

ALUMNI NOTES

A Request from the Alumni Treasurer

We are initiating a drive to amass a large alumni fund, and this opportunity is being used to urge every member of St. Augustine's Alumni Association to send his dues (\$1.50) to the treasurer immediately. There is a very urgent need for close financial co-operation between the Alumni and the administration of our Alma Mater, in fostering a wider and more comprehensive program, in creating new interest in our college, in sponsoring student activities, and in other ways.

If we wish to exert a worth-while influence upon the people in general and our college in particular we must renew our interest in St. Augustine's; and the right way as well as the best to show that we are interested is satisfactorily to meet our financial obligations to the Association.

CECIL N. COBLE, *Alumni Treasurer*,
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The President is in receipt of a highly interesting annual report on Health in the Negro Schools of Birmingham, Alabama, compiled by Rose Terry Brown, '12, Health Worker for the Colored Public Schools. Mrs. Brown reported 291 school visits, 459 home visits, 892 health lessons, 188 tonsillectomies and 97 cases referred to eye clinics. The children in all the public schools were weighed and measured twice during the year by this hard-working alumna.



When Attorney Hubert T. Delany was appointed Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments of New York City, with an annual salary of \$10,400, he gave credit, in an interview for the Associated Press, to his early training at St. Augustine's. He is a son of the late Bishop H. B. Delany and Mrs. Nannie Delany, both for years connected with our staff.



The annual meeting of the Alumni Association was held Tuesday of Commencement Week, in the Cheshire Building, at 2:00 o'clock. A banquet provided by the College administration afforded most excellent social contact, following which was the business session.

The annual election of officers resulted in the following selections: Dr. E. E. Blackman, President; Rev. H. J. C. Bowden, Vice President; Rev. Jas. K. Satterwhite, Secretary; Cecil N. Coble, Treasurer; John C. Davis, General Secretary.

The interest and welfare of the College was manifested in plans and projects to be worked out during the ensuing year.

A local branch of the Alumni Association has been organized in Edenton, N. C. Miss Tamar R. McClenney, '31, is president. Other officers are Mrs. J. T. Holley, N. '10, Vice President; Miss Nettie Payton, Secretary; Miss Sadie Nixon, H. S. '27, Treasurer.



THE CONFERENCE

A most successful Conference of Church Workers was assembled on the campus, June 4 to 8, inclusive. About a hundred workers were registered, and an unusually able faculty offered timely courses. Six of the Institute schools were represented, as well as such distant states as Texas, Florida and Arkansas.

Rev. Gardiner L. Tucker, D.D., Secretary of the Department of Religious Education of the Province of Sewanee, conducted the course, "Educational Program of the Parish." Other courses: Christian Faith and Social Change, by Rev. J. F. Fletcher of St. Mary's School, Raleigh; The Background of the Prayer Book, by Rev. A. S. Lawrence, Rector of the Chapel of the Cross of Chapel Hill, N. C.; Church School Methods, by Miss Louise McKinney, of the Bishop Tuttle School; Church Music, by Prof. L. T. Caldwell, St. Augustine's; Parish Problems Seminar, by Rev. J. Clyde Perry, Rector of St. Anthansius' Church, Brunswick, Georgia; Young Peoples' Work, by Miss Esther Brown, Field Secretary for the National Council, and Miss Anna Ball Gill, of the Tuttle Community Center.

A message was delivered by Rt. Rev. Edwin A. Penick, Bishop of North Carolina.

Special features included daily vesper services, out of doors when the weather permitted; a play, "Life," presented by the students who were seen in it at the University of North Carolina Play Festival in April; Church Institute Night, with motion pictures of Brazil and of the Institute schools, presented by Dr. Wallace A. Battle; an organ recital by Prof. Caldwell, and two receptions. The play was directed by Mrs. Julia B. Delany, of the college faculty. A special conference of the Woman's Auxiliary and an indoor picnic for young people were high lights.

Special mention must be made of the Memorial Service in honor of the late Honorary President of the College, Dr. A. B. Hunter. The Bishop presided, and the Ven. E. L. Baskervill, Archdeacon of South Carolina, conducted Evening Prayer. President Goold read the lesson. Appreciations of Dr. Hunter were offered by Supt. J. W. Holmes, Dean M. M. Latham, and Dean Chas. H. Boyer, of the college staff, and by Rev.

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