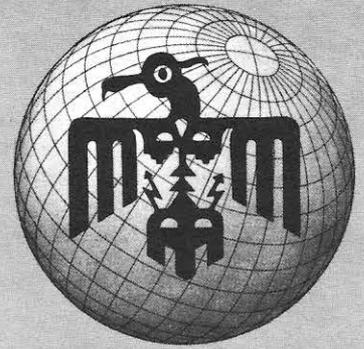
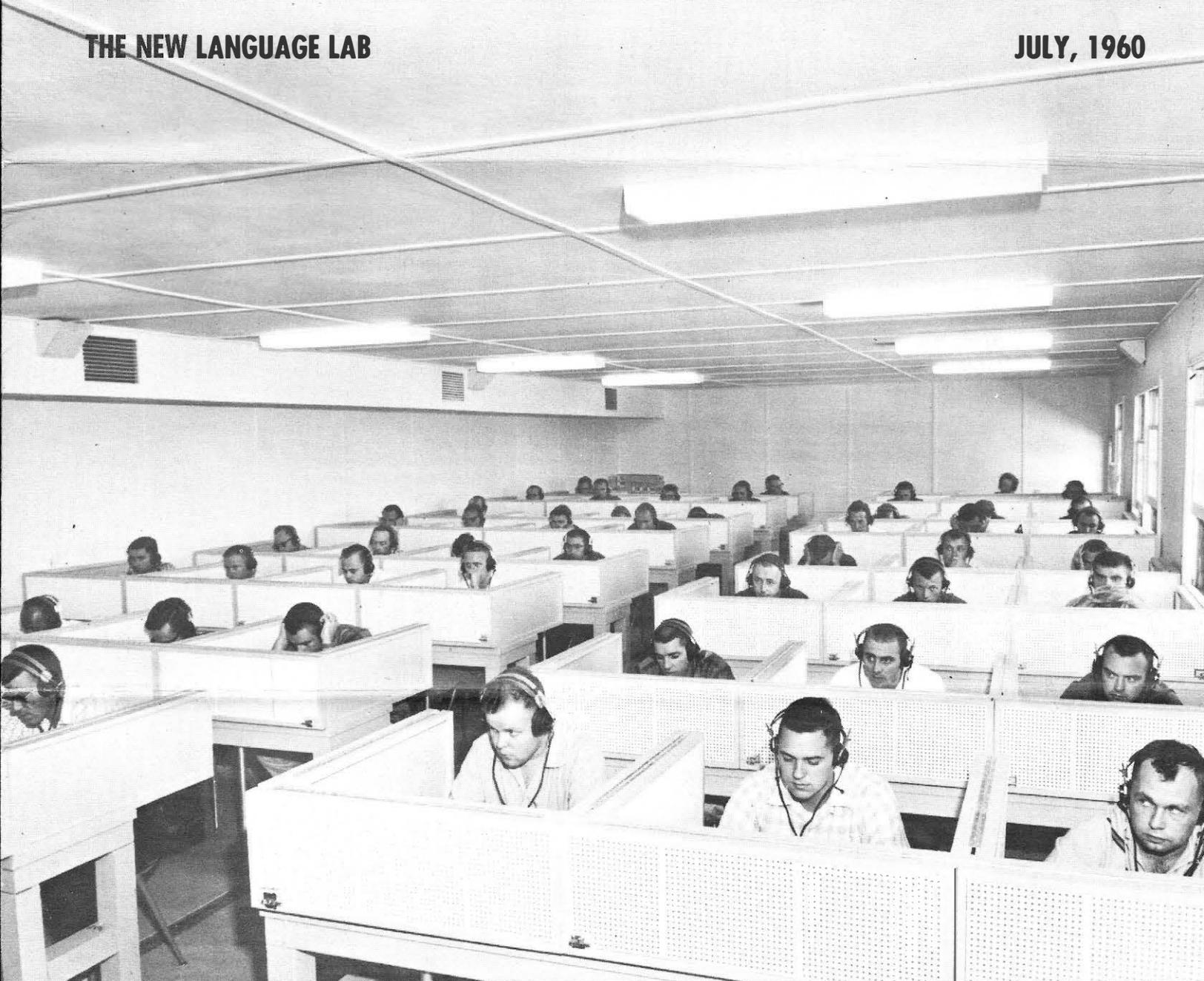


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APPOINTMENT OF ALUMNUS AS ACTING ALUMNI DIRECTOR

It has long been the consensus that the Alumni Office should be under the direction of an alumnus, and even become an autonomous organization as soon as practicable. The first move in that plan was accomplished by the election of Clint Krimminger to the Board of Directors last year.



We are glad to announce that yet another step has been taken. Larry Finney, June '52, has accepted the job of Acting Alumni Director. His return to the campus to marshal another class through Spanish Fundamentals makes this possible. In his year as a student and seven years of teaching Larry has no doubt become known to more alumni than has any

other Thunderbird graduate, and we are sure that even those of you who don't yet know him will enjoy hearing from him, as all T'birds should during the coming year. Larry says he'd like to hear from all of you, now.

Martha Snyder, who is doing an outstanding job of keeping track and sharing news of those of you who let us know your changes, continues as Alumni Secretary.

Clint Krimminger, February '52, and member of the Board of Directors, in spite of the demands of the job thrown at him when he was named President of Arizona Title and Trust, will continue as chairman of the Greater AIFT Fund Drive, with the able help of Class Representatives and the sparkplugs from the Alumni Chapters. His and your record in building the Alumni Wing for the language program insure success.

