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MARY ALICE LAMAR SE RETIRA

La señorita Mary Alice Lamar se ha retirado luego de servir a la Universidad Interamericana, primero en su capacidad como Decana de Señoritas en San Germán de 1940 a 1958 y luego como consejera a los estudiantes de Arecibo de 1959 a 1965. Antes de partir fue objeto de innumerables agasajos de sus muchos amigos y exalumnos tanto en San Germán como en Arecibo y en San Juan.

Miss Lamar, como siempre la llamaremos, será recordada por los cientos de jóvenes que vivieron en Borinquen Hall durante los años en que ella sirviera como Decana de Señoritas. Nunca podrán olvidar su tacto y buen sentido de humor en el cumplimiento de las órdenes así como su profundo interés y preocupación en el bienestar de los jóvenes y señoritas, estudiantes y facultad, su perspicacia en concertar parejas y su afán de orientar a la juventud. En 1960 terminó la construcción del nuevo dormitorio de señoritas que hoy lleva su nombre.

Atribuye Miss Lamar su cariño y dedicación a la juventud al espíritu misionero en que creció. "Me crié junto a las puertas de una iglesia Metodista", dice Miss Lamar, "y cada vez que se abrían las puertas allí estaba yo".

Su espíritu misionero la llevó de Houston, su ciudad natal, a Kansas City, Missouri, donde cursó estudios en el Missionary Training School y luego a Brazil donde primero fue profesora y luego directora de una escuela. Cursó estudios avanzados en George Peabody College obteniendo más tarde su grado de Maestría en Teachers College en la Universidad de Columbia. En esta universidad sirvió como Directora Auxiliar de la División de Bienestar Estudiantil. Pero aquí todos los estudiantes eran adultos y ella ansiaba volver a estar con "sus muchachos." Para satisfacer este deseo aceptó el puesto de Directora del Instituto Blanche Kellog en San Juan donde realizó una labor admirable. Fue en el año 1940 que Miss



Lamar aceptó la invitación del Dr. Jarvis Morris, Presidente del Instituto Politécnico, para venir a servir como Decana de Señoritas. Trajo con ella todo el calor, el entusiasmo, y el cariño que siempre la caracterizaron.

Miss Lamar vive ahora en Bayou Manor, 414 South Braeswood Boulevard, Houston, Texas donde se alegrará de recibir noticias de sus muchos y queridos amigos a quien ella lleva siempre cerca de su corazón.

EXALUMNOS - ATENCION

Bienvenidos todos a San Germán.
Aquí nos reuniremos.

Marzo 6 - Regreso al Alma Matter

Marzo 7 - Día de "Founders"

Todos los caminos conducen a la
Universidad Interamericana en San
Germán.

HOXENG AND STEWART HEAD UNIVERSITY

On February 1, Chancellor-elect Dr. Raymond B. Hoxeng assumed responsibility for University long-range planning and development. Dr. Archibald K. Stewart, a member of the Board of Trustees, will remain on the San Germán campus and direct the University administration. Dr. Stewart has been serving as acting-chancellor since November 1.

Dr. Hoxeng comes to the University from Clarkson College of Technology, Postdam, New York, where he has been Vice-President. At Clarkson, he has been responsible for all long-range planning as well as for development, alumni and public relations. These duties included the direction of the Engineering and Liberal Arts Colleges' recent \$28 million expansion program.

Prior to joining Clarkson, Dr. Hoxeng was Director of Research for the American Steel and Wire Division of the United States Steel Corporation in Cleveland. He was associated with U.S. Steel from 1951 to 1961.

Dr. Stewart, on leave as Associate General Secretary of the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church, has always had a keen interest in education. Early in his career, he took time off from his busy duties as pastor and civic leader in Nebraska to teach at the University of Omaha. More recently, he has been a member of the Board of Knoxville College, Knoxville, Tennessee and, as such, was instrumental in developing the school from one with an enrollment of less than 200 students with a budget of under \$200,000 to an institution of over 800 students with an annual budget of close to \$2,000,000.

Dr. Stewart is also a member of the Board of Trustees of Presbyterian Hospital, San Juan.



DR. RAYMOND B. HOXENG



DR. ARCHIBALD K. STEWART

NEWS IN BRIEF

AN IMPORTANT PIECE OF CHEMICAL ANALYSIS EQUIPMENT has been given the University by Commonwealth Refining Company, Ponce. Dr. Winston Reed, Chairman of the University's Chemistry Department, plans to use this equipment for advance courses in Physical Chemistry Engineering. He is an acknowledged expert in the field of aerosols and refrigerants.

THE ASSOCIATION OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUBS (AIRC) held its annual Christmas seminar at Inter American University Dec. 18 - 28. This is the third successive year this event has been held on the San Germán campus. Approximately 200 students from US and Canadian universities and colleges met to discuss "The Political Ideology of the Democratic Left in Latin America." Speakers included W.W. Rostow, Counselor and Chairman of the US State Department's Policy Planning Council and US member of the Comité Interamericana de la Alianza para Progreso (CIAP), and Senator Luis Alberto Sánchez, of Perú, former Rector of San Marcos University.

FOUR VIOLINS, TWO VIOLAS, THREE CELLOS AND ONE DOUBLE BASS arrived at the University on Christmas Eve -- ordered last September by the Music Department. With these instruments Robert Fitzmaurice hopes to form a student string orchestra, as well as teach teachers to teach. Mr. Fitzmaurice, formerly superintendent of Instrumental Music in the public schools of Flagstaff, Arizona, will be assisted by Charles Phillips, formerly with Southwestern University, Memphis, Tennessee. In time Mr. Fitzmaurice hopes to expand the string orchestra into a community orchestra, drawing on musicians within driving distance of the University campus in San Germán.



