

April 14, 1917.

Manufacturers Record.,

Baltimore, Md.

Dear Sirs:-

In replying to yours of April 11th. in which you sent me certain blank forms giving road information and building information, I beg to advise that the Tamiami Trail Corporation has secured easement and Right of Way for a railway from Miami, west on the north bank of the Tamiami Trail Canal to or about the north-east corner of Monroe County, at which point we will run south-west to our about a point known as Chevelier Bay--an inland body of water very similar to Biscayne Bay on the east coast, and at which point we expect to establish one of the greatest cities and pleasure resorts in America.

This, coupled with the great agricultural possibilities of an area of 207360 acres of land which will be owned by the Corporation, will, I believe lead to one of the greatest developments in Florida has enjoyed--not even excepting Miami.

The plan of our corporation and the officers and Directors has not been fully decided upon. This information we will give to you at the earliest possible moment. However, one point is settled--that I shall be President and General Manager of the Corporation.

The Tamiami Railway will be owned by the Tamiami Trail Corporation. Hence, I will keep your information blanks and fill out and forward to you at the earliest possible moment.

Very truly,

JFJ/NE