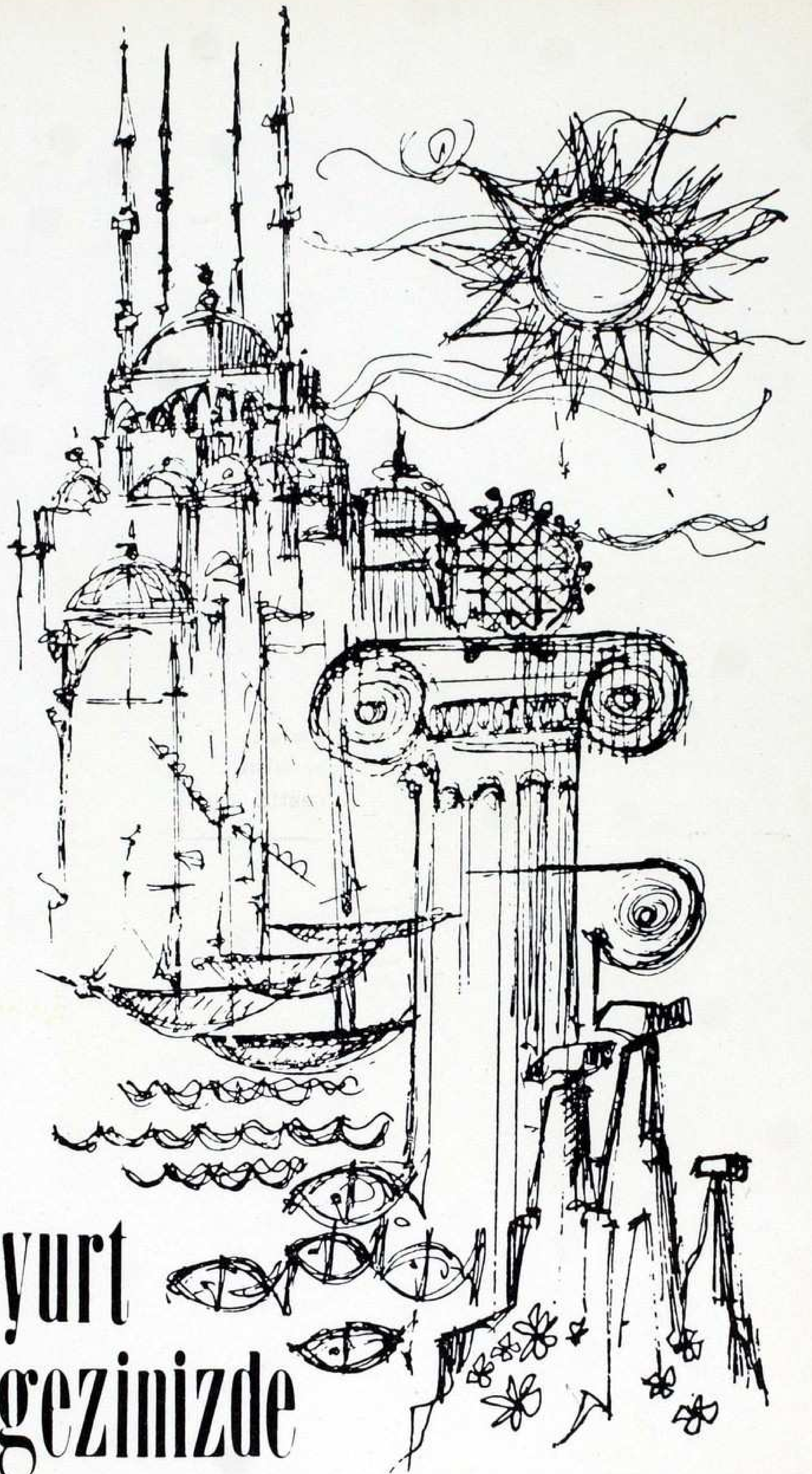




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Dear Readers,

A hearty thanks is due to Mary Alice Shepard for her two years as editor of the **Alma Mater**. After the Shepards settle in Izmir, I am sure Mrs. Shepard will continue as one of the regular contributors to **Alma Mater**.

As editorship changes hands, it is customary for a few goals to be formulated. The goals of this editor are few and yet important to the continuation of the magazine.

The main goal is to get the magazine on a business-like footing. Since Dorothy Blatter Ross began as the first editor, editorship has been an «after hours» job by people who have wanted to see the magazine continue. This issue is late due to the fact that the editor also has, as a primary responsibility, a busy job in Tarsus. Another problem is that each issue has been financed on a «shoestring budget» which makes any innovations or changes next to impossible. Add to this a 50% increase in over 60% of the cost of the magazine due to devaluation of the lira and its effect upon paper and printing costs, and you have the reduced size of this issue. To solve these problems the Turkey Schools Board of Managers has appointed a committee which has guaranteed a spring issue and new proposals for management and support.

A second goal is to let the readers of **Alma Mater** know what is really happening in their Alma Maters and among alumni. The schools, like schools around the globe, are changing very fast. Today's students are different, their problems are different and they are preparing for a different world. There is a shift from the learning of facts to that