SEMINAR ON BRITISH GUIANA, as Dr. Fenton Ramshohoye (left) greets Fieldin Singh. See story below.

DR. IRVING PETER PFLAUM, founder and director of Inter American's Center for the Study of Contemporary Latin America (CISCLA), is the author of an article in the January issue of the *San Juan Review*. Entitled "The Race Crisis in British Guiana", this article is largely based on material gathered by Dr. Pflaum last summer when he visited British Guiana in preparation for a seminar on this country. Speakers at this seminar, held on the San Germán campus October 4 - 9, were Dr. Fenton Ramsahoye, former Attorney General of B.G., who was designated by then-Premier Cheddi Jagan to speak for the government; Mrs. Winfield Gaskin, Chairman of the People's National Congress Party, now in power; Fieldin Singh, representing Peter S. d'Aguiar, leader of the United Force Party; and poet-author, Martin Carter.

La Oficina de Ex-alumnos se complace en dar una vez más las gracias a todos aquellos compañeros que han enviado este cupón, facilitando así la enorme tarea que nos proponemos realizar de reorganizar nuestros archivos, completando o corrigiendo direcciones y supliendo un historial corto de cada uno de nuestros ex-alumnos después de haberse graduado de esta institución.

Debido al gran crecimiento de la Universidad con sus muchas ramificaciones, esta labor se va haciendo más intensa cada día y un pequeño esfuerzo que no cuesta trabajo alguno de los que reciban este cupón, al llenarlo debidamente, representa una ayuda incalculable para nosotros la que agradecemos de corazón. Llena pues este cupón después que leas tu Polygraph y envíalo a:

Lcdo. Ricardo D. Ramírez Acosta
Director de Relaciones Públicas
Universidad Interamericana
San Germán, Puerto Rico

DE NUESTRA FAMILIA

Jaime Durán Ferrer '50 estudia medicina en Zaragoza, España.

Carmen L. Irizarry de Sheets reside en Elyria, Ohio.

Roberto Fuentes '46 trabaja en la Oficina de Seguro Social en Baltimore, Maryland.

Dr. Efraín Padró Acevedo reside en New Philadelphia, Ohio. Efraín se ha especializado en Obstetricia y Ginecología.

Nicanor Quiñones se ha radicado en New York donde trabaja como Químico.

La Lcda. Alma Delgado reside en la Urbanización Santa Rosa, en Bayamón, y tiene oficina privada con su esposo, el Lcdo. Manuel Torres Reyes.

Germán Delgado Pasapera estudia Derecho en España.

El Revdo. Jorge N. Cintrón '42 es profesor de Educación Religiosa en el Seminario Evangélico de P.R.

Carlos E. Cantisani '59 es profesor en el Colegio de Agricultura y Artes Mecánicas de Mayaguez.

Avelino Guzmán Jusino '50 es supervisor de Inglés del Departamento de Instrucción Pública. Actualmente reside en Buena Vista 177-Urb. Alemañy, Mayaguez.

Miguel Arrieta Maymí '47 es Vicepresidente de la United Medical Equipment Corporation y reside en Río Piedras.

La compañera Florence Vargas ha obsequiado a su esposo, José Augusto

Rodríguez, con un hermoso varoncito que llevará el nombre de José Manuel.

Los compañeros Wilma Ginorio y Julito Montalvo recibieron la visita de la cigüeña quien les trajo otro varoncito que llevará el nombre de Edgardo Rogelio.

Y también visitó la cigüeña a Ennita Pagán y Félix Lugo para obsequiarlos con su tercer heredero, que llevará el nombre de Félix Alberto.

Deceso . . .

Es con gran pena que anunciamos el fallecimiento de nuestra querida compañera Cándida Rosa (Candi) Santini.

Esponsales

Mil felicidades y muchos años de dicha conyugal deseamos a:

AURORITA VILLAMIL y Luis F. Rodríguez, quienes vivirán en la Urbanización Sagrado Corazón en Río Piedras.

PATRICIA TRIGO y Jaime Biaggi, residentes en Ann Arbor, Michigan.

ISMAEL CRUZ DIAZ y Marilyn Jiménez.

CARMIÑITA BARNES y Angel de Miguel.

TOMAS RAMIREZ Y MARIAN FAS, que han fijado su residencia en Mayaguez.

GLADYS PADILLA y Luis Toro Goyco, en Cabo Rojo.

DR. AMAURY CAPELLA y Gladys R. Noya, en Santurce.

ALICIA STRIKER y Julio Maymí, en Mayaguez.

LINO CORRETGER y Carmen Maldonado.

CAROL GELPI Y RAMON TORRES

CONCHI QUIÑONES y Fernando Luis Longo.

CARMENCITA ARCE y Sigfredo García.

CARMEN L. MEDINA Y EDWIN FIGUEROA.

Exito compañeros

Nuevos abogados... Los siguientes compañeros han aprobado u obtenido su reválida y son ahora los licenciados Rurico Rivera, Jorge L. Arroyo y Samuel Ramírez.

Fueron instalados como jueces los compañeros licenciados Luis Totti Lugo y Pedro J. Martínez.

Desde Brooks, AFB en Texas, recibimos noticias del compañero Doctor Santiago (Chago) Pérez. En la actualidad sirve en la Fuerza Aérea de E.U. con el grado de Capitán.

