Notes on People Danish Honor Given To Beame and Duke

Mayor Beame and Public Events Commissioner Angier Biddle Duke may now address each other—and be addressed as — Commander. Both received that Danish rank Wednesday in the Order of the Dannebrog, named for the Danish flag. Consul-General Erik Krog-Meyer presented the decorations at Gracie Mansion in an advanced celebration of Queen Margrethe's coming visit here and in recognition of Mr. Duke's 1968-69 service as Ambassador to Denmark. Decorated as Knights of the Dannebrog were Walter Terry, the dance critic, for his longtime coverage of Danish ballet; John Heistein, a Norwegian who is president for North America of Scandinavian Airlines, and Jens Rommerdahl, a Danish-American since 1945, who is director of the new passenger terminal on the West Side piers.

In Princeton, N.J., Sister Catherine McNamee said yesterday that she was about to become president of Trinity College in Burlington, Vt., after a year in charge of liberal arts at Thomas Edison College, New Jerseternal-study knowledge." Mr. Smith, a former slave, was given geriatric tests 20 years ago by the Social Security Administration to establish his age. **NYTIMES MAY 1 4 1976 Dustin Hoffman** was at Brown University the other day to talk about film-making. The actor, who plays **Carl Bernstein** in the movie version of "All the President's Men," was asked about possible unnecessary roughness toward **Richmond M. Nixon** by Mr. Bernstein and **Bob Woodward**, Washington reporters, in "The Final Days," their second book. "They're going to wind up being angels compared to John Ehrlichman," the former White House adviser convicted 'of 'Watergate crimes, Mr. Hoffman said. "Tve read some of the excerpts of Erlichman's book."

Mirra Komarovsky, chairman of Barnard College's sociology department from 1948 to 1962, was one of the few teachers and write raise the cur