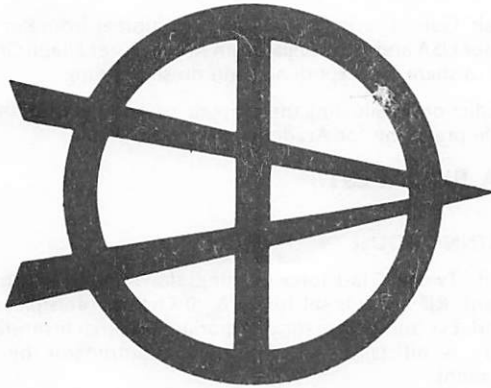


THE GLOBAL ORDER REPORT

July 4-July 10, 1983

QUARTER I WEEK 1



The future belongs to those who blend passion, reason and courage in personal commitment.

—The Anointed

AREA MADRID

THE MADRID HOUSE

External: A representative of a possible project visits the House and begins next steps for India participation. Bill and Barb visit Portugal to participate in evaluation of year's work and talk through strategies for next year.

Internal: Eneida arrives from Portugal and joins Frank on trip to Brussels for Academy.

Contradiction: Keeping momentum for IERD when everyone is affected by the onset of summer doldrums. (Week 7)

LISBON—THE LAMEGO HOUSE

External: All day training session prepares 15 workshop leaders from the Ministry of Agriculture for the Rural Development Symposium. Paige Cousineau and Ana Maria Braga do Cruz, of the Comissao da Condigao Feminina arrive to lead women's meetings in Relva, Mezio, Gosende, Bigorne and Pretarouca. Conversations focus on hard work, education, and male/female roles. The sports centre from Lamego spends Sunday afternoon giving capitivating Judo demonstration to 65 children from four villages, at the initiative of two volunteers, Ana Maria and Jan Carlo. Final copy of EEC proposal is submitted to Planning Commission (Porto) and EEC Ambassador (Lisbon).

Internal: Army arrives unexpectedly to pick up their beds, sheets and blankets causing creative redesigning of bedroom spaces. Barbecue is held in courtyard to celebrate women's meetings. Cathy and Branca return from Nairobi filled with inspiration that keeps everyone talking for 24 hours non-stop.

Contradiction: Creating a profound event out of the symposium so that our collaboration with the Ministry of Agriculture in the future is enhanced. (Week 13)*

AREA LONDON

THE LONDON HOUSE

External: IERD Steering Committee gathers 17 non-House colleagues for a helpful session in which several begin to take on leadership roles, pushing for effectivity in the time design. On the next day, ICA UK participates as one of many exhibits in a local radio station's annual "Venture Day". Our booths offered some experiences in third world life such as carrying water on your head, as well as information about the volunteer programme. Both events were notable for extensive enabling work done by colleagues recently involved through the volunteer programme.

Internal: Send out celebration for Luke Gilbert to the Sixth Grade Trip and Student House is co-hosted by Liza Tod and Clare Bonnell.

Contradiction: Clarifying the legal story to enable us to contact the constituency which will fill the paying guests category in our plans for the year. (Week 10)

AREA PARIS

THE PARIS HOUSE

External: June 16 meeting of new steering committee brings commitment of four organizations to seek funding together. A new colleague who came looking for a chance to serve in the third world wrote and published our biggest and best newsletter yet.

Internal: Benedictine sisters invite House for dinner and conversation just before we leave the House they have given us for six years. The evening is a time of foundational collegiality. Beverly Parker goes to work with Service Ventures in Brussels for a month and then be in Academy. Joan Avery goes to Sixth Grade rite of passage just after confirmation into catholic church.

Contradiction: Creating images of the IERD 10 days in India tempt but do not solidify participants' expectations. (Week 1)*

THE BRUSSELS HOUSE

External: Men's group evaluates 12 weeks work and decides to continue self help Rap and study group as well as starting a national organization in support of sexual equality and the development of 'New' men. Paige goes to Lamego for two weeks of "Women in Development".

Internal: Tim Casswell's report on Nairobi GRA stuns us with the electricity of the DOOP story and the vitality of African women.

