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To the Managing Committee,

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I have the honor to present a report of the activities of the American School of Classical Studies at Athens from April, 1973, through January, 1974.¹

The work of the School has followed its familiar course, in spite of new economic and administrative impediments. Owing to the sturdy devotion of the staff, the remarkable generosity of visiting colleagues and the quality of the Members, it has done so with both success and good will beyond my most optimistic expectation.

The year was clouded, however, by the loss on July 2nd, 1973 of William Bell Dinsmoor, whose life and that of the School had been intimately connected since 1908. He was buried in the Protestant section of the First Cemetery of Athens, where his grave joins those of Bert Hodge Hill and Gorham Phillips Stevens, his colleagues for almost fifty years in the study of Athenian architecture of the Periclean period. With them, Professor Dinsmoor made the American School the center of this central work and brought new understanding of buildings and builders to Classical scholarship, most vividly to generations of students at the School.

The School's personnel is little changed. Thomas Jedele, Associate Librarian, left in September, as did Julia Boudouroglou, secretary to the Director for more than ten years. Demetra Andritsaki, now Assistant Librarian, has assumed Mr. Jedele's tasks, and Elizabeth Mitsou has joined the Library staff, admirably filling the post only recently held by her sister Eirene. Maria Andrikidou now brightens the Director's office, where, as secretary, she has coped ably with the needs of its changing occupants.

Administration has been more than usually difficult this year, owing to my sabbatical leave and, perhaps as much, to my presence in Athens in spite of it. Richard Stillwell arrived in mid-January, volunteering to carry out, as Acting Director, those duties which he had discharged as Director some 40 years ago. Not only in this period, but during my annual removal to Samothrace and absences in Turkey, America, and on School trips, much of the work has descended upon the Professor of Archaeology, to add to

his usual responsibilities with the students, and I am grateful to him both for his extraordinary labors and for the cheerfulness with which he has performed them. The series of sabbatical leaves will continue next year with Professor Eliot's absence during the second term. A regular method of supplementing our periodic reduction of staff has not yet been found, and next year we shall again experiment, this time with a junior faculty appointment.

The School Library, now named The Blegen Library in memory of Carl and Elizabeth Blegen, has flourished under the guidance of its Librarian, Nancy Winter. The shortage of desk space has been reduced, partly by the installation of new carrels in the stacks, partly by reorganization of the main reading room, so that it has been possible to accommodate more readers than ever before, even in a year when the Members seem unusually addicted to scholarship. The remainder of books from the Blegen collection, those needed neither by our libraries nor by those of our sister institutions, have been sold, partly to members, the rest to a dealer, with beneficial results to the resources of the Library which is thus able to make additional special acquisitions, but at the cost of enormous labor on the part of the staff, particularly of Miss Winter herself. The new catalogue, upon which Miss Andritsaki has been steadily at work, is still short of completion, but it should be available as a new tool for next year's Members. A sad development was the discovery that several illustrations have been removed from valuable editions of early travellers. This disheartening loss, along with a growing list of other, less rare, wanderers, suggests that it will not be long before some form of increased security must be instituted, with its inevitable inroads on the traditional freedom and informality of the Library. For the present, we are attempting to maintain both freedom and security through the active cooperation of the Members.

The generous help of our colleagues in the General Directorate of Antiquites and Restoration continues to contribute a large measure to the success of our projects. Government reversal of the decentralization instituted last year has relieved both them and us of much redundant correspondence, but new efforts in the Ministry to standardize bureaucratic procedures and new shifts in personnel have done nothing to relieve pressure on our overworked colleagues. Professor Spyridon Marinatos was retired in late January as Inspector General of Antiquities and Historical Monuments, and the post has only recently been filled by Professor Nicholaos Kontoleon, while Gregorios Konstantinopoulos has replaced Andreas Vavritsas as Director of Antiquities. We must expect a period of consolidation as they master their new responsibilities. The retirement of Basileios Kallipolitis and the resignation of Demetrios Theocharis to become Professor of the History of Art at Thessaloniki have deprived the Service of two of its senior members, and other local shifts have been effected. In view of such difficulties, the help we are so freely given is the more remarkable, and it deserves our sincere gratitude.

¹ Reports of the Acting Director and of the Professor of Archaeology supply the period here omitted, owing to my sabbatical leave, and many important aspects of the School's work dealt with in the reports of others are not discussed here in detail.

In November, the sale of the Blegen House at 9 Plutarch Street to Mr. and Mrs. Basil Goulandris was finally consummated, after months of legal work both here and in America; it is a great satisfaction that the new owners intend to retain the house, eventually exhibiting in it the Goulandris collections. The contents of the house have been moved to the School, where some of the furnishings have already been added to Loring Hall and the Main Building, while others are in storage, awaiting their expected use in Corinth and elsewhere in the School.

In addition, we have brought from the house more than a score of cartons containing scholarly and personal papers of the Hills and Blegens. Jerome Sperling has generously agreed to undertake the months of work necessary to sort, inventory and evaluate these papers, which include, among the laundry lists and grocery bills, a fair sprinkling of notable memorabilia. Mr. Sperling reports from his office in the Gennadeion that the job is now nearly half done.

Rebuilding of the annex in Corinth, completion of which I had confidently hoped to report, has repeatedly been delayed by the uncertain economic conditions of construction, and agreement has only recently been reached, which is expected to provide a finished building by the end of summer.

At the School itself, physical improvements have been limited to the practical. Additional carrels and stacks in Davis Wing of The Blegen Library help serve more readers, and, for the first time, maids' quarters and tower rooms of the Main Building participate in the joys of central heating—a particularly welcome change during the unusually raw, damp winter just past.

Marie Fidao's ingenuity and resourcefulness in maintaining, against all economic threats, the high quality of life in Loring Hall, no less than the now obvious attraction of its prices, have made our residence and dining services more popular than ever, until we have reached the limit that we can accommodate, not only in rooms but at table. Rising costs have inevitably increased the deficit, but, thanks to the thoughtful coöperation of the Members in minimizing the problem, the increase in charges planned for June can be kept to a modest level.

In the spring, Charles Williams again offered a training session in Corinth, by now almost a regular feature of our program, and four Members remained to excavate there during the ensuing spring campaign. Others worked at Porto Cheli, in Lakonia, in Crete, in Turkey, at Cyrene, and in Israel. In the absence of convincing sanctions, response to our requirement of a School Paper was disappointing. Less than half the expected number was received, and even fewer are of high quality. I continue to consider the School Paper a useful exercise as well as an incentive to useful scholarship, but this is a view difficult to impose. We have, nonetheless, received several excellent papers from students of former years, which make a contribution not only to their files but also to the Library.

Professors Conant and Wyatt once again directed the Summer Sessions, and, owing partly to their own expertise, partly to Professor Eliot's careful arrangements, and partly to luck, the program went more smoothly than ever, with very few untoward events in spite of the hazards of an uncomfortably hot summer.

The list of Members for the Regular Session 1973-1974 appears eisewhere. Once again they are more numerous than ever before, with, according to one calculation, some 55 graduate students and more than 20 senior scholars in addition to the permanent staff. The population is, in fact, now so large that, even with the Library's seating capacity of over 120, not all the School family can be accommodated at the traditional Thanksgiving dinner. We had planned a noon reception as an experimental alternative, but restrictions of martial law, imposed during clashes around the University and Polytechneion in mid-November, did not allow us actually to test it.

Although these events and the ensuing change of government on November 25th caused uneasiness and some mild inconvenience, our Members behaved properly as guests of Greece, and, save for the painful involvement of one past Member, we were hardly affected. The new government brought an old acquaintance, Professor Demetrios Tsakonas, to the post of Minister of Culture and Sciences, and the changes in the Archaeological Service have already been noted. The effect of economic developments has been more serious than that of political change, both to the School—a topic to which I shall return—and to the Members. Three months during which the dollar stood as much as 10% below its 20-year parity with the drachma aggravated the situation for all whose funds originate in America. For the School it has meant paring expenses wherever possible, with the dismal realization that even austerity can slow only slightly the growing deficit. For the Members it has meant unexpected inroads on already tight budgets and often a curtailment of all but basic activities.

Academically, however, it has been an outstanding year, both in the variety of opportunities made available and in the response of the Members to them. The fall trips included Central Greece and Thessaly (Eliot), Thrace and Macedonia (McCredie), the south and west Peloponnesus (Williams), and the Argolid and Corinthia (Eliot and McCredie, with Bookidis, Broneer, and Williams). Uncertainty of transport has foiled two attempts to organize visits to Samothrace, which remains a mysterious island.

During the Winter Term, Professor Calder offered a seminar in "Tragedy and Politics" and Professor Nyenhuis in the "Rôle of Myth in the Creative Process," both well attended, while Professor Eliot and I shared responsibility for Athenian and Attic monuments, with very considerable help from our colleagues, as recounted in the report of the Professor of Archaeology.

The remainder of this year's narrative belongs to the Acting Director, and I should like to add but one general thought of importance to the future of the School.

I have here referred, with perhaps monotonous frequency, to difficulties caused or aggravated by rising costs. It is a matter which has occupied much of my attention this year, and it poses, I believe, the most pressing and serious problem that the School now faces. Our facilities, our Membership, and their products in scholarship and education have, I like to think, never been of higher quality, but there is now serious question whether the financial resources necessary to maintain this happy state can be found.

The rate of inflation in Greece during 1973 has been officially reported as 30%, by far the highest in Europe; unofficially a figure of 50% is commonly mentioned. Nor is there confidence among businessmen that this trend will suddenly change. Wages have not yet kept pace, though substantial raises are spreading from one industry to another, and the School stands at the very bottom of the scale. The increase which I instituted for Greek employees in January, far from representing a gain, leaves them with a loss in real income of nearly 20%. The situation of the American staff, aggravated by fluctuation in the dollar, is still worse. With virtually no drachma income whose increase might offset increased costs, our finances are in shambles.

Our options are clear: either we must find a considerable amount of money to maintain the School as it now is, or we must somehow restrict our activities to those which can be supported by our present funds. The Chairman, the Trustees, and the Executive Committee have, with great ingenuity and effort, managed to meet both my budgetary requests and overdrafts in recent years, but it is too much to expect these feats to be repeated indefinitely. It is, therefore, the alternatives that I hope the Managing Committee will consider. Where can our activities be restricted without destruction of the basic purposes of the School, or where can new permanent income be generated? Should fees for services or tuition charges be instituted? Should institutional contributions be increased?

These are uncomfortable questions, but they are those on which advice is urgently needed if we are to maintain the present standards of the School. Until they are answered, there can be no thought of the development of new programs and services.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES R. McCredie. Director

26 March 1974

REPORT OF THE ACTING DIRECTOR

To the Managing Committee,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honor to submit a report on the activities of the American School of Classical Studies from January 15th through March 1974. In so doing it is essential for me to acknowledge the invaluable assistance and counsel that I have received from the Director, Dr. McCredie, the Professor of Archaeology, Dr. Eliot, and the Secretary of the School, Mr. Michael Goldstein.

The normal winter activities continued until March 15 when the term schedule ended. These are covered in the individual reports of various members of the staff of the School. The Annual Open Meeting was held on March 15 at which time the speakers were Professor Eliot and Professor Jacobsen. The former, with his accustomed clarity, presented the work of the School during the past year: The Athenian Agora, Corinth, Nichoria, Phlius and Halieis. Professor Jacobsen gave a most able and interesting review of five seasons of excavation at the Franchthi Cave. The meeting was, as usual, fully attended. The Library was filled to capacity, and the meeting lasted only a few minutes more than one hour.