El compañero Rev. Luis A. Olivieri nos escribe desde la Universidad de Boston, donde estudia su maestría en Música Sagrada. Su dirección es: Luis A. Olivieri, Boston University-Warren Hall-14 Buswell St. 411, Boston, Mass.

Ha sido nombrado ayudante del Decano de la Escuela de Derecho de la Universidad de P.R. el compañero Norman Torres Vidal. Antes de su nombramiento era ayudante del Administrador de Fomento Económico.

Nos escribe desde Barcelona, España, en donde ha terminado su doctorado en medicina la compañera Gloria Báez. Nos anticipa su deseo de estar con nosotros para Homecoming. Bienvenida.

La compañera Alida Jusino Feliu en la actualidad cursa estudios en la técnica de IBM. Reside en G-28-A Mayaguez Terrace, Mayaguez, P. R.

El Rev. Samuel Corchado ha sido nombrado miembro de la Junta de Misiones Nacionales de la Iglesia Presbiteriana Unida en E.U.A. Felicitaciones.

Cesar Quiñones, quien nos visitara recientemente en compañía de su esposa Myriam, se especializa en dermatología en la clínica Mayo en Minnesota.

Jorge A. Farinacci ha sido nombrado presidente y miembro de la Junta de Directores de Pet Denia Milk Products Inc., P. R.

Desde Arecibo nos escribe cariñosamente Germán Padilla informándonos que trabaja en la Segunda Unidad de Pajuil, en Hatillo, y que tiene un hijo que será un futuro Politutense.

J. Alfredo Carbonell, clase del 50, ha completado su maestría en Música y actualmente es profesor de canto en Longmeadow High School, en Longmeadow, Mass. Sentimos que fuera tan corta su visita a la U.I. pero esperamos que se repita pronto.

También tuvimos la alegría de saludar a Hernán F. Méndez Castro, quien estudia su cuarto año de medicina en la Universidad de Boston.

Idales Acevedo Pérez ha profesado recientemente como religiosa en la orden de las Hermanas Misioneras. Será asignada a servir en algún lugar de África, Asia o Sur América.

Let's All Meet in San Germán

March 6 Homecoming

March 7 Founder's Day

IN MEMORIAM

Death came suddenly on Friday, January 22, to Mrs. Mora Jean Stewart, wife of Acting Chancellor Dr. Archibald K. Stewart. A graveside service was held in Syracuse, New York on Monday morning, January 25. On Tuesday, January 26, memorial services were held for her here, in Beverley Hall, and in the Irvington Presbyterian Church in Irvington, New York, where she and Dr. Stewart had lived.

Dr. and Mrs. Stewart had been married for 38 years.

Surviving Mrs. Stewart are her husband and two children, Dr. Mary Margaret Stewart of Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, and Neil S. Stewart, M.D. of Syracuse, New York.

Although Mrs. Stewart had been in San Germán only a short while, she was known and loved by the entire community, and will be long remembered.

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UNIVERSITY GRANTS 396 DEGREES

FOUR RECEIVE HONORARY DOCTORATES

On Sunday, May 2, 396 degrees were awarded at "The Steps" on the San Germán campus by the newly appointed chancellor of Inter American, Dr. Raymond B. Hoxeng. This number includes the University's first Master's degree -- the Master in Business Administration. Twelve of these M.B.A.'s were awarded, and 59 diplomas for the Law degree. This year's law class scored 100 percent on the island's bar examination, the highest score of any of the universities participating in the examination.

The principal speaker was Dr. Edler G. Hawkins, who said, "It is the universities and their students that shape the world . . . they are the bridgehead that will help all of us across the depth." Dr. Hawkins is the moderator for the United Presbyterian Church, U.S.A. for 1965. He was awarded on

honorary degree.

Other recipients of honorary degrees were: Miss Mary Alice Lamar, for many years the beloved Dean of Women of the University; Dr. Thomas J. Liggett, director of the Evangelical Seminary of Río Piedras; and Dr. Archibald K. Stewart. Dr. Stewart, while on leave as Associate General Secretary of the Board of General Missions of the Presbyterian Church, was Interim Chancellor of the University from November 1 - February 1, when Dr. Hoxeng assumed responsibility. He continues with the University as a member of the Board of Trustees. He is also a member of the Board of Presbyterian Hospital.

Commencement was preceded by a Baccalaureate Service, held Saturday night, May 1, in Beverley Hall. Dr. Liggett delivered the sermon.



FOUR RECEIVE HONORARY DOCTORATES. Left to right: Dr. Archibald K. Stewart; Dr. Edler G. Hawkins; Chancellor Raymond B. Hoxeng who made the awards; Dr. José M. Rodríguez Quiñones, recently named president of the Board of Trustees; Miss Mary Alice Lamar and Dr. Thomas J. Liggett.



ANTES DE INICIAR las competencias la Delegación de la Universidad Interamericana desfila ante el público concurrente desplegando el simbólico Tigre representativo de la universidad.

U.I. CAMPEON JUSTAS INTERCOLEGIALES

Ante una nutrida concurrencia de 19,423 personas en el parque Hiram Bithorn, los Tigres de la Universidad Interamericana obtuvieron la más grande victoria en la historia de la Universidad en las justas Intercolegiales celebradas el día 12 de abril. Nunca antes, con la excepción de haber terminado en segundo puesto en 1951, la Universidad había hecho una demostración tan excelente.

Anton Norris no solo fué el mejor anotador de la Universidad Interamericana con un total de 10 puntos, sino que fué la sorpresa de las justas al establecer una nueva marca insular para el Salto a lo Alto de 6' 8".



