

Mrs. Mary Hamilton Resigns; Wiley Davis New Treasurer Of St. Aug.'s Nat'l Alumni

BY MARYLOU MCLEOD
NEW YORK—Peter G. Holden, Sr., St. Augustine's College's National Alumni reform-minded president, announced recently that he has appointed Community Development Specialist of The State of North

Carolina's Department of Local Affairs, Wiley M. Davis, to fill the unexpired eleven month term of St. Augustine's National Alumni Treasurer. The office became vacant when Mrs. Mary

Davis Hamilton of Raleigh's west South Street, tendered her resignation last May during the annual alumni meetings on St. Aug.'s campus. The resignation became effective on July 1st.

Mrs. Hamilton who served St. Aug.'s National Alumni in above capacity since 1957 was asked several times by President Holden, to withdraw her resignation. However Mrs. Hamilton, who retired from her profession recently, repeatedly

retused to continue as treasurer.

Holden lauded Mrs. Hamilton as "a devoted alumnus who has served the college and alumni association, as treasurer, for about fourteen years with honor and distinction." The dynamic reform alumni leader went on to say--"for

the record, Mrs. Hamilton's books are in perfect shape for her successor." Said he, "at the proper time Mrs. Hamilton and other alumni who have devoted a large part of their adult lives to the promotion and development of their college and alumni association,

will be recognized and honored, by fellow alumni, for all that they have done." "I am today," recommending Mrs. Hamilton's name to Mesdames India Banks Smith, Bessie Blue and Clinton Ligon, chairwomen of the National Alumni Association's Awards Screening Committee for appropriate action."

DAVIS ACCEPTS THE CHALLENGE:

In his letter of acceptance to the national president, post-marked in Raleigh, June 15th, Wiley Davis the new alumni treasurer said, "It will be an honor for me to serve the unexpired term of Mrs. Mary D.

Hamilton, treasurer of the national alumni association. I will do my best to carry out this responsibility in a manner that is in keeping with your (national president's) request and expectations."

Mr. Davis received his high school training at Kings Mountain High School in Abington, Virginia, and he went on to receive the Bachelor of Arts Degree from St. Augustine's College. The holder of Master of Arts degree from Springfield College in Massachusetts, the alumni treasurer has also studied at the University of Tennessee, The University of Denver, Florida State University,

and he has completed one year of study as a full education doctorate degree seeking student at Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah.

Mr. Davis has taught at Meadowview (Virginia) Elementary School, was instructor of troop information and education with the U. S. Army, a teacher of Social Science at Douglas High School, Elizabethton, Tenn., principal of Douglas High School and dean of students and administrative assistant to the president of St. Augustine's College (1960-'69), prior to assuming his aforementioned position with the State of North Carolina



MISS KEARNEY RECEIVES AWARD - A certificate of award was presented by the Caswell-Nash Chapter, Daughters of The American Revolution, to Miss Phyllis Kearney, left for outstanding work in American History at Cathedral School of Raleigh. This award was presented to Miss Kearney by Father Charles J. O. Connor, right last week.

THE GOSPEL WORLD

BY JAMES THOMAS

The Oxford Harmonizers, the Golden Bells, and Big John Landis and the Golden Echoes of Franklinton will sing at the Old Folks Rest Home in Creedmoor Sunday night.

The twenty-second Convocation of Mount Ziona Saints of God Holy Church of America, Inc. will convene at the headquarters, 301 South Swain St., Sunday. They are expecting guests from Rich-



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mond, Va., Baltimore, and Nigeria, West Africa.

Brother Ed Hall and the Evening Five will sing at the Church of God Of Prophecy in Clayton Sunday afternoon at 3:30.

Woman's Day will be observed Sunday at the Mt. Olive Holy Church Sunday morning. The speaker will be Sister Annie Bell Blackman. The 2 p.m. speaker is Evangelist Ida Sanders and the Gates Chapel Holiness Church congregation.

Until next week, here is our thought for today: "God is our refuge and strength, whom Lord should I fear?"

YMCA News

The Bloodworth Street YMCA Boys Day Camp Members, Counselors, and friends enjoyed a day at the Kure Beach near Wilmington on Friday. Traveling by chartered bus, the party of around fifty visited the major scenic attractions along the sea coast including the Battleship North Carolina, the Wilmington Recreational Park and the Zoological Park housing 130 different species of wild and domesticated animals in natural settings.

Recreational features especially enjoyed at the beach included surf fishing for spots and riding the white crested waves on the unusually clean sandy shores.

Mrs. Deloris Reavis of the Ligon High faculty, a member of the party, conducted a discussion on the most important features of the trip especially the visit to the Battleship North Carolina, which played an important role in winning the war over Japan in 1945.

The YMCA is now conducting its annual Membership enrollment. During the year, the "Y" expects to enroll approximately 1,500 adults and youths.

When we are too young our judgement is weak; when we are too old, ditto.

-Blaise Pascal.

He that has more knowledge than judgement is made for another man's use more than his own.

-William Penn.

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MISS SANSOM ENGAGED - Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sansom, Jr. of Raleigh, announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Berl Vivian Sansom, to Mr. Al Tony Gilmore of Youngstown, Ohio. Beryl is a 1967 graduate of Hampton Institute and a 1970 graduate of NCCU School of Law. Mr. Gilmore is presently a doctoral candidate at the University of Toledo, having done his undergraduate and graduate work in History at NCCU. An August 29th wedding is planned.

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