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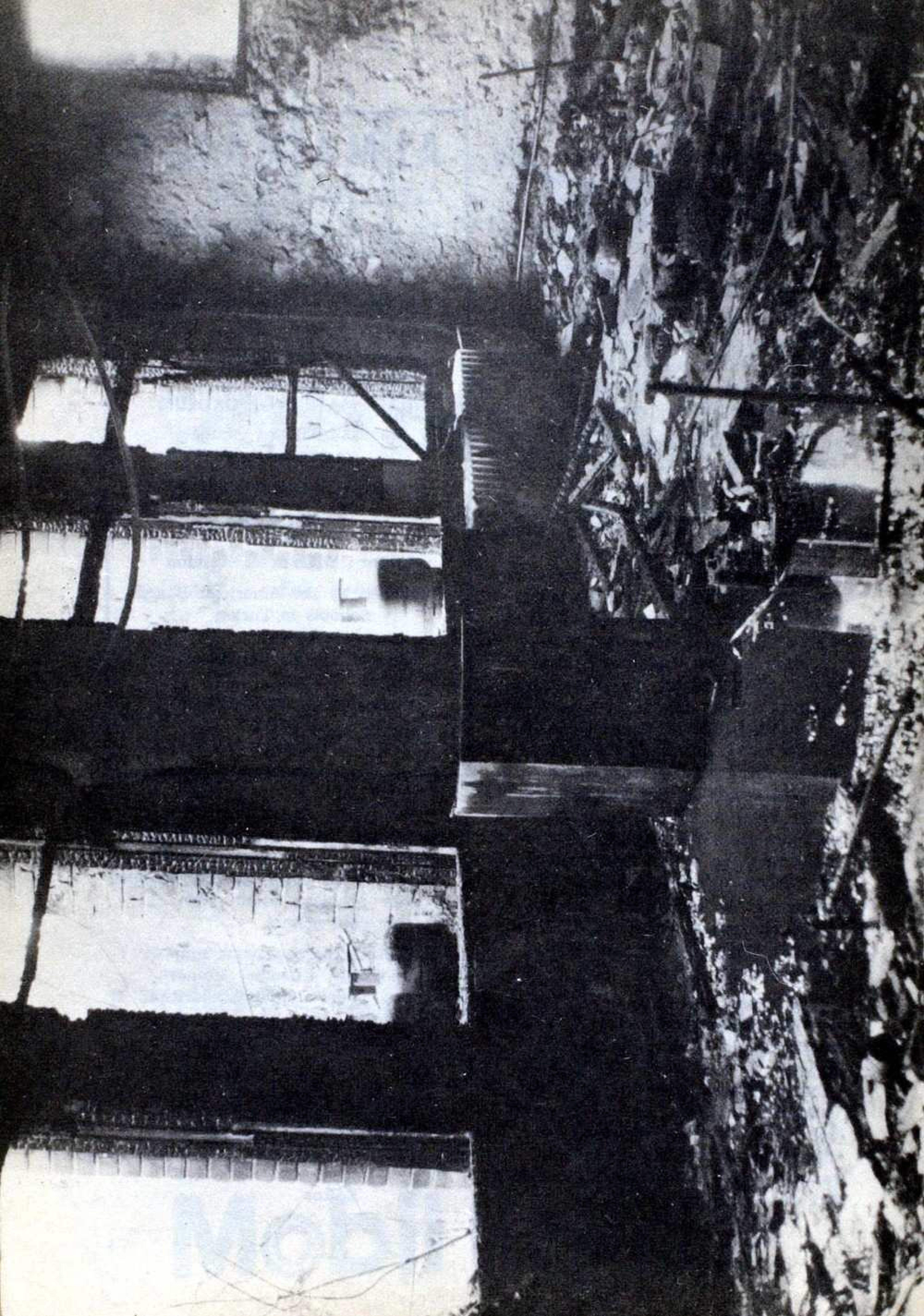
of learning to learn. Inevitably, this would mean reporting some news which would dismay some alumni. These pages should be open to your protests, which bear love for your school.

These goals need your support and, possibly, financial support through your alumni association. If you believe that the magazine is worthwhile, let us know.

William C. Amidon



Editor





I was going to write a principal's message, but circumstances took the words right out of my mouth. At 1 AM on December 15th, the phone rang insistently. After stumbling down to answer it, Mr. Blake came rushing up the stairs shouting, «Parsons is burning.» He was able to dress and leave more quickly than I was. And never was the road to school, usually quite short, so long. The fire turned out to be chiefly in the chemistry lab, and the damage was confined to the science floor, except for the terrible blackening from heavy smoke of the walls of the hazırlık classrooms, and the corridors and halls, clear to the top. The fire department had been called by Dr. **Hamit Özgönül**, **Nilüfer Sur Özgönül's** husband - they live right next to the Parsons field in the new Korzay apartments. The hungry blaze was out by 1:45 PM, good efficient work by the fire department, but not before all the equipment had gone up in smoke, and the other rooms on the science floor were blackened, water-soaked and partially damaged. We are sure the fire was set, as a matter of fact in at least three places, but we have no idea as to by whom or why. The parents have rallied wonderfully, the fire report is in, we hope to collect some insurance at

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least, and we have in hand the permission for the repair of the science floor. Meanwhile, we wish to continue as normally as possible. The Hazırlıks were displaced for only a day and a half, the PE classes for just one day. After vacation we reoccupied the science lecture room and the physics lab. The biology lab will be given temporary quarters behind the art room (GSH to some of you). Our goal is to have the present classes, especially the Lise ones, interrupted as little as possible. To fix up the building will not be so hard. But how long it will take to replace the electric microscopes, the balances, the autoclave, the centrifuge, the incubator, the refrigerator and all the more usual types of lab equipment, will depend a lot upon the interest shown by the parents, alumnae and other friends, for the school budget does not include the replacement of such losses. Any contribution you may feel you would like to make can be sent to the **AKK Koruma Derneği**, thru the Alumnae offices at the school. We are inspired to carry on in good spirit by the support, in concern and in spirit, of the parents, alumnae and friends — we can do no less.

Lynda Blake



TAC LIBRARY TURNS OVER A NEW LEAF

Frances Warren in TAC library

Always a center of activity on the Tarsus campus, the library has recently become a real beehive. Attendance figures and circulation have risen sharply this year due to the activities of **Mrs. Frances Warren** and her staff of students and faculty.

The most obvious changes in the library are the physical ones. The book stacks have been moved out into the reading room, and the various parts of the collection have been painted in bright colors by the students. The librarian's office has been moved into the small room beside the periodical room, and the old office has been changed into the audiovisual room. This change brings all of the curricular materials into one area.