GASPAR SPRINGER (derecha) y **FREDDIE VARGAS** (izquierda) de la Universidad Interamericana después de la carrera de 800 metros en la que terminaron en primero y segundo puesto respectivamente.



REGINALD DASH, de la UIA ejecuta un Salto en pértiga a una altura de 13'0".

NEWS IN BRIEF

A CONFERENCE ON ECONOMIC COORDINATION IN THE CARIBBEAN met at the University May 17 to May 19, using the conference rooms of Beverley Hall for open and closed meetings. Sponsored jointly by the University and Puerto Rico's State Department, the conference was attended by 30 delegates, representing Antigua, Barbados, Granada, British Guiana, Jamaica, Montserrat, Netherlands Antilles, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Trinidad-Tobago, British Virgin Islands, U.S. Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico. Main speakers included Dr. Carlos J. Lastra, Puerto Rico's Secretary of State, Dr. Henri Bangou, Mayor of Pointe-a-Pitre, Guadeloupe, and the Honorable Errol Barrow, Premier of Barbados.

LA ASOCIACION DE EX-ALUMNOS celebró un banquete en el Hotel Sheraton el día 22 de mayo para honrar al Dr. José M. (Nito) Rodríguez Quiñones, primer ex-alumno en ocupar la Presidencia de la Junta de Síndicos de la Universidad Interamericana. Reinó gran entusiasmo y un marcado espíritu de confraternidad entre los allí reunidos.

UNIVERSITY HOSTS TWO SEMINARS. Two seminars met on the San Germán campus this spring: the 15th State Conference on Educational Orientation, and the Second Annual Art Education Seminar. At the orientation seminar, held March 19th in Beverley Hall, Puerto Rico's Secretary of Instruction, Dr. Angel Quintero Alfaro was the main speaker. At the Art Education Seminar, March 25th and 26th, Mrs. Pearl Greenberg, art teacher at the Downtown Community School in New York City was the main speaker. Mrs. Greenberg, a regular contributor to education and art magazines, has been director of Peter Cooper Art Gallery and supervisor of the Children's Christmas Carnival, Museum of Modern Art, New York City.

SUMMER PROGRAMS, this year -- in addition to the three regular four-week terms -- include a Workshop in Church Music, May 27, 28 and 29, a Marketing Seminar, June 7 - July 2, a German Language Workshop, June 3 - July 3, and a unique Workshop in Production Methods for Audio-Visual Media, July 5 - August 5. In this three-credit course the students will actually participate in the preparation of a film strip and a short educational sound film.

THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION will again sponsor three summer science institutes on the San Germán campus for high school students and teachers. NSF has donated \$63,090 for these institutes which will be under the direction of Dr. Ismael Vélez, head of the University's Institute of Natural Sciences.

ECUMENICAL WEEK was observed by Inter American University February 28th - March 6th. A call for greater understanding was sounded by religious leaders from Catholic, Jewish and Protestant communities: The Archbishop of San Juan, Luis Aponte Martínez; the Rabbi Dr. Narot of Temple Israel, Miami, Florida; and Dr. Alfonso Rodríguez Spanish Department, Board of National Missions, United Presbyterian Church. The program was sponsored by the University's Office of Religious Life, under the direction of Reverend John Baker.

EX-ALUMNOS REGRESAN A SU ALMA MATER. Deseosos de poder honrar al Dr. Luis Sambolín y su esposa Nildy y al profesor Thurston Child, cientos de ex-alumnos regresaron al campus universitario al banquete que se celebró en su honor el pasado 6 de marzo en Beverley Hall. Luis y Nildy Sambolín han servido a la Universidad por un total combinado de 38 años y Mr. Child

ha sido profesor de inglés y director dramático desde 1945. El domingo día 7 de marzo se celebraron los servicios en honor a los fundadores en los históricos escalones de la vieja casona. El Sr. Aurelio Tió fue orador principal en el banquete y el Sr. Amadeo Francis pronunció el discurso de "Founders". El Sr. Tió es ingeniero e historiador y el Sr. Francis es Asesor en Economía de Fomento. Ambos son graduados del Poly.



REINA DE BEVERLEY HALL DURANTE LA CELEBRACION DEL SEGUNDO ANIVERSARIO, Zoraida Ramírez acompañada por el joven Tulio Díaz de San Juan. La reina hija del Sr. y la Sra. Carlos Ramírez, era la representante de la Fraternidad Phi Delta Gamma. El Baile de Coronación, celebrado el 27 de febrero, fue la culminación de la semana de actividades de aniversario.



A MESSAGE FROM THE CHANCELLOR

Dr. Raymond B. Hoxeng, new Chancellor of Inter American University, wishes to extend his sincere greetings to all the alumni. After he and Mrs. Hoxeng have moved into Casa María they look forward to meeting each and every one of you in person.



ARCHBISHOP of SAN JUAN, Monseñor Luis Aponte Martínez (right) meets Rabbi Dr. Narot of Temple Israel, Miami, Florida during the University's Ecumenical Week.

SADOT MARCHANY of Inter American's Art Department conducts a demonstration class at the second Annual Art Education Seminar, held on the San Germán campus.

DE NUESTRA FAMILIA

Es con gran pesar que notificamos el deceso de la Sra. Sofía Ramírez de Montalvo, madre de nuestro querido compañero Julito y esposa del Sr. Julio Montalvo también exalumno del Poly. Deseamos por medio de estas líneas expresar a sus familiares nuestra más sentida condolencia.