The cumulative effect of alumni comment has given overwhelming impetus to "do something" really spectacular about AIFT's national publicity, so the project for the Fund is the creation of a color-and-sound movie for wide distribution, plus short clips for use by television stations. It's hard to photograph the real flavor of the year spent on Thunderbird campus, so the emphasis will be the visual impact of T'birds on the job, especially overseas. This will require some doing; a good professional job will cost about \$15,000, but with your help it can be done.

Here's a double chance to show the world what we are doing for the cause of U. S. interests overseas - a real rouser of a film featuring your on-the-job influence and effectiveness, and your contributions in the forms of film and finances. You'll be hearing more from Clint and his crew about this, direct. Meanwhile think up the photogenic aspects of your work.

At the same time, the administration is redoubling efforts to secure publication nationally of the AIFT story, temporarily obscured by news of more recent entries into the overseas training picture.

Being the interim "director" has been pleasant as are all dealings with our alumni. But, I think you will agree that at age 14 (going on 15) AIFT is ready to move as it now has for more tangible and visible results of your effort and support.

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ELLIS ISLAND

Since AIFT fund-raising efforts are devoted to AIFT, we are not in position to undertake the sizeable job of raising the kind of cash necessary to re-do the Island and to operate there. Exploration of AIFT participation in some possible larger effort continues, but no one is thinking of abandoning Thunderbird Field I.

GREATER AIFT FUND

The Greater AIFT Fund observed its first birthday just \$800 short of the \$8000 goal. The following have contributed since the March bulletin:

1947 - Larry Schaeffer, Hal Carpenter; 1948 - John Lien; 1949 - Jerry Mulherin, Robert Hatch, Sam Bloom; 1950 - John Ingmundson, Robert Frehse; 1951 - David Morgan, Connie Malavenda; 1952 - Dave Karmann; 1953 - Russ Predmore; 1954 - Richard Clarke, Tom Hewitson; 1956 - Doug Parrish, Lyle Frederickson, Bob Duin; 1957 - Frank Krescanko, Bill Bottorf, Tullio Vigano, John Arthur; 1958 - Ray Atkison, Ron Faust, John Robinson, Frank Forline; 1959 - Eph Block, Ken Hollar, Don Bohning, Mark Ross, Bob Bombarde, Neil Samuels, David Meek, Tom Honse, Bob Keyes; 1960 - Dr. Elizabeth Grim, Craig Starkey, Bill Nystrom, Bob Castillo. Norma Jean Marsh, also contributed.

Under the Corporate Alumnus Program matching contributions have been received from Int'l. General Electric, Dow Chemical, Int'l. B.F. Goodrich, Gulf Oil Company and Young & Rubicam.

EMILY BROWN RESIGNS

AIFT will miss the genial presence of Miss Emily Brown, who has decided that teaching, and not public relations, is to be her exclusive professional interest from now on. She is embarking on a determined pursuit of the doctorate, in Oriental Studies, and beginning the work at the University of Arizona in the fall. Her many friends among staff, students and alumni wish her well.

Dr. Guilford A. Dudley, Associate Professor of History at Arizona State University will take her place in the Far East Area Studies course. AB (Harvard) in Oriental Studies, MA and PhD. (UCLA) in History are reinforced in his case by eight years of export-import experience in Japan and the Philippines. Dr. Dudley will teach the AIFT course concurrently with his duties at Arizona State University.

MEMORIAL STUDENT LOAN FUND

In memory of two of their classmates, Walter Honoman and Hal Burckhardt, who so tragically lost their lives in an automobile accident, the June 1960 Class created a Student Loan Fund to be named for them.

ALUMNI CHAPTER NEWS



THE FIRST LUNCHEON MEETING of the Mexico City Alumni Chapter was held on May 4, 1960 at the American Club with the following Thunderbirds present (left to right): Christy Bryan, George D. Miller, Jack Fischer, George Blake, Bob Lorenz, Tom Gillett, Dan Daniels, Ralph Kaiser, Don Krabbe, Jack Thomson, John Powanda, Oscar Nunez and Bill Bottorf.

The once active Mexico Chapter got off to a fresh and apparently an enthusiastic start. The chapter will remain for the time being primarily a social one. George Miller, Oscar Morales, Jack Fischer and Dan Daniels were appointed to the steering committee, whose function will be to coordinate efforts, plans and activities of the chapter members. An informal luncheon is to be held on the first Wednesday of each month at one o'clock at the American Club, Plaza de Santos Degollado No.10. All Mexico City alums and those passing through have a standing invitation to attend. In addition to the luncheons, social events such as cocktail parties, picnics, etc., will be held from time to time to include wives and other family members. Contact: Dan Daniels, Apartado 8 Bis, Mexico 1, D.F. Mexico.

Mr. A. F. Montmorency, Director of Management Training of Mutual of Omaha, has been appointed sponsor of the Omaha Chapter of the AIFT Alumni Association, which he describes as ". . . our local AIFT alumni chapter, although small, is a most active society with regular meetings and a very live interest in foreign culture, trade, events, travel."

On a recent AIFT recruiting trip to colleges and universities in the Middle States, Professor Mali Suarez was entertained by the members of the Great Lakes Alumni Chapter in Detroit.