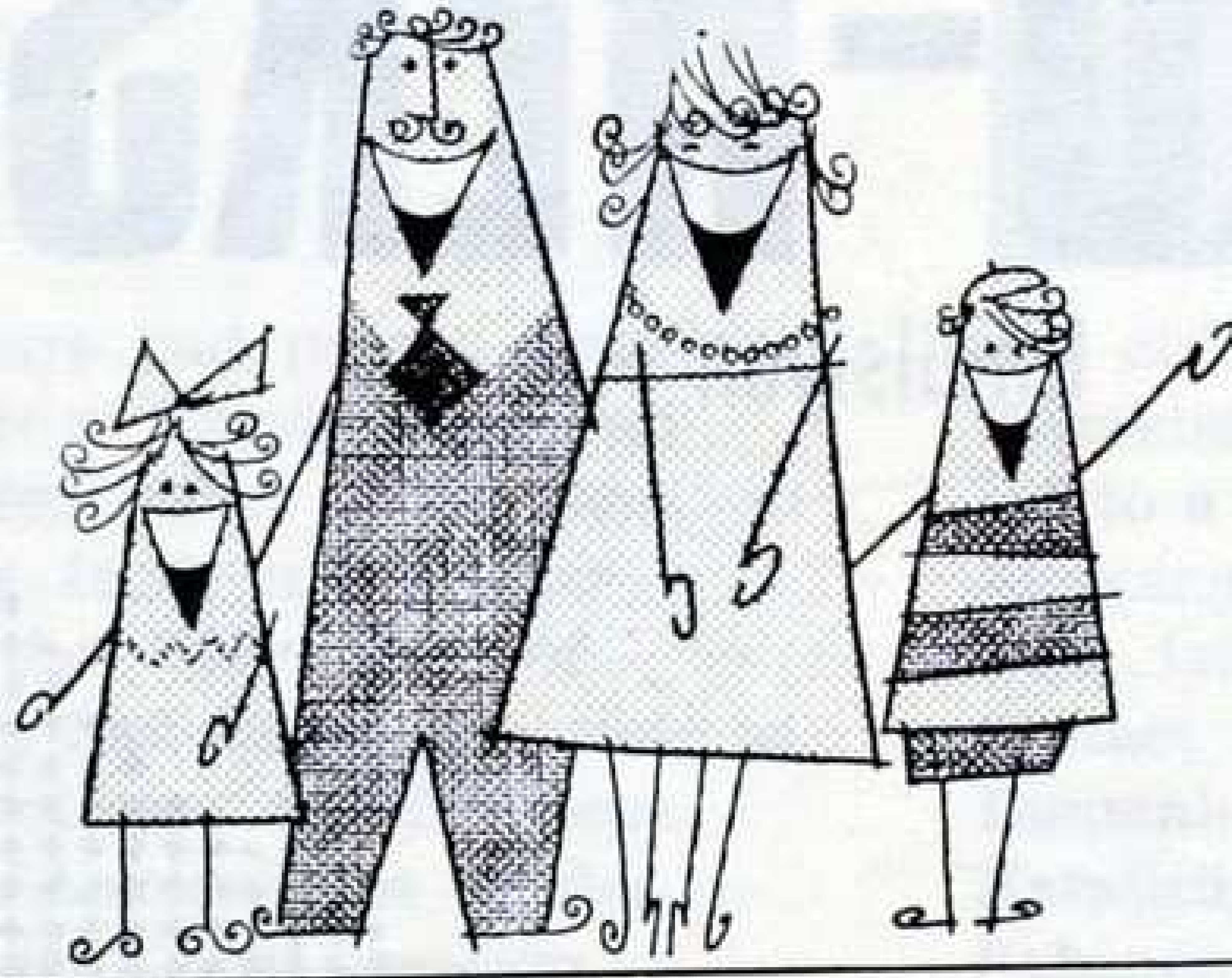
The library is now available all

day. It is regularly open during the noon period, after school and during the evening study halls. Student monitors and faculty assist **Mrs. Warren** in covering these extended hours. Classes are scheduled in the library for various projects.

Several gifts have been made to the library this year. It has thus been possible to hire a bi-lingual assistant for several months. Numerous books and gifts for books have also been made. A special emphasis is being made to improve the Turkish collection with these gifts.

Inspectors from the Ministry of Education and members of the Board of Managers have been lavish in their praise of the library. The students and faculty of TAC are proud of it as well.

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Three years had passed since I was a teacher at Tarsus American College by September 1969. Then, on a year away from my regular position at the University of Connecticut, I had an exciting time as a visiting professor at Hacettepe University in Ankara. One of the chief pleasures of that location was the frequent opportunity to meet the men I had known earlier in the classrooms of Tarsus College. Throughout western Turkey I saw dozens of the boys whom I taught during the twelve years I was at Tarsus. Let me sketch the ways in which these reunions came about.

Many of them occurred completely by happenstance. An afternoon with the Stone children at the Ankara Zoo led to a shout from another father who was also guiding his youngsters about. It was **Çetin Purutçuoğlu '54**, who is now an engineer in the city. Hurrying down a corridor of the Hacettepe Hospital another day, I bumped into **Tahsin Özbaşoğlu '54**, who was there making a sick call. I saw **Erkut Şahinbaş '56**, in the midst of a cinema crowd when we were both taking



our children to see a movie in Kavaklıdere. An evening at the Opera led to a visit with **Aykut Önay '56**. Stepping into the Anadol agency at Şişli, İstanbul put me into instant contact with **Ertuğ and Ertan Dumanlı '58** as well as **Erdinç Karaüzüm '59**. I chatted with **Özdemir Sabancı '59** in the corridor of the State Planning Organization one day. Many other reunions took place on the sidewalks and in the shops of Yenışehir. Listing all of these chance contacts would fill several pages, but they made each day in Turkey exciting.

Some of my touches with Tarsus alumni were entirely oral or by note. For example, one afternoon my office extension produced a strange voice which was asking me if I could identify him over the telephone. After I admitted to being unable to recognize the speaker, he introduced himself as **Bahaettin Yalım '53** who is now employed at Middle East Technical University. I hadn't seen Baha for at least fifteen years! **Immanuel Bilos '54**, who is contributing to the expanding Ankara skyline as a busy architect, left his

card at my office. But although we each tried to contact the other several times, somehow we never succeeded in getting together.

I was able to call on some of the alumni whose addresses I had. I made an unannounced visit on **Engin Ünsal '54** at his İstanbul office when he was in the midst of campaigning for the Grand National Assembly. Engin just missed being elected that time, but he may win a seat in parliament yet. I also went out to METU to see the many Tarsus graduates who teach or study there. We had a nice get-together with **Fatih Veysoğlu '56**, **Yıldırım Yavuz '57** and **Engin Keyder '57**. I also saw **Mehmet Akyurt '59**, **Bülent Poyraz '64** and **Mehmet Çelebi '60**, who was surveying the impact of the earthquake on structures in the Gediz region.

Our apartment doorbell heralded some delightful surprises. One unexpected visitor was **Yılmaz Yetmen '54** and his wife whom we hadn't seen since a week long visit in Germany on our way to the United States in 1959. One evening **Çetin Göğüş '56** rang our bell when he had a few minutes after a business meeting. He is now a chemist at İPRAŞ, İzmit. A noontime ring brought us **Attila Eröncel '55** who was in Turkey with his wife on «home leave» from his position with Phillips 66 in New York City. The Eröncels live on Staten Island, making them fairly close neighbors to our present location in Connecticut.

Living on Turgut Reis Caddesi near Tandoğan Meydanı produced other contacts with alumni. **Mete Akyol '54** lives just across the street from our apartment. **Demokan Özgen '59**, now an architect in the construction office of Ankara University, had an apartment around the corner on Gençlik Caddesi. One morning our

children excitedly reported that «Eres ağabey» was passing by and we soon learned that **Eres Söylemez '64** lived just a few buildings above us. **Altan Ünver '58** lived just opposite us on the other side of Anıt Kabir.

