell fish commissioner, at 8 o'clock at the radio station at Rollins College.

County Licenses Of 1925 Show Big Gain Over 1924 Figures

According to figures compiled by County Collector John D. Jenkins, the number of business and occupational licenses issued during the first three months of the fiscal year, October, November and December show a gain of 30 per cent over the number issued during the same months of 1924.

Nine hundred and eighty licenses have been issued during the three months previous to Jan. 1 of this year, and in 1924 the same period showed a total of 627.

The amount collected in state licenses for the same period this year is \$5,080.64 and for county licenses \$3,928.42.

During the months of October, November and December of 1924 the state license sale aggregated \$4,205.54 and the county permits totaled \$3,312.77.

A gain of \$1,407 in revenue was made, according to the records.

Diversified Requests For Sanford Data Received By Commerce Body

Typical of the numerous letters that arrive daily at the local Chamber of Commerce requesting diversified and comprehensive information concerning the "City Substantial" is the following clipping from a communication contained in this morning's mail to R. W. Pearson, Jr., secretary:

"For a personal reason, one that seems to make it advisable that I escape the rigors of our northern winters, I am considering locating in your state. Will you object to my asking you a few questions regarding your section of the state?"

"My business will be plumbing and heating, by the day or contract. I also expect to push the sale of the new type, small cottage heater as put out by the American Radiator Co."

"I have asked the Florida representative of the American Radiator Co. to visit a locality in which he thinks it best for me to locate, and he has assured me that a single residence in that locality would be sufficient for my business."

"As to my character, and ability, you, of course, will feel an interest in them. I am a member of the Methodist Church. Have been superintendent of the Sunday school for about ten years. I have been married for about ten years. I have two children, a son and a daughter, both of whom are in school."

Detroit Financier Claims City Needs Additional Homes

"After an intensive survey of the state of Florida from its northern boundaries to the southern keys I have selected Sanford as the center of a section where building operations are destined to become most active," said Rex Racoosin, head of the Sanford Home Builders' Association.

The company was formerly located at Detroit, Mich., but the unparallelled building boom that has swept over practically all sections of Florida resulted in the removal of the firm's personnel to this state according to Mr. Racoosin.

"Sanford in my opinion is the logical location for a company planning the wholesale construction of modern homes," Mr. Racoosin said, "and this city will in the near future be called upon to supply housing accommodations for a large number of people."

"The widespread advertising that this community has launched in attracting more and more permanent residents, and the construction of houses is in my opinion of equal if not greater importance than the construction of hotels for the local guest is merely a stimulant while the permanent residents are attracted, every day more of the city's population is attracted to Sanford."

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