In addition to the work of the School in the Agora and at Corinth (below), excavations were conducted under the auspices of the School at Porto Cheli (by Michael Jameson and Thomas Jacobsen for the University of Pennsylvania and Indiana University) and at Nichoria (by William McDonald for the University of Minnesota). Supplementary work was done in Kea (by John Caskey for the University of Cincinnati) and at Phlius (by William Biers for the University of Missouri). Study of materials from earlier campaigns went on in Corinth (Henry Robinson for Case Western Reserve University), at Isthmia (Paul Clement for the University of California, Los Angeles), and in Samothrace (by the Director for the Institute of Fine Arts, New York University). Frederick Cooper continued recording the temple of Apollo at Bassai, and preliminary cleaning and surveying was done at Nemea in anticipation of excavation next season (Stephen Miller, for the University of California, Berkeley).

In conclusion I wish to express, on behalf of Mrs. Stillwell and myself, our appreciation of the cordial welcome extended to us by the Director and all the staff of the School. To the Managing Committee we wish to extend our thanks for the opportunity that has been the occasion of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD STILLWELL
Acting Director

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN OF THE SCHOOL

To the Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honor to submit a report on the School Library, now The Blegen Library, for the period April 1973 to March 1974:

Over this last year, we have accomplished much toward the completion of the new card catalogue. In the spring, Mr. Jedele and I reclassified three sections which had become overcrowded and for which the numbering system proved insufficient: the topographical section (C), the Greek authors (R), and the Latin authors (S). We were able to have the temporary assistance of Mrs. Zois over the summer to change these call numbers on the cards for the new catalogue before they were interfiled with the rest of the catalogue. When Mr. Jedele left us in August, Miss Andritsaki was appointed as Assistant Librarian and carried on the work of the catalogue together with the help of our new secretary, Miss Elizabeth Mitsou, who joined our staff in September. The alphabetizing is now completed and, after the cross references have been added and the books in the reclassified sections relabeled, the catalogue should be available for use in June.

In preparation for the projected increase in readers for this academic year, we constructed 10 new carrels and additional shelving in the Davis Wing last August. By adding new shelves along the back walls of the two stacks and by replacing two tables in the upper stacks with bookshelves, we were able not only to compensate for the book space lost by the addition of the new desks but to expand the space to accommodate further expansion for the future.

At the end of August, we held a sale of the books and offprints in the Blegen house for the members of the foreign archaeological schools in Athens. Afterwards, a list of the remaining books and periodicals was drawn up and circulated to various second-hand bookdealers; the periodicals were sold to Dr. Rudolf Habelt in Germany and the books to Forum Antiquarian Booksellers in Holland. In March of this year, we were given many offprints from the collection of William B. Dinsmoor and were able to offer these for sale to the new members of the school, along with those remaining from the Blegen collection.

At a meeting of the librarians of the foreign archaeological schools last spring it was decided that the union list of periodicals held by our school libraries should be transferred from its book format onto catalogue cards to facilitate the addition of new material and corrections to existing listings. Since 9 copies of each card were needed, we were able to make

available our Weber Mini-Graph card reproducer for the project. This new listing will be ready for use this summer.

We have increased our holdings this year by approximately 1500 new books. Again, many of our readers and former members have generously sent us publications to supplement our collection. Unfortunately, a number of our purchases consisted of replacements for missing books, which are becoming more and more frequent. A distressing discovery last September that a number of valuable plates had been cut out of some old and rare books has necessitated the housing of many books in the library offices, thus making them accessible only during office hours. However, we have no further space for sheltering potential losses, and thus must find some more suitable means of coping with the problem.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY A. WINTER Librarian

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE GENNADIUS LIBRARY

To the Acting Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honor to submit a report on the Gennadius Library for the period April 1973 to March 1974.

My last report, dated February 27, 1973, on the eve of my departure from Athens on sabbatical leave, was compiled in the days immediately following the reopening of the Library on February 15th. The Library has now been in full use of its expanded quarters for thirteen months. It is a pleasure to report that the architectural plans finally adopted have proved to be eminently satisfactory and that the Library is functioning smoothly.

The main hall, freed of half its display cases and of the various "temporary" shelvings—and immensely brightened by a fresh coat of paint (the first since 1926!)—appears to better advantage than it has in many a year. Spacious, dignified, and serene, it provides a hospitable setting for readers and we receive many compliments on its charm and its efficiency alike. As one local scholar recently remarked, "Apart from being at home, in my own study, there is no place so pleasant to work in as the Gennadius Library."

Granted the nature of its collections the Gennadeion is, inevitably, a museum as well as a research library. The West Wing gives formal sanction to this fact and enables us for the first time to display some of our pictorial treasures as well as books and manuscripts. For the past few months we have had on exhibit a selection of the Lear and Makriyannis paintings and we plan from time to time to replace these with other works and even, on occasion, to stage loan exhibitions. And in 1974 the Library will, in addition, be represented simultaneously in exhibitions at three other institutions.

A major exhibition of our Lear drawings opened at the National Picture Gallery on the evening of March 21 and will continue for several months. The opening reception was attended by several hundred guests, and there was general agreement that it is a distinguished show, handsomely mounted. This is not, of course, our first loan exhibit of our Lear drawings in Greece: some of the Ionian Islands series were loaned to the British Council in 1964, for display in both Athens and Corfu, and all of the Cretan sketches were exhibited by the School of Fine Arts of the Polytechnic Institute in 1966; in each case the choice of pictures to be shown was dictated by the occasion, the centennial celebrations of the Cession of the Ionian Islands in 1864 and of the Cretan Revolution of 1866. The present

exhibition, however, is the most comprehensive selection of our Lear collections ever shown here, covering many parts of Greece and ranging in date from 1848 to 1866. It is, in fact, identical in content with the loan exhibit that so successfully toured the U. S. and Canada in 1971-1973, and while it would have been possible to add other drawings it seemed best to limit it to the 73 that had been cleaned and remounted at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts and for which there was already a printed catalogue. We are grateful to the National Gallery for its hospitality and for enabling us to reach out to a wider public and to enhance our role in the cultural life of Athens.

April 19, 1974 marks the 150th anniversary of the death at Missolonghi of George Gordon, Lord Byron. To commemorate the event at least three major exhibitions of Byroniana have been scheduled, in New York, in London, and in Athens. The Gennadius Library will participate in two of these. The Athens exhibition, sponsored by the British Council, will be held in the Benaki Museum and will include sixteen items from the Gennadeion collection: books by Byron and others; a manuscript of his English Bards and Scotch Reviewers copied by his half-sister Augusta Leigh; the Makriyannis-Zographos list of Philhellenes; the famous miniature of the "Maid of Athens", Teresa Makri; and two drawings by William Haygarth depicting the Arch of Athena and the House of the Makri Family. For the exhibition in the Victoria and Albert Museum we have sent to London one of Byron's seals (with the motto "Oublier toi? Jamais!"), the fragment of a jacket worn by Byron at Missolonghi, and one of the two (unworked) samplers stamped with the Byron coat of arms. We shall also enlarge our own permanent exhibition for the occasion.

The First Supplement to the Catalogue of the Gennadius Library, published by G. K. Hall & Co., Boston, has recently appeared. A stout folio volume of 852 pages, it reproduces some 18,500 cards. Since the Library receives royalties on the sales of the Catalogue, we hope that the prompt appearance of the Supplement, only five years after the original seven-volume set, will stimulate additional purchases. The potential market has by no means been exhausted. A check of the recorded sales shows that as of April 1973 nearly half of the School's "Cooperating Institutions" had not yet acquired the Gennadeion catalogue. This is surprising (and disappointing), the more so as copies are to be found in the libraries of many colleges and universities unconnected with the ASCS and hence, presumably, less deeply committed to Greek Studies. How to account for these gaps? Partly at fault, I suspect, is the traditional tag, "a Byzantine collection", still too often applied to the Gennadius Library. As a description this is misleading and sadly inadequate. The single largest section of the Library is still, in fact, classical Greek literature, strongly supported by classical Greek archaeology and history, even though for new acquisitions the major emphasis is placed on post-classical Greece. As a collection, the Library represents the history and culture of Greece as a whole, "from Homer to Seferis", and even this definition must

be enlarged to take into account our important holdings on the Near East, the Balkans, theology and church history, and bibliophily. Above all, the Library's true distinction rests on the extraordinarily high ratio, in all its major areas, of rare books, many of which are not to be found in some of the greatest libraries in the world and a number of which are apparently unique. It is this that makes our catalogue an important bioliographical record; it is equally important to the research scholar for the modern and not-so-modern Greek publications, which are generally hard to find in most American and even European libraries, a fact attested by the many requests we receive for microfilms or photocopies. I trust that the members of the Managing Committee will take this matter to heart and, where necessary, will bring pressure to bear on their respective libraries.

Books accessioned from February 23, 1973 to March 19, 1974 amount to 1393 titles (in 1476 volumes), of which 631 came to us as gifts. This is appreciably more than were reported last year, even allowing for the longer period covered (thirteen months versus eleven). Even so, there is a large backlog of recent acquisitions still unaccessioned, thanks largely to two recent gifts, one collection of contemporary Greek literature, the other (predominately of historical interest) of books and documents covering the period from 1945 to the present.

My sabbatical leave last year enabled us to spend three months in Italy, where I worked in the State Archives of Florence and Venice and in the Vatican Library. Thence to Cassis for six weeks, enjoying the hospitality of the Fondation Camargo while I assembled and studied the materials collected in Italy. In late July we moved on, via Paris, to Cracow and Warsaw to attend the International Bibliophile Congress, a truly memorable experience. After returning to Athens in early August we left two months later for a three-week Smithsonian cruise in the eastern Mediterranean; master-minded by Richard Howland, the cruise was thoroughly enjoyed by all, despite the unexpected changes in itinerary necessitated by the Arab-Israeli War and the dramatic finale of being shipwrecked in Palermo harbor. Our final jaunt, purely non-academic, was a pre-Christmas visit to our daughter and family in Bangkok, a happy ending to our Wanderjahr.

While in Italy I gave two lectures: at the Greek Institute in Venice on "The Greek Book and the Book in Greece", and at the American Academy in Rome on "Janus Lascaris, Renaissance Apostle of Hellenism". During our cruise, as we were approaching Crete I gave a brief talk on "Edward Lear in Crete", which resulted in an amusing contest to complete an unfinished limerick on one of Lear's Cretan sketches. A short article, "Byron's lines On John William Rizzo Hoppner", our rarest Byron volume (printed in six copies only), appeared in The Keats-Shelley Journal, vols. XXI-XXII, 1972-1973. Reprints of this will be distributed to the Friends of the Gennadius Library.

Finally, I wish to thank Mrs. Sophie Papageorgiou for her efficient direction of the Library in my periods of absence and to Professor C. W. J. Eliot for his genial oversight of the Library's interests and his willingness to help in any emergency.

Respectfully submitted.

FRANCIS R. WALTON
Director, Gennadius Library

March 27, 1974

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF ARCHAEOLOGY

To the Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honour to submit to you the following account of my activities

since my second report.

Because of unexpected delays in the granting of excavation permits in Turkey, my stay at Anamur, in Cilicia, was limited to three weeks in June, instead of a planned six weeks beginning in the middle of May. Thus I was able to dig for a total of fourteen days only. Luckily for me, the Director of the excavation, Professor James Russell of the University of British Columbia, considered this short period still time enough to justify my visit, and I am very grateful to him for that decision. This coming season is one of study and conservation, and will take place in July and August, too late for my participation. On the other hand, a final season of major excavation is planned for early summer 1975, and I hope to be present in May and June.

On my return to Athens, the Director left for Samothrace, where he remained for July and August. Because of direct dialing it was easier than in past years for us to keep in touch, a great advantage to me, given the number and variety of activities that are conducted in the name of the School during the summer, but probably a burden to him as he tried to concentrate on the problems of his excavation. When both summer schools had gone, and with Loring Hall closed, I made a tour of central Greece and Thessaly, including my first visit to Pelion, as prelude to the beginning of

another regular session.

