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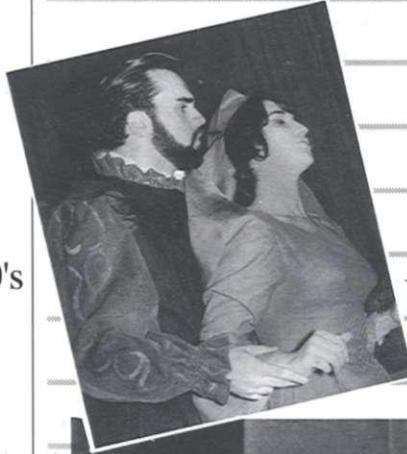
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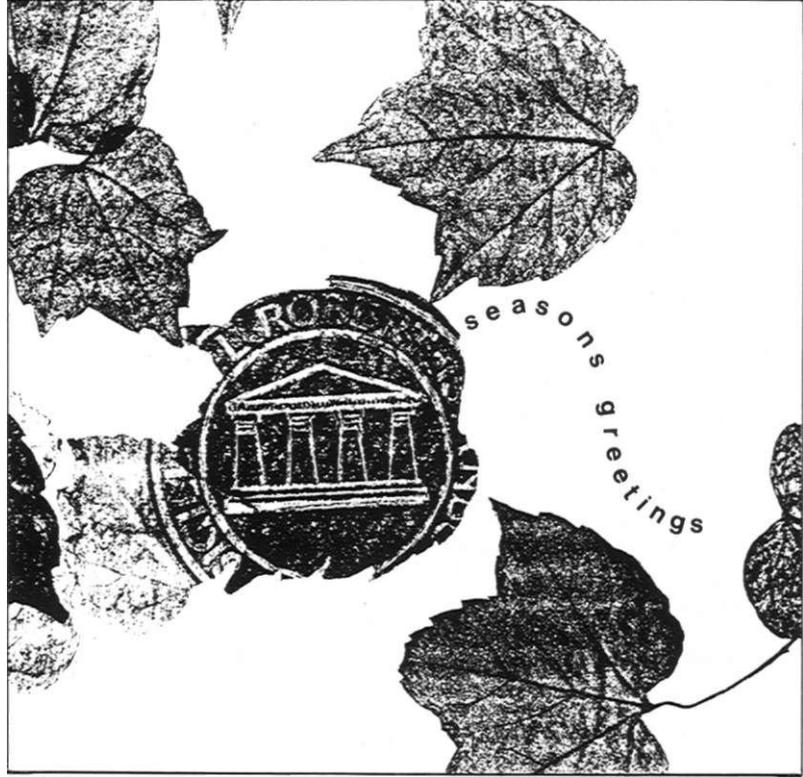
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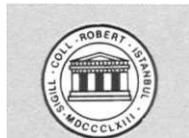
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Mete Taşkıran RC'55.



Best Wishes for the New Year
to all Alumni and Friends
of Robert College.



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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWS



Have You Returned Your Library Books?!

The Robert College Library is very happy to have the graduates continue to use the library and remind them they are welcome to become members. However, the library is having difficulty getting the books returned on time. There is a responsibility all library members share and that is to bring the borrowed books back on the due dates. The overdue fine is now 100 TL per day but there is a 50% discount if

the fine is paid at the same time that the late book is returned.

The Social Committee invites you to share the fun!

On November 8, 30 participants went on a trip to Eskihisar and were greeted by Nur Atabay ACG 56 at Atabay Motel. She gave a special discussion about the environment and urged all of us to be active in this area. After lunch together we were given a tour of the motel and its rooms

which were extremely clean and tastefully decorated. We congratulate Nur Atabay for succeeding in her ideals. Our visit to Eskihisar included a tour of the Osman Hamdi Bey Museum and after tea we were back home at 17:30. Despite the weather being rainy it was a delightful day, well spent.

Meanwhile, the next day, November 9, theatergoers enjoyed the play "Yüzyüze" at the Atatürk Cultural Center. Other plays alumni were able to view together throughout the winter months included "Salıncakta İki Kişi", "Çılgın Sonbahar" and "Resimli Osmanlı Tarihi". These events were all organized by the Social Committee who are always happy to see newcomers join them on their various outings to places of cultural interest. Throughout the year, the Social Committee will continue to organize tickets to see plays. Be on the lookout for their other projects which will be advertised in future newsletters.

ANKARA NOTES

Ankara Alumni on the go

In Ankara, the 1990/91 social events started with lunch on October 6, Saturday. Alumni continued to meet regularly on the first Saturday of November and December. A New Years party was held on December 22 and a prize filled lottery drawing added excitement to the event. The lucky ones decided to buy more "Milli Piyango" tickets and to dream of being billionaires at least till the first day of the new year. During these get togethers Ankara Alumni decided to establish a scholarship in the name of Yaman Veral (RC '74) who passed away on May 18, 1990. The fund for the scholarship has been established already. Those who would like to add to the fund, can send donations to "İş Bankası Ankara Köroğlu Şubesi - 4234 300 31965"

The Ankara Alumni Social Committee is still working on "Who's Who in Ankara" from American Colleges of İstanbul.

90/91 Spring Calender for Social Activities in Ankara

Regular Monthly Saturday Lunches

Cengiz Kaan Chinese Restaurant at 13:00
Jan 5 th, Feb 2 nd,
March 2 nd, April 6 th,
May 4 th

One of the projects of the Alumni Association in 1990 was to provide help to a village school in Anatolia. Twenty-two uniforms, 65 notebooks and various classroom items for children were sent to Geventepe Primary School in the Karayazı province of Erzurum. It was satisfying to learn from the letter of school teacher Ali Düzgün, that such a small contribution has made a big effect on the morale of the children. The Alumni Association plans to continue this activity with more vigor in 1991.



ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWS



On November 17, Ankara based graduates visited the Arnavutkoy campus. Most of them had not been there since graduation! However, the Alumni Association and Dorothy Iz made everyone feel at home.

It was only a day trip. The group arrived on campus at around 4 pm.. After having tea they visited the dormitories and new buildings. They were happy to see the new theater since the old one had been demolished. The Ankara alumni appreciated the hospitality extended by the Alumni Association and Mr. Harry Dawe who also met with the guests and made them feel at home.

The last activity of the day was dinner at Bizim Tepe. At the stroke of midnight the Ankara alumni started the trip back home, tired due to the long one day trip but satisfied and happy.



Mothers' Day Brunch

May 12 (10.00- 12.00)

Garden Party

June 8 (20.00 - 24.00)

Please feel free to contact the Social Committee operating in Ankara.

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Türk Briççilerinin İngiltere Çıkartması

Bu yıl 17-24 Ağustos arası Brighton'da dünyanın dört bir yanından gelen 576 çift briççinin katıldığı Avrupa'nın en kalabalık Briç kongresi gerçekleşti.

Bu kongreye Türkiye'den Sevda-Nafiz Zorlu, Gilman-Mesut Karadeniz, Ferihan-Osman Göksu, Nezhik Kubaç ve Suat Öroğlu briç temsilcileri olarak katıldılar ve bir hafta boyunca yapılan turnuvalara değişik kombinasyonlarda takımlar kurarak katıldılar. Genelde iyi dereceleri yapan ekiplerimiz iki turnuvada genel birincilik alarak 1400 kişinin önünde Türk adını alkışlattılar ve İngiltere Briç federe-



İngiliz Briç Federasyonu Başkanı Gerard Faulkner'dan kupayı alırken, milli briççiler Mesut Karadeniz, Nezhik Kubaç, Nazif Zorlu ve Ferihan Göksu

rasyonunun ünlü Middlesex ve Kent Trophy'lerini İngiltere gümrüğünden gülerak geçirerek yurda getirdiler.

Nezhik Kubaç- Nafiz Zorlu ekibi Playing with the Experts turnuvasında birinci geldiler. İkinci büyük başarı Ferihan Göksu kaptanlığındaki Mesut Karadeniz, Suat Öroğlu, Nezhik Kubaç ve Nafiz Zorlu ekibinin

Mixed Pivot Teams turnuvasındaki açık farklı birincilikleri oldu.

Brighton Briç Kongresinin son gününde yapılan kupa merasiminde İngiliz Briç federasyonu başkanı Gerard Faulkner Kupalarını vermek üzere bu ekipleri podyuma çağırırken şöyle diyordu; "Eyvah Türkler gümüşlerimizi ülkemizden alıp götürüyorlar"

Evet bu iki gümüş kupa bir yıl boyunca Türkiye'de kalacak ve üzerine ilk kez Türk isimleri şampiyon olarak kazınacaktı. Önümüzdeki yıl aynı tarihlerde yapılacak Brighton Kongresine kupalar geri götürülecek ancak üç yıl aynı ekip kupayı üst üste kazanırsa o ekibin malı olacak.

Aynı dünya futbol şampiyonası kupası gibi...



Bizim Tepe'nin sevilen konuğu Gönül Yazar 23 Kasım gecesi yine aramızdaydı Bizim Tepe'lilere unutamayacakları bir akşam yaşatan taş bebek şarkılarıyla coşturdu, esprileriyle güldürdü.

Bizim TEPE



Open '90 Tennis Turnuvası Ödülleri Bizim Tepe'de sahiplerini buldu. Bu özellikli gecede ödüllü konukların sevinçleri yüzlerinden okunuyordu.

Ayşecan Egeran

KARIŞIK ÇİFTLER

Şampiyon: Ülker Melek, Kamuran Yazıcıoğlu
İkinci: Ayşe Bilginsoy, Doğan Melek

Bizim Tepe kortları, yaz-kış her mevsim oynanabilen tenis ile önümüzdeki aylarda da çekişmeli maçlara sahne olmaya devam edecektir.

High Tec firması, turnuvaya katılan oyunculara havlu, T-shirt gibi hediyeler de dağıtarak ödül çeşitlerini zenginleştirdi.

Bizim Tepe Open 90 Turnuvası

Her yıl ilgiyle izlenen Bizim Tepe'de yılın tenis olayı, Bizim Tepe Open 90 Turnuvası yaz aylarında sonuçlandı.

TEK BAYANLAR

Şampiyon: Liz Ward

İkinci: Zeynep Oral

Çift Bayanlar

Şampiyonlar: Liz Ward

İnci Ozbekalp

İkinciler: Filiz Tokcan

Damla Tokcan

Karışık Çiftler

Şampiyon: Nilüfer Erköse

Ömer Ayverdi

Karışık Çiftler İkincileri:

Müge Akdik

İbrahim Kardeş

TEK ERKEKLER

(45 üstü)

Şampiyon: Tefvik Carhoğlu

İkinci: Metin Selçuk

TEK ERKEKLER

(45 altı)

Şampiyon: Berk Koçer

İkinci: Celal Savcı

TEK ERKEKLER

"A" GRUBU:

Şampiyon: Erhan Oral

İkinci: Metin Gürel

ÇİFT ERKEKLER

Şampiyonlar: Selim Var, Ahmet Gençsoy

İkinciler: Metin Gürel, Cem Sunman

Tenis turnuvaları yaz ayları ile beraber sona ermedi. Ekim'in ikinci yarısında Bizim Tepeli tenisçiler arasında Cumhuriyet Kupası tertiplendi. Yağmur bombalarına rağmen tüm hızıyla kapalı kortta devam eden bu sonbahar kupasında dereceler şöyle paylaşıldı:

TEK ERKEKLER

(55 üstü)

Şampiyon: Cengiz Kap

İkinci: Ahmet Sağman

TEK ERKEKLER

(45 üstü)

Şampiyon: Oktay Özkan

İkinci: Tefvik Göksel

TEK ERKEKLER

(45 altı)

Şampiyon: Fuat Tahir

İkinci: Mehmet Ağagil

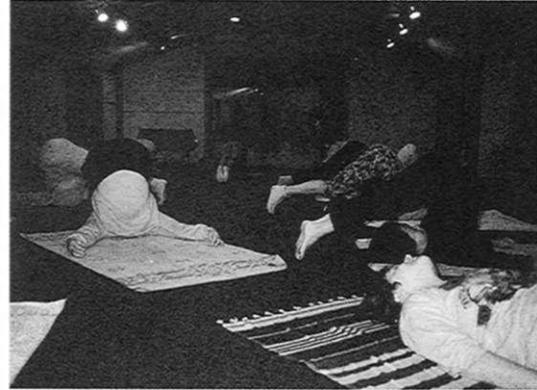
TEK BAYANLAR

Şampiyon: Meg Donnelly

İkinci: Figen Veyisoğlu

ÇİFT ERKEKLER

Şampiyonlar: Tefvik Göksel



Yoga derslerine ilgi büyük

Son üç senedir, Bizim Tepe üyelerine Anna Eder'in nezdinde verilen yoga dersleri büyük ilgi görmekte. Gerek Bizim Tepe üyelerinin gerekse dışarıdan katılan hanımların oluşturduğu bu grup her hafta Pazartesi günü saat 16:00-17:00 arası Bizim Tepe çatı katında derslere devam etmektedir. Sadece insan ruhu ve bedeni arasında bir uyum sağlamakla kalmayıp, kişinin dünyasına mutluluk ve barış getiren bir sanat olan Yoga herkesin rahatlıkla yapabileceği bir faaliyet. Dileyenler 163 18 39 numaralı telefonda daha detaylı bilgi alabilirler.



