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Applause . . .

Advanced Business Systems — Sherman C. Blumenthal has been instrumental in organizing a local chapter of Special Interest Group on Real-Time Processing of the Association for Computing Machinery. He is serving as chairman for this local chapter, the first one in the country. At present there are thirty members representing about twenty organizations.

Boston — Donald C. Wiese has participated in several more radio and television programs, answering questions on income taxes telephoned in by the public. He appeared on radio station WHDH for half hour periods; on WMEX for three hours; and also appeared on a half hour television show.

Morris Goodman has been nominated as member of Council of the AICPA for a term of three years.

Samuel J. Moshcovitz has been appointed as the CPA representative of the New Century Club's Nominating Committee in Boston.

James A. Bemis, Charles E. Coutre, Gerald Gerson, Richard Gilet, George A. Kean, III, Raymond J. Levesque, George A. McDonough and Michael F. Walsh, Jr., who have devoted a great deal of time as advisors toward the advancement of Junior Achievement during the 1965-66 program, were given recognition for their work at the Advisors Recognition Dinner at the Hotel Somerset in Boston. Stanley E. Hart represented TRB&S in accepting a bronze plaque presented to the firm for their participation as a Counselling Firm.

William S. Harter, New York, James M. Lynch, Boston, Carroll E. Ebert and Charles F. Brown, Chicago, represented TRB&S on a panel introducing the new financial and operating group, "FOG," of Men's Wear Retailers of America at their annual convention in Dallas. This group from TRB&S has been working with the "FOG" committee in the development of an accounting manual for the industry, which was introduced at the meeting. Mr. Lynch started the meeting by outlining the needs of the industry for financial planning and use of advanced business decision-making tools.

Chicago — H. Justin Davidson has been named to the Project Consulting Committee of the American Accounting Association, for a research project to be conducted by Professor Neil Churchill of the Carnegie Institute of Technology.

Mr. Davidson was also one of the discussants at the Conference on Empirical Research in Accounting sponsored by the University of Chicago, Graduate School of

Business, Institute of Professional Accountants.

Donald I. Hausman appeared on the Jerry Williams Show on radio station WBBM. Mr. Hausman was chosen to appear as a guest on the program by the Illinois Society of CPAs, who were asked to supply a member to discuss income taxes, and answer questions from the radio audience.

Raymond J. Revers, C. Eugene Sturgeon, James O. Teeter and Philip E. Leone took part in a seminar on the subject, "Effective Budgeting for the Small Business," under the sponsorship of the Chicago Association of Commerce and Industry.

The Abstractors Section of the American Land Title Association held a Management Seminar at the Sheraton O'Hare Inn, Chicago. John Bly, William H. Frewert and Glenn J. Hartung participated in the tax session, while I. Ted David, Raymond J. Revers and James O. Teeter took part in the management control session.

Cincinnati — Walter Novikoff has been nominated for vice-president of the Cincinnati Chapter of the Ohio Society of CPAs. Mr. Novikoff has served as a member of the Committee on Relations between Bankers and CPAs, and as chairman of the Committee on Services to Local Practitioners. He was secretary-treasurer of the chapter in 1963-64.

Denver — Charles E. Husted has been elected president of the Denver Chapter of the Budget Executive's Institute for the coming year.

Mr. Husted has also been appointed chairman of the Colorado Society Computer and Management Services Advisory Committee.

Detroit — Harry G. Troxell was one of the three judges in the Junior Achievement of Southeastern Michigan Treasurer-of-the-Year-Contest. This contest is sponsored by the Michigan Association of CPAs to select the best treasurer from the 380 Junior Achievement Companies in the Southeastern Michigan District, which is the largest J.A. District in the U.S.

Executive Office — Robert Beyer was the only individual selected from the public accounting profession to be elected a member of a newly created "Business Advisory Counsel" established by the University of Wisconsin to lead the School of Commerce in developing a modern forward-looking program for business education.

Donald H. Cramer has been elected president of the New York Chapter of the National Association of Accountants.