1973-1974 has been a stimulating academic year, with a record number of members and associates, and a wealth of senior scholars to support our program. The fall trips varied only slightly from past years. I led the first to Boeotia, Delphi, and Thessaly, and shared with the Director the fourth, that to the Argolid and the Corinthia, my lot being the former.

One aspect of last year's winter term was strengthened this year: in addition to the regular offerings, there was a weekly excursion to a museum. In December Miss Harrison gave four lectures on the sculpture in the National Museum, the Acropolis Museum, and the Stoa of Attalos. Our members could not have experienced a more brilliant introduction to one of Athens' treasures, the largest collection of Greek originals in the world, a fact that was further exploited in January when Mr. Yalouris, Director of the National Museum, gave a unique account of the sculpture from Epidaurus. In February Mr. Stroud gave two talks on the Epigraphical

Museum, Mr. Amyx one lecture on the Proto-Attic collection of the National Museum, and Miss Marangou a tour of the classical collection of which she is curator in the Benaki Museum. The final session, in March, was conducted by Miss Fisher, whose subject was the Numismatic Collection. This list of speakers is an impressive one, not likely to be easily duplicated; yet the subjects are ones that should be explored with as much frequency as most of the major sites or monuments.

It is not only in the museum series but also in the Topography and Monuments of Athens and Friday trips that we are indebted to others for important contributions; Mr. Vanderpool for Minor Monuments of the Acropolis, the North Slope, and Marathon; Miss Rotroff and Mr. Camp for the new excavations in the Agora north of the railway; Mr. Dinsmoor for the south side of the Agora; Mr. Camp for the residential districts of Athens; Mrs. Smithson for the Kerameikos Museum; Mr. Goldstein for the South Slope: Mr. Broneer for the Theatre of Dionysos; and Mr. McCredie for Eleusis. Had it not been for rain, Mrs. Smithson would also have led a tour of Piraeus. Obviously, our program would be much the poorer, if we were not to find such willing cooperation among our colleagues.

Another feature of former years successfully revived has been "Wednesdays at Six", a series of informal talks given in Loring Hall after tea by members of the School on subjects of their own choice. This year there were ten speakers, and it is worth recalling names and titles to illustrate the range of intellectual activity embraced by the notion of "classical studies": D. Jordan, "Lead Curse Tablets from the Athenian Agora"; W. Wyatt, "The Preposition Proti in Homer"; J. Kroll, "Athenian Imperial Bronze Coinage"; J. Younger, "Minoan-Mycenaean Seal Workshops in the Late Bronze Age"; G. Messing, "Gypsies and Their Language in Greece"; W. Calder, "Wilamowitz: The Formation of His Genius"; V. Watrous, "Exploring the Lasithi Plain"; J. Binder, "Fire in the Parthenon"; J. Nyenhuis, "The Dædalean Images of Michael Ayrton"; and J. Wohlleben, "Winckelmann". Professor of Germanistic Studies at West Berlin, the last speaker came as the guest of Mr. Calder, whose colleague he had been for several years at Columbia.

My own contributions to this full program have been the normal ones expected of my office, only slightly increased, despite the official absence of the Director since the middle of January, because of the help received from those listed above and the willingness of Mr. Stillwell to take responsibitity for several sessions. Beyond the School, I have lectured at Athens College, and on January 22, Lord Byron's birthday, at the British Council where my title was "Byron at Missolonghi," a subject which I shall repeat at Nicosia in late April. This concentration on Byron is understandable in the year that sees the 150th anniversary of his death. I have also been called upon by the British Council for advice on the Byron exhibition to open at the Benaki Museum on April 19. Partly as a result of this, I have been invited

to take part in an international symposium on Byron organized by the British Council, to be held in the last week of June at Trinity College,

Cambridge.

Now that the winter term is over, I look forward in the next three months to time for writing a number of articles and reviews, some already promised. I also hope to organize my material on George Wheler and Thomas Whitcombe, so that I can make best use of my sabbatical leave in 1975, part of which I plan to spend in London compiling additional documentation on these two subjects.

Finally, I express my thanks to the Managing Committee for making it possible for me to attend the meetings at St. Louis in December, 1973, where I gave the customary reports to the Committee and the Alumni Association. This was my first return to North America since coming here in mid-summer 1971, and it convinces me of the value of such periodic trips. All in all, 1973-1974 has been an exciting year.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. J. ELIOT Professor of Archaeology

REPORT OF THE FIELD DIRECTOR OF THE AGORA EXCAVATIONS

To the Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honor to submit the following report on the excavations in the Athenian Agora during the period from March of 1973 to March 1974.

As in recent years, the work of the Agora was made possible by the generous support and cooperation of the Greek Service of Antiquities and Restoration. To our Greek friends and colleagues it is a special pleasure once again to acknowledge a debt of gratitude. Financial support for the past season's work was drawn almost entirely from the principal and interest of the grant from the Ford Foundation.

STAFF

The scientific staff of the Agora Excavations numbered 32 archaeologists during the period under review, of whom some concerned themselves primarily with the current excavating program, while others were engaged in various studies leading to the publication of material from the excavations. The members of the staff and their particular responsibilities may be listed as follows: John McK. Camp II (Assistant Field Director, excavator), Susan I. Rotroff, Ione M. Shear (excavators), William B. Dinsmoor, Jr. (Architecture), Eugene Vanderpool, Jr. (Photography), John H. Kroll, Fred S. Kleiner (Agora Fellows, numismatics), Barbara L. Johnson (Agora Fellow, Roman pottery), Effie Sakellaraki (Secretary of the Excavations, records), Helen Besi, Abigail Watrous (drafting), Lena Papachristodoulou, Marian McCredie (records), Karen Younger (typing).

Scholars who devoted themselves to research on various materials assigned for publication at different times during the year were Homer A. Thompson (architecture, topography), Eugene Vanderpool, Sr. (ostraka), John Travlos (architecture), Dorothy B. Thompson (terracottas), Alison Frantz (post-classical antiquities), Virginia Grace, assisted by Andreas Demoulinis and Maria Petropoulakou (amphoras), Evelyn B. Harrison (sculpture), Evelyn L. Smithson (protogeometric pottery), Henry S. Robinson (Roman pottery), Mary Zelia Philippides (black-figured pottery), Jerome J. Pollitt (Eleusinian kernoi), David Jordan (curse tablets), Carol Mattusch (bronzecasting material), Sally R. Roberts (pottery), Alan Walker (numismatics).

It is with great regret that we must record here also the retirement of John Travlos from active service to the Agora on June 30, 1973.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL EXCAVATIONS

During the season just past, excavation was concentrated in two areas of the archaeological zone both of which had been cleared generally of debris in previous years: the northwestern corner of the market square about the Royal Stoa, and the area lying to the east of the classical Agora between the Stoa of Attalos and the Market of Caesar and Augustus. Although the general disposition of the classical buildings and monuments was known in both sectors as a result of our work the previous season, we were now in a position to carry out definitive investigation of the stratified deposits of ancient fill which enabled us to reconstruct the history of the monuments.

The discovery of the Royal Stoa, the office of the King Archon at the northwestern corner of the Agora, was reported in 1970, but until the season just past it had not been possible to explore beneath the floor because of the level of the natural water table. Much of the original foundation packing has now been examined and clear evidence in the form of ceramic material and certain details of construction point to a date for this venerable building at the very end of the 6th century B. c. The stoa, which served from the time of its construction until the late Roman period as the office of one of Athens' chief magistrates, now takes its place beside several other contemporary structures as one of the first civil buildings erected by the Athenian Democracy after its foundation in 508 B. C.

Excavation of the deepest levels beneath and around the Royal Stoa brought to light evidence of a much earlier era in the city's history. For long centuries before the formation of the classical Agora, the area of the later market place was used as a burial ground and a number of family cemeteries have come to light in the excavations. Nine graves were located under the southern part of the Royal Stoa, of which it was possible to excavate six. All but one were cist graves, shallow trenches cut into the soft bedrock and lined and covered with thin slabs of schist. In each case a single burial was placed in the grave, and the skeletons of three adult women (aged about 21, 28 and 50) and two children (between the ages of 8 and 12) were recovered.

The burials all belong to the Sub-Mycenaean period (11th century B. c.), and they vividly illustrate the low ebb of civilization in Greece at the threshold of the Iron Age. Only one or two small pots were buried in each grave, and the new metal is still so rare that it is fashioned into jewelry and finger rings of iron. The graves were placed by the side of an early road running from northwest to southeast across the area, and it is a reasonable conjecture that they all belong to a single family.

The eastern half of the building donated to the city about A. D. 100 by the philosopher T. Flavius Pantainos has now been fully explored. The new

excavations have added a great Ionic Portico bordering the south side of the street which led from the classical Agora to the Roman Market. Behind the colonnade lies a series of large rooms, some of which may be associated with the library, while others were perhaps rented as shops or offices. Excavation under the Roman floors yielded coins and fragmentary pottery of the late 1st century after Christ, which serve to corroborate the date of Pantainos' dedicatory inscription at the beginning of the reign of Trajan. Shortly after the completion of the stoa, the street in front was paved in marble with a marble gutter along the edge.

In the Herulian sack of A. D. 267 the Library of Pantainos suffered heavy destruction and the area was apparently left desolate for more than a century after the barbarian raid. During the first quarter of the 5th century after Christ a large late Roman building arose on the higher terrace to the south, its plan consisting of an apsidal audience hall approached by a peristyle court. The colonnade along the street to the north was now completely rebuilt in two storeys to provide a façade for the new building. In this form the structure survived the Slavic invasion of the 580's and was subsequently refurbished at least twice during the 7th century.

Beneath the floors of the Roman stoa, there came to light last season substantial remains of a small classical building which consisted of a row of rooms, in some places a suite of two, ranged along an early street running east and west under the marble-paved street of the Roman period. Although substantially built, the structure was too irregular in plan to be a public building and should probably be identified as a series of private shops.

The building was originally constructed in the late 5th century B. C.; but stratified floors in several rooms bore witness to its long history, including extensive alterations in the early 4th and 3rd centuries B. C., until its demolition near the end of the 1st century B. C. as part of a program of urban renewal occasioned by the construction of the Market of Caesar and Augustus immediately to the east. An unusually rich well in one room produced enormous quantities of pottery of the early 4th century B. C. The combination of fine tableware with cooking pots and many animal bones suggests that the well served a local tavern.

FUTURE PROSPECTS

The efforts of the Trustees to find new financial support for the excavations began to bear fruit during the autumn and winter. Two American foundations have pledged contributions for the next phase of the Agora project. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation has made a conditional grant of \$450,000, while the National Endowment for the Humanities has offered the School \$360,000 in a gift and matching grant. This represents about two thirds of the funds which will be needed over the next five years. These hopeful developments are not fully paralleled on the Greek side where the picture

has been somewhat beclouded by the recent political and economic developments in the country. It now seems likely that we may experience some delays in the acquisition of further properties for excavation.

Respectfully submitted,

T. LESLIE SHEAR, JR. Field Director, Agora Excarations

April 1, 1974

REPORT OF THE FIELD DIRECTOR OF THE CORINTH EXCAVATIONS

To the Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honor to present the following report on the activities of the Corinth Excavations of the American School of Classical Studies at Athens.

The Corinth Excavations operated during the scholastic year of 1973-1974 with a full-time American staff of three: Dr. Nancy Bookidis, Corinth Secretary, Miss Joan Fisher, numismatist, and myself. All three of us shared in preparing the publication of the year's excavations.