My professional interests in education were another source of some contacts. I found **Avni Dabil**, who formerly taught at Talas, when I visited the Ministry of Education. **Alpay Özdural '63** came to my office to talk over a project to educate children so that they will appreciate and protect Turkey's archeological treasures. **Sinan Bayraktaroğlu '65**, contacted me when he was considering graduate study in our faculty. As an international educator, I took the opportunity to look up Tarsus College's diplomatic corps. Its members who were currently in Ankara were **Sadi Çalışlar '61**, **Emre Ertürer '61**, **Gazne Soysal '61**, **Oktay İşcen '45**, and **Ercan Vuralhan**. Through these men I also got in touch with **Refet Cezarlioğlu '61** and **Samim Anıl '61**, whose wife is a dynamic part of the Associated Press organization in Ankara.

Preparing newsletters on contemporary issues called **CURRENT TURKISH THOUGHT** led me to **İlter Turan '59**, who recently became a doçent at İstanbul University. **İlter** agreed to edit two annual issues concerned with economics and social issues. **Faruk Loğoğlu '60**, who recently completed his doctorate at the Wilson School of International Relations at Princeton University, may help by writing on political affairs after he completes his stint in the armed service.

Every day at Hacettepe University was likely to bring me contacts with Tarsus people who work or study there. On a tour of the operating theaters I found **Can Özşahinoğlu '58** who is an anesthetist.

Oray Balasaygın, Yıldırım Göktürk and Aykut Toros are all connected with the university computer center. I got news of Sermet Tuna '64 from his uncle, Dr. Mithat Enç and of Tunç Özelli, orta '57, who is the son-in-law of Doç. Dr. Feriha Baymur. Drs. Enç and Baymur were my colleagues in the department of education. The medical school at Hacettepe contains Necati Dedeoğlu '64, Kutsi Onur '64 and İskender Sayek '64 in this year's graduating class. Coming along as aspiring doctors are Vecihi Batuman '66, Ömer Çalışlar '66, Mehmet Şahinoğlu '66, Asım Güngör '66, Cevdet Caner '66 and Mehmet Kasım '67. The campus construction reflects the talents of Alev Engin '62, who is a resident architect. I saw Ömer Akın '64 when we both attended a conference on campus activism.

All too soon the academic year ended and it was time to return to Connecticut. Almost on my last day in Turkey I heard a panel discussing the education given in the three American Board schools which included Ahmet Koç '51, now a professor at Robert College, and Örsçelik Balkan '59. After their presentation, there was a social hour attended by Yavuz Çekiç '59 and Taner Özgen '59, as well as Mehmet Yaltır '66. On the following day I was speeding toward Moscow by jet and then flew on to the United States. Today, back on the university campus in Connecticut, I'm also in a dynamic setting. But I can hardly hope to see as many good friends here, or enjoy the warm fellowship, of the year spent in Ankara. Tarsus College friends who come to New England should look us up at Westgate Lane, Storrs, Connecticut 06268. (Telephone 203-429-7041).

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AKL ALUMNAE OPEN ANKARA BRANCH

Dear A.K.L. Alumnae,

We are happy to announce that we are going to start an Ankara branch of the AKL Alumnae Association. Much of the groundwork has been done by Mrs. **Wanda Brunkow** and **Bn. Armağan Uluşahin**, AKL '45.

Miss Morgan, **Mrs. Brunkow**, **Bn. Fatma Ramazanoğlu** and I went to Ankara in the middle of November and made the first move to start our new branch. We had a tea at the Bulvar Palas. Around 40 graduates out of 145 were present at the meeting. As soon as the legal formalities are completed, the

branch will begin to function. This Ankara group will have its own president, secretary, treasurer and its own budget. However, legally, they will be connected to the Istanbul main office. They will report their activities regularly and collect their dues.

ANKARA'lı girls, hold hands together and prove that you have the real A.K.L. spirit. Armağan Hanım will be needing your help.

All for one, one for all should be our MOTTO.

Good luck to all of you.

Oya Aktan
Alumnae Association
Office Secretary



FROM THE TAC PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Dear Alumni Friends :

What is the most important thing I can tell you about Tarsus American College? I could mention changes in attitudes of students and teachers. I could write of the expected effect on TAC of the new public school program. I could describe plans underway to evaluate our boarding department and the utilization of Stickler Hall to the best advantage. I could tell about these things and dozens of others, but I want to center down in this article on the boost in effort being put forth by members of our Koruma Derneği.

On Sunday afternoon, January 17th, about one hundred parents of TAC students met in the lise study

hall (The new one seats almost as many as the old one did, and much more comfortably.). It was my opportunity to explain about the present financial situation of the school. I told those gathered that for 1970-71, the year we are in, our budget shows expenses exceed income by 200,000 TL. It was pointed out by an alert parent of a day student that boarding expenses exceed boarding income by just 200,000 TL. I defended the boarding department saying that there is real value in having a school in which students from all over Turkey mix. Also, if we accepted only day students from within commuting distance of Tarsus, we would need to go considerably down on the list of scores from the entrance exam, thus

reducing the level of academic ability of the average student. I concluded my argument with a statement of personal belief that Tarsus American College is a stronger school because it has boarders, and therefore, parents of day students should be equally ready to help meet the cost of running the school. There were some astute businessmen present who did not see eye to eye with me on this point, but I hope the educational element outweighed the economic one.

An executive of the school's American sponsor, the United Church Board for World Ministries, **Dr. Margaret Blemker**, was present at the Koruma Derneği meeting. She assured the group that the Board wants to see local financial support of Tarsus American College, and that the Board will continue to support the school as a partner of local supporters. The Board contributes half a million liras, or one-fourth the budget, to TAC each year.

An energetic and enthusiastic Dernek board was elected, and at the first meeting of that board, **Dr. Muhittin Özbelli** (TAC '44) was elected chairman. Other members are from Adana and Mersin, with **İbrahim Akış**, in his dual role of parent and teacher, being the Tarsus member of the board. Plans have been made and work is underway to conduct a campaign among parents to collect the annual Dernek membership dues. (Any graduate also may be a member of the Koruma Derneği by sending 120 TL to account number 660361, Ziraat Bankası, Tarsus Şubesi. And, while you are at it, you really should send another 120 TL, your annual dues as a member of the Alumni Association, to account number 126, İş Bankası, Tarsus Şubesi; this

money is used for scholarships for needy TAC grads as they begin their university study.) The Koruma Derneği board's second level plan will concentrate on graduates as members of the Dernek, so why not send in your dues before you are asked individually? The third level plan is to solicit larger gifts from TAC's many other friends. Such gifts can be designated for TAC use, and donated to the Sağlık ve Eğitim Vakfı. SEV offers the usual vakıf tax advantages: donations may be written off as expenses by business in an amount of 2% of profit up to a gift of 20,000 TL per year, and by individuals up to 5,000 TL per year. (More information on SEV may be obtained from: Sağlık ve Eğitim Vakfı, P.K. 142, Merkez Postanesi, İstanbul.) I challenge you to support your alma mater.

