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## "CY" YOUNG NEW GOLD KEY PRESIDENT



MELVIN R. "CY" YOUNG

Melvin R. Young, universally known as "Cy," a tall Virginian who came to Fort Lauderdale to make his home a dozen years ago, was elected President of GOLD KEY of Nova University, following the Annual Banquet, December 1. He succeeds Frederick B. Youngblood.

Young has an industrial engineering degree from Virginia Polytechnic Institute. During World War II he served as a Naval Aviator. He spent eight years with General Motors. After the war he was an automobile dealer in Baltimore, and it was in Maryland that he met and married lovely Mary Ellen. He came to Fort Lauderdale and acquired and operated the Chrysler Automobile Agency.

Today he is owner-operator of the Ocean Manor Hotel on Galt Ocean Drive. He is in the Import-Export business as owner of the Worden-Young Co., and is developing 18 acres at Port Everglades. He imports several makes of European cars.

He has sold the "Youngster" — his fifty-foot yacht. His activities allow him little time for the pleasures of boating. "Cy" was mayor of Fort Lauderdale from 1963-65.

The City Commission he headed reorganized and modernized the public library; provided money for the new city hall; got sanitary sewers started in the northwest section, and was otherwise active in the public interest.

Both "Cy" and Mary Ellen have been active in civic and community affairs and both have contributed materially to Nova University's forward thrust.

"Cy" is a director of the American and Sunrise National Banks, the Broward Broadcasting Company, Fort Lauderdale Symphony, and is a past president of the Fort Lauderdale Symphony Orchestra. He is a Trustee of Drake College, Pinecrest School and Florida Presbyterian Homes, Lakeland.

He is a member of the Ocean Reef Club, Lauderdale Yacht Club, First Presbyterian Church and South Florida Education Center, and General Chairman of the Fifty Million Fund for the Synod of Florida.

### STRONG BOARD

Young's first meeting with his board will be January 4, 1968.

Serving with him will be Stanley A. Emerson, Vice President; Gregory Barry, Treasurer; and Robert O. Barber, James Donn, Jr., Robert G. Friedman, Russell French, Leo Goodwin, Jr., and John E. Morris, Jr., Directors.

Retiring President Fred B. Youngblood will continue to serve in an ex-officio capacity.



## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

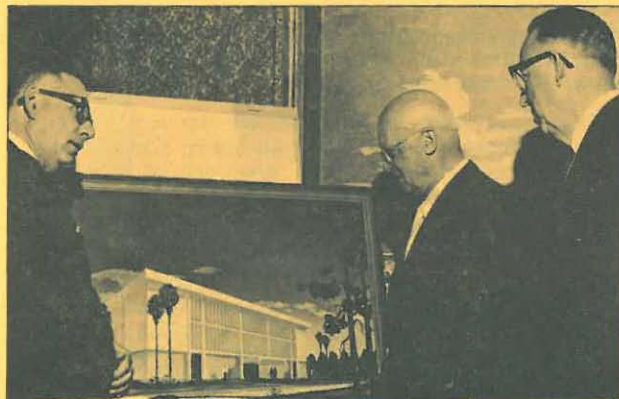
The Annual Dinner of GOLD KEY, a delightful affair with the Founder-Director of the American Institute of Public Opinion, Dr. George Gallup, of Princeton, N.J. as principal speaker, was staged at the Sheraton Hotel, Friday, December 1, 1967. Pictured on this and the adjoining page are some of the personalities who participated.

An Annual Report of accomplishments in 1967, and an outline for the future will appear in the January Novacrat.

GOLD KEYSMAN Dr. Myron Segal will be signally honored December 17 for "Distinguished Achievement on Behalf of Israel." Dr. Zeev Boneh, emissary of the State of Israel, announced the award.

As retiring president I want to thank my directors, the GOLD KEY members, our staff, and the Nova University officials who have aided in making 1967 outstanding. I wish "Cy" Young and his Board every success in 1968.

Frederick B. Youngblood,  
Retiring President  
GOLD KEY of Nova University



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# Merry Christmas



From the Officers,  
the Directors, and the Staff

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