In the museum work, we now have the full-time skill and services of Miss Stella Bouzaki, conservator, as well as the skills of three Corinth pot-menders. This winter we have been able to clean and process a great bulk of pre-war pottery that has long been in storage.

We have served a number of visiting scholars. Prof. and Mrs. H. S. Robinson returned to Corinth during the summer of 1973 to continue their study of Temple Hill excavation finds. At the same time Mr. Peter Burns and his wife worked on the skeletal material from Temple Hill and from other parts of the site. Several persons continued the study of Demeter sanctuary material. Mrs. Joan Fry studied the small finds; Mr. David Peck completed most of the architectural drawings. Mrs. E. G. Pemberton continued her study of the sanctuary pottery. Mrs. D. Peck drew profiles of excavation pottery, a project now being continued by Mrs. Sarah Rutter. Miss C. Koehler continued her study this summer of Corinthian wine amphoras, aided by Miss Marcia Langer, who photographed the material. Miss Langer also photographed the lamps of the Isthmia Excavations.

A number of scholars stopped at Corinth in order to examine material.

The 1974 Spring Excavation at Corinth will have its customary training sessions. This year one two-week session will have nine students, three of whom are Associate Members. The second session will include eight members, six of whom will stay to staff the regular session.

Corinth excavation material has been made available for use in student dissertations. The following persons have been assigned material.

Miss Mary Ellen Carr (Yale), Aphrodite statues of the Corinth collection as part of her dissertation.

Miss Laura Siegel (Yale), Imports into Corinth of the Geometric period down to ca. 500 в. с.

Mr. David Rupp (Bryn Mawr), Terracotta altars, one chapter of his dissertation.

The following persons have material approved for publication:

Dr. John Lavezzi, Corinthian Neolithic pottery.

Dr. Ian McPhee, late Attic Red Figure of the Corinth Excavation, found before 1973, a study made in conjunction with the study of Attic Red Figure being made by Prof. C. Boulter.

Mr. Jeremy Rutter, late Mycenaean pottery from Korakou.

I had the pleasure of guiding the School's Western Peloponnesos' trip this past fall. The trip was changed to include Nemea in order to compare better the temple there with that at Tegea, since we were able to see the temples on consecutive days. The trip was planned to include Kalydon and Naupactos, although we did sacrifice the popular Lykaion walk. We had the company of Professors Harrison and Calder on the last leg of our trip. Dr. Harrison was most helpful in the museums of Olympia and Patras; the students profited greatly by having such expertise available to them.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES KAUFMAN WILLIAMS, II Field Director, Corinth Excavations

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL RESEARCH FELLOWS

To the Acting Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have never learned so much so intensively and so well taught. I can imagine no improvement in the curriculum. Each person on the staff seems the best qualified for the post. From discussion with colleagues I have only benefited. The intelligence and comportment of the students only confirm my opinion of the Admissions Committee.

During fall term I attended all functions I could and shared in the less strenuous trips. I have tried throughout the year to entertain and advise the students. This has been a pleasure and not a hardship. During winter term I offered ten two-hour lectures on the theme *Tragedy and Politics*, with reading of eight plays by Aeschylus, Sophocles, Euripides, and Seneca. Twenty-two students attended these lectures. Concurrently I read Sophocles, *Philoctetes* in Greek with ten students. This group has continued into the spring term. On February 6 at the invitation of Professor C. W. J. Eliot I delivered a public lecture at the school entitled: "Ulrich von Wilamowitz-Moellendorff: The Formation of his Genius."

During my tenure of the Visiting Professorship I shall have delivered these lectures and colloquia at the following institutions. A series of five lectures in Israel was canceled because of the Middle East War.

- 1. 20 Sept. University of Copenhagen: Seneca, Agamemnon.
- 2. 20 Dec. Friedrich-Schiller-Universität-Jena: The 125th Birthday Oration for Ulrich von Wilamowitz-Moellendorff.
- 3. 21 Dec. Jena: Sophocles, *Oinomaos* and the East Pediment at Olympia.
- 2 Jan. The Polish Academy of Sciences at Kraków: How Periclean Democracy Worked, followed by discussion in Latin.
- Jan. The Jagellonian University of Kraków: Aeschylus, Eumenides and Prometheus Vinctus.
- 26 Feb. University College, London: Ulrich von Wilamowitz-Moellendorff: the Formation of his Genius.
- 7. 1 March The Bi-annual Meeting of the Hibernian Hellenists at Ballymascanlon: The Politics of Late Aeschylus.
- 8. 4 March Trinity College, Dublin, Eire: Wilamowitz.
- 29 May
 The University of Lille: The Nietzsche-Wilamowitz Quarrel.
 Oxford University: The Background of the Nietzsche-Wilamowitz Quarrel: New Evidence.

Universität Tübingen: Wilamowitz. 11. 10 June

Universität Tübingen: Sophocles, Oinomaos and the East 12. 11 June

Pediment at Olympia.

Universität Münster: Wilamowitz. 13. 18 June

Universität Bochum: Wilamowitz. 14. 20 June

Karl Marx Universität, Leipzig: Schliemann über Schlie-15. 24 June

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Karl Marx Universität, Leipzig: Forty Years of American 16. 25 June

Excavations in the Athenian Agora.

I have been invited to address the universities of Athens and Göttingen but the dates and subjects are still unsettled.

I have been able to complete my book on Wilamowitz at Schulpforte (E. J. Brill, 1974) which will appear in time for distribution at the International Congress of Classical Studies at Madrid in early September, 1974. I have finished some ten articles and reviews which are now in press. I have benefited immeasurably from what Wilamowitz called reading ohne Zweck. I have read Pausanias through for the first time.

In conclusion I have found the school the perfect habitat for an aging celibate and am grateful for the many kindnesses shown me in useful ways by the staff from Director across and down. I hope that repetition once again in my lifetime will not be impossible.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM M. CALDER, III Visiting Professor

To the Acting Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honor to submit the following report on my activities as

Visiting Professor for 1973-1974.

Since this was my first year not only at the School but also in Greece, I am especially grateful for the rich opportunities afforded me here. Among the most memorable were the visits to numerous sites and monuments in Greece in the company of such well-informed and articulate scholars. In the Fall term, I participated in three School trips: the first, to central Greece and Thessaly; the superb Olympia portion of the third trip, accompanied by my wife; and the concluding half of the final trip, to the Argolid and the Corinthia. I had the privilege of lecturing on Apollo at Delphi and on the Hera temples at Perachora. Since these trips were led, respectively, by Messrs. Eliot, Williams and McCredie, I was able to learn from and observe all three of the people responsible for most of the major programs of the School. Although the style of each differs, as one would hope, their outstanding professional competence contributes an admirably high degree of consistency to the program. These trips were an invaluable introduction to Greece and its history, as well as to the student members of the School.

My experience and my understanding were further enriched during the Winter term through participation in the majority of the topographical sessions in Athens and some of the Friday trips. The museum visits under Evelyn Harrison's expert tutelage during December and the outstanding sessions at the Acropolis led by our emeriti, Professors Broneer and Vanderpool, also increased my appreciation for the wealth of learning which is so willingly shared with members of the School.

During the Winter term I also conducted eleven seminar sessions on the role of myth in the creative process. Using the Daedalus myth as a prototype for our study, we reconstructed the basic myth from ancient literary sources, traced its history in ancient art, and explored its subsequent role in art and literature, with a primary focus on the present century, Although the School unfortunately lacks a slide collection, which is essential for a study of myth in art, a comparative study of other myths within a narrower focus was attempted. Student papers generated lively discussions, which in turn contributed to our appreciation for the continuing vitality of the Greek myths. Attendance ranged as high as seventeen, but the norm was closer to twelve, half of whom presented papers. I wish to thank all the seminar participants for their willingness to pursue studies which ranged far afield from the usual emphasis of the seminars.

My own work, aside from research in conjunction with the seminar, was concentrated on a final revision of a book-length manuscript on the British artist Michael Ayrton, whose obsession since 1956 with the Daedalus myth has resulted in over seven hundred drawings, paintings and sculptures, in addition to two books and several articles (his novel, The Maze Maker, was read and discussed by members of the seminar). I had the privilege, at Professor Eliot's invitation, to present a kind of overview of my book (to be published by Secker and Warburg) in an illustrated lecture in Loring Hall early this month. I also expect that my continuing research during this year will lead to a second book, on either the Daedalus theme or the subject of my seminar.

I would like to add that I have been most favorably impressed by the generally outstanding performance of the first-year students, both in the field and in the seminar room. I was amazed at their enthusiasm and industry: some students participated in both seminars, most took part in other short-term seminars and training sessions, and a few seemed to be involved in all of them. My only recommendation for possible change in the excellent program of the School would be to provide the first-year students

with a little time in December, immediately after the Fall trips, to read, think, travel on their own, or just commune with themselves. After two months of constant close association, greater privacy and independence for a brief period would be welcomed by most of them, if I judged their responses correctly. Perhaps delaying the seminars until after the New Year would be one way of

meeting this need.

My family and I are especially grateful to the Director for our very comfortable accommodations in Loring Hall West House, particularly for the addition of the basement apartment for the use of our teen-aged daughters, and to the Loring Hall staff who were very responsive to our needs. I also wish to thank the Director for the convenient office in the Library Tower, as well as our fine librarian, Miss Winter, and her assistants for their help in making my year pleasant and productive, and our School attorney, Mr. Kavvadias, for his assistance in gaining admission for our daughters to the Marasleion School. This experiment at enrolling them in a Greek public school without a knowledge of the language has been far more successful than we dared hope: their cultural understanding and their friendship with Greek children of their own age have much more than offset the initial difficulties with learning the language, and they will return home immeasurably enriched by the experience.

I further wish to record my deep appreciation to the Director and Mrs. McCredie and to the Acting Director and Mrs. Stillwell for their many efforts to make our tenure at the School both comfortable and happy, to Messrs. Eliot, Williams, Broneer, and Vanderpool for their many kindnesses and for their intellectual stimulation, and finally, but not least, to the Managing Committee for providing not only the environment and opportunity for a rewarding and profitable sabbatical, but also the means for us to enjoy both Greece and the many European countries visited en route

here.

Respectfully submitted,

JACOB E. NYENHUIS Visiting Professor

March 22, 1974

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SCHOOL

To the Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honor to submit the following report on my activities from April 1973 through March 1974.

During the past year I continued to perform the normal duties of Secretary: tending to housing, routine correspondence, and minor maintenance problems and, in general, helping members pursue their work with the fewest inconveniences possible. Also, in the summer I lectured to the members of the two Summer Sessions at the Athenian Asklepieion and in the winter led our Regular Members on a visit to the South Slope of the Acropolis. At the same time, I was able to finish a paper on the Foundation of the Athenian Asklepieion, to be submitted for publication, and begin work on my dissertation, The Rôle of the Dining/Sleeping Complex in Classical Greek Sanctuaries.

In February, with the permission and help of the Director, I arranged a reception hosted by the student-members of our School for the student-members of the other foreign schools in Athens. Members from all seven foreign schools attended, making the party a unique and valuable occasion for all present. The apparent success of the event suggests that such gatherings should be encouraged in the future.

I am again indebted to the Director for his unerringly sound advice, given to me both as student-member and Secretary. I should also like to express my thanks to Professors Stillwell and Eliot and the Greek Staff for making my second and last year as Secretary an enjoyable and easy one.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL S. GOLDSTEIN Secretary of the School

March 23, 1974

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ADMISSIONS AND FELLOWSHIPS

To the Members of the Managing Committee:

I herewith submit a revised report on behalf of the Committee on Admissions and Fellowships.