COVER

Look Back to the Future

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Mehmet Yeyinmen's (RC Yök 63), photography exhibit of College life in the early 60's serves to launch a new association, founded by ACG '64, in support of education.

Yeyinmen, captured the life of the Colleges between 1959-1963 with his camera. Whenever there was a social event he was there, putting history down on film. Because of this special interest he had back then, Yeyinmen now has an unbelievably rich collection of pictures of a bygone era. As the photography editor of the Record for three years in a row he was also influential in promoting photography and increasing its popularity.

Yeyinmen has a Ph.D. in Mechanical

Engineering from Purdue University, worked as an assistant professor at Washington State University and studied economy at the American Economic Institute of the University of Colorado. He received his MA in this field from Harvard. After managerial experiences in industrial firms he is presently working at the university and at a consulting firm for advanced technological uses.

60's Spirit Serves a New Cause

Members of the class of ACG 64 have founded an association in sup-

'' Çok sayıda öğrenciye fotoğrafı sevdirttim ''

60'lıyılların en popülerlerinden.. Sayısız öğrenciye fotoğrafçılığı sevdirmişti.. Her patlayan flaşın ardında o vardı.. Günal Güven ACG '64, fotoğrafçılığa daha o günlerde gönül veren Mehmet Yeyinmen'le konuştu.

GG - Kolejde okumanın yaşamına faydaları nelerdir?

MY - 1955-58 yıllarını düşünecek olursak Robert Kolej dünyaya, batıya açılan güneşli bir pencere idi. Klasik Avrupa kökenli bir yaklaşımın tersine kişisel çaba ve gayrete önem veren, önde bayrak taşımanın heyecanını aşılayan bir eğitim yeri idi ve bunda tekti.

GG - Fotoğrafçılığa nasıl merak saldın?

MY - Fotoğraf çekmeye orta okulda iken bir Kodak kutu makine ile başladım.

Kısa bir süre sonra tüm film banyosu ve baskı işlerini kendim yapar oldum. 1950'li yılları hatırlayacak olursak, teknik imkanların eksikliğine kendi imalatım bazı özel teçhizatla çözümler getirebilmem, benim için çok büyük doyum kaynağı olmuştur. Kolejde fotoğraf kulübü bana teknik olanakları daha iyi öğrenme ve öğretme imkanı yarattı. Fotoğraf tekniğimi ve estetik anlayışımı geliştirmeme olanak sağladı.

GG - Fotoğraf çekiminin sana ne gibi yararları oldu?

MY - Her ne kadar fotoğraf çekme

işini profesyonel bir düzeye süratle oturtmayı başardım da bana madde yararı teknolojik imkanlarımın genişlemesine sağladıkları ile sınırlı kaldı. Günün en iyi makinelerinden olan Rolleiflex bir makine ve güçlü flaş sistemleri kullanmama ve koleje en kaliteli resim çekme dönemini getirmeme imkan verdi. Çok sayıda öğrenci-



ye fotoğrafı sevdirep benimsettim. Record'un arka arkaya üç yıl foto editörlüğünü yaptım. Geniş bir tınıdık çevre oluşturdum böylece.

GG - Okuldaki diğer faaliyetlerin nelerdi?

MY - Klasik müzik diğer ağırlıklı katıldığım faaliyet konusuydu. Aynı nedenle elektroniğe özel bir ağırlık verip, Klasik Müzik Kulübü'ne

ve birçok arkadaşına yüksek güçlü müzik seti imal edip bu konuda en güzel müziği deneme alışkanlığını kazandım.

GG - Hala fotoğrafçılıkla ilgileniyor musun?

MY - Ercüment Atabay bana "sen sonunda fotoğrafçı olacaksın" dedi. Bu çok sevdiğim hocamın dediği olmadı ama fotoğrafçılıktan kopmadım. Uzun bir durgunluk döneminden sonra birkaç yıldan beri yeniden fotoğraf çekmeye başladım. Ağırlıklı ilgi alanım olan insan ve doğa çalışmalarına devam ediyorum. Ancak, 1950'lerin yumuşak, romantik mercekle sistemlerini bazen aramıyorum desem yalan olur. Bugün değil ama belki beş on yıl sonra sayın Atabay'ı yalancı çıkarmayabilirim.

GG - O yıllardan kalma bir iki çarpıcı anını anlatabilir misin?

MY - En unutamadığım olay ikinci kişisel fotoğraf sergimdi. Mr. Heinrich'in cesaretlendirmesi ile hazırladığım ressam Aliye Berger çalışmam hala kıvanç duyduğum olaydır.

GG - Politikayla ilgileniyor musun?

Cumhurbaşkanımızın kayınbiraderi olunca, okuyucularımız bu sorunun da cevabını merak ederler diye dü-

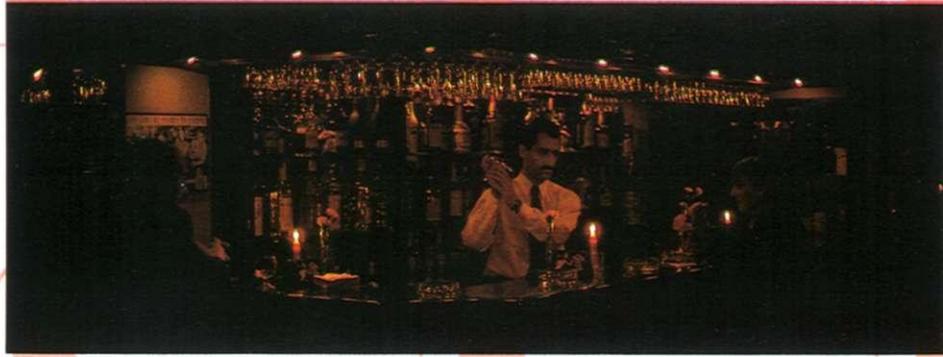
şündüm.)

MY - Tüm yaşantım teknoloji ile içice. Güzel sanatların izleyicisi olarak da bunun tekdüzeliğini kaldırıyorum. Politika hiç ilgilenmediğim bir konu. İsteseydim, herhalde şu anda içinde olurum. Ancak, şimdi de ilgilenmiyorum ve bugüne kadar izlediğim yol ile de Türkiye'ye daha yararlı olacağıma inanıyorum.

port of education (Eğitimi Destekleme Derneği) with the aim of furthering all kinds of educational activities leading to the formation of liberal minds in Turkey. Among the preliminary plans of the association, are to ac-

tivate summer schools with an emphasis on foreign languages, sports and cultural events and to help improve school libraries. On the evening of Tuesday, January 15, 1991, the association will be introducing them-

selves at Bizim Tepe. This evening will also host the opening of Mehmet Yeyinmen's "Old College Days Exhibition", a pictorial tribute to the early 60's spirit which will now aim to gather everyone around a common cause.



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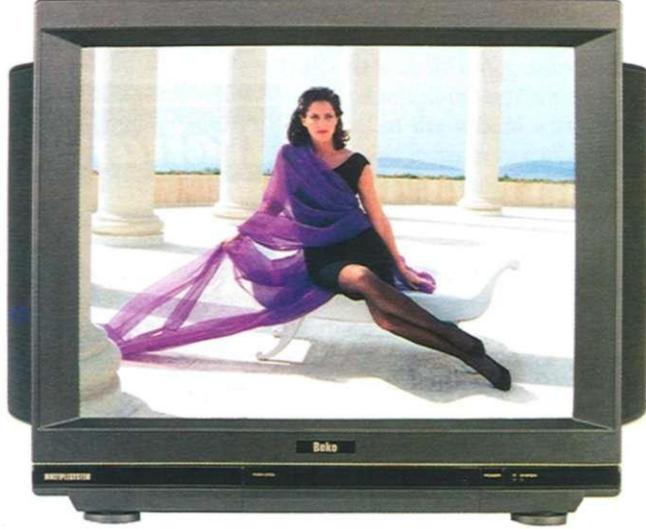
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EKO

"İtalyan usulü" bir yer...



***Sicily's
Pizza
Italian Watery***

Pizza ve hamur işlerinde "İtalyan usulü" gerçek lezzeti arayanlar için rahat, içten, güler yüzlü bir atmosfer... 20 yılı aşkın bir süredir Amerika'da başarıyla sürdürdüğü İtalyan çeşnisi ve ağız tadı geleneğini,-Mecidiyeköy'den sonra- Bağdat Caddesi ne getiren "İtalyan usulü" bir yer: SICILY'S Pizza-Italian Eatery.

Geleneksel (original crust) ve derin tava (deep dish) "İtalyan usulü" Amerikan pizza çeşitleri... Özel sosları ve malzemesiyle İtalyan hamur işleri ve ev spesiyaliteleri... Salata-bar, tatlılar, sıcak ve soğuk içecekler. SICILY'S Pizza-Italian Eatery'de herşey özenli ve güler yüzlü bir servisle, aradığınız tat ve özellikte.

Pizza ve hamur işlerinde "İtalyan usulü" gerçek lezzeti tatmak, içten ve kendine özgü bir ortamı yaşamak için, siz de SICILY'S Pizza-Italian Eatery ye gelin

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Many Roads to Excellence

As Berna Buyukuncu (Orta III) swims her way through record after record, groups of Lycee students travel to gain experience in international diplomacy and English teacher Diane Ozbal spends an interesting year abroad teaching a new set of students.

As they travel on their respective paths to excellence, Berna Buyukuncu is striving to qualify for the 1992 Barcelona Olympics while Lycee students try to promote environmental awareness through the Metropia program and English teacher Diane Ozbal experiences a different set of students who add a new dimension to the meaning of excellence.

The mark of an excellent school

"Being at RC gives you a chance to travel on many of the roads to excellence" says Diane Ozbal. An RC English teacher for many years, she went to teach in the U.S. during the 1989/90 academic year, as part of a teacher exchange program. This program involves teachers exchanging posts for one year. Ozbal, during the speech she gave for the opening of the new school year, shared with us her experiences of the past year.

"Before I went to the U.S. last year, I was convinced that RC was the only really good school around. I'd begun to believe that the way we do things here was the only "right way". Our road was the road to excellence.

Well, I went off to the U.S. to Massachusetts, to Northfield-Mount Hermon School which wasn't anything like RC. They had a different set of goals, different curriculum and dif-

ferent philosophy of education as well as different ways of using students' time.

The students also surprised me. Each day they came to school in torn bluejeans, cut-off sweatshirts and punky haircuts. With a can of coke in one hand and a lollypop in the other they sat in class casually, feet propped up on an extra chair. They certainly didn't look like what I was used to teaching!

But when class began I had no com-

plaints. Their behavior was exemplary, impeccable. I taught for a whole year without ever having to scold students during class or tell them to be quiet. Students willingly gave their full attention to the teacher (I found that somewhat surprising), and they also gave their full attention to each other (and that I felt was truly amazing). Class discussions were rewarding and exciting as students expressed their own ideas with passion and conviction. Was this not the characteristic of an excellent school? Northfield-Mount Hermon School searched for diversity in its student body. They came from all over the U.S. and from 75 other countries. All races and religions were represented. The goal of the school was to have the students learn from each other as well as from their teachers. I was continually stimulated by my students and learned a great deal from them. Students and teachers learning from each other- isn't this the mark of an excellent school?

Another surprise I had was that all the students were required to work at the school for one period each day. They weren't paid for their efforts;

Diane Ozbal, RC teacher since 1972 with her husband Hadi Ozbal RA '63, RC Yik '67, her daughter Rana (L I) and son Can (RC 88)



they did it just as they did their classwork and got grades for it. The goal of this system called "workjob" was to teach the dignity of work labor and it worked. There were more than 1000 students but I never saw anyone leave his lunch tray on the table for someone else to clean up. Maybe that's because the people cleaning up after meals were the students themselves. I never saw anyone throw litter on the floor. Is that because the classroom cleaners, the dormitory cleaners and the ground keepers were all students?