The New York Chapter held a welcoming reception for the June 1960 graduates on July 9th at the home of Jeanne Stothers in Brooklyn Heights. A report on attendance will be given in the next bulletin.

Sterling Waggener reports on Sao Paulo Alumni activities: "On May 13th our Sao Paulo alum group gave what we think was the best party ever thrown in Latin America by any AIFT chapter. It was a dance held at Club de Golf Anastacio. We had a three-piece combo from the best night club in Sao Paulo and entertainment consisting of an exotic girl dancer and four male companions. Over 60 attended--30 Thunderbirds and their guests, and the festivities lasted until three in the morning. AIFTERS present were: Joe and Bee Bee Bender; Don and Pat Campbell; Dick and Eleanor Clarke; Bob and Diane Connelly; Bill and Carol Drum; Ron and

George Faust; Peter Gueno; Bill and Tam Harris; Larry and Ann Henderson; Clay Herndon; Hank and Tiny Kesse; Ed and Judy LeHoven; Harry and Jan Miller; Marv and Connie Priske; Lloyd Valdez; Dan and Mary Helen Witcher and myself.

New officers were elected at the dance and they are: Larry Henderson, President; Bob Connelly, Vice President; Bill Drum, Secretary-Treasurer; Marv Priske and Mary Helen Witcher, co-song chairmen in charge of finishing the 'Urubu' song."

Excerpt of a letter received from the WILLIAM SHATERIANs upon their return from a trip to South America: ". . . I might mention that at the luncheon arranged by Clarence Wasson at the American Club in Buenos Aires, the following pajaros were present. Several more would have attended were it not that the date followed a four day holiday-carnival: Clarence Wasson; Hugh Mangum; A. Carter George; Bill Olliver; Gilbert Kyte and wife; Ken Cogdill and wife; Juan Forester and wife, and Miss Glee Mitchell."

Mr. Shaterian also commented on the warm reception accorded them by the Thunderbirds they met during the trip in addition to those in attendance at the luncheon. Bob Cooney and wife in Montevideo, with whom he had luncheon at the Country Club; Dwight Peterson (FNCSB) who gave him a tour of the bank offices; Cody Marsh, who met them at the bus terminal in Sao Paulo; Joe Rosa, who met them at the boat in Rio and later took them to lunch at the Copacabana where they were joined by Eric Beerman from Caracas, who was on vacation in Rio; and Clarence Wasson and Hugh Mangum, who met them at the pier in B.A. and entertained them royally during their nine day stay there.

Herb Hansen and Sam Schulman are endeavoring to "rekindle a little Thunderbird enthusiasm" in the Los Angeles area. Tentatively planned is a meeting in early September, to be held in a centrally located place (near all freeways). You will probably be hearing from either Herb or Sam, and if you have any ideas that might help to get the chapter on the road again please get in touch with Herb at 5433 Allott Avenue, Van Nuys or Sam at 3246 Marwick Avenue, Long Beach.

MATRIMONY

CONGRATULATIONS and BEST WISHES TO:

Robert and Joan (Dowdell) Moore, John and Joan Weaver, Al and Roslyn Brenteson, the Robert Kohrse, Neil and June Baker, the Murray Ehlerses, Marlin and Mary Marks, John and Maureen Cecil, Richard and Lorna (Grady) Small, Joel and Nancy (Worcester) Chase, Al and Kathryn Vornsand.

BIRTHS

IT'S A BOY for Dick and Dorothy Cummings, Norm and Ann Hughes, Barb and Willard Wagner, Don and Pat Johnson, the John Devines.

JONAS H. MAYER AWARD

DAVID R. CLAY, Class of June 1949, was the 1960 recipient of the American Business Enlightenment Award, which has become better known as the Jonas Mayer Award. This award is given annually to an alumnus of this school whose efforts have notably advanced him personally and who at the same time has shed credit on his organization and on the cause of this country's international commerce.



Dave received his Bachelor's degree in Economics and Spanish from the University of California at Los Angeles. He then pursued further study at the National University in Mexico and capped his formal training by a year's study in International Commerce at AIFT, graduating in June 1949.

In July of that year he entered the employ of the Pepsi-Cola Company as a local representative trainee, and did what every young man has to do to "learn the business from the bottom up"; he drove delivery trucks, he placed advertising at retail points of sale, he did much market research, he helped bottling plants to organize and better their efforts, both domestically and, later, in many other parts of the world. He participated in and helped inaugurate some of Pepsi-Cola's most brilliant enterprises, such as those in Mexico, Australia, Peru, Brazil, Chile, Uruguay and the Philippines.

In May of 1957 he was brought to New York to help organize the new Marketing Department, but after two years was sent to Brazil as Regional Manager for all of Southern South America. Just a short while ago he was again transferred, this time to Mexico as Director of Operations for the entire Pan-American Division of his organization.

Since Dave and his family could not be present at commencement exercises for the presentation of the award, his father, Mr. H. E. Clay of Scottsdale, Arizona, accepted the award in his behalf.

IT'S A GIRL for Mona and Corky Lancaster, Walley and Barb Sheckler, the Canuto Sanchezes, and the George Millers.