The Committee recommend that Fellowships be awarded as follows:

Thomas Day Seymour Fellowship: Cynthia Berchell Patterson (married, to be accompanied by husband), now at the University of Pennsylvania, B. A. Stanford: 4400 Spruce Street, A-26, Philadelphia, Pa. 19104. She has accepted.

John Williams White Fellowship: H. Alan Shapiro (single), now at Princeton University, B. A. Swarthmore, M. A. California: 7B Graduate College, Princeton, New Jersey 08540. He has accepted.

James Rignall Wheeler Fellowship: Jack Lee Davis (married, to be accompanied by wife), now at the University of Cincinnati, B. A. Akron: 707 Dixmyth Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45220. (This Fellowship was first offered to Donald Baronowski; see below.) He has accepted.

George Henry McFadden Fellowship: Andrew Roy Dyck (single), now at the University of Bonn, B. A. Wisconsin, more recently at University of Chicago: 53 Bonn-Beuel, Josefstrasse 95, West Germany. He has accepted.

The Committee recommend that admission as Honorary Fellow be granted to:

Canada Council Fellow: Donald Baronowski (single, now at University of British Columbia, B. A. McGill; Department of Classics, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B. C. V6T 1W5, Canada. (Winner of James Rignall Wheeler Fellowship, which he declined.) He has accepted.

The Committee recommend that the following be granted membership in the School:

Fulbright Fellow: Ira S. Mark (married, to be accompanied by wife), now at New York University, B. A. Hunter College, formerly at Haverford; 801 Greenwich Street, New York, N. Y. 10014. He has accepted.

Canada Council Fellow: J. R. Guy (single), now at University of Cincinnati, B. A. Queen's (Ontario); 545 Howell Avenue, #4, Cincinnati, Ohio 45220. He has accepted. Charles E. Norton Fellow: Katherine Patricia Erhart (single), now at Harvard, A. B. Bryn Mawr; 428 Broadway, Cambridge, Mass. 02138. She has accepted.

The Committee recommend that the following be granted membership in the School:

- D. L. Blank (single), B. A. Yale 1974; 1295 Yale Station, New Haven, Conn. 06520. He has accepted.
- J. J. Dobbins (single), now at University of Michigan, B. A. Holy Cross, M. A. Boston; 1015 S. State Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104. He has accepted.
- Amy Gilman (single), B. A. Pennsylvania 1974, formerly at Boston University, 3820 Locust Walk 294, Philadelphia, Pa. 19174. She has accepted.

Robin Francis Rhodes (single), University of North Carolina, B. A. 1974; P. O. Box 2196, Davidson, N. C. 28036. He has accepted.

Robert F. Sutton, Jr. (married, to be accompanied by wife), now at University of Carolina, B. A. Haverford; Classics Department, 103 Murphey Hall, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N. C. 27514. He has accepted.

The Committee recommend that Associate Membership be granted to the following:

Sarah Bancroft, Department of Art and Archaeology, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey 08540.

Christopher Carr (married), now at University of Chicago, B. A. University of Buffalo 1962; #10, 5520 King Arthur Court, Westmont, Illinois 60559.

Allaire B. Chander, University of Pennsylvania, 3725 Lancaster Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. 19104.

Bettie Lucille Forte (single), Associate Professor of Greek and Latin, Hollins College, A. B. Agnes Scott, M. A., Ph. D. Bryn Mawr; Hollins College, Virginia 24020.

Albert Leonard Jr. (married, to be accompanied by wife), now in Athens from University of Chicago, M. A. Chicago; American School of Classical Studies, 54 Souidias Street, Athens 140.

Ellen A. O'Donnell (single), Assistant Professor of Classics, St. Bonaventure University, B. S. John Carroll, M. A. Pennsylvania (Ph. D. 1974?); 2905 Fairmont Boulevard, Cleveland Heights, Ohio 44118.

R. Patterson, husband of Cynthia Patterson.

Mrs. R. F. Sutton.

The Acting Director of the School has made the following nominations:

Eugene Vanderpool Fellowship (stipend \$4,000): Nicholas F. Jones

Edward Capps Fellowship (stipend \$3,000 plus marriage-allowonce, \$500): Thomas R. Martin

Gennadius Fellowship

Timothy E. Gregory, Department of History, Ohio State University.

Eleven candidates wrote the examinations for Fellowships (seven in Archaeology, four in Literature); all have been offered membership. Baronowski declined the Wheeler Fellowship in order to accept a Fellowship from the Canada Council. Guy was offered admission and has also acepted a Fellowship from the Canada Council. Blank did not write the examinations but we have offered him admission.

Three candidates wrote the examination for admission; only one (Gilman) was successful.

> MALCOLM F. McGREGOR, Chairman. WILLIAM A. McDonald FORDYCE W. MITCHELL HENRY R. IMMERWAHR

\$750 was added to each Fellowship by action of the Executive Committee, May 10, 1974.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF SUMMER SESSION I, 1973

To the Managing Committee and the Director,

American School of Classical Studies:

Once again I have the honor of submitting a report on the Summer Session, this time for the first section of the Summer Session of 1973.

Nineteen members participated in the entire program. One student, having been admitted, withdrew too late for his place to be filled. The roster follows: Sister Marjorie Allen (Faculty, Our Lady of Mercy H. S., Detroit), Miss Cynthia Anthony (University of Missouri), Miss Lynne Cohen (University of Pennsylvania), Dr. Edward J. Erler (Faculty, San Jose State). Miss Cathaleen Finnegan (University of British Columbia), Mrs. Edith Glosecki (Faculty, Springfield, Illinois, H. S.), Dr. James J. Helm (Faculty, Oberlin College), Mr. James H. Hicks (University of Oregon), Miss Sylvia Kay (Columbia University), Miss Kathy Kleinbard (Wesleyan University), Mr. Steven H. Lonsdale (Harvard University), Miss Virginia McCrary (Florida State University), Miss Nancy McGlashan (Manhattanville College), Dr. Joe Park Poe (Faculty, Tulane University), Miss Mary Jo Pruner (Scripps College), Mr. Paul A. Rahe, Jr. (Yale University and Wadham College), Miss Gloria Ralph (Randolph-Macon Woman's College), Mr. Peter M. Russo (Rutgers University), Dr. Leonard P. Wencis (Catholic University, now Faculty, Howard University).

This summer there were eight men and eleven women, making berthing neither easier nor significantly more difficult. Five were undergraduates, eight were graduate students at one level or another, two were secondary school teachers, and four were college or university teachers. Five had the Ph. D. degree. There was more uniformity of readiness this year than last and at least equal enthusiasm and industry. There was no misadventure more serious than sea-urchin spines and hardly any illness to frustrate our intentions. Each student prepared and presented reports on two sites or monuments, and the reports were uniformly good and well prepared, most indeed excellent. This Director considers that it was an extraordinarily well-chosen group, academically excellent, physically capable and willing, and socially harmonious. The work of the Committee proved eminently successful.

This year again, almost inevitably, the program was comparable to past summer programs and coordinated with that of 1973 Summer Session, Group II. Last year's Samos trip was dropped this year in favor of Rhodes, itself a pis-aller. Otherwise, the session included the customary Peloponnese trip (ten days), Crete (three days), and Central Greece (six days). Summer Session I began on Wednesday, June 20, 1973, and ended on Tuesday, July 31, 1973. Three students took the final examination, and all did very well.

In 1973 the stays on Crete and Rhodes were made conterminous, as Crete and Samos were last year, with Group II moving into our rooms on Crete the day we moved to Rhodes. This worked well, no doubt facilitated bookings of all sorts, and probably resulted in some savings. The practice does, however, produce a certain inflexibility. For example, our three days on Rhodes, delightful though they were, proved luxurious. No solution leaps to meet the eye. This Director had no significant difficulties with bus, hotel, or airline.

The members of Group I were housed, as they have been in past years, in the apartments of the College Year in Athens. As in the past, this arrangement proved generally successful. There were two or three exasperating and time-consuming encounters with failing water-heaters, a trial that the students ought really not to have to face. In Loring Hall, however, the students fared as they always have. The tendance of Mrs. Fidao's staff was superlative. The meals were good. The food was as diverse as possible and always abundant. Provisions in the Library were, as always, excellent. The customary assistance was generously provided by Mrs. Drivas and by Mr. Asiatides. Mr. Michael Goldstein provided the intelligent, capable assistance that makes the Secretary of the School indispensable in the operation of the Summer Session.

The Director of Summer Session 1973, Group I, owes, as always, an immeasurable debt of gratitude to the generous scholars who have been willing to take time from their work to speak to the students of the Summer Session, often under trying conditions of weather or surroundings. The Director wishes most sincerely to thank them all, on behalf of the students and, more particularly, in his own name: William A. Biers (Phlius), Nancy Bookidis (Demeter Sanctuary), Oscar Broneer (Isthmia), John McK. Camp II (Roman Athens), William B. Dinsmoor, Ir. (Sounion), Anastasia N. Dinsmoor (Acropolis Museum), C. W. J. Eliot (Parthenon), Alison Frantz (Byzantine Museum), Louis Godart of the French School (Mallia). Michael Goldstein (Asklepieion), William A. McDonald and Roger Howell (Nichoria), Stephen G. and Stella Miller (Nemea), Robert L. Pounder (Brauron), Gerald Quinn (Theater of Dionysos), T. Leslie Shear, Ir. (Stoa of Attalos), Eberhard Slenczka of the German Institute (Tiryns). Evelyn L. Smithson (Kerameikos and Peiraieus), Mary Sturgeon (National Museum), Homer A. Thompson (Agora), John Travlos (Olympieion), Charles K. Williams, II (Corinth), and William F. Wyatt, Jr. (Aegina). The Director called as unashamedly as in the past on the counsel and encouragement of Professors Eliot and Vanderpool, and he here expresses his gratitude to them. As in past years, the gracious and elegant reception offered the students of Summer Session I by Professor and Mrs. McCredie made a very auspicious beginning of the Summer Session, one for which we all thank them warmly.

The Director wishes to express to the Managing Committee his gratitude (and that of Mrs. Conant) for the opportunity once again to participate in the very exhilarating experience of the Summer Session and to the many members of the School his thanks for the warm hospitality with which he and Mrs. Conant have been received.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH M. CONANT Director, Summer Session I, 1973

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF SUMMER SESSION II, 1973

To the Managing Committee and the Director,

American School of Classical Studies at Athens:

I have the honor to submit the following report on the second session of the Summer School for 1973 which lasted from June 27 till August 7. There were twenty members: Mr. Kenneth Bratt, Miss Susanna Brown, Dr. Frederick Christie, Ph. D., Mr. Richard Feen, Sister Florence Gerdes. C. S. J., Mr. Halford Haskell, Mr. George Hedges, Mrs. Elinor Leard, Mr. Thomas Loening, Mr. William Mayer, Miss Marsha McCov, Sister Eileen Mitchell, C. S. J., Mr. William Murray, Miss Ingrid Rowland, Miss Jean Susorney, Miss Joan Tomaszewski, Miss Susan Tutwiler, Miss Carolyn Wilson, Mr. Andrew Zimmerman, Miss Mary Lou Zimmerman. Of the above, four are graduate students, eleven undergraduates, two college teachers, three highschool teachers. Three are in their fifties, one in his thirties, and yet the average age is 26, so a number are yet quite young: all were physically vigorous, and none had any idiosyncracies which in any affected the group. I feel that the inclusion of a question concerning physical ability on the questionnaire may have contributed to this good result. Two members are sisters, two others are married; most are affiliated with traditional east coast institutions, but three are Californians, and four or so midwesterners; three are students at the University of North Carolina, two at Bryn Mawr. The point of the above is that the group, though in many ways typical, violates a certain number of the predictions which might have been made of it: e. g., it is not a good thing to have several members from one institution. I am happy to report that the group was an excellent one, the best I have ever known, either as director or observer. All are highly intelligent, all eager to see everything and to get as much out of the summer as possible: it may well be that our most strenuous day was the free day I provided on Crete. I heard only one petulant remark all summer, and that, though misdirected, was justified. At the conclusion of the session I received a marvelous picture (wrapped around a large bottle of ouzo) depicting me as Marcus Aurelius on a horse with the rest of the group seated behind me; my wife received roses; and all the maids in Loring Hall received flowers.