Whatever the cause, the students were deeply concerned with the environment and unusually considerate of the rights of others. What an important lesson for a school to teach. Is this not another mark of an excellent school? Stated in its simplest form, what I learned last year is that there are many roads to excellence rather than just a single highway. It is the journey that is important; one needs to experience as many of the ways as possible. You won't have to make the journey on a single highway."

The road to Barcelona 1992 Very much on a different highway, the highway to Barcelona is Berna Büyükcuncu (RC Orta III). If you wonder why, try to answer this question. What are you usually up to at 05:00 in the morning? What kind of a question is that many of you would say. At that time of the day when many of us are still in deep slumber and snuggled in our cozy beds dreaming away, Berna Büyükcuncu an RC Orta III student is already at the Galatasaray Swimming facilities at Kalamış, warming up for the laps she will swim before catching the 06:30 school bus to her classes. A full day of lessons later she's back in the pool at 16:30 swimming until 18:30 before it's time to go home, have dinner, do

home work and stumble into bed.

All this work does pay off. Berna, at the age of 16 holds 25 national swimming records. Since she was 10 years old she has broken 94 records and she's still getting strong.

She has been representing Turkey in European competitions and as the first female in Turkey to swim the 100 meter freestyle under one minute Berna is hard at work getting ready for the 1992 Barcelona Olympic try-outs.

Berna's father is a doctor and her mother Ayşe Büyükcuncu is a chemist, who apart from spending considerable time for her children's practices also runs her own drugstore. She reads up on nutrition and pays careful attention to her children's diets.

Berna's brother Derya is also a record breaking swimmer who in his age group (14) is the number one 100 and 200 meter backstroke swimmer in the world followed by a swimmer from the Soviet Union and the U.S.A.

Berna seems a bit tired of so much sacrifice and discipline for her chosen sport. She says there are many mornings when she doesn't feel like getting up and going to practice, especially on cold, dark winter mornings. She also doesn't have time for much else.

If she weren't swimming she says she'd be interested in tennis or v'ball. But her dedication and sense of dis-

cipline win over. She has the 1992 Olympics to look forward to.

"There are times, during a race", Berna recounts, "when I really feel pushed to the limit, like I just can't go on and I feel like dropping out of the race but that is something I won't do, I can't do, that is impossible!". With this sense of responsibility and dedication driving her we all look forward to clapping for her in Barcelona. Ole Berna! We salute your efforts on the road to excellence.

Environmental awareness clinches friendships

Excellence is not confined to personal achievements. Nor is it necessary to forego your morning cup of coffee to achieve your physical peak in your chosen sport. Being a member of the "corps diplomatique" travelling to Europe in order to attend the Metropia program, a series of youth oriented conferences designed to promote environmental awareness, is an excellent way to learn about international relations and diplomatic problem solving techniques. Initiated by Dutch teacher Maria Dijkshoorn, Metropia programs are held in various European cities. Organised by a Dutch group, Metropia is confined to the EC countries. Students selected to represent their schools stay for a week in that year's selected cities and forge friendships, exchange views and ex-

perience cultural differences in the daily life of this temporary community. The students are lodged with volunteer families, who provide both meals and accommodation, so reducing the cost of the project to a minimum. By representing the government of a European country other than their own, the students form a shadow European Parliament. Turkey participates as an observer, but since the students represent countries other than their own, Turkish students get

National swimming success Berna Büyükcuncu, (RC Orta III student) is splashing her way through record after record. Competing since she was 10 Berna holds 25 national records





Actively participating in discussions and debates, students were able to contribute their ideas on environmental issues.

to play active roles. They prepare for the weekend debate and attend conferences. While the prime ministers go around parliament, the ministers of the environment and agriculture visit university research departments and farms. They also attend three hour language courses in the language of their choice every day.

RC students attended two Metropia meetings this fall, the first in Budapest, Hungary on "The Effects of Pollution on the Cultural Heritage" and the second in Granada, Spain, on "The Influence of Moorish Art on Granada". The RC students who travelled to Budapest with teacher Clem McDonnell had a busy week visiting excavations at Roman sites, traditional villages, the parliamentary building and museums. They made a good impression with their articulate and vigorous contribution to conversations and debates.

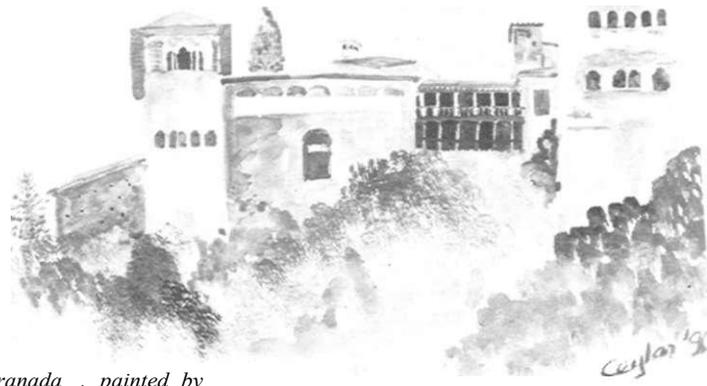
The formation of the European Parliament gave considerable cause for amusement. A long-haired blonde Danish girl played the part of Turgut

Ozal, a dark-haired Turkish student became the Finnish prime minister, while a Dutch boy represented Margaret Thatcher. The students formed lobbies to promote their causes, and the Greek and Turkish teams gave an exemplary display of objective cooperation for the common interest of their countries.

A similar Metropia program took

place in Granada, attended by RC students accompanied by teacher Maria Sezer. They devoted considerable time to strolling around the streets of Granada, seeing and experiencing the art of this historic city at first hand, and sketching many of Granada's famous sights and buildings.

Art, history and politics, excelling in sports and teaching to a completely different set of students who are on varied paths in the search for excellence-diversity is the name of the game and wouldn't you say that is the mark of an excellent school? W



Granada , painted by Ceylan Ünal

"Çocukları oldum olası severim^{t?}

Çocuk kemik iliği naklinde ülkenizin "ilkelerinden Doç. Dr. Sema Anak, RC '75, alçak gönüllüğü elden bırakmadan, mesleğinde belli bir yere gelmesinde Robert Kolej'li olmanın büyük bir etken olduğunu söylüyor. Belgin Akaltan, RC'75 akademik kariyer basamaklarını hızla tırmanan Sema Anak'la söyleşti.

Belgin Akaltan- Sema, neredeyiz biz şimdi?

Sema Anak- Buranın tam adı İstanbul Üniversitesi, İstanbul Tıp Fakültesi Pediatrik Hematoloji-Onkoloji Bilim Dalı, Kemik İliği Nakil Merkezi. Burası Lösemili Çocuklar Vakfı tarafından kuruldu. Hem Vakıf Başkanı hem de ana bilim dalı başkanı olan hocamız Prof. Gündüz Gedikoğlu'nun çabalarıyla kuruldu burası. Ve gördüğün her şey bağışlarla gerçekleşti. Gıdım gıdım gelen paralarlabukatve

Mesleğimde belli bir yere gelmemin etkenlerinden en büyüğü Robert Kolejli olmam.

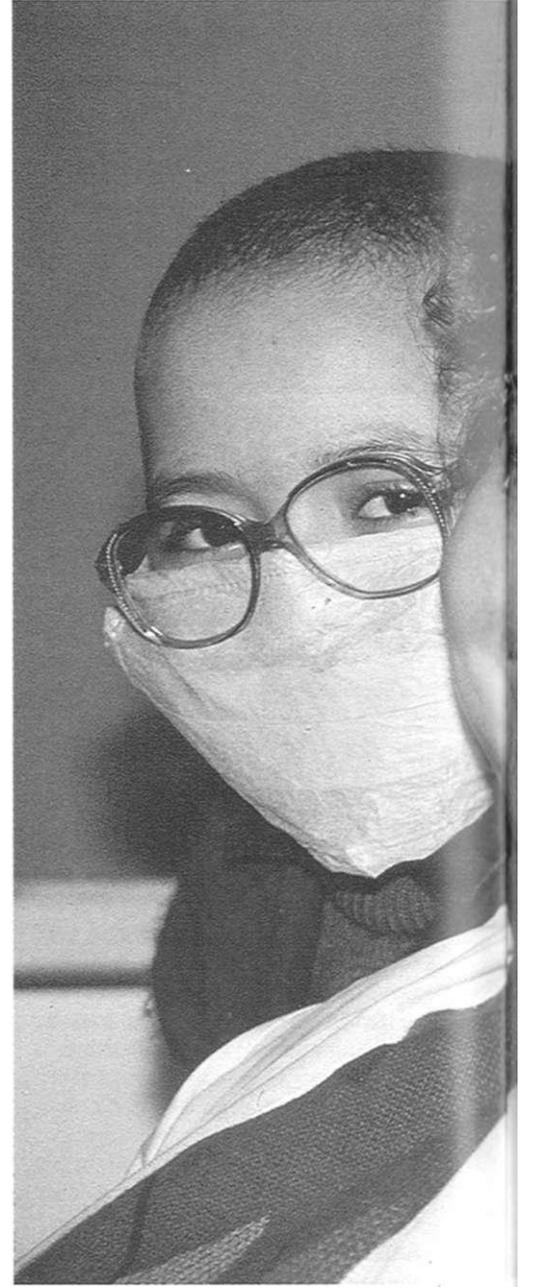
yukarıdaki büyük konferans salonumuz yapıldı.

B.A.- Türkiye'de ilk defa çocuk kemik iliği naklini yapan ekiptensin. Biraz anlatır mısın, nasıl gerçekleştirdin bunu?

S.A.- Türkiye'de ilk çocuk kemik iliği naklini 26 Ekim 1989'da yaptık. Erişkinler için kemik iliği nakli yapan dört merkez daha var. Biz ilk pediatrik kemik iliği merkeziz. Kemik iliği nakline başlama girişimimiz 1987 yılına rastlıyor. O yıl ben eğitim için İngiltere'ye gönderildim. Londra Üniversitesi'ne bağlı Royal Free Hospital'da bir yıl kemik iliği nakli konusunda çalıştım.

Hocamız Gündüz Gedikoğlu hem ekip şefi hem kurucu olarak başımızda. Onun dışında bir profesör, iki doçent, bir psikiyatri doçenti var. Bir psikolog, bir sosyal hizmetler uzmanı, üç yetişmiş uzman, 8 asistanımız var. Çok iyi yetişmiş kişilerden kurulu geniş bir ekibiz.

B.A.- Ve bu ekip



şimdi lösemili çocukların hizmetinde...

S.A.- Evet. Birinci vakamızı 26 Ekim 1989'da yaptık. 5,5 yaşındaki kızımız Özgün Erol'a iki yaşındaki kardeşi Ali Erol'dan kemik iliği naklettik. Yaklaşık 80 gün önce yaptığımız ikinci vakamız halen hastanede yatıyor. 18 yaşındaki büyük abladan 9 yaşındaki erkek hastamıza nakil yaptık. Bu iki farklı kan gurubu arasında gerçekleştirdiğimiz Türkiye'de ilk defa çocuklarda uygulanan bir du-



rum. Dünyada da son birkaç senedir başarı ile uygulanmakta. Burada alıcı, donörün kan grubuna dönüyor. Üçüncü vakamız 5 yaşında bir erkek çocuğu. Ona da şu günlerde 9 yaşındaki ablasından nakil yapacağız.

B.A.- Sema, halen akla gelen bir kuşku: Vericilerin yaşı çok küçük. Onlara herhangi bir zararı oluyor mu bu işlemin?

S.A.- Hayır, donörün gördüğü hiçbir zarar yok. Sadece bir genel anestezi geçiriyor. Kalça kemiğinden

aspirasyonla alıyoruz. Ertesi gün de taburcu oluyor zaten. Kardeşine de damar yoluyla veriyoruz.

B.A.- Nakil deyince insanın aklına organ nakli geliyor hemen. Demek ameliyat yapılmıyor.

S.A.- Cerrahi bir işlem sayılmaz. Burada yapılan işlem bizim günlük yaptığımız işlemin defalarca tekrarlanması. Tanı için normalde kullandığımız kemik iliğine iğneyle girip enjektörle aspire etme yöntemi. O işlemi yaptıktan sonra buraya getiriyö-

ruz, direkt hastaya damar yoluyla veriyoruz, kan ya da serum verir gibi. Yani çok zor bir işlem değil.

B.A.-Asıl zorluk nerede?

