



## Notes of Interest

The Pensacola Grand has a rich heritage dating back to 1912. The hotel is located on the site of the historic L & N railroad passenger depot, which been restored and now houses our lobby, lounges, shops and meeting rooms.

Listed in the National Register of Historic Places, the depot was revitalized and care was taken during renovation to restore as much of the building as possible using original materials. For instance, the French clay tile roof was removed piece by piece, coded, cleaned, and each tile replaced in its original position.

You may have noticed some of the beautiful antiques which adorn the Grand's public areas. Some items of note include:

- A long, drop-cast solid bronze light from a courthouse. The Light is approximately three feet in diameter and ten feet high (Main Lobby).
- Also in the lobby you'll find an intricate inlaid jade table from Mainland China.
- A large, stained glass ceiling from a Vaudeville Theatre in Youngstown, Ohio, circa 1905. (Over the main bar in the Cavu Club).
- A heavily-jeweled ceiling dome from a theatre in Philadelphia (over the Cavu Club's dance floor).
- Five matching multi-armed cast bronze wall sconces, circa 1915 (Cavu Club).
- A large, Multiarm candle chandelier, rewired and refurbished. This beautiful piece boasts 225 lights and 150 individual crystal prisms. Originally from Baltimore, Maryland, it now graces our lobby.
- A large, copper, brass and stained glass corner clock, originally from State Savings Bank in Kentucky (Galleria).
- In "1912" The Restaurant you'll find a number of interesting items, including the entrance's Biva doors, brought from a shop in London; a cast bronze French-style chandelier from a home in Philadelphia; beveled glass windows circa 1885 from a Victorian hotel in Scranton, Pennsylvania; and scalloped-shaped grill work from Lloyd's of London, now installed on the back wall of the restaurant.