La compañera Diana Derbin Bacó pasa por la pena de haber perdido a su señor padre, Sr. Oscar Bacó Soria. Nuestro más sentido pésame.

Hemos sido notificados del sensible fallecimiento de la Sra. Conchita Torrens Vda. de Arrillaga, madre de Olga Arrillaga de Stella y abuela de Héctor y Olguita Stella todos exalumnos de la Universidad Interamericana.

Nuestro más sentido pésame a los deudos de la Sra. Arrillaga.

ALMA ELENA CASTILLO ALFARO ha cambiado su residencia a la Calle Feria #1406, Parada 20, Santurce. Nos escribe dándonos noticias para la columna "De Nuestra Familia" las que nos complacemos en insertar a continuación. Muchas gracias, Alma Elena.

TERESITA VAZQUEZ DEFILLO'64 quien fuera presidenta de la Sororidad ETA GAMMA DELTA obsequió a su esposo Raúl Fuster, también graduado de bachiller de la UI, con una hermosa niña. Los esposos Fuster residen en Nueva York donde Raúl cursa estudios post-graduados.

RAY CARRASQUILLO Y GOMBAL (CUCHO) SUAREZ'61 regresaron de un entrenamiento en la Guardia Costanera y ya están de nuevo trabajando en empresas privadas de la capital.

ISABELITA BERMUDEZ GRAFALS'61 se ha unido en matrimonio al joven Carlos Vallecillo. Nos envía su dirección en la Calle "Las Flores" #159, Santurce. Espera la visita de la cigüeña dentro de poco . . .

MYRIAM PAGAN BEAUCHAMP'61 es Oficial en la División de Préstamos del Banco Popular en Mayaguez.

CUCO ZAPATA - su esposa le ha obsequiado con una hermosa bebida que responderá al nombre de Louaned Marie-Cuco, quien trabaja para una empresa de la Capital, reside a las afueras de Bayamón.

CARLITOS MANZANAL'61 actualmente estudia Administración Comercial en la UPR. Carlitos es miembro de la Junta de Directores de la Fraternidad NU SIGMA BETA en la Capital.

NEYDA RODRIGUEZ quien por varios años sirvió como secretaria en la Oficina de Admisiones de la UI nos visitó recientemente. Neyda ocupa la posición de secretaria en la Embajada Americana en Méjico. Exitó Neyda.

LYDIA CRUZ OLIVIERI DE RIVERA'46 nos notifica que despues de obtener su PH.D. de la Universidad Central de Madrid, en 1960, se ha incorporado a la facultad de la Universidad de Puerto Rico en Río Piedras, donde es catedrática asociada de la Facultad de Pedagogía. Está casada con el Lcdo. Jacinto Rivera Alvarado, quien obtuvo su grado de Bachiller en Derecho de la UI el pasado año. Residen en López Sicardó 763, Dos Pinos, Río Piedras.

LCDO. JACOB BONILLA DIAZ '29 es graduado de la Escuela Superior y Bachillerato en Artes del viejo "Poly". Estudió leyes en la Universidad de Puerto Rico y actualmente desempeña el cargo de Registrador de la Propiedad "at large" en el Departamento de Justicia, San Juan, Puerto Rico. Está casado con la Sra. Camelia M. González y su dirección es la siguiente:

Calle Guipuzcoe # 362
Río Piedras, Puerto Rico

FRANCISCO TALAVERA CANDELA-RIA '62 es Gerente de LERNER SHOPS en Arecibo y está casado con Alida Rodríguez Morales. Su dirección es Apartado 533, Añasco, P.R.

DR. PEDRO MARIO PABON (GORE) nos envía su nueva dirección: 6815 Riverdale RDF-5, East Riverdale, Md. 20840. Gore trabaja como anestesiólogo en George Washington University Hospital, Washington, D.C.

Recientemente la cigüeña visitó el hogar de nuestro compañero GUILLO PAGAN y su esposa Tata. Nuestras más sinceras felicitaciones para ambos.

Nos visitó recientemente el compañero LCDO. JUAN EMILIO LUGO. Millo es Juez de Distrito en Salinas.

Nos enteramos que el Dr. Raúl Armstrong ofreció un agape a Miss Lamar en Ponce y que estuvo muy concurrido. Nos imaginamos los muchos recuerdos que se vivieron en ese día!

En la Iglesia Central Presbiteriana de Mayaguez y en solemne ceremonia de 8:00 de la mañana unieron sus destinos el Sr. John López y la hoy Sra. Asia María Martínez Seda de López. Ofició el Reverendo Erasmo Seda también exalumno de la UI. Festejaron la ocasión en el Hotel Mayaguez Hilton de la localidad.

DR. SANTIAGO C. TORRES VILLA '59 nos escribe desde su consultorio en la Calle Mattei Lluveras, Yauco, Puerto Rico. Terminó su doctorado en medicina dental en 1963 y desde entonces está ejerciendo la profesión. Está casado con Lisette Antonmattei Olivari también de Yauco. Lisette es técnica de laboratorio.

ENID MARGARITA SANTOS RIVERA '59 es Directora del Centro de Tratamiento Social para Niñas en Aibonito desde nos escribe. Está casada con José Antonio Canino Brindle también exalumno de la UI. Su dirección: Apartado 631, Aibonito, Puerto Rico.

El viernes día 3 de julio próximo se celebrará conjuntamente el 40º Aniversario de la fundación del Departamento de Biología de la Universidad Interamericana que organizara nuestro mentor el Dr. Boyd B. Palmer y el 20º Aniversario de la fundación del Capítulo Zeta Beta de la sociedad honoraria de Biología Tri-Beta. Con tal motivo se llevará a cabo un banquete para el cual estan circulando invitaciones a todos los exalumnos del Poly y la Universidad Interamericana que hicieran su concentración mayor o menor en Biología.