Directors tend to think in terms of groups of people defined by sites, times, hotels, restrooms. Every member of the group, however, was an individual, each with his own admirable characteristics: I wish that I

could take the time to describe all in detail. But since it was as individuals that the Summer School Committee evaluated these students, I should like to express my warm appreciation to the Committee for its final selection. The excellence of the program and the wisdom of the members of the Committee ensure the continued success of the Summer Session.

A number of scholars generously gave of their time, and, in lecturing to us, provided the depth of knowledge of sites and museums which I was unable to give. They greatly enriched the session, and I wish to thank them formally by listing their names here: Professor Homer Thompson (Hephaisteion), Professor T. Leslie Shear, Ir. (Agora, twice), Dr. Alison Frantz (Byzantine Museum), Mr. John McK. Camp II (Roman Athens), Professor Oscar Broneer (Isthmia), Mr. Charles K. Williams, II (Corinth), Professor Stephen Miller (Nemea), Professor William Biers (Phlius), Professor George Mylonas (Mycenae), Professor Elizabeth Banks (Argos Museum), Professor William McDonald (Nichoria), Professor Louis Godart (Mallia), Professor Doro Levi (Phaistos), Professor C. W. J. Eliot (Propylaia and Erechtheion), Professor Robert Pounder (Brauron), Professor John Travlos (Olympieion) Professor Evelyn Smithson (Kerameikos and Peiraieus). Mr. Michael Goldstein (Asklepieion), Professor Mary Sturgeon (National Museum sculpture), Professor Francis Walton (Gennadios Library). I am particularly delighted to have been able to secure the assistance of a number of younger scholars in addition to the more established who have saved me from disaster so often in the past.

Since I am so satisfied, and that on the last day of the session, that things went well, the remainder of this report, save the last paragraph, is by way of being a formality. Schedule: The question of two sessions rather than one is no longer of interest: the two work, and work well. Our schedule this summer was ideal for this particular group, and I recommend no major changes from it. Four days on Crete is ideal, and gives the Director a flexibility which is most welcome. Three days on Rhodes seems to me excessive, but did not seem so to the students: as long as it remains feasible financially, Rhodes can remain on the schedule, though I still entertain a wistful longing to visit Delos. Future directors might well want to visit northern Greece, since the area is of great interest, and since Macedonian and Hellenistic matters do not usually receive their due. The museum in Thessalonike is superb, as is the city itself, and Pella is well worth the visit. One might consider including Thasos, Olynthos, Philippi and Edessa as well in a three-day trip with air connections to Kavala and Thessalonike and bus arrangements locally there. One minor matter: I should prefer to begin on Monday and end on Saturday or Sunday, returning from the last trip before the session ends. I strongly recommend to future directors that they publish as detailed schedules as possible, and further that they announce the day's schedule on the road each morning before setting out. The added certainty of what is to happen is comforting to the students. I

continued the practice established several years ago of assigning two reports, one longer, the other shorter, and assigned these topics by April 1. Most had completed their preparation before arriving in Athens, and the level of the reports was generally very high. I recommend two reports again in future.

We (Professor Conant and I in consultation with Professor McCredie) solved the meal money problem this year in a different way from before. During the course of the summer I issued in advance 1100 dr. to each student, and ticked off against this amount the meals actually taken at the rates of 20 dr. for lunch and 40 dr. for dinner. These sums are unrealistically low, and should be raised considerably, at least for lunch, to conform with the realities of prices in Greece today. I should in fact recommend that students be totally on their own financially as far as meals are concerned, both on the road, and at Loring Hall. They should, that is, be charged a mess bill just as all others eating at Loring Hall are. If this should be done, the tuition increase could be considerably lessened, and the School and the Director would be spared the niggardly doling out of unrealistic sums at arbitrarily selected times.

In lieu of a final dinner at Kanaki's, this year, following a suggestion of Professor Conant, we tendered a cocktail party for ourselves and all those who had spoken to us during the summer and had otherwise made our stay pleasant. The party was enjoyed by all, and could well be considered by future directors. Details of the expenses are to be found in my log. At this party the students were able to talk at greater length with the scholars whom they had first met at the party graciously tendered us by the McCredies at the beginning of the session.

This is my third, and probably last, summer session, and second in a row. I recommend that directors be discouraged from handling sessions back to back, for, though there is inevitably an increase in competence, there is, at least in my case, a concomitant loss of spontaneity and joy. I tended occasionally to consider the clock more than the site, and though always eager to see things again, I lacked that freshness of view which the students had. I have recommended to the Chairman of the Managing Committee that all posts at the School be advertized before they become vacant. I should particularly like to see this done in the case of the Summer Session, for I am quite sure that there are many qualified people who would like to try the job, but who are prevented from doing so largely through ignorance of how one goes about becoming Director. It was only through good luck and the influence of good friends that I was chosen Director in 1969.

I have above expressed my satisfaction with the program of the Summer Session. In closing I should like to record my delight and appreciation at the way things are handled by the personnel of the School. Mrs. Driva and Mr. Asiatides were always efficient and helpful; Mr. Goldstein did his job thoroughly, tactfully pointing out things that the Director might want to consider; Professor Eliot assisted greatly in the planning stages of the

Session, and was always ready with helpful advice during the session; Madame Fidao charmingly made Loring Hall a relaxed and happy place to be. These fine people lent a substance and tone which contributed immeasurably to any success I can claim for Summer Session II.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. WYATT, JR.

Director, Summer Session II, 1973

Athens, August 8, 1973

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

To the Members of the Managing Committee:

I have the honor to present the report of the activities of the Committee on Publications for the year July 1, 1973 to April 15, 1974. The members of the Committee have included Donald R. Laing, Jr., Machteld J. Mellink, Martin Ostwald, William H. Willis, Richard H. Howland *ex officio* and Mary E. White, Chairman. Marian Holland McAllister, Anne D. Thomen and Alice R. Dunn have continued in their respective posts as Editor, Assistant to the Editor, and Publications Secretary, Mrs. Dunn from September 17 through the academic year. Two meetings of the Committee have been held, on November 18, 1973 and March 2, 1974.

HESPERIA

The following articles have been published in Hesperia since July 1, 1973:

Volume XLII, 1

Charles K. Williams, II and Joan E. Fisher: Corinth, 1972: The Forum Area

Thomas W. Jacobsen: Excavations in the Franchthi Cave, 1969-1971, Part I

Robert L. Hohlfelder: A Sixth Century Hoard from Kenchreai

William R. Biers: Excavations at Phlius, 1972

Volume XLII, 2

T. Leslie Shear, Jr.: The Athenian Agora: Excavations of 1971

D. M. Metcalf: Corinth in the Ninth Century: The Numismatic Evidence

Volume XLII, 3

Thomas W. Jacobsen: Excavations in the Franchthi Cave, 1969-1971.
Part II

Katherine Coleman: Frescoes from Ayia Irini, Keos. Part I

John H. Kroll, George C. Miles and Stella G. Miller: An Early Byzantine and a Late Turkish Hoard from the Athenian Agora

John H. Kroll: The Eleusis Hoard of Athenian Imperial Coins and Some Deposits from the Athenian Agora

Michael B. Walbank: Honors for Parianos of Issa and His Sons Athenodoros and Ikesios

Al B. Wesolowsky: The Skeletons of Lerna Hollow

Daniel J. Geagan: A Decree of the Council of the Areopagus

The following issues are forthcoming:

Volume XLII, 4

T. Leslie Shear, Jr.: The Athenian Agora: Excavations of 1972 Wallace McLeod: New Readings in I. G., XIV, 1285, II, verso John W. Hayes: Roman Pottery from the South Stoa at Corinth Epigraphical Index, Volume XLII

Volume XLIII, 1

Charles K. Williams, II, Jean MacIntosh, and Joan E. Fisher: Excavations at Corinth, 1973

John L. Caskey: Addenda to the Marble Figurines from Ayia Irini

Keith DeVries: A Grave with a Figured Fibula at Lerna

Wolf Rudolph: Excavations at Porto Cheli and Vicinity, Preliminary Report III: Excavations at Metochi, 1970

William B. Dinsmoor, Jr.: The Fragments of the Parthenon in the Athenian Agora

Volume XLIII, 2

Ronald S. Stroud: An Athenian Law on Silver Coinage

Eugene Vanderpool: Ostraka from the Athenian Agora, 1970-1972

Stella G. Miller: Menon's Cistern

Oscar W. Reinmuth: A New Ephebic Inscription from the Athenian Agora

Duane W. Roller: The Date of the Walls at Tanagra

Robert Alden Bridges, Jr.: The Mycenaean Tholos Tomb at Colophon

The following articles have been accepted for publication in Hesperia:

Nancy Bookidis and Joan E. Fisher: The Sanctuary of Demeter and Kore on Acrororinth: Preliminary Report V

John McK. Camp II: Greek Inscriptions

Gerald R. Culley: The Restoration of the Sanctuaries in Attica: I. G. 2/3² 1035

Karen S. Garnett: Late Roman Corinthian Lamps from the Fountain of the Lamps

Fred S. Kleiner: The Great Hellenistic Stoas of the Athenian Agora: The Numismatic Evidence

D. M. Lewis: Greek Inscriptions

Mary B. Moore: Attic Black Figure from Samothrace

Evelyn L. Smithson: A Geometric Cemetery on the Areopagus: 1897, 1932, 1947

Eugene Vanderpool: The 'Agora' of Pausanius I, 17, 1-2

Eugene Vanderpool: Victories in the Anthippasia

Despite the increase in the subscription rate, the number of subscriptions has increased, now including 868 paid, 102 exchange and 41 free.

In its report of last year the Publications Committee promised that it would make every effort to reduce delays in the appearance of fascicules of Hesperia and to this end budgeted for five numbers to be printed in 1973-74. As all subscribers are aware, far from catching up with the publication schedule, the delay with Volume XLII (1973) was even more serious and the first fascicule did not appear until November 1973. Our printer, the Furst Company of Baltimore, had unexpected problems during the summer; at their request we transferred in the autumn the printing of Hesperia, Supplement XV, The Political Organization of Attica by J. S. Traill to Clowes in England. With this relief and by dint of great efforts on their part and the Editor's, the second and third fascicules have appeared and we hope that the fourth will be finished by the end of June. The first two numbers of Volume XLIII (1974) are ready for printing and should appear before the end of December 1974. But this will still leave two numbers of the 1974 volume to be carried over to 1975, and it is doubtful that the publication schedule can be brought further forwards next year. The problem is that the Furst Company is a small family business in which one of the two brothers does virtually all the typesetting for Hesperia, and they are therefore limited in the work that can be done. They have all the special types necessary for Hesperia, do admirable setting of our difficult epigraphical and coin material, and for many years have given the American School publications devoted attention at moderate prices. The Publications Committee would be reluctant to take Hesperia to another printer, but since both the Furst brothers are older men and may not be able to continue indefinitely, the Committee thought it advisable to get estimates from other printers capable of doing this kind of work. We had three estimates, all at least twice and one almost three times as high as Furst's prices. The lowest would involve farming out composing, printing, binding, etc. to different firms at considerable distances from each other and from the Editorial Office, which might cause even greater delays. The Committee has therefore decided to continue for the time being with the Furst Company. We have just learned that some kinds of paper are in short supply and in order to have the right paper for Hesperia they have had to order a two-years supply; this is an additional reason for remaining with them for at least that period. Our investigations, however, are a warning that when a change must be made the costs of *Hesperia* will increase substantially.