CAMPUS VISITORS

The Dave Gregorys, Rick Sullivan (interviewing for Monsanto), Dick Hall, Fred Parmentier (interviewing for AFIA), Al Romo, Pete White, Ray Anderson, Emily Adacusky, Eph Block, Dave Karmann, John and Joan Bogert, Jim Dyer (interviewing for Mead Johnson), Ernest Lamb, Lou Bates, Don Maling, George Serventi, Elaine Wellsandt, John H. Jones, Ned White, Anna Gardner, Tim Munns and wife, Sam and June Longfield, Marian and Don Coatsworth, Dick Reed, Herman Kuznicki, Sid Painter, Ben Novoa, Harry Lewis, Don Woodhouse, Al Foster, Jim Ruhlman, Robert Manatt, Al Vornsand, Guy Verrees, Jon Stewart.

CLASS BRIEFS

1947 DICK KLAS has been appointed manager of Swift and Company's Merchandising Service Department with headquarters in Chicago. Dick has been with Swift since 1947, when he started as a salesman at Sioux City, Iowa. . . . A card from JOE KLEIN in March: "On another trip to the Far East and it is as interesting, lovely and fascinating as ever." . . . HARRY LEWIS, SID PAINIER and BEN NOVOA stopped by to see Dr. Schurz a few weeks ago. . . . An article by HERB LINDSTROM entitled "There's Lots of Room to Increase Exports if Management Cooperates," appeared in the May 16, 1960, issue of Export Trade. . . . GLORIA WASIELEWSKI is with the U.S.I.A. in Caracas.

1948 LOWELL MARCUS has been appointed the managing director of Goodyear de Panama. Address: Apartado 5411, Panama, R.P. . . . JOHN O. THOMAS writes from New York: "I have been with American Express Company continuously since leaving AIFT. Six years in foreign service in England, Italy, West Germany and France, and in New York the rest of the time. Presently I am Secretary-Treasurer of the Wells Fargo group of companies which are controlled by American Express." . . . The First National City Bank of New York opened a new branch in Guayaquil, Ecuador on May 26th with JIM THOMAS as manager. . . . RICK ROBERTS is undergoing therapy at the Veterans Hospital (Ward 15B), Coral Gables, Florida.

1949 PAUL MAERTZWEILER is President of Marchtown Intercontinental, Inc., with headquarters at 11 West 42nd Street, New York. Paul's article "Examining Manufacturing Opportunities in Latin America" appeared in the April 1960 issue of International Trade Review. . . . JOHN JONES has returned to our mailing list and is Vice President of W. Voorhees, Inc., 847 North First Avenue, Phoenix. The company offers engineering and technical publication service. . . . JOE BLEDSOE has been appointed manager of the new Valley National Bank branch No. 26 in Phoenix. . . . Thanks to Fidel Castro the MEL REDDYS have returned to the States and can be reached by 1203 Avenue C, Dodge City, Kansas. . . . DON GROVES writes from Trinidad: "Down here for a month. At the pool of the hotel I met a Thunderbird - ERNIE OLSEN '47. We had two or three days wandering around the island before he shoved off for Caracas. Two more weeks here and I'm off for New York and Mexico. . . . SAM BLOOM has accepted a position as plant engineer for Metal & Thermit Corporation and writes: "Completed M.B.A. at Wayne State University, Detroit in June 1959. Moved to N. J. with above company as assistant plant manager, promoted to present position in April 1960." Sam resides at 22 Scholer Drive, Union Beach, New Jersey.

1950 BOB VINCENT has resigned from Monsanto Chemical Company to accept a position as Vice President of the Baird Chemical Corporation in New York. . . . FRED PARMENTIER, Secretary of the American Foreign Insurance Association, interviewed on campus before leaving on a trip to the Far East, Australia, the Middle East and Africa. Fred was previously stationed in Johannesburg, South Africa.

1951 BILL HANNA received his doctorate from the University of California and is now on the faculty of the University of Michigan. ATTENTION - Craftsmen! Experimenters! Project

Groups! Hobbyists! Home Industrialists! and Decorators! - BARKER BATES d.b.a. bark dana Designs and Devices offers a new approach to do-it-yourself home decorating through the use of acrylic plastics. Sounds like a fascinating hobby and you can get full information by writing Barker at Box 3064, Carmel, California. Telephone: Mayfair 4-1136. . . . BUNKIE JOHNSON has been appointed manager of the Macon, Georgia, processing office for Insurance Company of North America Companies.

1952 ALEX MADSEN is currently in the States after spending two years in Europe as regional sales manager for Royal McBee International. . . . CAL O'NEAL writes from Vienna: "I remain for the moment in the international civil service category. Have now become the regular management officer for the International Atomic Energy Agency. . . . HAL JOHNSON is training advisor for the Oregon Polytechnic Institute. The Johnsons live at 1208 S.W. Fourth Avenue, Portland, Oregon. . . . JOHN and JOAN WEAVER, who were married in April, have been honeymooning in Europe. . . . ROGER and ANNE MCPHEERSON finally made it to Latin America via employment with Black, Sivalis and Bryson International, manufacturers and distributors of oil field equipment, tanks, pressure vessels, etc. Address: Apartado 367, Maracaibo, Venezuela. . . . A note from SIG NYLANDER in Hong Kong: "Had lunch today with PHIL SWEANY '53 and BARRY MASON '53, but missed seeing ED BELKNAP '47 while I was in Formosa. Will try to contact others if I hold out long enough to circle the globe with last area Sweden". . . . SAM and JUNE LONGFIELD landed their plane on the campus runway and stopped in for a bit of reminiscing. Sam is chief pilot for the General Motors Corporation in Detroit.