Sirva este aviso como una invitación para esta actividad que dedicaremos al Dr. Boyd B. Palmer.

IN MEMORIAM

CHARLES F. LEKER

Word has been received of the death of Mr. Charles F. Leker, for many years professor, athletic coach and administrator at Inter American. Mr. Leker died at the age of 75. Services were held on April 25 in Irwin, Missouri.

Mr. Leker joined Inter American University -- then called Polytechnic Institute -- in 1912. He remained for two two years and returned again in 1927. Until he retired in 1955, he taught Psychology and Education, served as Dean from time to time, and also as Registrar. He was one of the founders of the Inter-Collegiate Athletic League of Puerto Rico and is credited with introducing basketball to "Poly," making it the first institution outside of San Juan to play.

Mr. Leker also started the University's first scientific chicken farm -- still supplying the campus and community.

DR. EDWARD A. ODELL

Death came to Dr. Edward A. Odell on March 29. He was 85 years old. A member of the Board of Trustees from 1931 until 1962, Dr. Odell is survived by a daughter, Esther, wife of the University's Mathematics Professor, John Hays, a son, Col. Edward H. Odell, and eight grandchildren.

Dr. Odell was also one of the founders of Presbyterian Hospital and of the Evangelical Seminary of Puerto Rico.

After ten years of church service in Puerto Rico and eight in Cuba, Dr. Odell was assigned to the position of Secretary of the Department of the West Indies of the Board of National Missions of the United Presbyterian Church of the USA. He held this -- and many other church positions -- from 1924 to 1949 and, from 1957 to 1961, twice served as interim administrator for this department.

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ENROLLMENT CLIMBS TO 7,500 AS DEVELOPMENT PLANS CONTINUE

Inter American University registered what may be its best freshman class in history this Fall as enrollment climbed to an all time high, it was announced by Chancellor Raymond B. Hoxeng.

To assist the university to keep pace with an expected continued increase in the demand for higher education, the well known university counselling service, Tamblyn and Brown, Inc. of New York and Washington, has been retained to develop and plan for the university's growth for the next ten years.

University enrollment now numbers 7,500 at all centers and extensions, a rise of 1,261 over last year. About half of the increase may be attributed to enrollment at Ramey Air Force Base in Aguadilla where the university has established an academic extension program covering graduate and undergraduate course of study.

Last year, the undergraduate program at Ramey was served by the College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts while I.A.U. administered the graduate school program. A total of 549 part time students are enrolled at Ramey with 123 of them pursuing graduate studies.

But the Ramey Program is only part of the reason for the increased enrollment since most centers have experi-

enced significant increases and 5,017 students had applied for admission to the freshman class. To prevent over extension of resources, only 2,854 were admitted.

Moreover, the freshman class entered with a high school academic grade average of just less than "B" which makes it the best freshman class in the history of the University.

To enable the University to remain abreast of constant changes in educational techniques, the firm of Tamblyn and Brown, Inc., has been retained to assist the University in developing a ten year master plan of academic growth. The architectural planning firm of C.S. Canals, Sargent, Webster, Crenshaw and Folley of San Juan has also been engaged to develop a master plan of physical growth for the San Germán campus.

"The University has undergone a phenomenal rate of growth during the past ten years. What we will now be doing is taking stock of how we will grow in the future so that we will have a better idea of how we can continue to serve Puerto Rico and the Caribbean," said Chancellor Hoxeng.

"We must appraise what the needs of the University and its students will be in terms of the overall educational picture of Puerto Rico and the Caribbean and define what role I.A.U. will play in this important area. We cannot go our own way while the world around us goes another.

"Together with the consultants from Tamblyn and Brown, we have met with the heads of other Puerto Rican universities and with the top-ranking educational officials of the island to determine how we can best contribute to solving the educational needs of Puerto Rico," added the Chancellor.

Tamblyn and Brown has been a consulting firm for universities and other non-profit institutions since 1920. To assist in the planning for I.A.U., Tamblyn and Brown has contracted some of the best know educators in the United States to serve as consultants. They include Dr. E.H. Rian, Educational Consultant of Tamblyn and Brown; Dr.



This is what registration looked like at Beverley Hall in San Germán.

John A. Brown, Vice President and Dean of Faculty, George Washington University; Dr. W. Tolles, Dean of Hamilton College; Dr. John Stoops, Chairman of the Department of Education, Lehigh University; Dr. John Alexander, Associate Dean, Columbia University; Dr. John L. Swink, Vice President and Treasurer, Rutgers University and Dr. Herman B. Morse, former General Secretary of the National Board of Missions, United Presbyterian Church. Dr. Rian served as the coordinator of the group.

Among the immediate physical additions to the San Germán campus will be new faculty housing and a new religious center to be known as the Paul A. Wolfe Religious Center for which \$500,000 has already been pledged. The center will honor the memory of Dr. Paul A. Wolfe, a member of the Board of Trustees who died late last year.

The new library building is also being planned with funds coming from the Federal Government under the Higher Educational Facilities Act and other sources. The Federal Government will

meet one third of the cost of the structure and the University the remainder.

Tamblyn and Brown will have its report ready by January at which time Canals, Sargent, Webster, Crenshaw and Folley will present its recommendations.

To keep a pace of enrollment demands at Arecibo and Ponce, buildings have been rented in both cities.