Robert M. Trueblood, along with Thomas L. Whisler,

Professor of Industrial Relations, Graduate School of Business, University of Chicago; Terrence Hanold, Executive Vice President, The Pillsbury Company; and J. L. Watson, Vice President, Information Services, United Air Lines, gave an executive evaluation of The New "Decision Tools," as part of a Management Conference sponsored by The Graduate School of Business and The Executive Program Club of the University of Chicago. The panel, drawing on individual experiences, gave an evaluation of the potential impact on executive decision making and executive organization of new techniques and technology.

Houston — Thomas C. Latter has accepted the position of chairman of the Texas Society's Committee on Taxation for the year 1966-67, and has also been elected a director of the Texas Society of CPAs for the 1966 term.

Owen Lipscomb has recently appeared on TV Tax Shows, KTRK, as a panelist. The program was sponsored by the Houston Chapter of the American Society of Women Accountants.

Mr. Lipscomb has been elected president of the Houston Business and Estate Planning Council for 1966-67.

Mr. Lipscomb also accepted the position of chairman of the Professional Sub-committee of the Texas Society's Committee on Federal Taxation for 1966-67.

Leland C. Pickens has been elected national treasurer of the Budget Executives Institute for the year 1966-67.

Mr. Pickens has also been appointed chairman of a special committee on Chapter Formation Qualifications of the Budget Executives Institute.

The following have been asked to serve on Committees of the Houston Chapter of the Texas Society of CPAs for the 1966-67 year: Wesley Ashendorf, State and Local Taxes; Raymon J. de Reyna, Management Services; Joseph Fleckinger, Roster; Alvin L. Freeman, Estate Planning; Lawrence Glazer, Public Relations; Thomas C. Latter, Long Range Objectives and Planning; Richard M. Pollard, Cooperation with Educational Institutions; George Weber, Meeting Arrangements.

Kansas City — Loren G. Hoffman served as "Professor for a Day" at the Business and Public Administration Week at the University of Missouri in Columbia.

Frank H. Tranzow was elected to the Board of Governors of the University of Michigan Alumni Club of Kansas City. He was also appointed to the Kansas City Area Central Committee for the University of Michigan \$55 million program.

Mr. Tranzow was also appointed a member of the Membership Committee of the Budget Executives Institute of Kansas City.

Los Angeles — Jacqueline Kanaga participated on a television panel, on "Tax Facts by Phone" on KCOP with Robert Riddell, district director of Internal Revenue, and Bruce Walker, assistant executive officer of the California Franchise Tax Board.

Mr. & Mrs. Richard C. Stratford have established a \$40,000 fund at the School of Business of Brigham Young University, for a series of seminars designed to expand the horizon of faculty and students in areas of and peripheral to business education and research. The Stratford fund will bring outstanding scholars in business and related fields to the campus for discussion of their fields as they apply to business. Dr. David C. McClelland, chairman of the Department of Social Relations of Harvard University, lectured on "Achievement Motivation" at the first lecture. Two seminars are planned each year under the sponsorship of the fund.

Memphis — Jerry E. Whitehorn has been appointed to the Memphis Chapter of the Tennessee Society's Committee on High School Recruiting.

Minneapolis — Clarence E. Holtze served as a panel member discussing "Inadequacies in Retail Internal Controls as We see Them" at the Twin City Retail Controllers Association meeting.

James F. Pitt acted as moderator on a panel discussion of Professional Ethics at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Society of CPAs.

Carl G. Pohlman was elected president of the Minneapolis Chapter of the National Association of Accountants.

E. Palmer Tang has been named to the accounting committee of the National Association of Small Business Investment Companies for 1966.

In connection with CPA consultation service, the Minnesota Society has selected James F. Pitt to serve on the Tax Practice Committee, and E. Palmer Tang to serve on the Management of an Accounting Practice Committee.

New York — Arthur Michaels was elected vice president of the New York State Society of CPAs, and was named chairman of the Budget and Finance Committee of the New York State Society for the year beginning June 1, 1966.

Mr. Michaels has also been named by the Board of Directors of the Columbia Graduate School of Business Alumni Association to the committee being organized by Dean Courtney Brown, to assist with plans for the many activities being developed in connection with the 50th anniversary of the Columbia School of Business.

Edward A. Weinstein has been elected chairman of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Procedures Committee of the New York State Society of CPAs.

Mr. Weinstein's article, "Let the Buyer Beware!" has been selected for inclusion in the current edition of **SELECTED STUDIES IN MODERN ACCOUNTING**, a collection of articles from *The Journal of Accountancy*.