1953 TOM and MARY HITCHCOCK write from Tokyo: "We had been seeing quite a bit of PAUL and SHARMON (STEEN) DAVIS in Yokohama until they were transferred to Pusan last month. SAM EASTABROOKS and his wife joined the Tokyo crew of the Bank last December and we've enjoyed both of them thoroughly. . . . Mother wrote about the five students being killed, two from AIFT. Although she didn't mention any names, we discovered that one of them was Fred Honaman's brother. Fred is the financial director of the Episcopal missionary work in Japan." . . . GEORGE and VIRGINIA REIS are living in Monrovia, California, where they are managing Denny's Coffee House, one of a chain representing the world's largest coffee franchise. Drop in and have a cup of coffee with them at 624 East Huntington in Monrovia. . . . The JOHN LAMBERTS expect to be in the States on home leave early in July. . . . In March JOHN and BOBBIE MADDEN returned from a dinner engagement to find the "fire laddies" cooling off the embers of what was once their beautiful home, and leaving them nothing more than the clothes they wore. Luckily they were fully insured and the one real tragedy was the loss of Mr. Snow (their cat) who perished in the fire. They have replenished their wardrobe and are gradually trying to duplicate as nearly as possible the furnishings, and hope to be in their new home at the same address in late summer. . . . Via the grapevine we learned that CHARLEY BARTLETT will soon be out of the running as 1953's most eligible bachelor. Charley plans to marry Seniorita Delores Lopez in the Fall.

1954 ELAINE WELISANDT stopped on campus in May and reported that CARL is district manager of Lindsey Brothers, farm equipment distributors, in Kankakee, Illinois. . . . DICK and ELEANORE CLARKE and son Duncan (red-haired, too)

will be in the States on home leave this fall, Dick has been in Sao Paulo with First of Boston for several years. . . . From MARK ANTINUCCI comes: "Have lost touch with everybody since May 1959 when we left Goodyear Peru for Goodyear Italy. My telephone number in Rome is 322028 and we would appreciate a call whenever our old friends from AIFT pass through Rome." Address: Viale Oppocrate 59, Rome. . . . TED JOHNSON has been installed as President of the Junior Foreign Trade Association of Southern California.

ERIC and JANE ERICSON hosted the **1955** GEORGE RAINOFFS at a cocktail party before George and Sig departed for the States on vacation. Eric mentioned having seen ROY JOHNSON, KARL ROHRBAUGH and JOE MCGINNIS recently. . . . Upon the transfer of PAUL and SHARMON (STEEN) DAVIS from Yokohama to Pusan, Korea, the American Cultural Center in Yokohama commended Sharmon on her services to the center in its many projects and activities in connection with the city affiliation between Yokohama and Sharmon's home city, San Diego: ". . . . During your stay here you were in every way a credit to San Diego and Yokohama. Your work here was an outstanding example of what private American citizens living overseas can do to create and enhance a favorable image of America and Americans in the eyes of the peoples whose guests we are." . . . HARLEY KELLEY has been appointed manager of the Scottsdale branch of Lane Title and Trust Company, and also elected assistant secretary of the company. . . . We apologize for having listed JOEL JOHNSON'S employment as Bank of America. Joel is in the international department of the Bank of California in San Francisco. . . . DICK SMILEY, his wife and two-year old daughter are living at 1448 Ramona Avenue, Salt Lake City, where Dick is employed as Agent for the New York Life Insurance Company. Dick would like to hear from Thunderbirds in that area - "whether you're a life insurance prospect or not." . . . Contrary to reports the JOHN ASTONS are back in Maracaibo and SHIRLEY writes: ". . . . there are still a few AIFT'ers among us. Last Saturday night we saw LOU and BEV PHILLIPS at a party and their quest whom they brought along was GARVIN BROWN. What a surprise! I hadn't seen him since he and GEORGIA left school. SHEILA and LANCE SMITH are still in Maracaibo and we see them often. Another graduate we see a lot of is MURRAY EHLERS who just got married on April 23 in Billings, Montana. He and his wife should be returning from vacation, or I should say honeymoon, today. I have been teaching English part time to Venezuelans in the Centro Americano Venezolano and also at the university but now I am thinking of teaching full time at the North American School here. . . ." A card from TOM and PAT BARNETT: "Roaming around Spain, North Africa and France. Here on the Costa del Sol seems like a nice place to be lazy. (Juan Peron and a colony of beatniks think so, too.) Weather is about like Arizona this time of year." DAVE and RAYN LAWRENCE have moved to Mexico City, where Dave will serve as Regional Manager of the Mennen Company. Address: c/o L. G. Aguilar, S.A., Apartado 1148, Mexico D.F. 1, Mexico.