I consider this the most important development right now simply because without it, Tarsus American College will not be able to continue to live and serve Turkey. Our United Church Board wants to see local initiative in support of our three schools; the Board aims for partnership, not to abandon or withdraw from TAC. The challenge is clear, and the answer coming out of Tarsus is equally clear. When you get your letter inviting you to help your alma mater - or before the letter comes - do three things: 1) send in your Koruma Derneği dues of 120 TL., 2) send in your Alumni Association dues of 120 TL., and 3) make a more generous contribution to TAC through SEV. We'll be glad you did, and I am sure you will be, too. Thank you.

Sincerely yours,
Wallace M. Robeson,
School Principal



A REPORT FROM ÇABA EDITOR

For the past nine years, AKL has had a school newspaper named «Çaba», which comes out every 2 months during the school year. Çaba is a kind of mirror which reflects our school with its teachers and students. As is the case with other school branch activities, Çaba Branch has many purposes, but its main purpose is to publish a school newspaper which will represent the school with its activities, student opinions and most recent news.

As the president of this year's Çaba Branch, I'll try to give you as much up-to-date information as possible concerning our school activities this year.

First of all, at the beginning of the '70-'71 school year, between the 18th and 20th of September, we had a leadership conference at the Caddebostan Amerikan Kız Kampı. All the members of the Student Association Council Board were present. The main purpose of this conference was to find ways of strengthening the communication within the student body, with the faculty and with the administration. Some decisions were made and suggestions given for bringing the members of our school closer to each other. The results of this meeting will be clearly visible by the end of the year.

Secondly, on October 16th, a dinner was given by our school's Yardımlaşma Derneği at the Bebek Belediye Gazinosu. About 320 guests were present, and together with the money collected from the lottery, the proceeds which are available for the school amount to 30,000 TL.

On October 24th, there was a folk concert in the school auditorium.

«Direniş İkilisi», «Fevziye - Engin Çifti» and «Dönüşüm» were the groups who gave a variety of examples of the folk-songs from different countries all around the world. They all gave excellent performances.

On November 21st, again in our school, we had an amusing Ramazan program, called «Ramazan Eğlenceleri.» It consisted of «Kanto's» and a short theatrical play performed by the members of Altınyurt Spor Klübü.

On December 20th, we, as Student Association members, had a seminar, inviting the participation of other Istanbul Lises: Robert College, Galatasaray Lisesi, Avusturya Lisesi, Alman Lisesi, Erenköy Kız Lisesi and Çamlıca Lisesi. Our main goal was to bring the İstanbul Lises closer to each other by discussing the meanings of «communication» and «school spirit». In this way, we think of taking the first step in getting together as a group.

Here are some of the new schedule and procedural changes that have occurred in our school. Until this year, we had 8 hours of lessons from Monday to Friday. But, this year on Wednesdays we have a shorter noon recess, 7 lessons, an assembly or study period, and a free period at the end as an activity period. Normally, the school ends at four, but on Wednesdays it ends at 3:20 because of the short noon recess.

Every year we had clubs planned by the Administration, but this year they are left to the students' wishes. If the students are interested in any subject, they form a club with others having the same interest; meetings are at mutually convenient times for students and faculty sponsors. Students are not forced to be in any of the clubs as they were in previous years.