Newark — People from accounting firms, private industry and governmental agencies attended on all-day AICPA presentation on Statistical Sampling recently in East Brunswick, New Jersey. William A. Bergen is chairman of the Statistical Sampling Committee of the New Jersey State Society which sponsored the session. Among the committee members assisting him in arranging the meeting was James Del Vacchio of the Newark staff.

Rochester — Gail N. Brown has been chosen to serve on the Chapter Operations Committee of the New York State Society of CPAs.

San Diego — Richard Barnes participated on a San Diego radio station giving tax advice during the programs being developed by the San Diego CPA chapter.

Eddie C. Creek, chairman of the Fellowship Committee of the San Diego Chapter of California Society of Certified Public Accountants, presented and participated in their 3rd annual program held at the Town and Country. Gene Hardy and Charles Fox also participated in the program.

James B. Kuhn taught during April at the AICPA In-Charge Accountants Training School at California Polytechnical College, and, in May, he conducted their course in Standards of Reporting, and the California Society's course on Ethics.

Mr. Kuhn is also serving on a panel which will discuss The Role of Attorneys and CPAs in Connection with Family Law Questions.

Walter A. Turner, Jr. was nominated for secretary of the San Diego Chapter of CPAs.

San Francisco — Richard S. Bodman was appointed as chairman of the Management Services Committee of the San Francisco chapter of The State Society.

Mr. Bodman was also elected vice president of the San Francisco Chapter of the Budget Executives Institute for the year 1966-67. He was formerly treasurer.

Seattle — Garry A. McLean served as chairman of the reception committee for the American Institute of Industrial Engineers conference in Seattle.

Washington — Karney A. Brasfield was one of three recipients of the Major Contribution award given by The Federal Government Accountants Association's Washington chapter. The award is given for major contributions in the fields of financial management and administration in and outside of government and for helping to foster the aims of the association. Mr. Brasfield is presently chairman of the AICPA committee on Relations with the Federal Government, and holds a charter membership in the FGAA.

With Alumni . . .

Advanced Business Systems — Robert V. Head has joined Computer Sciences Corporation as manager of Management Information Technology.

Chicago — Gene J. Dyer resigned to accept a position at Phoenix Trimming Co., a Chicago office client.

Detroit — Frank P. Kerwin, a member of the Detroit audit staff since 1962, has resigned to accept an accounting position with Energy Conversion Devices, Inc., one of our clients.

David M. Smith, an audit supervisor, who has been with the firm since 1959, has accepted a position as assistant comptroller of Chrysler Credit Corporation.

Executive Office — W. Thomas Porter, who had been director of education for the firm since 1964, resigned to take a position with the University of Washington as director of executive development programs and associate professor of accounting. Mr. Porter's duties will place him on the dean's administrative committee of the College of Business Administration and his teaching responsibilities will be in courses on computer, information systems, and management auditing.

Grand Rapids — William E. Shafer, who has been with the firm since 1958, resigned to take a position with Michigan Wheel Company, one of our clients.

Los Angeles — Charles Cox has resigned to accept a position at Brentwood Financial Corporation.

New York — Anthony C. Potenza is now Financial Assistant to the President of Roblin Steel Co., North Tonawanda, New York.

Phoenix — Miles H. Bresee, Jr., an alumnus of the Phoenix office, was recently elected assistant treasurer of

Great Western Financial Corporation. Mr. Bresee is also the Corporation's tax manager.

San Francisco — Charles M. Blair has resigned to become associated with Lawrence H. Douglas & Co., Inc., stockbrokers.

Frederick J. Murata has accepted a position with Diamond Properties as assistant controller.

Joseph Y. Nishimura has joined the Scott Co., plumbing contractors, as controller.

Gerald H. Trautman is manager of finance of the California Date Growers Association in India.

Seattle — Dean D. Thornton, an alumnus of the Seattle office, is now treasurer of The Boeing Company. Mr. Thornton had been assistant treasurer since he left the Seattle management services staff in 1963.

Orville E. Melby, also a Seattle office alumnus, vacated the treasurer position and moved to the Commercial Airplane Division of The Boeing Company as vice president—sales and contracts.

Gary C. Roats resigned to become controller of Chris Berg, Inc., a client of our office.