DOUG and SUSAN PARRISH are living at **1956** 3215 Clement, Apt. 303, San Francisco, and Doug writes: ". . . . recently ran into BOB BAILEY in the lobby of the hotel in Bogota, and saw his old roommate, BOB DAVIS, in Houston, Texas, where he is now working for the K-Lath Company, travelling the Southeast for them. Ran into ERNIE

SCHULTZ on the street in North Beach last night." . . . A report on the activities of the Mutual of Omaha Thunderbirds: BOB BROWN was recently promoted to sales director; JOE LOCKMAN to senior training consultant with United of Omaha; and RALPH PASCHKE to sales director of United of Omaha, with the prospect of considerable travelling. . . . CUSTIS PROCTOR is general manager of Revlon International in Mexico. Address: Apartado 302, Paseo Reforma #368, Mexico City. . . . After a year's stay at Travis Air Force Base, NARCE CALIVA has been assigned to take charge of the Red Cross sub-station at the USAF base at Seville, Spain. Narce will arrive in Spain this month and expects to remain there for at least two years. . . . CARMEN BOLLER writes: "Last month WILLARD WAGNER came to Colombia to introduce HAROLD NELSON, who is going to represent Case in Colombia, Venezuela and other countries previously assigned to Will. Will told us that his boss, FRED BERNATZ '54 is coming to Bogota. BILL RUSH '57 and his bride had dinner with us. The Rushes are now stationed in Fort Madison, Iowa, but at present they are making a trip around South America. It is a combination of a honeymoon and business trip. In February, BILL ABEL '59, who works for John Deere came for three weeks." . . . HERB and SHEILA HANSEN have settled at 5433 Allott Avenue, Van Nuys and would like to see AIFT'ers in that area. . . . The HENRY KOHLHOFFS have returned to the States, following three-years' residence in Havana, Cuba. . . . GLEE MITCHELL has been in the States on home leave from her Foreign Service assignment in Buenos Aires. Glee expects to receive a new assignment. . . . LEWIS LEIST spent several weeks in the hospital suffering from mononucleosis. Lew has been employed by the Chile Exploration Company, a subsidiary of the Anaconda Company, and is currently living at 72 Irving Place, New York 3. . . . From ARNE and DONNA BORGNE in Dearborn, Michigan, comes: ". . . . We have acquired a new Thunderbird which of course is a name we have become quite attached to since our days at AIFT. This summer we are driving through Europe for two months and will end up in Norway where Donna will get a chance to meet my family. During our trip we intend to stop by and see our fellow AIFT'ers." . . . KENYON and LANI BROWN are back in the States and Ken has accepted a position as sales representative for McGraw-Hill Publishing Company, with the State of Delaware as his territory. Address: Box 13, Earleville, Md. . . . From SID CHAYES in Rio comes: "The Olsons '50 have returned full of vim and vigor. JERRY is feeling at home as AFIA's supervisor for Brazil and has picked up just about where he left off although his golf has suffered from his 11 months' stay in California. . . . CRAIG MYERS '50 and his wife will be in the States for a few months this summer on home leave. There was a birth in our community of a son, Kevin Joseph for JOHN DEVINE '54. While I haven't had a chance to stop at the hospital I understand that the boy looks just like John. . . ." . . . JOE SIGLE, well settled in her Caracas assignment with the State Department, gives us the highlights of her home leave: "The middle of January to the first of April found me in D.C. seeing old friends and making new ones. On April Fool's day winged southward once again. This time got as far as Nassau where I spent 10 days visiting DAVE MURISON and his friends there. Dave was on a 3-month TDY with the Bank there. . . JOHN CECIL and his new wife were the most recent additions to the Nassau branch of FNCB. John had

been there about a month when I arrived and MAUREEN arrived the day after. . . . Finally arrived in Caracas just in time for the long Easter vacation, another Venezuelan holiday, a revolution, and another week-end. Have been quite lucky in getting settled. Within the first ten days I had found and moved into a lovely two-bedroom apartment in a very nice residential district. Balcony with the best view of the city I've ever seen (and the mountains). Called Norma Jean Marsh and she had me over for dinner with her family. Also briefly met JACK and BETSY SHERMAN that night. Also got in touch with LARRY O'BRIEN. Almost forgot to mention that BILL MERRIAM is here. . . . PETER and MERCEDES ROMAN have completed another fantastic business trip which took them from Egypt and North Africa all the way up to Norway.

1957 BOB HORNSTEIN has taken a position with American Express Company (Special Services Division) and writes: "Just secured a transfer to the New York office at 65 Broadway. Possibilities are good for tour escort work this summer with a group of Russian tourists coming over here. . . ." Via the grapevine we learned that JIM STAUB is married and is teaching school in Honolulu. . . . Since arriving in Bogota the THAYER TONERS have experienced all sorts of things - like having their shipment from the States soaked in Buenaventura while on the docks waiting for transportation; the maid who came with their apartment had to be fired three days later; their apartment was ransacked while they were sleeping, etc. In spite of all this they love Bogota, and Sharon is busy teaching school, teaching English classes to a group of hospital staff employees and also serves as a Pink Lady (counter part of Grey Lady). . . . We wonder how many of the June '57 class recognized JIM TRAVIS and his charming wife, NANCY, in the April 18 issue of LIFE, pages 55, 56. Nancy, a comedian whose accomplishments include a singing role in three operas at New York's City Center, and a couple of off-Broadway shows, has recently caught the eye of the talent scouts by her appearance at a Manhattan Supper Club, and is now on NBC's roster of the year's most promising newcomers. . . . TOD CLARE has been appointed regional manager, International Accounts Division, of Cummins Engine in Washington, D.C. . . . The PHOENIX GAZETTE recently printed a picture of HERB BARTLETT piloting the "Bartlett Flying Saucer" down a Phoenix street. Herb, who teaches at Clarendon School in Phoenix, became interested in air cushion vehicles and after extensive reading on the subject came up with his own design. The model, 16½ feet in diameter and built at a cost of \$140, is powered by a three-horsepower lawn-mower engine, and will lift a man off the ground and move him along at a slow walk pace. Herb plans to continue testing this saucer, gaining information to use in building more advanced models. He hopes to eventually come up with a design in a flying wing configuration that, powered by a larger engine, will be able to move over the water at a fast clip. . . . The TIM MUNNS stopped by campus while in the States on vacation. They reported having spent a couple of rather strenuous week-ends with TED and MARIE BACKUS. . . . ED GARLAND writes: ". . . since January 15, I have been in London going through a period of indoctrination on TIME & LIFE. Only yesterday I finally managed it to New York, where I am staying for three weeks. Europe, of course, was