S.A.- Sorun bakım. Hastanın bütün kan sayımları yaklaşık bir ay sıfırda kalıyor. Steril şartlarda özel bir odada bakımını yaparak sayımların düzelmesini sağlıyoruz. Altıncı aya kadar direnci sınırdaki olduğu için yakın takipte tutuluyor. Hasta ancak bir yılı aşttıktan sonra kendini toparlıyor.

B.A.-Kemik iliği yapılmasa bu

çocukların ne kadar ömrü vardı?

S.A.-Bu hastalar genellikle ilaç tedavisiyle daha az şansa sahip olduğuna inanılan hastalar. Zaten kemoterapiyle daha yüksek şansı varsa yapmıyoruz. Mesela ilk vakamızda kemik iliği nakli yapılmıyaydı yüzde 10'nun altında şans vardı. Hastalığın geri gelme zamanına bağlı olarak bir kaç ay içinde bilemedin bir kaç yıl içinde büyük olasılıkla kaybedilecek bir hastaydı. Şimdi uzun vadedeki nadir komplikasyonlar çıkmazsa, bu hastayı kurtulmuş kabul ediyoruz. Özgün şimdi 6,5 yaşında ilkokul birinci sınıfta.

B. A.-Hastalar ve aileleriyle uzun vadeli bir ilişki kuruluyor herhalde.

S.A.-Tabii, bizim burada çok uzun yatıyor hastalar. Bizde hasta hekim ilişkisi en az dört beş yıl sürüyor. Artık ailelerle akraba oluyoruz. 3 ile 6 ay arası kalıyor hastalar. O dönemde çocuklarla yakından ilgilenmek gerek. Mesela sosyal hizmetler uzmanımız aynı zamanda öğretmen. Okul derslerini sürdürüyor hastanede. Psikologumuz sorunu olan depresyonlu çocuklarla, annelerle ilgileniyor.

B. A.- Ailelerde umutsuzluk, karamsarlık yaygın mı?

S.A.- Önce şok geçiriyor aileler, zamanla günlük hayatlarının bir parçası haline geliyor. Bizimle birlikte mücadele etmesini istiyoruz insanların. Karamsarlığı en aza indirip mücadele hissini kaybettirmemeye, bunu doğal karşılamalarına çalışıyoruz.

B. A.- Tıp doktoru olmayı düşünüyor muydun önceden?

S.A.-Doğrusunu ister misin? Ben önce fizik mühendisi olmayı istiyordum. Lise son sınıfta aşağı yukarı kararımı vermiştim. Boğaziçi Üniversitesi'ne girip atom fiziği okuyacaktım. Mr.Ellison vardı ya, ona gittim bir gün.

B. A.-Eli Baha'dan söz ediyorsun.

S.A.-Evet Eli babaya gittim. "Ben de sizin gibi fizikçi olacağım" dedim. Eli baba "Ben fizikçi değil, öğretmenim" dedi. "Üstelik senin niyetin galiba patates sosis satmak" dedi. ABD'de o sıralar atom fizikçileri işsiz kalmışlar, patates sosis satıyorlarmış. Tabii benim bütün hayaller sıfır. Ne yapayım diye düşünürken, bir yandan da baba mesleği "öyleyse doktor olayım" dedim.

B. A.-Bizim 75 yılında neredeyse bir salgındı tıp.



Çocuk kanserleri pek kimsenin

seçeceği bir dal değil, ama bu

çocuklara da birinin bakması lazım

düşüncesi beni yönlendirdi.

S.A.-Tabii, en yüksek puan tıp fakültelerindendi. Popüler bölümdü. Ama ben çok memnunum tıbbi ve çocuk hekimliği seçmiş olduğum için. Oldum olası severim çocukları. Çocuk kanserleri pek kimsenin seçeceği bir dal değil, ama bu çocuklara da birinin bakması lazım düşüncesi beni yönlendirdi.

Her gün acılı çocuklar ve acılı ailelerle karşılaşıyorsun. Ama şu oldu. Eskiden, kaybettiğim her hasta için ağlardım. Şimdi onu geriye atmayı öğrendim. Unutmak değil belki ama,

onu geriye koyup yeni bir hastaya yönelebiliyorum. Bizim konumuzda çok fazla risk var tabii. Böyle bir değişim yaşadım.

B. A.-Robert Kolej eğitiminin yararını ne ölçüde gördün?

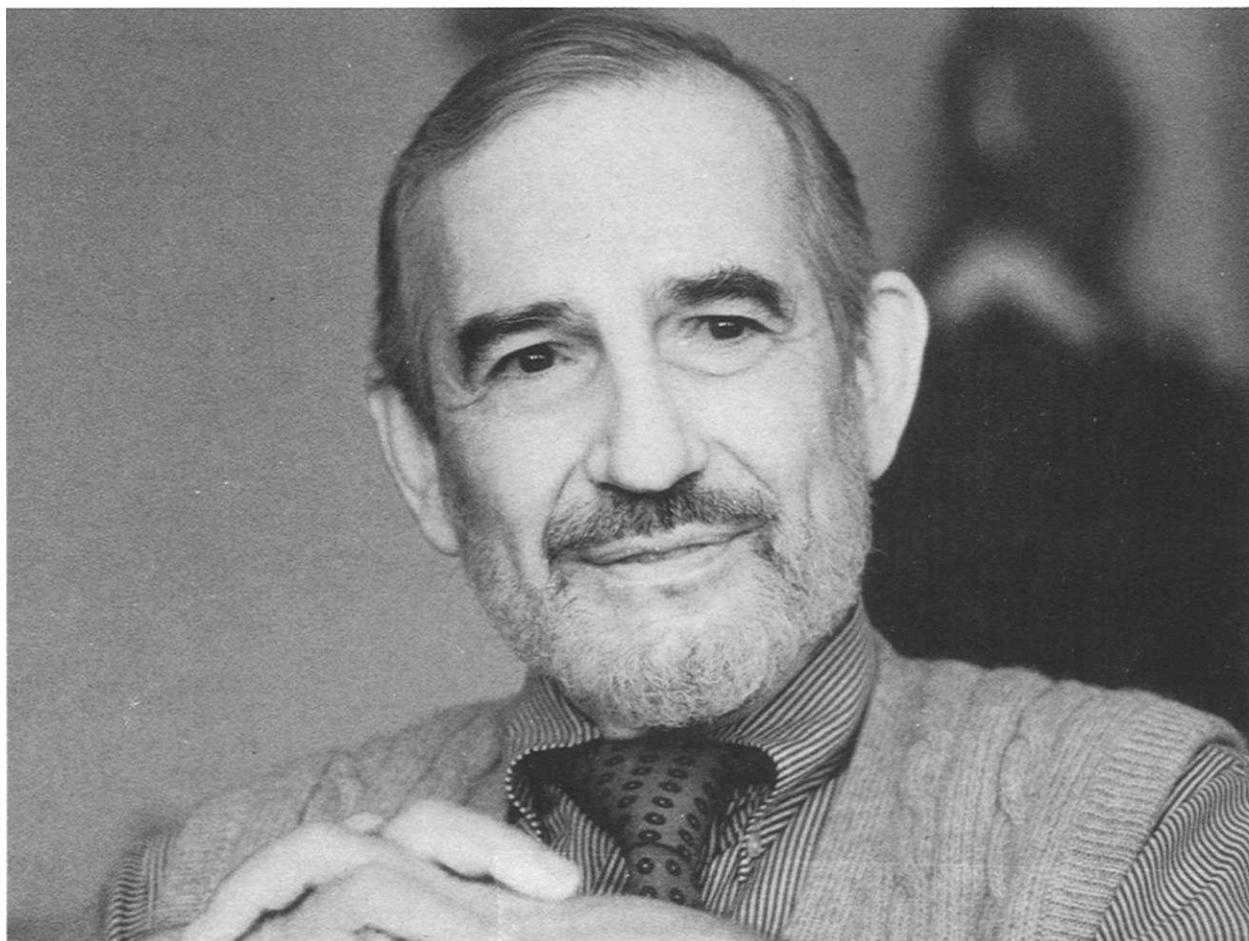
S.A.-Fazlasıyla. Okuldayken pek değerlelendiremiyor insan ama, sonradan anlıyorsun. Mesleğimde belli bir yere gelmemin etkenlerinden en büyüğü Robert Kolej'li olmam. Tıbbi birincilikle bitirdim ama onun bir yararını görmedim. Fazla işime yaramadı. Ama RC'li olmam, İngilizce bilmem, benim her zaman seçilen bir insan olmamı sağladı. Bu bir gerçek. Her zaman için bir adım önde oldum.

B. A.-Peki RC eğitiminin bizlere kazandırdığı kişilik?

S.A.-Tabii, bir kere dışa dönük, atılgan insan olmamı RC'ye borçluyum. Daha önce Ankara Koleji'nde okurken, tam tersine içe dönük biriydim. Fakat kolejde dışa dönük, daha açık, hakkını arayabilen ve savunabilen bir kişi olma özelliğini kazandım. Bir şeyi tutup koparabilmek herhalde RC den kalma bir özelliğimiz. Her zaman, her aşamada RC'li olmanın yararını gör-düm.

B. A.- Sema, insan arkadaşlarının başarısıyla övünüyor. Hele senin gibi olgun, bulunduğu yeri hazmetmiş; çevresine, mesleğine, ülkesine yararlı olmanın hazzını tatmış biriyle, bir zamanlar lisede aynı sırayı paylaşmış olmak bile, inan ki, senin başarılarından insanın kendisine pay çıkarmasına yol açıyor.

S.A.- Belgin, aslında bu merkezin başardığı en güzel şey, Türkiye gibi bir ülkede, koşulları zorlayarak böyle bir merkez yaratabilmenin imkansız olmadığının kanıtlanmasıdır. Dünya çapındaki isimler gelip gördüklerinde hayretlerini gizleyemiyorlar. Zor olanı gerçekleştirdik ve böyle örnek bir merkez kurmanın imkansız olmadığını gösterdik. ^



Three Times in Turkey, Each Time on a Different Campus

Former Head of RC, present Director of Koç Lisesi
John Chalfant tells of his experiences in Turkey
to Nuri Çolakoğlu RA'62

John C. Chalfant, the Director of Koç Özel Lisesi near Pendik, is a "frequent resident" of Turkey. "This is my third time" he said in

his comfortable office over-looking the rolling hills of the north. Later he was to comment that there was nothing between his office and the North Pole other than Sile, which of course

gave way to gushing winds from the north. This was to remind him of Robert College. But he indicates that Koç Lisesi is no way an "oriental RC".

He admits that he always had a particular interest in the Middle East. He first came to RC in 1955 and stayed for the year. Then "his life changed" and he left in 1956 to return in 1965 first to work with Sheldon Wise at the Prep School and then from 1965 to 1971, to teach at the Academy in Bebek becoming the Head of the Academy in 1970.

"In the summer of 1971, we marched over to Arnavutköy, and invaded" was the way he formulated the merger of RC and ACG. He has fascinating memories of the days of the merger which he promised to narrate for some special 20th anniversary



John Chalfant, in his conversation with Nuri Colakoglu RA 62, spoke of his past days in Turkey, his thoughts on today's educational climate and his plans for the future.

issue of the RCQ.

He stayed on as the new Headmaster of the new RC on the new campus for six more years.

In 1977 Mr. Chalfant left Istanbul and went to Oman to initiate a school project for Sultan Qaboos. That kept him busy for another 9 years. Then as he was working on a project for a trilingual school in Cyprus, he received an invitation from the Koç family to develop and head the new Özel Koç Lisesi which is where we found him.

Third time in Turkey... Was there any particular reason why he tends to come back to this part of the world? A question like, "Of all places why Turkey?" makes him chuckle. "There is an American proverb which says 'we learn by going the way we have to go.' I came to Turkey, left, and I was not seriously considering a return, then some definite signs pointed in this direction. Over the years, I have developed a true fondness for Turkey - let's put it this way- I feel very comfortable here and since Turkey has an enormous potential in terms of its people, I find it a very rewarding place to live and work."

What has changed since the first visit?... Apparently a lot ... "Istanbul was a city with a population under a million when I first came. We had to dolmuş to Bebek, then walk from

Küçük Bebek to the College Gate, and up that hill. Since then there have been truly remarkable changes."

The educational climate has changed just as well, along with the students: He noticed "lots of difference" between the students of his early years here and the present ones

"The basic social and economic changes have been such that we see a totally different generation in Turkey every seven years or so. I can remember the difference for example when TV became more or less universal in Turkey after the Olympics (1974). Students nowadays are in some way less intellectual and more career oriented, and they live with the realization of what they have to do prior to university exams. They want good jobs, they want comfortable lives, they are material-minded. Certainly there has been an enormous extension of a middle class, that is ambitious and upwardly mobile, and education is the mean to an end for them.

