



MILDRED E. ENGLISH

PSI STATE: FOUNDER 1936

3<sup>rd</sup> PSI STATE PRESIDENT 1940-1942

4<sup>th</sup> PSI STATE PRESIDENT 1942-1944

EDUCATION:

B.S. and M.A. degrees from George Peabody College in Nashville, TN; Ed.D. degree from Teachers College at Columbia University, N.Y.

EXPERIENCE:

TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL

Raleigh City Schools assistant superintendent in NC; State Department of Education in TN for six years; Duke University at Durham, NC; Georgia State College for Women in Milledgeville: director of Peabody Laboratory School and professor of education (1935); Office of Military Government in Germany: educational consultant in the re-direction of German education; education advisor for the period of transition from military to civilian control; served with U.S. High Commission in Frankfurt, Germany; professor at George Peabody School in Nashville, TN

Copied from The Delta Kappa Gamma Bulletin, Fall 1957 Pages 42-43 "International Achievement Award Goes to Dr. Mildred English"

This member is honored for her long record of service to Delta Kappa Gamma. As a state founder in two states, as a state president, member of the Administrative Board, chairman of the national Committee on Constitution and the international Panel of Judges for the 1958 Educator's Award, she has helped to chart the course of our Society.

Her close contact with all movements of importance in American education have made her so well known that, in 1946, she was asked to work in Berlin on the United States program for the re-direction of German education. Later she returned to Germany to assist the High Commission in the transition from military to civilian control and finally to work with German teachers as they planned their own educational system. Probably no other person has exerted a greater influence on present German elementary education than has this member whom we honor tonight. As a speaker on international relations before many educational, civic and religious groups, as a consultant to colleges, to educational associations and at instructional conferences, she has brought great inspiration and a wealth of information to teachers both here and abroad. (CONTINUED NEXT COLUMN)

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

LOCAL CHAPTER:

Member Alpha Chapter; transfer from North Carolina; North Carolina state founder, Dr. English English, moved to Milledgeville, Georgia where she requested, and was granted permission, to be included on the founders list for the Psi State Organization she installed in 1936.

PSI STATE ORGANIZATION:

Psi State president (1940-1944 activities curtailed during World War II); North Carolina state founder; organizer for Psi State Organization (1936 later added to list of Psi State Founders but never signed Psi State Charter); attended Psi State Conventions and participated in programs; organized Beta Chapter (March 25, 1939-November 13, 1939 process began in Atlanta, with seven charter members and later finalized as five more charter members were added so that twelve charter members signed the chapter charter in Milledgeville); organized Epsilon Chapter in Columbus (February 12, 1943); organized Zeta Chapter in Atlanta (April 15, 1944)

REGIONAL (CONFERENCES, DUTIES, ACTIVITIES):

Attended regional conferences; enjoyed workshops and programs; led discussions; introduced guests; gave reports; assisted with Georgia reception for national guests

INTERNATIONAL (CONVENTIONS, DUTIES, ACTIVITIES):

Attended national conventions; elected to serve as member-at-large of National Administrative Board (1952 unable to serve due to U.S. Government appointment to military service in Germany); chairman of the Constitution Committee; member of Panel of Judges for Educator's Award (1958)

COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS:

Active in many professional organizations; sought-after speaker for educational and civic groups; author of many magazine articles concerning education and curriculum development; member of the Presbyterian Church; participated in church and community activities; served the local community through involvement in charity and service organizations

HONORS: Achievement award (Mildred English Scholarship) in education by Georgia Division of AAUW; International Achievement Award by Delta Kappa Gamma International (1957, while teaching at George Peabody School, Nashville, TN); *Who's Who in American Education*

BULLETIN ARTICLE (continued from left):

Courageous in action, generous to every worthy cause, gentle and kind to children, outstanding in her services to education, devoted to Delta Kappa Gamma—these phrases truly describe Dr. Mildred English, the recipient of the 1957 Achievement Award.