the best place in the world for indoctrination. With Mercedes we went on trips to France, Italy, Switzerland, Holland and Germany. All this resulted in wonderful fond memories. After three weeks Mercedes is flying to Lima, and I to a TIME convention in Puerto Rico. After a week there I will meet Mercedes in Lima, and finally fly back home around June 25. My job will be representing TIME and LIFE in South America based in Buenos Aires, and covering Brazil, Chile, Uruguay, Paraguay, and Bolivia and perhaps and I hope so, Peru, as well as Argentina. The job will probably be titled 'publishers representative'. . . . WALLEY SHECKLER has been promoted to Assistant to the Vice President, sales promotion division, of the South Carolina National Bank in Columbia, S.A. The Shecklers, with their new baby daughter, live at 4545 Oxford Road, Columbia. . . . LORNA (GRADY) SMALL writes from Puerto Ordaz, Venezuela: "Married March 5, 1960 to Richard Small, who is in charge of air transportation for the Orinoco Mining Company, the company for which I was employed for several years as bilingual secretary." . . . From TULLIO VIGANO comes: "I have been in Germany for three months and enjoying every day. I am here in the capacity of technical adviser to our associate Veith-Goodrich. The plant is located in Hochst but I am living in Darmstadt. I was in Berlin a week ago and ran into TED WEISENBERGER who is a graduate student at the Free University of Berlin. Also saw BILL HOSTETTER who is in the Army. He is a Pfc but hopes to make corporal soon."

1958 RAY ATKISON reports that he has been working for Ralston Purina in Puerto Rico for the last six months. Ray reports also that HANK MARSH '59 has returned to the States. . . . KAREN (RICE) DEWITT is back in the States and is living at 455 Esplanade, Pacifica, California. . . . JACK BURZELL, who is employed by Geoffrey Ladham's writes: "As you may already know FRED ANDRESEN is now working under my care. I am leaving the Boston area this week for a three-month period in the Southern States. I have tentative plans to do our type of consulting work in Caracas sometime this Fall." . . . JERRY JULIANI is a contracts administrator for the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation and the Julianis are residing at 993 Glenoaks in Pasadena. . . . The RON FAUSTS will be moving to a new Firestone assignment in Valencia, Venezuela, where Ron will head up the industrial accounting section. . . . JIM MARTELL has been accepted for further study at the graduate school for International Relations in Geneva. . . . BILL MORGAN writes from Adana, Turkey: "At the end of January, while I was working in Southern Germany, I received a sudden telephone call telling me that if I wanted a promotion I should be in Madrid with all my belongings in about two days. I am now 'team leader' of a group of engineers which travel around to various selected Air Force bases in Africa, southern Europe, the Azores, and the Middle East. This trip I have been to Pakistan, Saudia Arabia, Turkey and Greece, with side trips to Egypt, Syria, and Lebanon." . . . ANNA GARDNER is back in the States and hopes to secure employment that will take her into Latin America. . . . From Anna we learned that BILL MARATOS has secured employment with a private firm that will take him to Greece. . . . GERALD SCHLOSSER has been employed by an Italian chemical and pharmaceutical manufacturing and wholesaling firm in Genoa, Italy since graduation. . . . ED BUSCH, who has been teaching management classes at Montana State University, plans to spend the

summer in Europe, and hopes to renew some AIFT acquaintances. . . . JOHN ROBINSON writes: "I was transferred from Bogota to the Cali branch of FNCB in March where I am now working under ED BOYLE '49. THAYER and SHARON TONER '57 arrived in Bogota before we left, Thayer to replace me there. We found several other Thunderbirds arrived here in Cali at the same time we did -- the BILL CUNNINGHAMS coming from New York with Colgate Palmolive, the HAROLD NELSONS from Central America with J. I. Case, and the RICK BLOOMBERGS from Mexico with Pfizer." . . . PETE WHITE stopped by campus enroute to his first of Boston assignment in Buenos Aires. . . . AL FRITZNER has been assigned to Puerto Rico by the R. J. Strassenburgh Company. . . . WALTER WAECHTER has accepted a position with the Campbell Soup Company in Camden, New Jersey.