The printing costs of books now in production have risen and have had to be reflected in higher prices for new publications and reprints. The prices, although they may seem high, have been carefully set to cover costs, but are subsidized to the extent that the editorial work is covered by School funds, and they are consequently still reasonable in comparison with similar books. The prices of the Agora Picture Books have been increased from

50 and 70 cents to \$1.00, except for the Garden Lore at \$1.50. Sales continue to be excellent and it will be necessary to reprint two more of the series in 1974-75: No. 3—Miniature Sculpture, No. 7—The Middle Ages. Two new titles will be added: Graffiti in the Athenian Agora by Mabel Lang, and the first of two projected Picture Books on the Agora coins, the Greek and Roman Coins by F. S. Kleiner.

The Committee notes that two Agora volumes (I Portrait Sculpture by Harrison and VI Terracottas and Plastic Lamps by Grandjouan) are now out of print and stock of a third (X Weights, Measures and Tokens by Lang and Crosby) will run out next year. It is important that all volumes of the series be available, and the problem of reprinting at higher prices will have to be considered next year.

Arrangements have been made with the Dartmouth Computer Center to have the continuing Index of *Hesperia* put into the Computer there. Martha Wiencke, who assumed responsibility for the Index, recommended this and its feasibility was discussed with Dr. Stephen Waite who advised that it would be more efficient and less expensive. Mrs. Wiencke has been asked to put together in uniform format the two sets of Index cards already prepared and to arrange for the Computer programming.

The Editor has arranged for a Library of Congress catalogue card number to be printed in Agora XVII. For future volumes, she has arranged also for their "Cataloguing in Publication" service. The catalogue card data will be printed on the reverse of the title page of new books and libraries interested in Archaeology and Classics will automatically receive advance notice of forthcoming publications. This should stimulate advance orders.

The Committee has discussed co-operation with AJA, TAPA and other interested journals in drawing up a list of standard abbreviations for periodicals and reference works which authors could follow in submitting manuscripts to any one of the journals. The Editor, with help from the Committee, will consult with Professor J. Pollitt of AJA and Professor D. E. Gerber of TAPA, and review lists in use at present to see what additions and/or changes would be needed for Hesperia. The Committee was agreed that each journal shall retain its own Style Sheet and Instructions for Authors. Our own Instructions for Authors is being revised and any proposed changes will be submitted to the Committee for final decision.

As was already announced at the Christmas meeting, a second volume of the History of the School is being planned for 1981, and Lucy Shoe Meritt has agreed to prepare it.

Professor William H. Willis completes his term on the Publications Committee this spring and we wish to express our appreciation for his willing service; his knowledge of publishing, his experience of editorial work, and his wise judgment have made him a valuable member of the Committee whom we shall sorely miss. The Committee is appreciative also

of the work of the Editor and her assistants. We are sorry to lose Mrs. Dunn who will be resigning in June, and thank her for her work as Publications Secretary. Each year brings its problems and the past year has been no exception, but this report is eloquent testimony to Mrs. McAllister's skillful and efficient direction of the Editorial Office.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. WHITE Chairman

BOOKS

Isthmia, II, Topography and Architecture by Oscar Broneer has now appeared (Price \$30).

Athenian Agora, XVII, Inscriptions, The Funerary Monuments by D. W. Bradeen is printed and stock will soon be available (Price \$25).

Athenian Agora, XV, Inscriptions, The Councillors by B. D. Meritt and J. S. Traill. Dr. and Mrs. Meritt report receiving half the Index in page proof. It is hoped the volume will be available before the end of 1974.

Hesperia, Supplement XIV, The Political Organization of Attica by J. S. Traill. Proof is scheduled to arrive this summer with publication in the fall of 1974.

Hesperia, Supplement XV, The Lettering of an Athenian Mason by S. V. Tracy. First proofs have been received of the entire text and the plates; publication is projected for July, 1974.

Corinth, VII, ii, Archaic Pottery and the Anaploga Well by D. A. Amyx and P. Lawrence. First proofs are scheduled to arrive in April 1974.

Corinth, VII, iii, The Hellenistic Pottery by G. R. Edwards. Galley proofs have been received of the entire text.

Corinth, IX, ii, The Theater Friezes by M. Sturgeon is being prepared for press.

Athenian Agora, XXI, Graffiti and Dipinti by M. Lang is awaiting editing. It is hoped that both volumes may be in the hands of the printer by the fall of 1974.

Princeton Sales April 15, 1973—March 16, 1974

Athenian Agora

I	Portrait Sculpture	11 (out of print)
II	Coins, Roman-Venetian	21
III	Testimonia	28
IV	Greek Lamps	28
V	Roman Pottery	26

VI Terracottas and Plastic Lamps	(out of print)
VII Roman Lamps	43
VIII Late Geometric and Protoattic Pottery	18
IX Islamic Coins	18
X Weights, Measures and Tokens	18 (out of print)
XI Archaic and Archaistic Sculpture	27
XII Black and Plain Pottery	47
XIII Neolithic and Bronze Age	56
XIV Agora of Athens	259
XX Church of the Holy Apostles	44
Corinth	
I, iv South Stoa	17
I, v Southeast Building	12
I, vi Springs	14
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IX Sculpture	13
XIII North Cemetery	11
Vases from the North Cemetery	5
Hesperia Supplements	
XI Fortified Military Camps	13
XII Athenian Constitution	27
XIII Marcus Aurelius	65
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Lerna	
I Fauna	14
II People	13
Isthmia	13
I Temple of Poseidon	46
II Topography and Architecture	145
Gennadeion Monographs	
I Venetians in Athens	2
III Schliemann's First Visit	2 2
Papers of the American School	
II	6
IV	2
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Hill, Temple of Zeus at Nemea	14
Lord, History of the School	2
Pritchett and Neugebauer, Calendar of Athens	1
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Meritt, Wade-Gery, McGregor, Athenian	
Tribute Lists, III	29
Frantz and Travlos, Church of St. Dionysios	1
Jameson, Decree of Themistokles	9
Jameson, Revised Text of the Decree of Themistokles	11
Athenian Agora Guide	63 (out of print)
Corinth Guide	47
Excavations of the Athenian Agora, Picture Books	6014

FINANCIAL REPORT

July 1, 1973—June 30, 1974

	Budgeted	Expended	Balance
Hesperia	\$24,600.00	\$15,646.86	\$ 8,953.14
Overhead	3,000.00	2,798.65	201.35*
Index and Advertizing	600.00	201.55	398.45*
Hesperia Supplements	10,846.69		10,846.69
Corinth Volumes	35,000.00	23,000.00	12,000.00
Picture Book Reprints	2,373.75	2,294.50	79.25
Total	\$76,420.44	\$43,941.56	\$32,478.88
Isthmia Revolving Fund			
Balance July 1, 1973	\$17,152.50		
Sales	3,007.50	\$20,160.00	
Manufacturing (Isthm	ia, II)	12,855.60	
Balance		\$ 7,304.40	
Corinth (Reprint) Revol	ving Fund		
Balance July 1, 1973	\$ 2,425.69		
Sales	353.60		
Balance	-	\$ 2,779.29	

^{*} Bills have not been presented for the annual index for Vols. XLI and XLII (\$400.00) or for the epigraphical index for Vol. XLII (\$200.00). These balances should be reserved for these purposes.

Receipts from sales (less col	llection fees)		
Princeton			
Books and Picture Books (Funds) Isthmia Revolving Fund Corinth (Reprint) Revolv Total	0.00	\$19,407.64 3,007.50 2,425.69 \$24,840.83	\$19,407.64
Athens			
Books Picture Books		2,128.15 5,081.39	7,209.54
Isthmia Revolving Fund		50.00	
Total		\$ 7,259.54	
Hesperia			17,106.47
Publications Committee Acco Revolving Funds	unt		\$43,723.65 5,483.19
Total Sales			\$49,206.84
Gifts			
For Agora Phase B For Hesperia For Hesperia, Suppl. XV For Athenian Agora, XXI	\$2000.00 1500.00 1500.00 600.00		
Total	\$5600.00		
Petty cash account			
Income— Books Other	\$207.25 71.30		
Outgo— Overhead Deposited	\$278.55 98.65 100.00	\$278.55	
	\$198.65	198.65	
Cash on hand August	15, 1974	\$ 79.90	

Budget for 1974-1975

Hesperia	\$19,200
Index and Advertising	1,100
Corinth volumes	24,000
Picture books and Reprints	8,000
Supplements	(12,346.69 unexpended in 1973-1974)
Audit	1,200
Overhead	3,000
	\$58,846.69
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REPORT OF THE TREASURER

American School of Classical Studies at Athens Balance Sheet, June 30, 1973

Assets

CURRENT FUNDS	
Cash (includes \$81,084 in Greece) Certificates of deposit (Greece) Due from Endowment Funds Prepaid expenses Investments * Total Current Funds	\$ 318,394 300,000 222,800 8,500 1,418,117 \$2,267,811
ENDOWMENT FUNDS	4-40
Cash Due from Current Funds Investments 2 Property at Athens, nominal value 1	\$ 8,742 633,128 5,193,766 1
Total Endowment Funds	\$5,835,637
Liabilities and Funds	I III - III
CURRENT FUNDS	
Due to Endowment Funds	\$ 633,128 161 (73,927)
Restricted Funds	
Restricted Fund balances ^a	1,708,449
Total Current Funds	\$2,267,811
Endowment Funds Principal of Endowment Funds Due to Current Funds	\$5,612,837 222,800
Total Endowment Funds	\$5,835,637
	\$8,103,448

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN CURRENT GENERAL FUNDS DEFICIT For the year ended June 30, 1974

Income		
	Total 1	Inexpende Income
Income from colleges	\$ 28,425	\$ 28,425
Endowment Fund Income	112,445	112,445
Room rentals (Greece)	15,221	15,221
Total income	\$156,091	\$156,091
Expenses		
Salaries, repairs and maintance (Greece)	121,840	112,911
U. S. salaries and fellowships (Greece, \$13,643)	59,643	59,643
Director's contingent (Greece)	1,500	1,500
Gennadeion library (Greece)	7,500	7,500
Gennadeion library wings (Greece)	4,374	4,374
Gennadeion library gardens (Greece)	501	501
Gennadeion contingent (Greece)	1,200	1,200
Assistant librarian (Greece)	8,587	8,587
Annuity premiums	4,198	4,198
Managing Committee expenses	3,682	3,682
Treasurer's expenses	11,144	11,144
Travel expense	3,621	3,621
Other business expenses (Greece, \$5,441)	17,244	17,244
Total expenses	245,034	236,105
Excess of expenses over income	(88,943)	(80,014
Transfers in	65,701	61,216
Net (decrease) in fund balances	(23,242)	(18,798)
(Deficit), July 1, 1973	(50,685)	(36,689)
(Deficit), June 30, 1974	(\$73,927)	(\$55,487)
Special Reserves		
RESERVE FUND		
Balance, July 1, 1973		\$ 10,349
Balance, June 30, 1974		10,349

REPAIRS	AND	MAINTENANCE	FUND
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Expenses	
Salaries, repairs and maintenance (Greece)	\$ 8,929
Total expenses	8,929
Excess of expenses over income	
Net (decrease) in fund balance	(4,444) (24,345)
(Deficit), June 30, 1974	(\$28,789)

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN CURRENT RESTRICTED FUNDS BALANCES For the year ended June 30, 1974