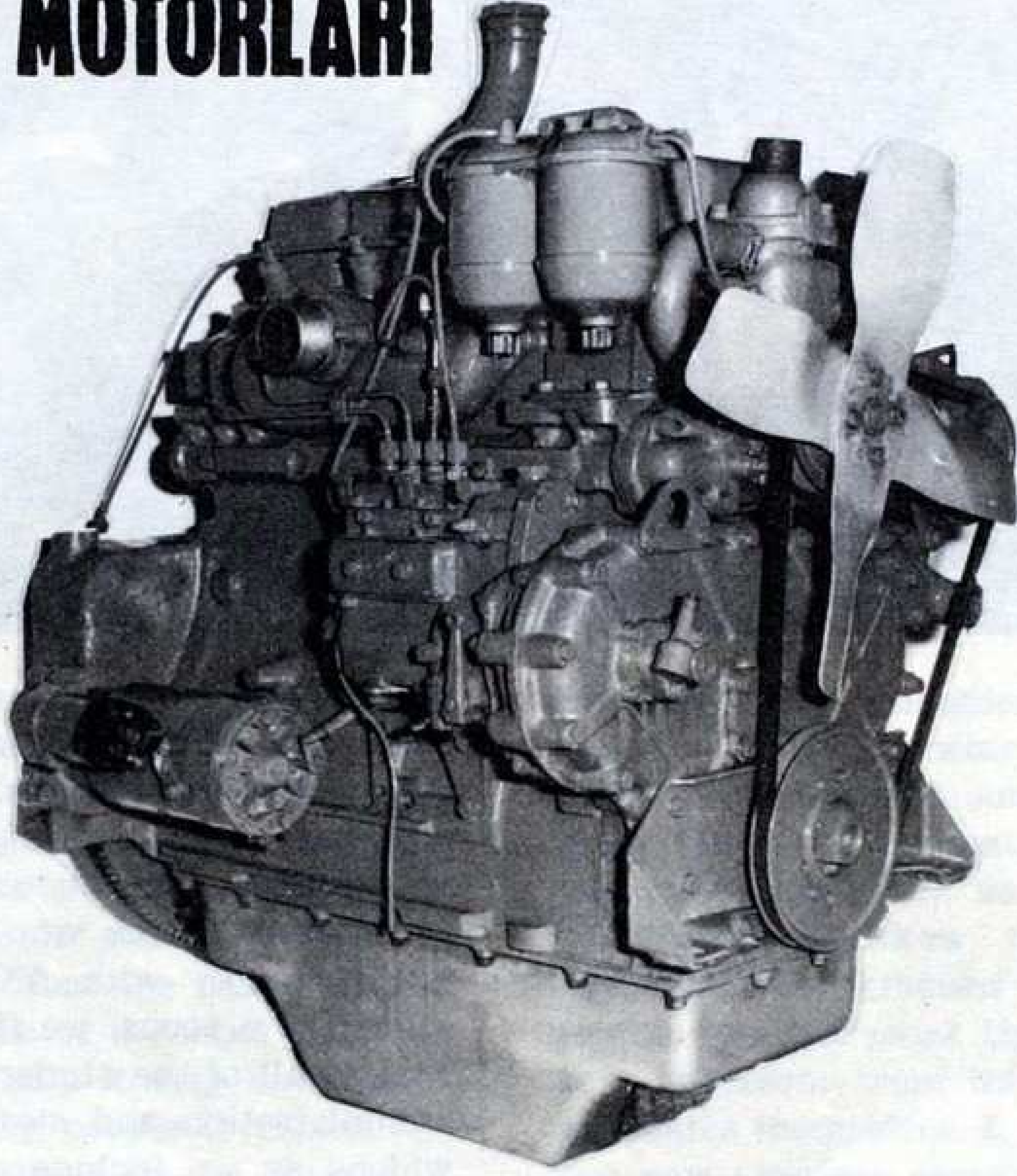
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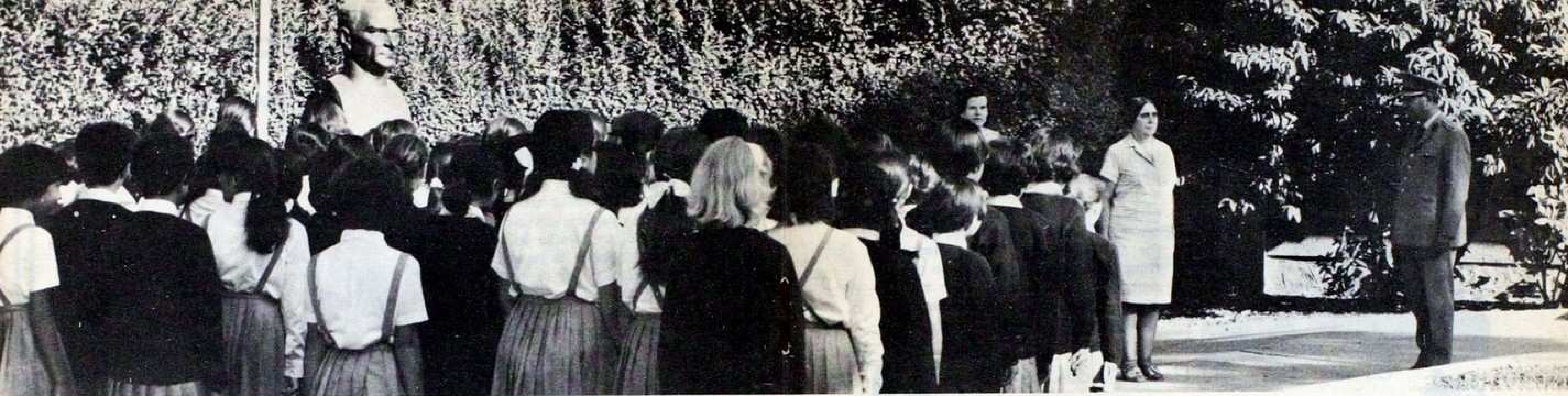
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FROM THE A. K. L. PRINCIPAL'S DESK

One of the pleasant things about being a principal is the opportunity it affords to have a few words with the graduates in each issue of *Alma Mater*. Sometimes I like to speak of plans for updating our school from a building and grounds standpoint; sometimes I speak of new programs, better suited to the needs of today's students; and sometimes of activities outside the classroom which relate us more

significantly with our environment. Important as all these aspects of our school are, I should like to talk now not about buildings, programs or activities, but about **people** - specifically people who are connected in some way with AKL. With the school as a focus, we think naturally first of all of the students, faculty, administration and staff. Our circle widens as we include each year's graduating class. One is often prone to think of people in terms of ability, or perhaps accomplishments. This or that person is outstanding because he or she has shown special talent and accomplishment in this or that field.

Even though accomplishments tend to make the head-lines and the substance of many articles, the **quality** of people is what really counts. Under this heading one thinks immediately of integrity, responsibility, loyalty, courage, selflessness. In these upsetting and bewildering days of political, social and economic upheavals throughout the world, quality stands out and claims its share of the limelight. Hard questions present themselves to the person who has a sincere

desire to be true to his highest ideals, such as: «Can integrity be interpreted in different ways?», «To whom is one ultimately responsible?», «Where loyalties seem to conflict, which ones should one follow?» It seems to me that the best reason for the existence of a school such as ours is the help it may have given in training young people to decide these hard questions on the basis of all the facts which can possibly be summoned. Seemingly one-sided or polarized positions rarely encompass all the facts, but rather assign to a limited number of facts an emotional value which may seem to give them validity. Emotional values are in themselves facts, of course, and must take their place in the roster. My respect goes to the person who is able to find a personal position which is based on all the known facts, and who thus perceives that loyalty to country, people and institutions may be one with loyalty to God and conscience.

Speaking of the quality of people, I should like to pay tribute to one well-known by personal contact or through correspondence to most of the AKL alumnae - **Wanda Brunkow**.

Mrs. Brunkow embodies the many facets of character which spell quality to me, and it is with sorrow and a deep sense of deprivation that we have seen her leave us. It is typical of **Wanda Brunkow** that she considered her greatest contribution to the alumnae work the discovery of a successor from the ranks of the graduates themselves. I, too, salute our new alumnae secretary, **Oya Sidal Aktan, AKL '60**. She has already demonstrated not only efficiency, but devotion to her work.

Those who may wish to write Mrs. Brunkow may do so at her home base, whence letters may be forwarded as she continues to move to and fro among her many friends, family and interests in the United States. Address: **Mrs. Norman F. Brunkow, 348 Hamlet Hills, Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44022, U.S.A.**

In closing, I wish everyone a New Year brimming with opportunities for service and progress. Under the leadership of your new president, **Fatma Ramazanoglu**, another, «quality» person, the AKL Alumnae Association should have a very successful 1971.

Helen L. Morgan



Efser Kayral



NEW ALUMNAE SECRETARY JOINS İZMİR STAFF

We of ACI are very happy to present to you our new part-time Alumnae Secretary, **Efser Kayral**. I know of no one who can better span the generations. She herself is a graduate of 1940 and she has a daughter in school who is hopefully of the Class of 1977! **Efser Hanım** teaches English at the İzmir Kız Lisesi, but has consented to give the school some time in this important task of keeping in touch with our graduates. She herself is the vice president of the Alumnae Association so she is a link between them and the school proper.