A charming two-story building has been leased in the Ponce Historic Zone to house the Education Extension Program in that city. The building, located at Castillo and Mayor Streets, had one housed El Centro Español and later El Centro Panamericano.

The building is being restored with the cooperation of the Institute of Puerto Rican Culture and will be ready for occupancy about the end of October. It has eight classrooms and will be capable of accommodating 600 full and part time students when operating at full capacity. The Ponce Extension now has 460 full and part time students enrolled.

The Ponce Extension now counts with

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five full time faculty members and 20 part time professors and instructors.

The University is now negotiating for the acquisition of a tract of land to replace 20 acres of land in Arecibo belonging to the University which was expropriated for the construction of a new highway. The University hopes to use the new tract to develop a campus with resident facilities.

Meanwhile, a building has been rented and will be reconditioned within the next two months to replace the current Arecibo facilities. The new building will have eleven classrooms, a science laboratory and a library. The Arecibo extension now has 887 full and part time students enrolled and is staffed by 20 full time and six part time faculty members.

IAU RECEIVES \$20,000 SCHOLARSHIP GRANT FROM THE JESSIE SMITH NOYES FOUNDATION

Inter American University has received a grant of \$20,000 from the Jessie Smith Noyes Foundation of New York, to be used for scholarships and loans to students from Puerto Rico, the Caribbean and Latin America, it was announced by Chancellor, Raymond B. Hoxeng.

The grant is to take effect this academic year and the Foundation said it expects to renew the grant for two more years totalling \$60,000 over the three year period. Recipients of the grant will be known as "Jessie Smith Noyes Foundation Scholars."

"The grant from the Jessie Smith Noyes Foundation will give the university the means to extend its scholarship program to many more needy students in Puerto Rico and from throughout the Caribbean and Latin America," said Dr. Hoxeng.

The Jessie Smith Noyes Foundation was established in 1947 to finance the education of needy students in any field of learning. Grants are currently being made to 15 institutions of learning in the United States, in addition to Inter American University.

DR. CUSTER TO LEAVE IAU FOR A TEACHING POST AT TEMPLE UNIVERSITY, DR. JOY TO ASSUME HIS DUTIES.

Dr. Watson S. Custer, Associate Vice Chancellor of the San Germán area, will leave the university in January to return to teaching at the Conwell School of Theology of Temple University in Philadelphia, it was regretfully announced by Chancellor Raymond B. Hoxeng at a faculty meeting on October 4.

Dr. Custer's duties will be assumed by Dr. John Joy who joined the faculty this year as a professor of Biology.

"Dr. Custer had asked to be relieved of his duties last Spring so that he could join the faculty at Temple for the start of the academic year now in progress," Dr. Hoxeng told the faculty, "but I prevailed on him to postpone his departure so that he could assist in the difficult task of reorganization. He very graciously agreed to do so which I am very grateful. His assistance throughout the past few months has been invaluable."

Dr. Custer came to I.A.U. ten years ago as a professor of religion and was named Associate Vice Chancellor last August.

Dr. Joy joined the faculty this year from Corning College, Corning, N.Y., a branch of the New York State University, where he had been the Dean of the College and coordinator of the Math-Science Division. He was one of the founders of the Faculty Council at Corning and served as its first president. Dr. Joy earned his B.A. at the University of Wichita and the M.S. and Ph.D. from Kansas State University.

In 1964, Dr. Joy ran for Congress on the Democratic ticket in a district which had not voted Democrat since the turn of the century. Although he was defeated, he gained a larger percentage of votes than any Democrat had ever recorded in the district.



DR. WATSON S. CUSTER
will return to teaching



DR. JOHN JOY
will take charge at San Germán

MADERA NAMED DIRECTOR OF ALUMNI RELATIONS

Víctor Manuel Madera (class of 1953) has been named Director of Alumni Relations in an effort to bolster the interest of the alumni in the affairs of the university.

Mr. Madera, who recently resigned as Manager of the Puerto Rico Chapter of the American Red Cross to join the faculty of the University as the Chairman of the Department of Physical Education and Recreation, is presently studying the structure of the alumni association to determine what changes may be made to make it a more effective and stronger organization.

"Our immediate plans call for inviting the alumni to a series of meetings which will be held in various cities of the island in which Chancellor Raymond B. Hoxeng will have the opportunity to meet personally with the alumni," said Madera.



VICTOR M. MADERA

FOUR IAU STUDENTS RETURN FROM PEACE CORPS - LIKE MISSION IN MEXICO

Four students of IAU in San Germán have returned from a summer's work in Mexico where they joined teams of American college students helping to improve the lot of rural peasants.

The program is sponsored by the American Friends Service Committee (an affiliate of the Quaker organization) in an effort to bridge the cultural gap that separates the inhabitants of the hemisphere.

The four IAU students are Juan Rosado Vélez, 22, of Mayaguez, a senior Art student; Iris Zavala, 19, of Puerto Nuevo, San Juan, a sophomore student of Literature; Ina Pomales 20, of Las Americas Urbanization, Río Piedras, a sophomore Biology student and Manuel Rodríguez Casado, 23, of San José de Ocoa, the Dominican Republic, a senior Sociology student.

Although all the students took active roles in fulfilling the goals set out by the teams to which they were assigned, they all found that they were also being used as interpreters for their groups and intermediaries in resolving misunderstandings that arose between the volunteers and the political officials of the villages to which they were assigned.

All found the Mexicans with whom they worked very pleasant and free of any anti-American hostility.