For the year ended June 30, 1974	
ATHENIAN AGORA FUND 8	
Income	
Investments	\$ 32,331
Gifts	4,100
Total income	36,431
Expenses	
Excavation expense	132,337
Staff salaries and other expenses	99,618
Annuity premiums	1,238
Social Security taxes and insurance	1,429
Total expenses	234,622
Excess of expenses over income	(198,191)
Transfer (out)	(9,950)
Net (decrease) in fund balance	(208,141)
Balance, July 1, 1973	294,597
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$ 86,456
AGORA PHASE B	
Income (from investments)	\$ 1,067
Total income	1,067

Expenses		
Publication expense	1	8,627
Total expenses	18	8,627
Excess of expenses over income	(12	7,560) (142)
Net (decrease) in fund balance		7,702) 1,986)
(Deficit), June 30, 1974	(\$49	9,688)
SUSPENSE FUND		
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$	100
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$	100
Special Purpose Funds PUBLICATIONS		
Income		
Investments		7,076 5,205
Total income	6	2,281
Expenses Publication expense Staff salaries and other expenses Annuity premiums Social Security taxes and insurance	3	4,332 6,818 1,988 1,879
Total expenses	7	5,017
Excess of expenses over income		2,736) 2,6 2 1
Net increase in fund balance		9,885 8,218
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$10	8,103

SCHOLARSHIPS	
Income (from investments)	\$ 5,846
Total income	5,846
Total expenses	0
Excess of income over expenses	
Net increase in fund balance	0
Balance, July 1, 1973	
Balance, June 30, 1974	
FELLOWSHIPS	
Income (from investments)	\$26,957
Total income	J. AMERICAN PROPERTY.
Expenses	
School fellows and related expenses	. 22,500
Total expenses	22,500
Excess of income over expenses	. 4,457 2,383
Net increase in fund balance	6,840
Balance, July 1, 1973	2,640
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$ 9,480
LIBRARY	
Income (from investments)	\$ 26,834
Total income	26,834

Expenses	
Staff salaries and other expenses	19,000
School librarian and assistant	14,909
Social Security taxes and insurance	473
Total expenses	34,382
Excess of expenses over income	(7,548
Transfer in	1,165
Net (decrease) in fund balance	(6,383)
(Deficit), July 1, 1973	(43,528)
(Deficit), June 30, 1974	(\$49,911)
SUMMER SESSION	
Income (receipts from students)	\$27,900
Total income	27,900
Expenses, Summer Session	28,962
Total expenses	28,962
Excess of expenses over income	(1,062)
Transfer in	3,846
Net increase in fund balance	\$ 2,784
Balance, July 1, 1973	18,904
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$21,688
EXCAVATION	
Income (from investments)	\$ 4,756
Total income	4,756
Total expenses	0
Excess of income over expenses	4,756
Transfer (out)	(4,756)
Net increase in fund balance	0
Balance, July 1, 1973	-
Balance, June 30, 1974	

MISCELLANEOUS	
Income (from investments)	. \$ 1,826
Total income	. 1,826
Total expenses	. 0
Excess of income over expenses	1,826
Net increase in fund balance	. 0
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$11,338
OTHER RESTRICTED FUNDS (as Annexed)	
Income	
Investments Gifts Sale of Blegen property Other	. 237,990 . 901,505
Total income	1,205,153
Expenses, other restricted funds as annexed	125,227
Total expenses	125,227
Excess of income over expenses	
Net increase in fund balance	
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$1,491,325
Other Restricted Funds	
UNALLOCATED GIFTS ACCOUNT	
Balance, July 1, 1973 Income Expenses Transfer (out) Balance, June 30, 1974	

GENNADEION LIBRARY BUILDING ACCOUNT	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 6,684 (4,374) 2,310
S. H. KRESS GRANT	
Expenses Transfer in =	\$ 537 537
DIRECTOR'S DISCRETIONARY ACCOUNT	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 7,289
Income 10,247 United States 1,075	11,322
Expenses Transfer in Balance, June 30, 1974	8,647 1,503 11,467
FIELD DIRECTOR'S DISCRETIONARY ACCOUNT	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 7,898
Expenses	
Transfer in	500 5,767
POLITIS PUBLICATION PROJECT	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 3,500
Income Expenses =	11,500 15,000

GENNADEION DISCRETIONARY ACCOUNT		
Balance, July 1, 1973 Income Expenses Balance, June 30, 1974	\$	2,298 3,145 2,173 3,270
OSCAR BRONEER FUND		
Balance, July 1, 1973 Expenses Transfer in Balance, June 30, 1974	\$	3,475 3,048 5,500 5,927
KONSTANTINIDIS PROJECT		
Income	\$	18,000 18,000
AMPHORA RESEARCH		
Balance July 1, 1973	\$	876 500 1,376
DIRECTOR'S DISCRETIONARY EXCAVATION ACCOUNT		
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$	3,139 18,941
Expenses	0	10,629 11,451
CORINTH ANNEX PROJECT		
Balance, July 1, 1973 Income Expenses Transfer in Balance, June 30, 1974	\$	10,645 55,396 15,578 25,000 75,463

PUBLICATIONS	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 1,167 1,167
LOAN FUNDS	
Balance, July 1, 1973 Income Expenses Balance, June 30, 1974	837 3,187 2,869 1,155
BOLLINGEN FOUNDATION	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 200 200
OLD DOMINION GRANT	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 4,865 4,865
PACKARD FOUNDATION	
Balance, July 1, 1973 Expenses	2,659 2,659
SOUNION PUBLICATION FUND	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 100
FORD FOUNDATION	
Income	 14,400 13,900 (500)
MIDDLE AGORA EXCAVATION	
(Deficit), July 1, 1973	

BLEGEN FUND	
Income	
Greece 453,753	
United States 473,122 926,875	5
Expenses	
Greece 2,669	
United States)
Transfer (out) (109,327	
Balance, June 30, 1974	
600,012	
TOTALS OF RESTRICTED FUNDS	
Income	
Investments	. \$175,86.
Publications (Greece, \$3,052)	. 45,20
Receipts from students	. 27,900
Gift (Greece, \$5,081)	. 242,090
Sale of Blegen property	. 901,503
	. 301,30.
Other	
Other	6,486
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Total income	. 6,480
Total income Expenses Publication expense (Greece, \$524)	. 6,486
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Balance, June 30, 1974\$1,628,891

Special Restricted Funds

LOEB FUND

OLD TOND	
Unexpended income for special purposes	e120 447
Income from investments	\$130,447
Total income	130,447
Expenses	
Salaries	15,500
Excavation Fellowship	10,000
Corinth excavations (Greece)	62,500
Treasurer's expense	5,855
Auditor's fee	1,100
Annuity premiums	1,438
Social Security taxes and insurance	1,439
Lerna excavations (Greece)	482
Total expenses	98,314
Excess of income over expenses	32,133
Transfer (out)	(25,050)
Net increase in fund balance	7,083
Balance, July 1, 1973	18,205
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$ 25,288
COORE FUND	
Transfer in	\$ 1,828
Net increase in fund balance	1,828
Balance, July 1, 1973	6,868
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$ 8,696
The state of the s	
ICHARD B. SEAGER FUND	
Transfer in	\$ 4,756
Net increase in fund balance	4,756
Balance, July 1, 1973	40,818
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$ 45,574
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SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN PRINCIPAL OF ENDOWMENT FUNDS

For the year ended June 30, 1974

General Purpose Funds

GENERAL FUNDS	
Net gain on sale of investments	\$ 40,443 85,449
Net increase in fund balance	
Balance, June 30, 1974	2,024,196
COLLEGE FUNDS	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 80,108
Balance, June 30, 1974	80,108
MISCELLANEOUS UNALLOCATED GIFT FUNDS	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 19,264
Balance, June 30, 1974	19,264
Special Purpose Endowment Funds	
SCHOLARSHIP	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 62,456
Balance, June 30, 1974	62,456
FELLOWSHIPS	
Gifts	\$ 31,302
Transfer in	3,800
Net increase in fund balance	35,102 283,978
Balance, June 30, 1974	319,080

LIBRARY

Gifts	\$ 1,480
Transfer in	65,389
Net increase in fund balance	AC ACT TO SECURE ACTUAL
Balance, June 30, 1974	202,804
PUBLICATIONS	
Transfer (out)	\$ (2,765)
Net (decrease) in fund balance	
Balance, June 30, 1974	182,570
EXCAVATION	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 50,811
Balance, June 30, 1974	50,811
MISCELLANEOUS	
Balance, July 1, 1973	\$ 19,534
Balance, June 30, 1974	19,534
INVESTMENTS	
Net gain on sale of investments	\$ 18,856
Net increase in fund balance Balance, July 1, 1973	18,856 484,311
Balance, June 30, 1974	503,167
Loeb Endowment Fund	
Net gain on sale of investments	\$ 96,380
Net increase in fund balance	96,380 2,052,467
Balance, June 30, 1974	2,148,847

Total Endowment Funds

Net gain on sale of investments	\$ 155,679 32,782
and the transfer of the state o	188,461
Transfer in	151,873
Net increase in fund balance	340,334 5,272,503
Balance, June 30, 1974	5,612,837

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

In common with the practice of many nonprofit organizations, the accounts
of the School are maintained and the accompanying financial statements
have been prepared principally on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements. Except for the effect of the practice described below, such
financial statements do not differ materially from those which would have
been prepared had generally accepted accrual basis accounting principles
been applied.

The School has substantial interests in certain properties at Athens which are included in the accompanying balance sheet at a nominal amount.

- 2. Investments in marketable securities are carried at cost, if purchased, and at market values on dates received, if acquired as gifts. Investments held by the current and endowment funds valued at market quotations at June 30, 1974 were approximately \$1,415,535 and \$5,523,336, respectively.
- 3. In October, 1965 the School received a grant of \$1,000,000 from the Ford Foundation for a new excavation of the Athenian Agora. Funds not expended or committed for purposes of the grant by December 31, 1976 (extended from October 5, 1970) are to be returned to the Ford Foundation.
- 4. The School is exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

REPORT OF THE AUXILIARY FUND

For the year 1974

Total Receipts\$4,972.61

Chairman of the Auxiliary Fund

CHARLES H. MORGAN

REPORT OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

To the Members of the Managing Committee:

The annual meeting of the Alumni Association was held in the Chase-Park Plaza Hotel of St. Louis, Missouri on December 29, 1973, with the Chairman, Cedric G. Boulter, presiding. About 75-80 members were present.

Professor of Archaeology at the School, C. W. J. Eliot, brought news and greetings from Athens, emphasizing the problems arising from the staggering inflation in Greece and paying tribute to William Bell Dinsmoor who died in July and John Travlos who retired about the same time. Richard Howland, Chairman of the Managing Committee, spoke of the activities of the School on this side of the Atlantic as well as in Greece, including the sale of the Blegen house and disposition of the funds from the sale. The Association voted to make the 1973 gift to the School the sum of four hundred dollars for a new drafting table, the residue after purchase of the table to be held to add to a larger gift which is to be made in 1974 for furnishings for the Corinth annex. Professor Richard Stillwell, Acting Director this spring, has written that a good table and stool have been acquired for \$270 and that the remainder of the \$400 will be set aside for Corinth furnishings after whatever is needed is used to provide a good light for the drafting table.

The following were elected to office:

Anna S. Benjamin—Chairman of the Council 1974-1976 and Member of the Council 1977-1978

Crawford H. Greenewalt, Jr.—Member of the Council 1974-1978

Mary C. Sturgeon—Representative on the Managing Committee 1974-1976

Sales of the sets of slides of Corinth, Keos, Lerna, Pylos, and Troy continue to provide the Association with funds to augment the members' dues to make possible the annual gift of the Association to the School.

June, 1974

Respectfully submitted,

LUCY SHOE MERITT, Secretary of the Alumni Association