What does she do? She works with our recording secretary, **Aliye Moral Doğanca**, to keep our records in order. It is quite a task to know where you all are, when you get married, and other interesting vital

statistics. She prepares lists of graduates in various areas, she helps prepare the material for the **Alma Mater**, she travels and calls with a notebook in hand to jot down important material for the records, and she helps prepare for functions at the school that involve alumnae attendance. We count greatly upon the continuity that **Efser Hanım's** friendly presence will bring to our school staff. And next year the alumnae will have a nice office in Bristol!



TARSUS STUDENTS GET STUDY OPTIONS

Tarsus students now must decide what to study as well as where to study. The TAC Lise Student Council and faculty worked out new study arrangements last spring and early in the fall.

Orta students study in their classrooms with lise monitors. They may also study in the library. Lise students have several choices. Those who wish to study in absolute silence go to the «silent study hall.» Those with grades of 6.5 or better have the «free study hall» privilege and may go to the lounge or offices of student activities. Some go to the library, using the pass system involving small boards — they say, «Tahta eksik olanlar tahta alıp kütüphaneye gidiyor.» The rest of the lise students stay in the regular study hall. While study halls are not always efficiently used for studying, in general participation in the various alternatives is encouraging.

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TARSUS HONOR SOCIETY - A NEW TRADITION



As a member of the Tarsus American College Honor Society I would like to introduce you to one of the newest traditions at Tarsus. The Honor Society is a group of lise students who are academically above average in their orta and lise education and were rewarded by membership in the society. Final selection, based on scholarship and citizenship, is made by a vote of the faculty. Though there has always been an Honor Roll to reward the successful student, it lacked the kind of distinction a hard-working student desired. The formation of the Honor Society has filled that need and thus has formed another source of encouragement for the student.

The Honor Society's focus this year has been the general academic problems among the student body. But, so far, the group hasn't been able to accomplish very much. This is primarily due to the fact that the larger student body hasn't recognised the society as a group capable of handling the serious problems that occur among themselves. As a matter of fact, this notion of the student body has made the Honor Society feel very much out of place although the idea is not directed toward individual members of the group.

The group this year took a trip to the universities in Ankara in order to get a general overview of student problems in entrance into and success

in the university. The group has also had several luncheons at TAC with guests at the school. These projects have been informative and very worthwhile.

I really feel that the society has problems to solve in order to find its proper place in the school. The students and faculty must accept the society into the school structure. The group needs the confidence of their support. I also feel that some privileges should be given to members of the group. These privileges would increase the value of membership. The idea of the group has real potential which, I am sure, will be realized in the coming years.

Basri Arsoy '71

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1960's TENTH ANNIVERSARY

June 23, 1970, was a special date on the calendar for the Class of 1960. It was a milestone marking the 10th anniversary of our graduation from AKL... a decade since our school days, a day of reunion long expected which we all looked forward to. 22 girls were there out of a class of 41.

It was joy and excitement to be together again at school, for at least a day, as the Class of 1960. It was a day of cherished memories, exchanged experiences, and above all, a day of recalling those «good old days.» It was evident and heart-warming to see that the warm and sincere bonds of friendship are unchanged through the years. In every member of our class one could easily see a twinkle in the eye or a certain way of expression which was very familiar and untouched. As evidence of their

loyalty, several came long distances to be with us on this special day — Meriç Gürler from Beirut; Emine Belbez Burak from Kabul, Afghanistan; Binnaz Bingöllü Sayarı from New York; Nimla İlhan Hephent and Semra Ül Hatapkapılı from Ankara.

Besides being together as a class, we were lucky enough to see some of our teachers and talk with them. As part of the reunion program a dinner party at the Galata Tower was organized in honor of the 1960 bridegrooms. It was a joyous evening for all.

The Class of 1960 would like to express thanks and appreciation to the school, to Mrs. Huebenthal and Mrs. Brunkow for a day to be long remembered.

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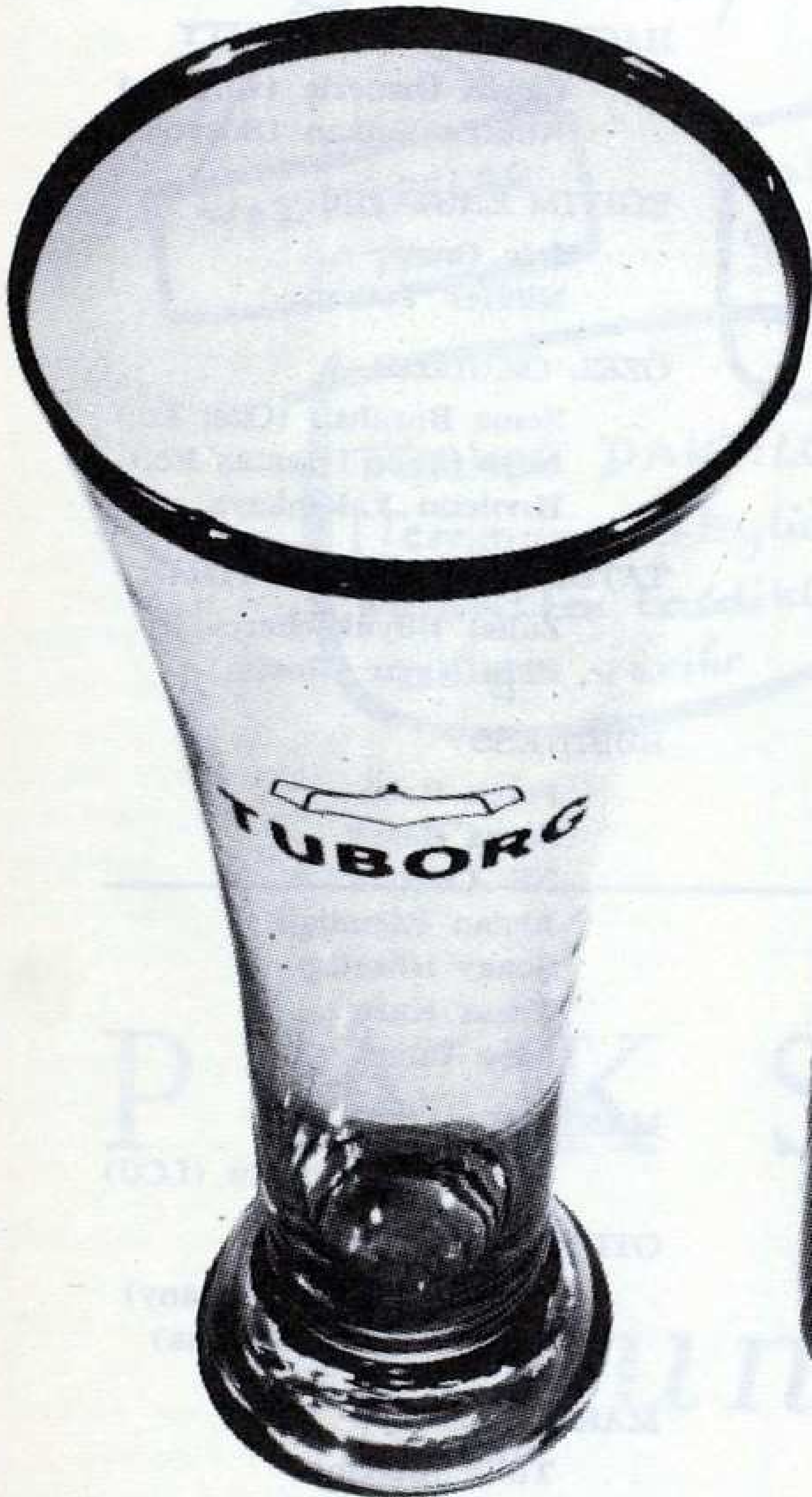
MANY GRADS IN CAREERS DAY