The difference between Bağdat Caddesi and Nişantaşı some twenty years ago is also quite remarkable, I think. I found the difference something like the difference between a Los Angeles and a Boston. But it co-exists in a single city.

The student today is also more

aware of the outside world and more prepared to be judged by external international standards. I think there has always been some resentment towards that in the past. There was the right way of doing things, the wrong way and the Turkish way. Then, to be the best in Turkey was enough. How you did, for example in European football did not much matter. Now that is changing. There are new and changing standards, which must be accepted as realistic standards if Turkey is to become an equal partner in a new Europe, it must raise its sights." Reflecting on his days at Koç Lisesi, Mr. Chalfant says, "Education is still obviously crucial and central to these lives, and we have a particularly good bunch of kids here, who have accomplished some extraordinary things in only three years. I am very pleased."

Future plans... "I plan to retire at the end of this year from active headmastering, but I don't intend to retire from education. I would like to do many things but not on a day to day basis."

Would he like to stay in this country?... A brief pause... Then comes the answer: "Yes, I would like to. I would like to continue working here..." and adds, "If not here, certainly in this part of the world." Long years spent here do not facilitate parting...

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Two Persona Grata RC Alumni

Dr. Banu Onaral RC Yuk 73, and Nedim Saban RC '86... Two dedicated professionals of international acclaim, and both graduates of Robert College.

All RC Alumni are proud of their association with these two alumni. One is Banu Onaral, a scientist with numerous international awards to her credit in the field of computer application in engineering studies. The other is Nedim Saban, a young stage director who in an exceptionally short time has achieved fame in the world of theatre.

Success came naturally Banu Onaral's brilliant future was presaged by her academic achievement during her school years. After completing her secondary education at Notre Dame de Sion, Onaral entered Robert College (Bosphorus University) in 1969 to study electrical engineering. After being awarded her first-class degree in 1973 she took her masters degree, and then went to Pennsylvania University on a Fulbright scholarship and obtained her doctorate in 1978. Since then Dr. Onaral has been a lecturer at the Faculty of Electrical and Computer Engineering at Drexel University. Onaral was president of the world's largest international conference of biomedical engineering held on November 1-4, 1990 in Philadelphia, by the Institute of Electrical and Electronic

Engineering. This honor was further recognition of this young scientist's achievements. Banu Onaral was selected four years ago as chairman of this conference, which was attended by around 1600 scientists. The mayor of Philadelphia was so proud to see his city host the major conference, that he declared the opening day of the conference to be Biomedical Day. Onaral, who is married with one child, visits Turkey occasionally to attend conferences and seminars.

Saban lives for the theatre As a child it was already evident that Nedim Saban was destined

to make a career in theatre. He wrote his first play at the age of 12, and this was staged at the City Theatre in 1980.

His growing dramatic company then began to perform interludes for a children's theatre sponsored by a Turkish bank. At the age of 15, he decided it was time to go professional and he founded the Beş Kafadarlar Company.

From the age of 15 to 19 he combined his studies at Robert College with a professional theatre career.

On the principle that theatre is for everyone, and every child should have the chance to go to the theatre, the young Saban launched a street theatre which performed in shanty town neighborhoods, introducing drama to audiences who had never seen a play in their lives before.

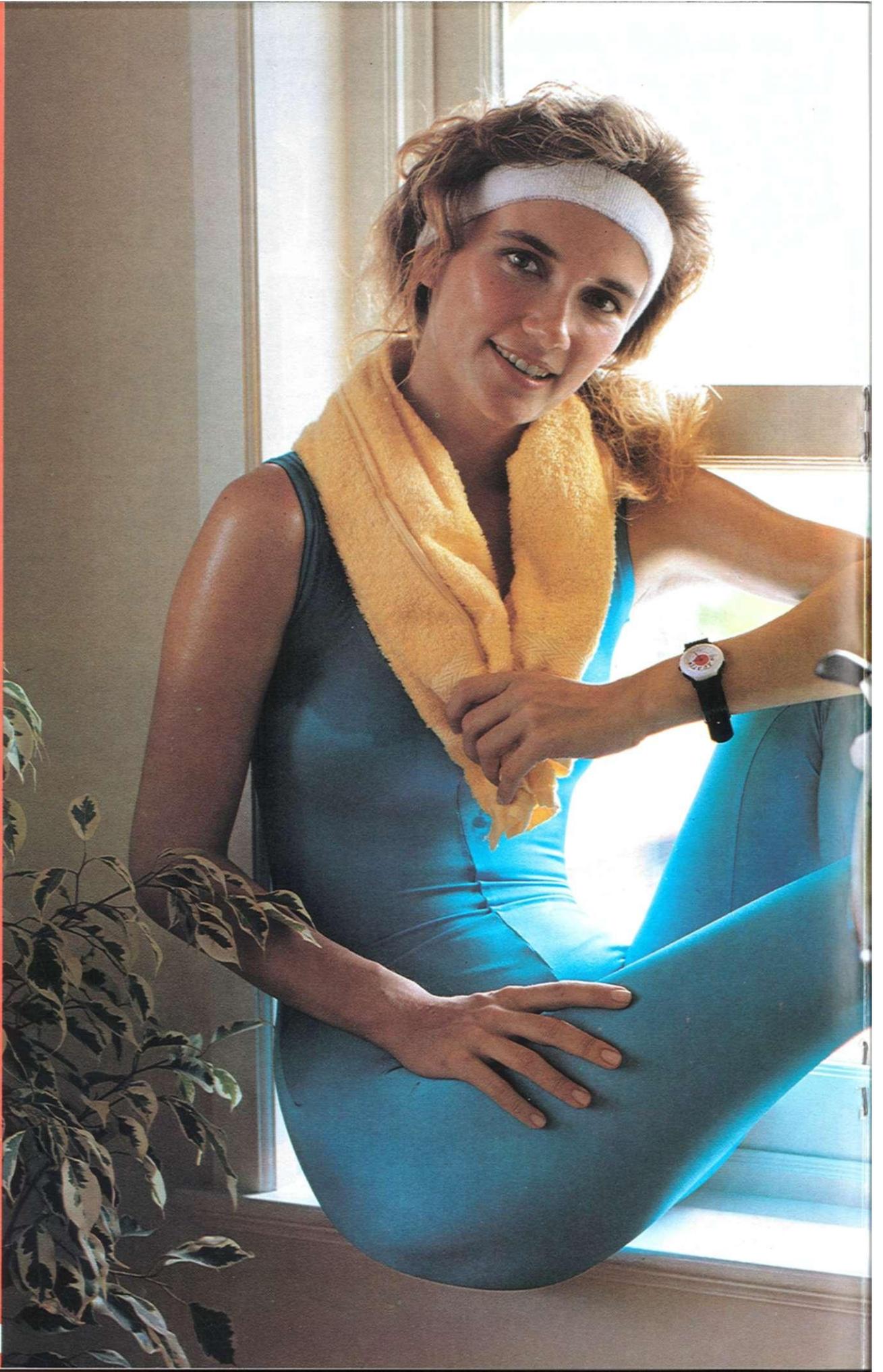
After obtaining his degree in stage direction from the Drama Department of New York University. Saban became one of three directors to win a scholarship from among 1500 applicants. He was not only the youngest director to win this scholarship, but the first foreigner to do so.

Currently at the age of 23, Saban is directing "What the Butler Saw" by Joe Orton. This play not only marks his comeback to the theatre scene but what's more, it has him directing one of Turkey's best actors and a fellow Kolejli, Haldun Dormen RC 49



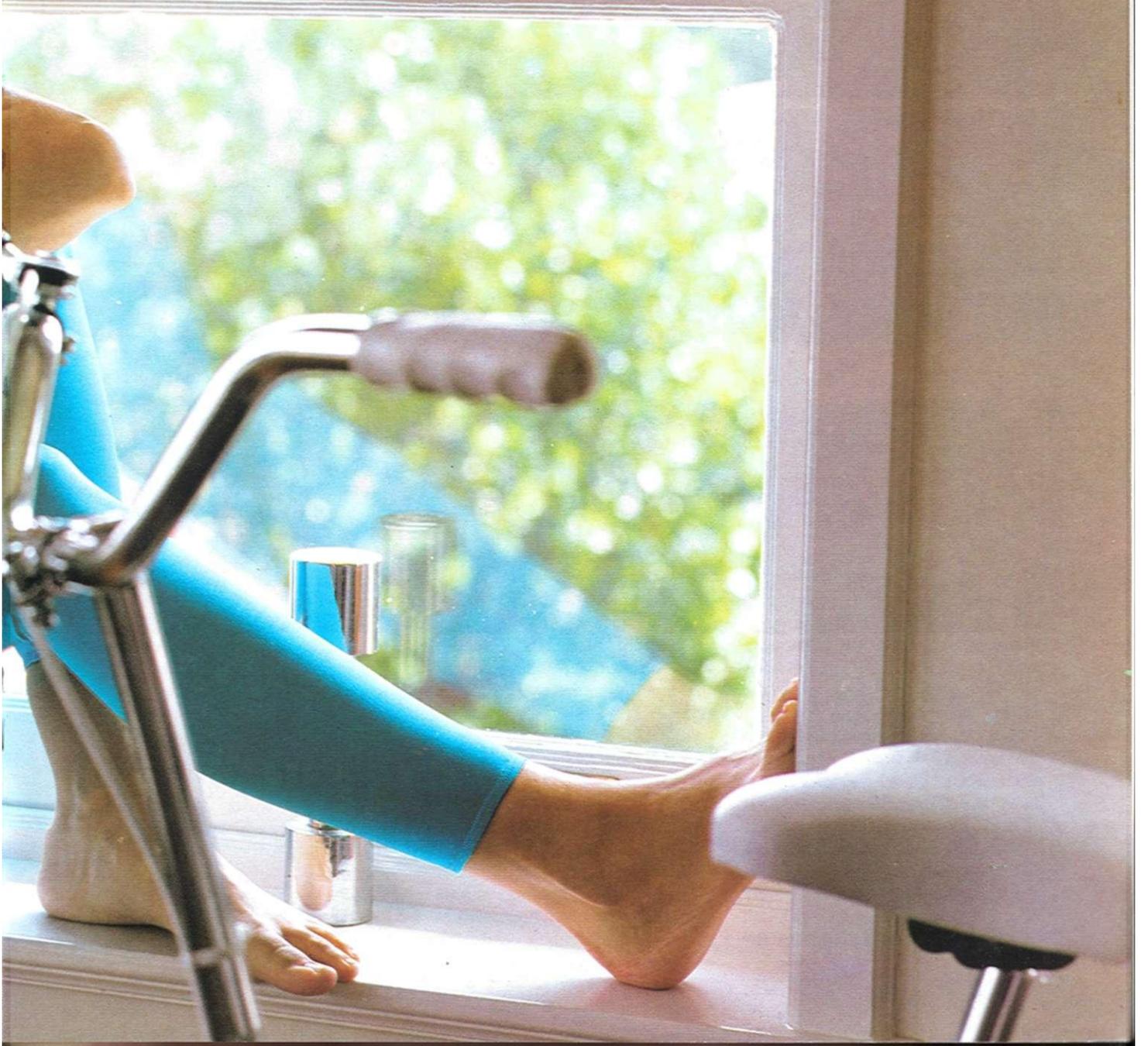
Banu Onaral RC 73 and Nedim Saban RC '80 have come a long way in a short time.

Ben spor yapıyorum.





EVDE HER İŞİ ARÇELİK YAPIYOR.





RC Alumni (left) with local support, (below) helped clean up the area around Tuzla Lake



Alumni Taking Initiative On Environmental Issues

A local campaign was led by Serra Subaşı A C G '64 to save Tuzla Lake, formerly a bird sanctuary.

In the news this summer, was a local campaign to save Tuzla lake, formerly a bird sanctuary, from being drained as a new housing development site. Residents of this seaside resort rallied together under the leadership of Serra Subaşı A C G '64, to organise various events designed to draw public attention to the issue. A kite festival held in July attracted a crowd of 1500 and 750 kites. Best of all, it received wide coverage in the media.

A committee setup to lobby for the lake's conservation consists of İTÜ Dean İlhan Kayan, Özkan Olcay, Celal Erol, Şahika Ertan, Asaf Ertan, Timuçin Kocatürk, Ezel Yüksel and Serra Subaşı. The committee got in touch with Istanbul University and Bosphorus University scientists, who came to Tuzla on Sunday, August 26, 1990 to see the

site for themselves before formulating a conservation project. Şahika Ertan sought the assistance of other academics who could make a contribution to the work, and a project team was set up. The project is being financed by Procter and Gamble's Turkish subsidiary Ato Mintax.