1959 AL LLOYD is training with General Tire Company in Akron and RUTH is teaching school at the Jennings School there. . . . A message from the TOM HONES advises that they will leave October 1st for six months in Nassau, after which they will report to a South American assignment. . . . CHUCK HINKLEY is a management trainee in the foreign division of the Crocker-Anglo National Bank in San Francisco. . . . DON and MARTY PIERCY left New York on June 5th for their first FNCB assignment in Singapore. They made the trip via Europe, where they planned to spend their two weeks' vacation in Portugal. . . . ED SHAW is completing a six-months' training period at Fort Dix, New Jersey. . . . JOHN BOGERT has accepted a position as field director of the Mining World and World Mining and is living at 23 Acevedo Avenue in San Francisco. . . . BOB JOHNSON is teaching English (6 classes a day) at the Bi-National Center in Cali, Colombia. . . . DAVID MEEK, who has been in Nassau for the past few months, is back in Waukegan, Illinois for a six-months' training period for the various Outboard Marine Corporation subsidiaries. . . . BOB TANNER has taken a position with Goodrich, Dalton, Little & Riquelme, Balderas 36, Piso 13, Mexico 1. D.F. . . . JIM WHITMAN writes: "I've been with the First National Bank of Hawaii for fifteen months, and upon completion of their training program, will probably be assigned to the international banking department." . . . DICK CRUMB has accepted a position with Manufacturers Trust Company in New York. . . . The DON BRONSONS will be off for "the land of the flying carpets" to make tires for Goodrich. Don writes: "They are building a new plant in Iran and hope to go into production in February at which time we are told the Shah and all other state dignitaries will be present at the 'ribbon cutting'. Tentatively, we are to leave about September or October, and we hope to stop in Norway and Sweden on the way. Ran into ISH BENNETT at the local shopping center last week-end and was surprised to find we live but a half block apart. Hope to get together with all AIFT'ers here in Akron sometime in June." . . . Through GENE OSMENT we learned that FRANK GRAVES is in St. Paul for further training with Economics Laboratory before leaving for an assignment in Panama. . . . CRAIG BEARISTO is employed as Oregon Resident Manager for Professional Advisors, Inc., and writes: "Briefly, here is what my work entails: we work strictly with physicians and dentists in the fields of practice management, patient management (public relations in medicine), personnel management, and other specific problems related to their practices." Craig mentioned having seen HOWARD TEGNER in Eugene, Oregon, where

he is employed in the office of a lumber firm. . . . DON DUMFORD has moved to 59 Front Street, Marblehead, Massachusetts. . . . DAVE YOUMANS has been assigned to Buenos Aires, Argentina, by Rohm and Haas, and GEORGE BLAKE to Mexico City. . . . The JERRY GAARDERS have been transferred to El Salvador and can be reached in care of Sterling Products International, Apartado Postal 305, San Salvador. Jerry reports that he contacted the only other Thunderbird in San Salvador - CHUCK THOMAE and the two of them formed an informal alumni club which meets anytime in the bar of the Intercontinental Hotel. Jerry also reports that PAT RAMSEY was their guest a few weeks ago.

1960 Reporting on the February Class first: BOB KIDNEY writes from Panama: ". . . . yesterday we had sort of a Thunderbird reunion in Colon. JACK WETZEL, BILL POSTON and I went skin-diving out near Fort San Lorenzo. Later on that evening we joined DON ROBERTSON '57 and DEAN WARNER '57 (who was on his way back from Cerro de Pasco) for dinner at the Hotel Washington. Aside from the aforementioned, I've met BOB KOHRS who has just married a very lovely strawberry blonde, and MILES GEHM '56, who lives in Panama." . . . BOB HINEMAN writes: "DAN HEATH and I spent a month in Kenosha. Then, Dan went to Columbus, Ohio and I came to Kansas City." Bob and Dan are with the Simmons Company. . . . HARRY TOKHEIM has accepted a position with the Morgan Guaranty Trust Company in New York. . . . DR. ELIZABETH GRIM has been appointed Director, Student Health Service at Smith College, Northampton, Mass. . . . BOB WALKER is a management trainee with American Can Company, and DON KLUG a sales trainee with American Photocopy Equipment. . . . BILL ZIMMERMAN has been travelling in Jamaica, Puerto Rico and Venezuela in connection with his position with Associated Manufacturers. . . . LEO HAGEMAN has accepted a position with Cargill, Inc. . . . In addition to his duties as a sales and research trainee with the Delta & Pine Land Company in Scott, Miss., RUDY DELGADO is teaching two sections of Spanish to company employees. . . . JERRY HOLMES reports that "Everything is coming up roses." We take it he means his new position with Republic National Bank in Dallas and the acquisition of a new Thunderbird. . . . BILL MARSHALL has accepted a position with the Buick, Pontiac, Olds Division of General Motors and is training in Long Beach, California. . . . RON BAKER writes: ". . . all is well here with Braniff. Am having much fun, and getting to see some country. I went on our first jet inaugural flight to Lima, spending five days, and just recently returned from a long week-end in Havana." . . . Since the recipient of the Alfred Knight Scholarship Award could not be known until all grades had been tabulated, we can now announce that the June 1960 Award went to ROGER BARNETT, who graduated with the highest honors. Other graduates on the honor list were WILLIAM KEEN, JOHN KIESER, FRANK KLINE, JAMES ARMSTRONG and JESSE ABBOD. Other award winners were - Barton Kyle Yount Memorial Award, WILLIAM JOHNSON; Marketing Award, KEITH DIXON; Wall Street Journal Award, RUSSELL KEELY; Phoenix Newspapers Advertising Award went to the team composed of JAMES ARMSTRONG, JACQUES BRY, ENRIQUE CADENA, DON BRENTESON and CARL FALLETTA. Class Valedictorians were: ROGER BARNETT, Spanish; L. YVES COCKE, Portuguese; DONALD COOVER, French. PAUL REISS was elected Class Representative. We wish to thank the Lambda Chapter of Delta Phi Epsilon for their gift of a card catalogue cabinet for the rapidly growing library collection. We will have more news of this class in the next bulletin. In the meantime, the best of luck.