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Sarasota, Fla. -- A Sarasotan, associated with education most of his life, today was named to the Board of Trustees of New College.

George G. Collins, of 1514 Hillview Drive, has accepted an invitation to join the New College board, according to Chairman Louis H. LaMotte.

For 25 years Collins was a teacher in preparatory schools in New Hampshire and Sarasota.

A graduate of Hamilton College, he did advanced work at Columbia University, University of Massachusetts, and Dartmouth College in the fields of English, Economics, and Education.

For ten years he was on the faculty of Kimball Union Academy in Meriden, N. H., serving as English teacher, head of the department, and coach of the hockey team.

Before moving to Sarasota in 1948, he was associated with the New England Gas and Electric Association in Boston as a director of the firm and he also was active with a paper firm there.

In Sarasota Collins taught English at the Out of Door School for a number of years and helped with that school's athletic program.

LaMotte said the new trustee brings to the New College Board a great wealth of educational experience during which time he has worked with thousands of youngsters.

"Mr. Collins has a special view of education since he has helped to prepare young people for higher education," said LaMotte. "He also has been closely associated with New College during its founding years and he is quite well acquainted with its aims and its purposes."

As a member of the Sarasota College Committee, Collins was involved in the planning for the founding of New College, an interest which he maintained through membership on various functioning college groups. Mrs. Collins also is active, serving as a committee chairman for the Woman's Library Association.

Collins has been active in community service for a number of years. He is a past director of the Community Chest, was treasurer of the Citizen's League, and a founding member and trustee of the First Congregational Church.

He is a member of the Board of Governors of the Ivy League Club of Sarasota and also vice president of the Dartmouth Club.

The Collins have have three children and three grandchildren.