"I thought we would have problems because I had heard that Latin Ameri-



Leaving Beverley Hall where they related their experiences in Mexico to fellow students are, from the left, Ina Pomales, Juan Rosado Vélez, Iris Zavala and Manuel Rodríguez Casado.

cans are resentful of Americans—even when the Americans are there to help them," said Rosado. "But the opposite turned out to be true and it was not long before they were referring to us as 'paisano'."

Rodríguez said that as a Sociology student he was interested in studying at first hand the sociological effect the Mexican Revolution of 1910 had on the peasant population to see if some comparison could not be drawn against countries which have not had violent revolutions.

Iris Zavala was assigned to Ixtacuitla San Felipe in the State of Tlaxcala with 17 students entrusted with repairing the roof of a kindergarden and working as student teachers.

Ina Pomales was one of

18 students assigned to Cuauhtenco, a small village in the State of Tlaxcala, where the students were active constructing a latrine for the school, digging wells and giving classes in English and music at night.

"The experience really taught me a lot about humanity. Every one in the group was a different personality and had completely different temperaments, yet we worked very well together—and we did so without electing officers," said Ina.

IAU professor John Baker, who arranged with the American Friends Service Committee to have IAU students participate in the program, went to Mexico on a similar project for the Friends ten years ago.

DE NUESTRA FAMILIA

De la Fuerza Aérea nos informan que el compañero **Doctor (Capitan) Moisés Rivera** ha completado un curso de orientación para oficiales del Servicio Médico de la Fuerza Aérea de los E.U. y ha sido asignado al Cuerpo Médico en Laredo, AFB, Tejas. Moisés es graduado de la Universidad Interamericana y de la Escuela de Medicina de la U.P.R. Su esposa Iliá es hija del Rev. Erasmo Seda. Ambos son exalumnos de la UI.

De la misma fuente sabemos que **Jorge A. Conde** se ha graduado con honores en Chanute AFB Illinois de un curso técnico que ofrece la Fuerza Aérea para sus especialistas en equipos de vuelo.

Luz Eneida Ramos Maneiro '65 saluda a todos sus compañeros desde Rochester en carta que dirige al Lcdo. Ricardo Ramírez Acosta, Director de Relaciones Públicas de la U.I. y nos informa que actualmente está empleada con el "New York State Employment Service" para ayudar a aquellas personas que por no conocer el Inglés tienen dificultad en conseguir empleo. "All in all," dice ella, "I am proud to be a Politutense." Su dirección: 50 Walnut Street, Rochester, N.Y. 14608

Por la prensa nos hemos enterado de los logros de nuestros compañeros el **Doctor Pedro Jose Rivera**, quien fuera nombrado recientemente Subsecretario de Instrucción Pública y **Ramón Vega Sosa**, Director Asociado de la CRUV. Motivos de honda satisfacción para su Alma Mater. Mucho éxito y nuestra más sincera felicitación.

La Universidad Interamericana ha sido honrada por la Asociación de Registradores y Directores de Admisiones al extender al **Sr. Luis Acosta**, Director de Admisiones y exalumno de la U.I., un nombramiento como Presidente del Capítulo de Puerto Rico. Esta Asociación representa a todas las instituciones de nivel universitario en la isla y es miembro del "American Association of Collegiate Registrars

and Admissions Officers" miembros afiliados. Felicitamos al compañero Luis y le deseamos éxito en las funciones de su nuevo cargo.

Desde Redlands, California, nos escribe **Jaime O. Quiñones '53** informándonos que acaba de obtener una Maestría en Ciencias en la Universidad de Redlands y es actualmente miembro de la Facultad de dicha universidad. Es además pastor en la Bethlehem Presbyterian Church en Riverside, California.

Vilma E. Vélez '60 es profesora de Instrucción Pública y su esposo, el Sr. Fernando Bayrón Toro, es Director de Exalumnos y Relaciones Públicas en el Colegio de Agricultura y Artes Mecánicas de Mayaguez. Su dirección: Eduardo Riera #52, Mayaguez, P.R.

Rafael Velázquez Albo '64 es contador público autorizado con oficina propia en la Avenida Central #1165, Caparra Terrace. Está casado con Medelina Poupert Rodríguez y han establecido su residencia en la Calle E bano 1469, Caparra Heights.

Palmira Pérez Vázquez '64 nos informa que ocupa la posición de Trabajadora Auxiliar del Bienestar de la Familia en Adjuntas. Palmira es de Sábana Grande, donde reside su familia.

Nelson Ortiz Ruiz '64 acaba de completar su Bachillerato en Teología en el Seminario Evangélico de P.R. Es actualmente ministro de la Iglesia Presbiteriana de Isabela.

Margaret Pinkson es hoy la esposa del Lcdo. Liberto Ramos. Han establecido su residencia en la Urbanización Aponte, Calle Sánchez Sur 108, Cayey, la que pone a las ordenes de todos sus compañeros.

BE A PAL ON THANKSGIVING

You can give one of these students something to be really thankful for if you would invite him or her to spend the holiday with you, or if you at least invited one of them to share your holiday feast.

If you would like to be a pal to one of our off-shore students, please write to Professor Shashi Gadgil at the San German campus.

It will give you more to be thankful for.

Thanksgiving is a wonderful holiday for students everywhere. It is an inter-

lude in which all thoughts of books and studies and examinations can be thrust aside for four glorious days of relaxation with family and friends -- providing the student lives close enough to school and he has the resources to make the trip.

For about 200 I.A.U. students from the United States, Africa, British Guiana or other islands in the Caribbean, the four-day holiday will be a lonely interval between the end of classes on Wednesday and start of classes on Monday.