Another event was the "Clean-up Campaign" in August. Adults as well as children volunteered to spend several consecutive Sundays picking up trash polluting the area around Tuzla lake. Hard working organizers, most notably Leyla Pekcan A C G '61, were aided by Nur Atabay A C G '58, a dedicated environmentalist who arranged for the garbage pick up trucks.

Serra Subaşı summarises the goals of these clean-up activities for Tuzla Lake as follows:

1. A suitable location should be provided instead of allowing trucks to dump refuse, rubble and sewage

around and into the lake.

2. The bed of the lake should be dredged so as to reopen the channel linking the lake to the sea. This project should be undertaken within the context of a reclamation project so as to conserve the reed beds and other natural features of the lake.

3. The entire peninsula, which is famous for its mastic trees, should be placed under the auspices of the Ministry of Forests.

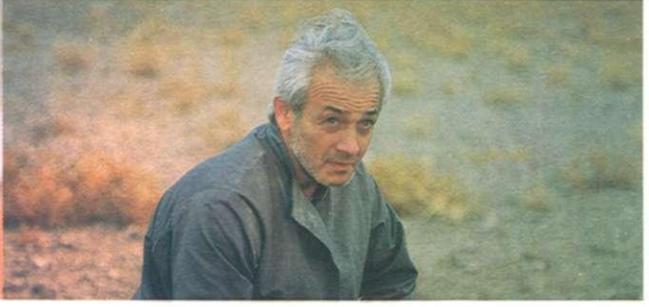
4. The lake and its environs should become a nature park...Housing development in the area should be stopped and the local shipbuilding industry should be relocated....

Subaşı notes that they will maintain efforts to raise funds for their project and give the issue as much publicity in the media as possible.

She concludes that public awareness is a crucial factor where environmental issues are concerned. "We should not expect others to keep our environment clean," she declares. "Everybody should clean their own doorsteps if they want the street to stay clean." And finally she appeals to others to join her in conducting her very worthwhile campaign. «



SUÇ: Doğaya verilen zarar.



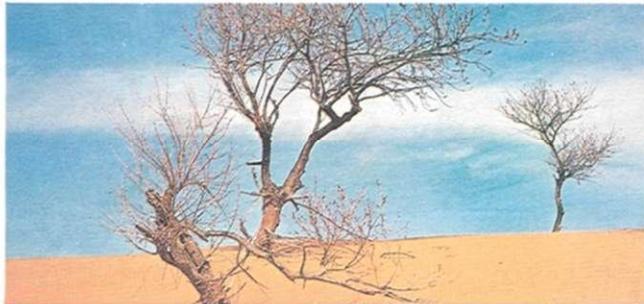
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Taraftara selam: İşlem tamam!



Queen of the Day

Whatever happened to the former Queens and Maids of Honor of the 50's and 60's ?

You will no doubt recall the traditional May Days and Field Days, and the queens and maids of honor who symbolised them, but these occasions naturally remain clearest in the memories of those who were queens and maids of honor themselves. We shared their recollections of those special days.

If you have been part of a deep-rooted tradition and have treasured clear memories of it, you will always enjoy reminiscing and reliving these days with those who share your memories, even after the passage of years. The May Day and Field Day queens and maids of honor have each gone their own way in life since then, yet still share their pride in being one-time students of Robert College. We gathered the once maids of honor and queens of those days at a reunion in Robert College, and spent pleasant hours not only in reminiscence, but catching up on their current news.

Queenly joys of spring Tuvana (Bilen) Alton was both queen and maid of honor in different years. Çetin Karabulut, who now lives in the United States, chose her as Field Day Maid of honor in '61. It was the school's 50th anniversary year. She was not only pursuing her College studies, but attending the Conservatory at the same time.

Her teachers showed their appreciation by selecting her as May Day Queen. Alton has always remembered that day, when she was indeed queenly in a long white dress and long gloves. She was too excited even to notice that her fiancé had come from Switzerland to be there. After graduation she married and went to live in Zurich, where she completed higher studies in music at the conservatory, before returning to Turkey and begin-

ning her professional career as a concert pianist. Two children and 20 years later, we found her as a professor in the Piano Department of the Istanbul University, State Conservatory.

Gulay (Yavuz) Demirci, who was a maid of honor the same year, was so preoccupied with her forthcoming wedding right after her final examinations that her memories of the day are hazy. She remembers only being seated on a throne and that the weather was sunny.

She had not known about her nomination and it was a surprise when she was selected. Demirci married and went with her husband, also an RC graduate, to England where they had their first child. Her second child was born after their return home. Demirci meanwhile took up horse riding, a sport which she pursued for many years, riding in the national team and

winning countless trophies.

Semra (Safa) Çullu was elected May Day Queen in '69. She married after completing her studies at the Academy of Fine Arts and she and her husband went to the United States where her husband took a higher degree. Both her daughters were born after they returned to Turkey.

Memorable field days Being selected by a king or prince on Field Day was a special thrill for İris (Selcen) Barzilay and Çağlayan (Yatağan) Tercan. The Field Day of '57, when they were chosen as maids of honor was unforgettable. That year the joy was enhanced by a cocktail party. Both wore dresses with full skirts over stiff petticoats which were the fashion of the day. Barzilay recalls how her skirt kept billowing up. When she married and had a daughter, Tercan became a housewife, brought up her daughter, and later settled in Ordu. Barzilay went to Germany to study economics after graduating. Married on her return and had a son. After he grew up she attended tourist guide courses and from time to time works as a guide.

Müzeyyen (Özkan) Pamir, one of the maids of honor in '63, has several

Fair ladies and elegant outfits added glamour and romance to May Days and Field Days.





interesting anecdotes from that memorable day. It was the 100th anniversary of the school's foundation, and that year for the first time a maid of honor from Robert College instead of the Girls College was chosen. She was chosen by her future husband Tahsin Pamir. The kings and queens, princes and maids of honor walked together towards their thrones and sat down. But Tahsin Pamir was no sooner seated than he had to rush off to change his suit for sportswear to join in the contest for the most athletic student, in order to collect the few extra points he needed. Müzeyyen Pamir recalls how she sat there alone until the end of the contest. After marriage, Pamir taught chemistry and science at several schools, including Robert College, before joining the Turyağ company in İzmir. After retiring from this post she returned to İstanbul and resumed working for the same company as technical advisor for the İstanbul region. She has two daughters.

Sema (Tekercan) Şenkut's election as maid of honor in '65 was as eventful. She was chosen by Field Day prince Hüseyin Şenkut, who was her boyfriend as well as classmate. So it came as no surprise. She remembers being elegantly dressed in an embroidered chiffon outfit, with lamé shoes and shawl. She and her husband treasure memories of the day. They married after graduation and a year later their son was born. She is

Former Queens and Maids of Honor enjoyed getting together for a "royal" tea (above) Kings, Queens, Princes and Princesses added color to the Field Days of the '65 (above, right) and '63 (far, right). Müzeyyen Pamir (right)



currently working as the assistant general manager of Roche drug company.

Ferruh Uygur, who came first in the 100 meter sprint on Field Day '66, and was later a member of the national team, chose Cansever (Suner) Ozsoy as his queen. Ozsoy remembers presenting Uygur with his medal on a beautiful sunny day, and the long white dress which she wore. After graduating Ozsoy joined Pan American airways. After her marriage, she continued to work until her three children were born, then devoted herself to their education.

For '68 maid of honor Gulgtin (Soyak) Canli, Field Day was an exhilarating occasion. She remembers being shy at first of wearing the pale yellow dress which exposed her shoulders. She was the maid of honor of her cousin Necip Soyak, who was then at university, and was doubly

happy to present him with his medal. Canli studied sociology at Istanbul University before marrying. After her son and daughter grew up, she and some friends set up a studio making silver jewellery.

Memories were really fresh for Neylan Acar, who was 89 Field Day Queen. By her day, the tradition had changed, and the kings and princes no longer chose the queens and maids of honor. Instead representatives of the students union and each class now formed a jury to choose from among the candidates, who paraded before them at the ball. The jury began by



announcing the third place, and when she heard her name announced in first place, Acar was overcome by confusion. The fact that it was the 125th anniversary of the school's establishment made the event even more memorable. The same year Acar began her studies in the English teaching department of Marmara University.

Melis Seyhun was maid of honor two years running, in '89 when she was in Lycée I and in '90 in Lycée II. Neither year was she expecting to be chosen, and the year before she missed coming first by a narrow margin. Seyhun is planning to pursue her higher education in the United States in the field of international relations.

Sibel Kutman, who was maid of honor in '90, was chosen by a jury, as were Melis Seyhun and Neylan Acar. Like Seyhun, Sibel Kutman wants to study in the United States. She has not yet made her final decision about the subject, but is considering business administration.

All three enjoyed hearing about the glittering ceremonies of earlier years and wished that they could have been continued. "At least they could crown the queens," was a sentiment shared by all.

The delight of being selected

Those May Days and Field Days were memorable for all the queens and maids of honor. They would remember them with delight for the rest of their lives. But what about the

kings and princes? Field Day King for '56 was Kaya Karamehmet, whose queen was Güzey (Kamözüt) Onar. They were not close friends and had only met at school on a few occasions. Karamehmet described Onar as being much admired by the male students for her friendliness and modesty, as well as for her prowess at sports. Karamehmet says he consulted his friends and selected her on common recommendation.

Erdoğan Kötehe, who was the king in '61, had been a prince in '58 and considered himself experienced in these matters. He chose his friend Tülin (Veziroğlu) Kutan.

Hüseyin Şenkut, prince in '65, never considered choosing anyone but Sema (Tekercan) Şenkut, who was not only a classmate, but also his girlfriend. After long years of married life Şenkut has still not forgotten how his wife looked in her chiffon dress, shawl and lamé shoes. He also recalls that the elections that year were fiercely contested in an electoral atmosphere.

May Day and Field Day, whether those long past or recent, are a long standing tradition, despite the occasional changes.

The kings, queens, princes and maids of honor of tomorrow are today students at Robert College, and in future years perhaps they will get together to share their memories with the same pleasure as we have done.

Making A Difference

Over one thousand alumni contributed in the second year of the Annual Giving Campaign and felt the accomplishment of having made a difference.



The message was clear. It said so on the badges proudly displayed by many graduates who attended Homecoming this fall. "I made a difference. I gave to the 1989-90 Annual Giving Campaign."

Making a difference this year were over one thousand alumni, some of whom were present on Homecoming Day, wearing this badge. The names

of all who contributed so thoughtfully to the school were compiled in the Annual Giving Report handed out on that day and subsequently mailed to the entire RC community.

It is thanks to those names that this year's campaign reached its goal of 300 million TL. The increase in both the number of donors and the amount raised has been remarkable. In one year participation went up from 600

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Ferda Tarzı A C G 71,
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to over one thousand donors, with the money raised going up from 100 million TL to over 300 million TL.

The goal for next year is set at 750 million TL. This is an ambitious yet attainable figure, given the loyalty and enthusiastic response of the alumni body who continue to contribute generously. Also, the success of Robert College's fund raising has been the result of the wonderful efforts of the school's enthusiastic, dedicated and driven volunteers—ranging from class representatives to members of various committees.

These men and women, realize what a difference this kind of ongoing financial support means for the institution that has made a difference in their lives, and continues to make a difference in the lives of generations of Turkish children.

January 10, 1990, is the date for the official Annual Giving Campaign Kick-off Dinner for Class Representatives. Dr. Nejat Eczacıbaşı RC 32, who is a generous donor to the school himself and has accepted to join the Annual Giving Committee for 1990 - 91, will be the speaker at the occasion. The event will also provide the opportunity to recognize the class representatives who have put in the extra effort to distinguish their classes in the campaign.

Congratulations! "«



Class agent Behçet Demircan RA 68, presenting Headmaster Dawe with a check to cover the tuition fees of two scholarship students for the 1990/91 academic year at Robert College.

New Scholarships New Opportunities

The establishment of scholarships enables needy students to benefit from the RC experience.

Avital project that developed along with the Annual Giving campaign, now into its third year, has been the establishment of a continuous scholarship scheme initiated by several former Robert Academy classes of the late sixties; RA 64, RA 65, RA 66, RA 67 and RA 68.