December 1, 1970

More and more one of the most satisfying days of the year for me is Careers' Day when graduates and others come to tell us of exciting areas into which our graduates may go. And, usually being women, these people themselves are proof of the fact that it is possible for girls to achieve well in these and many other areas. This year our day had special significance for we had speakers from all three Board schools. In addition to our own from the fields and years listed below, we had Banu Özertuğ from Üsküdar and Ülkü Vural from Talas and Tarsus. The poise, the joy and satisfaction in their work, the wide areas of service and interest are all a real inspiration to those of us who help with ACI - for these are the sort of mature citizens that we wish to help to develop. One senior said longingly, «Do you suppose I could ever be invited to speak at Careers' Day?» Everyone can try - including homemakers!

Lynda Blake

- Altan Emrez Kodanoz,
ACI 1949 Psychology
- Rezzan Büke
1965 Business Administration
- Hümeyra Özbaş
Tourism
- Aydan Dikmen Seyhan
1967 Journalism
- Ülkü Vural - Talas '54 and Tarsus '57
Architecture
- Emel Tümbay
1960 Medicine
- Çınar Batu
Social Service
- Cansun Yurday Uçan
1965 Secretary
- Gülây Erdem Çakmur
1965 Teacher
- Ender Devres Demiral
1964 Science Research
- Nesrin Oran
1944 Translator
- Sevin Nalbant Oran
1956 Homemaking
- Sema Gökçen Opçin
1961 Lawyer
- Özgül Tunçyürek
1965 Librarian
- Banu Özertuğ - Üsküdar '61
Anthropology



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ÜSKÜDAR 1970 GRADUATES

ROBERT COLLEGE

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Nakiye Avdan
Güldal Başarı (Engineering)
Ümit Berkyer (Engineering)
Neşe Can
Sema Çetin (Business)
Gülay Çetinkaya (Engineering)
Hale Dayıoğlu (Engineering)
Jale Ergelen (Engineering)
Meri Farhi (Engineering)
Filiz Günal (English)
Canan Nurkan
Lâle Önen
Yasemin Öner (English)
Nilgün Özçelik
Ayşen Sakaoğlu
Gülderen Somar (English)
Ayper Ünlüer
Figen Yarangümeli (English)
Gül Yazıcı (English)

MIDDLE EAST

Melek Aksoy (Engineering)
Canan Bayık (Business)
İpek Gülboy (Business)
Gülay Kiper (Engineering)
Meral Turhan (Math)

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Fusun Ertuğrul (Filoloji)
Hülya Görgün (Gazetecilik)
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Hülya Kantarcıoğlu (Psikoloji)
Meral Kurtuldu (İşletme)
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Sara Taşman (Tıp)
Kökçiçek Uluderim (Gazetecilik)

Eser Uzun (Psikoloji)
Hripsime Yosmayan (Psikoloji)
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HACETTEPE UNIVERSITY

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Nilüfer Volkan (Sosyoloji)

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Nilüfer Volkan

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One of the main purposes of our Association has always been to keep our alumnae group alive and ever growing in size and spirit - the idea behind this purpose being the joy of fellowship and raising money which goes into many worthy projects including scholarships for needy students. We have at present two scholarship girls at Üsküdar and two boys at Haydarpaşa Lisesi.

In a town like Istanbul where there are plenty of cultural events to meet the intellectual and aesthetic needs, such programs sponsored by our Association have found only a small audience. Thus, the inevitable and the practical turn this year has been toward social events with money-making possibilities. We had a farewell luncheon for Mrs. Wanda Brunkow at Konyalı Restaurant located in the Topkapı Palace gardens in late October. Following the luncheon we had a special tour of the Harem quarters which was even a better feast than the meal served. Next on our program was a luncheon featuring

a fashion show by Ayfer Butik at the Divan Hotel on December 12. In late January there was an evening affair, dinner and Akfil Fashion Show, at the Hilton Hotel. Our yearly program also includes: a luncheon and Kermes type sale in March at the Pera Palas, in April a 5:00 o'clock tea at the Carlton Hotel and in June our Traditional Spring Ball. We also have new ideas for May Day when we hope to get together with the dernek members and have an open buffet providing home-made food. Thus this year May Day may be a Student-Alumnae-Parent affair to bring the Üsküdar family close together.

In addition to these social events, there are small group projects initiated by interested members. Some of these include the recently completed cook-book, **Aile Sofrası**,

a new project started dealing with teenage development and problems, and a discussion group with Dr. Virginia Canfield as the lecturer on drama and literature.

The last but surely not the least important news of this year is the arrival of a new person for the position of Alumnae Secretary, succeeding Miss Alice Lindsley, Mrs. Dorothy Ross and Mrs. Wanda Brunkow. This new person is well known by many of you since she is a 1960 Üsküdar graduate. We welcome Oya Aktan (Sıdal) with great pleasure and enthusiasm and believe that with her services our Association will gain additional momentum and continue its creative growth.

Alumnae Association
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Fatma Ramazanoğlu

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This year one newspaper has included a folkdance competition, and TAC entered this contest as well as the musical one. The dancers did not win in Adana, but the band went on to the finals in Izmir, Ankara, and Istanbul, where they placed fourth in the country.

When some of this year's group graduates, the group has many aspirants down as far as Orta I who are taking lessons and talking about when they will be in the «TAC Echoes!»

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