THEMATIC NATIONAL REGISTER NOMINATION - GEORGIA COURTHOUSES (ARCHITECTURAL SURVEY FORM FEB 2 9 1980 Name of Structure: Pike County Courthouse NATIONAL Location: Courthouse Square, Zebulon, Georgia 30295 REGISTER \$18,200 1895 Cost: Date of Construction: Contractor: Arthur Marshall of Architect/builder: Golucke and Stewart Wetumpka, Alabama Subsequent architects: TAX MAP/PARCEL NUMBERS Z-E2 Parcel 18 Zone 16/E748030/N3665590 UTM NO. DESCRIPTION: Boundary: The entire block or square upon which the court-Romanesque Style: house sits. Facade Material: Brick Acreage: 2 acres Condition: [] Excellent [] Good [X] Fair

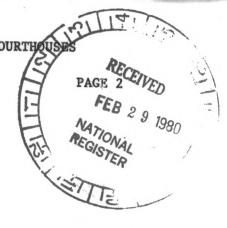
This two story, painted brick courthouse has a compact exterior with four gabled pavilions. The clock tower projects from the structure and a large round arch focuses attention on the front facade entry. The top of the clock tower, damaged in a cyclone, has been replaced by a much smaller one in no way resembling the original. The windows on the first floor are segmentally arched, those on the second floor are round arched with ornamental keystones. Some of the chimneys remain.

The first floor has a large fover with staircase and halls leading off from the entry in a Y shaped plan. In the courtroom the pressed metal ceiling is of an ornate design. Some of the old four blade fans still are suspended from the ceiling as are bare light bulbs that hang from a single cord. The litigation section is unusually large; the wooden bench is simple and given dignity by a plain entablature and engaged Corinthian columns behind it.

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SIGNIFICANCE:

See general statement of significance concerning the architect, J. W. Golucke.

The plan of this courthouse resembles the Y plan of the Johnson County courthouse also done in 1895 by Golucke.



PIKE COUNTY COURTHOUSE

MAILING ADDRESS:

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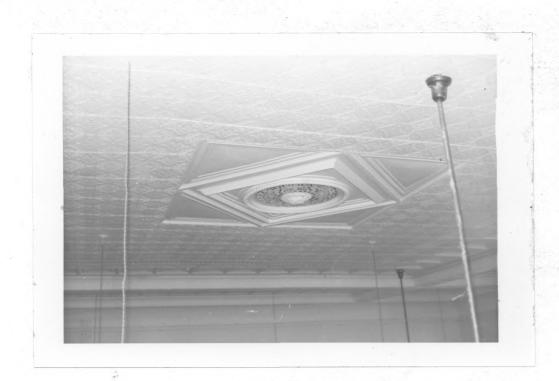
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