These scholarships are mostly given in the names of former faculty members that include

Münir Aysu, Ziya Akant, Cornelius H. Bull, Behçet Kemal Çağlar, Faruk Kurtuluş, Peter Kuniholm and Rıdvan Tezel. Class of RA 67 has also started a fund in the name of deceased classmate Aydın Ketenci. These scholarships provide needy students with the opportunity of a Robert College education, by a group of thoughtful graduates who themselves benefited from this unique institution.

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REUNIONS



Homecoming

Home again for a day of celebration, RC alumni reunite on campus and the new theater witnesses its first homecoming assembly.

The perfect sunny fall morning on campus, autumn leaves and all. Bewildered happy faces recognizing each other even if with a little help from name tags. Refreshments in Marble Hall, today's students cheerfully registering all those returning. A tour of the buildings, new and old. Going up to the audio visual center to watch video presentations of past

Homecoming shows, only to come out teary eyed. Shopping for an RC sweatshirt or mug to restore the mood. Down to the cafeteria to line up behind a group of A C G 30's ladies all flustered and gossiping about the ex-boyfriend encountered unexpectedly. Someone remarks about how wonderful it is not to worry about when the bell will ring for the



math exam. Time to rush to the new theater building for what everyone's been waiting for-Assembly!

REUNIONS



Come one, come all! Families and friends, alumni and faculty enjoy the traditional Homecoming festivities. It is an opportunity to catch up with the latest school happenings and gossip.

'90

Headmaster Dawe begins with the roll call. Huseyin Giilek RC 28 rushes in at the last minute to beat Mayda Mimar A C G 29 as the oldest graduate present. Curiosity and applause mounts as classes are called out. Class of 72 lined up at the last row in impressive numbers loses the award for most represented class to RC 90 by a hairs breadth. Curtain goes up to "Let the Good Times Roll". Slides of RC decades, beginning with

the twenties appear, Charleston and ragtime music fill the air. Students do a stepdance, the forties swing by. Then its the tango, rockn'roll and the twisting sixties. Performing students are having as much fun as the cheering audience. By the time acid and lambada strains are dying away the emotions are mutual. It's everyone's pictures, music and dance. It's everyone's school! The afternoon sun lingers outside. The final event begins. "Old Star" RC varsity basketball match vs. "Old Star" national team. The ball bounces, player scramble, spectators whistle, tea cups rattle in the balcony. So much to task about, so little time. There is reluctance to go home- this is home.'«

It is heart-warming to see the children of classmates you remember as being kids themselves. See you next October.



REUNIONS



50th Reunion

The Class of 1940 celebrated a very special reunion on Homecoming Day. This reunion was more meaningful as it was the golden anniversary- 50 years- since graduation.

Bedia Ergun, Sitare Gökmen, Ferdi Özmen, Maria Askıtoğlu, Cahide Serhatoğlu, Fuat Zadi and Dikran Çerçyan spent a pleasant day together, viewing video shows of past Homecoming days, and lunching at their specially reserved tables in the dining hall.

Among those present Selma Bozok Ustiindag was voted the most unchanged graduate. Nevra Serezli, who couldn't be there, phoned to say hello to everyone and Benin Aksoy was unable to make it because of a broken foot. New addresses and family news were exchanged and it was interesting to note the wide range of professions present. Teachers, professors and administrators ranked first, followed by architects, engineers, translators, artists, businesswomen and homemakers. When everyone departed they voiced the same opinion. "Once every five years is not enough!"

• A CG'65

A silver anniversary lunch held at Bizim Tepe in September brought together 23 A C G girls.

Though there were doubts as to whether everyone could recognize each other since some hadn't seen their classmates for 25 years there weren't any major problems!



RA '65

The Class of RA 65 celebrated their 25th anniversary on September 13, 1990 at the fashionable Baca Restaurant in Emirgan. Apart from a large number of classmates and Mr. and Mrs. Bull, who had flown in from the U.S. specially for this evening, the guests included such unforgettable teachers as Orhan Bey (Nebioğlu), Münir Bey and Şefik bey. Like the Bull family, Yasef Yeru-

was served and speeches began with an introduction by class rep Aykut Giirlek. Mr. Bull expressed his longtime association with Turkey, noting that the following day would mark the 30th anniversary of his arrival in Istanbul to take over as headmaster of Robert Academy. Other speakers included Faruk Sayit, Resat Kayah, Cem Kozlu and actor Yavuzer Cetinkaya. Cem Kozlu (present head of Turkish Airlines) reminded the audience of the speech Mr. Bull had given during the



salmi had arrived on that day from Italy, where he lives, for the occasion. After an hour of socialising over cocktails, dinner

graduation ceremony in 1965 about not being afraid to help someone in need whether the community approved this help or not and said that this had been a guidelight throughout his professional career. He then presented him an oversized watermelon which had been given to him by a Bengeli refugee that morning, as he was about to fly to his homeland. The evening ended with a firm desire of the classmates to repeat the occasion not every five years but the following year.

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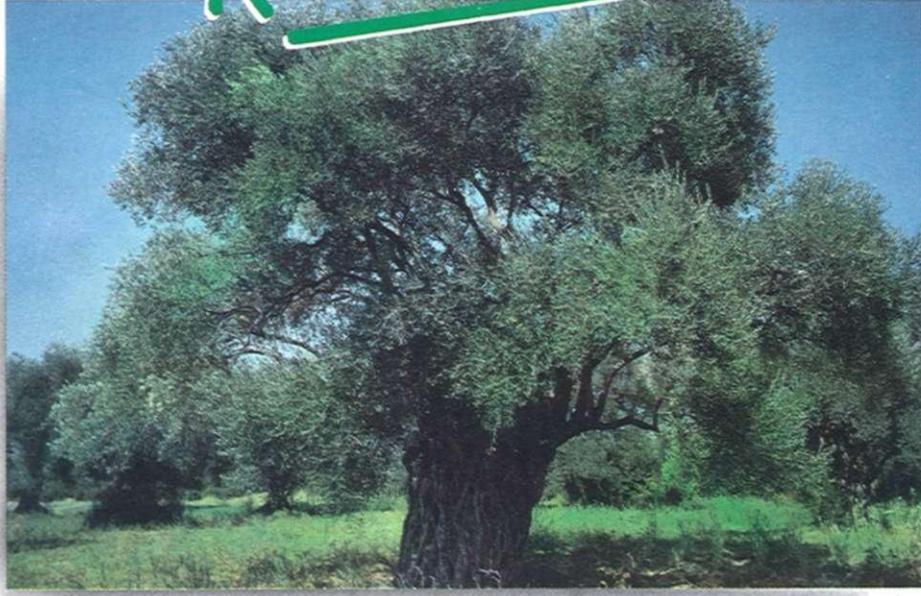
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ALUMNI NEWS

Ivan Gantheff Gazurkoff RC 29

Ivan Gazurkoff who was the editor-in-chief of the 1929 Record, wrote to the RCQ saying how much he enjoyed receiving the Alumni Magazine. He says that though sixty-one years have passed since his graduation, his Alma Mater is still in his mind's eye and he will never forget RC. Address: Veliko Timovo, Zelenka 6 Bulgaria

Borris N. Palankov RC 31

Recently got over a prolonged illness and consequent operation, Borris Palankov is sorry that he has lost all contacts with his former class mates and looks forward to receiving news from them. He is living in Bulgaria where he says there are at present 20-30 RC and ACG graduates residing.

Address: 36 Klement Gottwald Blvd, Sofia, 1504, Bulgaria.

Vasil Fotyadis RC 38

A graduate of the Law Faculty of Istanbul, he is now retired after being professionally involved in maritime affairs. His hobby archeology occupies his free time. Vasil Fotyadis has a son Andreas. Address: Siraselviler 77/2 Taksim 80060 Tel: (home) 144 24 85



Mariya Askitoglu ACG 40 Married Yordan Askitoglu RC Eng 36

and is the mother of two children, Eleftheria and Antigoni. She has been working at Robert College for 26 years and feels that RC is her second home. Of her two children Eleftheria has a Ph.D. in chemistry and is working for a pharmaceutical company

in Bern as well as being a piano teacher while Antigoni is a laborante in Lausanne.

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Ayşe Bedia Ergun ACG 40

Went to the Ministry of Culture and Education's courses on stainglass, batique, oil painting and cloth designs and after a year of creating pieces of art was awarded a prize for all her efforts.

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Ferdi Özmen RC 40

Presently a technical advisor living and working in Ankara, Ferdi Özmen completed his M.S. in Industrial Engineering at the University of Southern California.

He is a member of Hür ve Kabul Edilmiş Masonlar Derneği, Ankara Rotary Club and Türkiye Fikir ve Kültür Derneği. Married with two children, Tunç and Yalçın. He also has one granddaughter Selma. Ferdi Özmen and his wife recently travelled from Ankara to be at RC for the 50th year reunion held during Homecoming '90. Address: Ayten sok. 23/8 Mebusevleri 06580 Ankara Tel: (home) 213 10 65 (office) 126 54 68

Canide Altan Serhadoğlu ACG 40

A graduate of the Faculty of Law and a retired lawyer, Mrs. Serhadoğlu has had professional experience spanning forty years as a lawyer in the Istanbul Bar and as secretary to the Consul General of Iraq and Consul General of Japan. Apart from that she has been a voluntary member of the Istanbul Women's Association, President of the Law branch - Türk Devrim Ocakları, President of Istanbul branch - Türk Donanma Cemiyeti, President of Şişli Branch - Turkish Japanese

Women's Association. Cahide Serhadoğlu has two children, Prof. Dr. Alpar Sergen who is teaching at Boğaziçi University and Dr. Altan Serhadoğlu who is doing research work at Paris University and one granddaughter Ayşe Ceylan Serhadoğlu who is ten years old. Cahide Hanım was at RC for her 50th year reunion during



Homecoming and she is very proud of "our wonderful college". She follows every activity of the college, especially the successes of our students at the Math competitions. Between 1964-1967 she set up the first baby-sitting service in Turkey. Well-educated young women worked for her as baby-sitters and this service was widely publicized in movie theaters and newspapers. She later placed these young women in various secretarial positions. Address: Kurtuluş.Savaş Sok. 256/1-2 D.5 Tel: (home) 147 32 78

Hıfzı Gündem RC 43

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Noubar Agopovitch RC 45

Is living in Buenos Aires, Argentina and working for Fritel S.A. He has two children, Sonia and Sergio, and three grand children who are 13, 11 and 9 years of age. Address: Hipolito Irigoyen 1366 1638 Vicente Lopez Prov. Buenos Aires, Argentina Tel:(home) 791-1400

Joseph Shabi RC Eng 48

Has been living in the U.K. for quite some time. He is engaged in Building Services Engineering Consultancy, He is interested in reviving contacts with old classmates and is particularly interested in finding Mr. Munther El-Koja, also from RC Eng 48. Address: 6 Manor Court, Aylmer Road, London N2 0PJ Tel: (home) 081 3402980

Esin Eden ACG 54

Received MA in Speech and Drama from the University of Kansas in 1961 and completed O Levels in Russian at Holbom College, London. She has worked at the



Oraloğlu Theater (1961-1963), Dorman Theater (1963-1964, 1988-1990), been the General Coordinator of Bakırköy Municipal Theaters and has been a secretary at BP between 1970-1985. Her travels have taken her all around to Italy, France, Germany, Switzerland, Belgium, England, USA and Mexico, Having several translations to her credit such as "Hite Report", "Why Not Stay for Breakfast", "Gingerbread Man" and "Confusions", she is also very interested in cookery, and making

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art objects out of sea shells. Films and commercials she has worked on Include Alman Gelin, Ferhunde Kalfa, Karılar Koşuşu, Calve and Altın Rehber. Esin Eden has been married and divorced and has two sons Ali and Yavuz. Address: Bahçeler Sok. 117 Şişli 80220 Tel: (home) 141 51 31 (office): 572 64 39

Göksel Kortay ACG 55
A professional theater actress for many years, Mrs. Kortay furthered her education at Boston University, Michigan University and Bennington College. Her travels have



taken her to the Far East and Europe and she enjoys glass dying and batik during her free time. She spends quite some time doing community and charity work and was the

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Mehmet Önkal RA 67
He has been appointed Regional Controller for Asia, Sheraton Asia Pacific Corporation. Önkal is responsible for the controllership functions of the Region's hotels and development projects, as well as the financial management of the Regional Office. He was promoted from Controller for East Mediterranean, where for two years he supervised Sheraton hotels in Turkey, Israel, Southern Cyprus and Bulgaria on financial issues. Prior to this, he held the position of Country Controller for Turkey, and before then he was working as the Financial Controller for the Istanbul Sheraton Hotel.

During his 12 years with IIT Sheraton, Mehmet twice won the award of Controller of the Year for IIT Sheraton Hotels in Europe, first in 1981 and again in 1985.

Prior to joining IIT Sheraton, Mehmet worked for the chartered accountants Arthur Andersen and Company in London.



He has a son, Ozer (1973) and daughter, Serra (1978) and is married to **Figen Kayralci Onkal RC73**. Address: 12 C Sutton Court Harbour City Canton Road Kowloon-Hong Kong Tel: (852) 736 41 40

Erol Abiral RC 59
After RC, he studied at the University of Minnesota where he received his MSCE. His professional experience includes construction and consulting. Astrological natal reports and lectures in astrology are what interests him in his free time. Erol Abiral is the father of a daughter, Ayca Gulsoy and son, Enver Abiral. He also has one granddaughter Begum, who is six years old. Address: Defterdar Yok. 68 / 5 Firuzaga 80060 Beyoglu Tel: (home) 143 78 22 395 64 35 (office) 1445296-14963 17

Mehmet T. Tumay RC Eng. 59
Dr. Mehmet Tumay, fellow of the American Society of Civil Engineers, is currently the Director of the Geomechanics Program at Directorate of Engineering, National Science Foundation, Washington DC. He is a Professor of Civil Engineering and coordinator of



Geotechnical Engineering at Louisiana State University. After RC, he received his MS and Ph. D. from University of Virginia and Istanbul Technical University, respectively. He also holds a postdoctoral degree from Istanbul Technical University. His academic, research and consulting affiliations include universities, research institutions and industry in the U.S., Holland, France, Turkey, Poland, Norway and Italy. Dr. Tümay's major field of interest is geotechnical engineering and he has earned international recognition for his pioneering research accomplishments mainly in electronic penetration and data -collection systems for evaluation of the engineering behavior of particulate media. Address: Dept. Civil Engineering Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College Baton Rouge-Louisiana 70803-6405 Tel: (504) 388-8442

Denise Koen Fletcher ACG 67
Furthered her education at Wellesley College, Class of '69 and Harvard University '72. She met her husband Bob while studying at Wellesley and they went to graduate school together at Harvard where she got

MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS

- **Murat Sağban RC 83** and **Elif Ballık RC 85** tied the knot in January 1990.
- **İzi Kohen (RC 83)** married Esra Hekimoğlu in May 1990.
- In June 1990 **Turgay Kaptanoğlu (RC 78)** and Semra Öztürk joined the caravan of newly weds.
- RC romances which ended in marriage also include **Ayşe Hasol (RC 82)** and **Mehmet Erkin (RC82)**, marrying in June 1990 and **Dilek Günay (RC 84)** and **Onur Meral (RC 81)** marrying in August 1990.
- Marriages were not the only happy events. In August 1990, **Pelin** and **Tayfun Öneş (RC 81)** had a bouncing baby daughter they named Zeynep.



- Another RC romance came to a happy end for **Feza Aksu (RC 80)** and **Hilmi Güvenal (RC 80)** in June 1990.
- **Cengiz Hatiboğlu (RC 81)** married Feride Muradoğlu in December 1989.

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a masters in City Planning. Her work experience includes Getty Oil, eventually becoming the Assistant Treasurer. Shortly after that she became the first woman officer and Corporate Treasurer of The New York Times in 1980. In late 1988 she left the Times' to start her own publishing, consulting and magazine business. She now does financial consulting as well. Denise has two children, David 15 and Kate 13. She sends her regards and looks forward to being in Istanbul in 1992, for her 25th reunion.
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Lale Çağlar Behen A C G 69
After finishing Mainz University in Germany, Lale worked in various foreign companies and for the last five years, she worked in General Services and Commercial Departments of the American Consulate General in Istanbul. Recently, she established her own company (Lameta Inc.) which gives service to foreigners in Istanbul. These services include seminar organization, translation,



and real estate brokerage. Lale claims to be real good in finding residences for foreigners and is always ready to help with college friends in renting or selling their properties. She is also a mother of two boys, who are 16 and 12 years old.
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Received a degree in English language and literature from Boğaziçi University in 1980 and taught English at Özel Eyüboğlu Lisesi for five



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Murat Akanlar RC 79

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Gıla Kasuto RC 83

Studied Industrial Engineering at Boğaziçi University and then worked at Güven Coopers and Lybrand for two years during which she was able to travel extensively

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Mine Gündoğdu Akalın RC 84

Mine recently got married to Hakan Akalın (July 1990) and spent her honeymoon in Santorini, Greece. After studying industrial engineering at Boğaziçi University and Business Statistics at Istanbul University, she is presently working as a credit analyst at Societe Generale Bank. Her previous job was at an American Company (AMC) working as a merchandise representative. Her husband Hakan Akalın is an account executive at Grafica-Lintas Advertising Agency.
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Suzan Sanlı '84 and Emine Azak '84

Have opened their own architectural studio at Çamlıtepe Sitesi, Ulus. Suzan graduated from the Faculty of Architecture of Istanbul Technical University, after spending two years at the University of North Carolina. Emine graduated from Mimar Sinan University and stayed in Sienna, Italy for six months studying architecture. They are excited to be working together and look forward to seeing alumni at their studio.
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Sirma Olcay RC85

After RC, studied at the London School of Printing and graduated in the summer of 1990. At present she is working at Grafo as a graphics artist and also does freelance work designing brochures, posters and cards. When she has spare time she enjoys painting lessons, follows cultural events and runs in the forest on Sundays.

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Murat Özhan RC 85

Studied economics at Boğaziçi University and worked at Esbank for a short period of time before moving on to the



budgeting and planning department of Kutlutas Holding. He recently got engaged to Him Güner, a classmate of his from Bogazlıç.

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Hiima Alpaytaç RC 85

After spending her first year in Bennington College, Huma participated in the study abroad program and spent her second year in Paris, taking all of her courses in French. She then transferred to Bryn Mawr College, double majoring in Economics and Fine

Arts. She graduated in the top ten with a Magna Cum Laude and had a special art-show for graduation where she exhibited 10 oil paintings and 12 charcoal works. Meanwhile she was nominated for "Honors" for

her thesis in Economics: "The Macro-Micro Analysis of the Impacts of Advertising on the Economy". Huma returned to Turkey right after graduation and has been working as an Account Executive in Reklam Moran Ogilvy and Mather. At the moment,



she paints only in her free time and is presently participating in a show in the "Basin Museum" which will last through December 1990.

Cem M. Horuluoglu RC 86

Cem is studying at Cal. State, Los Angeles where he is sharing an apartment with **Ertugrul Karsak RC 85**. Both of them would like to hear from friends.

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Yavuz Tanyeli RC87

One year before his degree, Yavuz obtained a 10 month clerkship in Toronto-Canada, through IASTE, an International student exchange program. He will work in Toronto as assistant to the senior architect on design development. His stay will cover the months from October 90 to July 91. Recently he has also spent a one month clerkship in Darmstadt, at Junghans + Farmhals GmbH. Yavuz will obtain his degree in architecture after completion of another year of study at the Mimar Sinan University.

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OBITUARIES

Dr. Arq. Antonio Joannidis RC Eng. 36

Died on July 5th 1990 in London. He had last visited RC during his 50th Reunion. He is survived by Jeanny w. Joannidis and Tony Joannidis W.

John Negropontes RC 40

Died in 1983. He owned a farm near Olds, Alberta after leaving Romania. His daughter- in- law, Dorothy Negropontes, would like to correspond with anyone who would tell her stories of John Negropontes, to pass the information on to his grandson. Her address is Box 1000, Olds, Alta. TOMiPO Canada
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Vahide Bilsen Ayrıl A C G 41

Died of cancer in 1987 in the U.S. where she had been living with her daughters for the past fifteen years.

Bans Gökçel (RC Orta III)

Died of cancer in September 1990. He is survived by his parents Serpil and Ahmet Gökçel and brother Serdar.



Barış Gökçel
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Ferit Şamikoğlu RC Eng 47

Passed away of a heart-attack in December 1990. He is survived by his wife

Ender Şamikoğlu and sons Ali Rıza (RC 89), Cevdet (RC 89) and Mehmet.

Spiros (Akis) Ethnopoulos RC 49

Died in a traffic accident in Greece in October 1990. He had travelled all the way from Greece to be at his 40th reunion at RC in 1989.



Banu Buyukiinal RC 85

After RC and İstanbul University Business school, she completed her MA in 1990 and had just started to work at the Public Relations Department of Yapı Kredi Bank when she died in a traffic accident in October 1990. She is survived by her parents Feriha and Kemal Buyukunal. A scholarship fund is being set up in her memory. For information please contact the Alumni and Development Office 165 34 30/308

Robert G. Miner Sr. (former faculty member)

Passed away in February 1990, Was an English instructor at RC between 1935-1937. After RC he held posts at US Embassies in Athens, London and Paris. He was the US Consul General in İstanbul between 1956-1960, ambassador to Trinidad and to Sierra Leone. He was married to **Natli Tubini A C G 32**, daughter of the late RC professor Bernard Anthony Tubini.

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Guess Who?

RCQ continues to challenge you to recognize faces from their pictures taken years ago. Clues are provided through write-ups from "Records" of times past.

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Oyunlarda kakkahadan: Seyirciler ağlar olur,
Seni anar eller bile: Bir Don Juan çapkın diye, Palyaçonun göz yaşlan: Bazan taşar çağlar olur,
Philosophy of life: "Akıl ağlar geçen eyyamı ne bahara. Deli bayram gelir der, sevinir."
Hobby: Horse riding
Hint: Former high-ranking diplomat in the United Nations



1.Betil Mardin ACG'462. Ali Neyzi RC'46
3.Sinan Korle RC'36 4.Ömer Karacan RC'80

5:Sevki Pekin RA'66



1 Perpetual movement of the mind and body-busy-body. A good companion- talkative. Short sentences with many dashes characterize her style."

Favorite sentence: Canım şu meşhur! (Hiç de meşhur değildir.)

Hobby: reading palms

Philosophy of life: You can't simply M. Y. O. B. (mind your own business)

Hint: Leading lady of public relations in Turkey

2.. Who is the author of this poem written in 1946 ?

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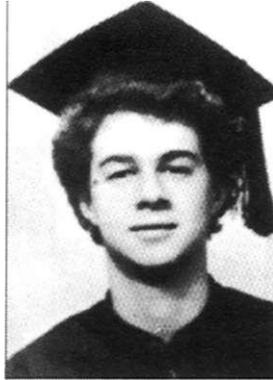
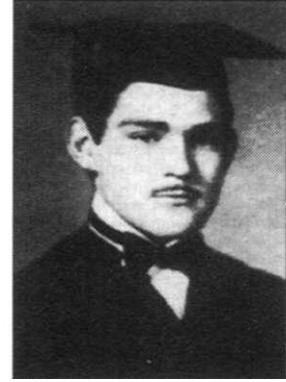
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Çocuk misali.

Her gece karanlık olmaz Tarlalar.

Hint: Writer, member of the Board of Trustees



4 His yearbook write-up says,"... her zaman şakırdın, şarkıların basındaydın, sen şarkılardan kopamazsın." They also say he was very naughty in school but now he is Mr. Number One.

Hint: Producer and presenter of a popular music show on Turkish TV.

5 "He never believes in principles of any kind, it seems. But indeed, he has one which most of the time directs his life: Business first." For him there is always something to work on and about. He is a man of virtues. Can you recognize him from his graduation picture taken from Reflections '66?

Hint: He's the architect of Bizim Tepe





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- Yakıt tasarrufu: 100 km'de 5,5 lt (90 km/saat);
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Standart Özellikler

- Sağ - sol içerden kumandalı yan aynalar
- Seviye ayarlı halojen ön farlar • Arka sis ve geri vites lambaları • Renkli camlar, elektrikli öncamlar
- Kopya edilemez anahtar ve kilit sistemi • 2 hızlı, sabit fasılalı silecek sistemi • İçerden açılabilen bagaj ve benzin deposu kapağı • Merkezi Kilit
- Farlar için sesli uyarı • Dijital saati Orta konsol
- Ayır ayrı katlanabilir arka koltukları Yüksekliği ayarlanabilir emniyet kemerleri, ayrıca arka koltuklarda emniyet kemerleri
- Yüksekliği ayarlanabilir direksiyon.

Opsiyon Paketi

- 2.0 DOHC EFI motor • Hidrolik direksiyon
- Air Condition • Manuel açılır tavan
- ABS fren sistemi

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