Contradiction: Keeping the screen of changed lives and human development before us regardless of the content of rural development, government agencies or new professional associations. (Week 13)*

AREA FRANKFURT

THE FRANKFURT HOUSE

External: True to the spirit of June, every day seems to hold the growth of something new—the second and third RDS are planned for the fall, covering three of 11 states in Germany. A day of marketing for the LENS symposium in Pforzheim takes place contacting Chamber of Commerce and Union representatives. Volunteer programme expands to include regular volunteers for work in Germany, preparation of a work camp for Portugal, fund raising for volunteers to attend Academy, and the second VOW this spring.

Internal: The turn to summer occurs over Pentecost weekend and the weeks following as we think through configurations, a summer symbol, hosting the E.G. camp, and staffing the Academy. Corporate work contract produces 1600 DM in three days and occasions further reflection on self-support modes. Abundance celebrated in Reemtsma 1st anniversary, Gerry's 66th birthday, sojourners and garden salad!

Contradiction: Recreating structures that appropriately focus our corporate energy on specific tasks and contradictions, in midst of operating in new teams and new images of the summer. (Week 10)

THE AMSTERDAM HOUSE

External: Lady Peggy Lindsay's visit expands the IERD/NSC frame and context with 11 calls in two days covering all sectors. Last minute Academy enlistment calling elicits four participants.

Internal: Week is highlighted by celebrations as House participates in colleague's birthday party in Amsterdam and board chairman, Jan Joosten, hosts an end of year celebration at the House with a rijstafle while Roundtable is celebration of community as guests and House ground "networking" in their own lives.

Contradiction: Pouring the concrete for the next steps when the forms are not in place. (Week 11)

AREA ROME

THE ROME HOUSE

External: "La Voc d'Italia" document enters last leg towards completion. Arrangements are made for its translation into Italian. Four Academy participants decide definitely to go, filling out registration forms and making travel arrangements.

Internal: Three members of the Seoul House visit on their way to the Academy, Sarah Bayer arrives also en route to Brussels. Editing and secretarial work is obtained with a doctor at the Turner Institute.

Contradiction: Ending the year of diverse activity in this one week with integrity. (Week 12)*

AREA STOCKHOLM

THE COPENHAGEN HOUSE

External: Trip to Geneva wraps up the final stage of co-sponsorship for IERD by W.H.O. with the possibility of further co-operation with the ICA after the exposition for all levels of our work globally. An almost totally new group gathers at the House for an evening context and workshop to evaluate and plan the Youth In Development program.

Internal: Guest Laurie Ure (returning volunteer from Kenya) leaves for USA and a colleague from Rome, Sister Eileen Gran, arrives to share her experience and do sightseeing.

Contradiction: Evaluating the strategic advantages from 1982-83 while preparing for Academy. (Week 12)

AREA BUDAPEST

THE VIENNA HOUSE

External: Two NSC task force meetings slowly inch IERD Phase I forward. RDS date is set for 29 & 30 October and place is reserved. Executive Director of Agrarian Research Institute in Hungary is officially named as IERD coordinator by his government.

Internal: House facility is tested by Yost family visit with nine people sleeping at House and 13 around table including Miss Han and Mr. Niu from Korea.

Contradiction: Getting clear that Phase II of IERD is in February, 1984 - not 1985. (Week 13)*

AREA CAIRO

GIZA — THE EL BAYAD HOUSE

External: Development push yields USD 2500 with 650 unexpected gift from Mobil Exploration. Months of government routine end with electrification for Sheik Ali water system.

Internal: Year end celebration is held in Cairo with trip to zoo, movie, and sail boat picnic all in one day while hosting colleagues from 5th City and Midcrest enroute to USA after Nairobi GRA and sending out Fardos Yousef and Patrick Crump to Global Academy. Report on GRA gives context for summer planning.

Contradiction: Activating expansion tactics to set up fall expansion when Egyptian male staff is not yet released from government job. (Week 13)*

AREA ABIDJAN

THE ABIDJAN HOUSE

External: Development call to ESSO yields list of contacts in other oil-related companies for funding. Documentation Lab on Brobo clusters results in eight pages of accomplishments across 18 villages. Preparations are underway for next IERD meeting with Ministries, organized with the help of UNDP ResRep.

Internal: Abidjan team is reduced to one as Suzanne is sent out to Chicago for Andy's graduation and July Council, and Bill and Steve are sent to Nairobi GRA. All-Ivorian staff keep cluster circuits going in pilot.

Contradiction: Giving "the faithful remnant" the power of an army - or at least a platoon - when each little Franc is precious, and troops are dispersed. (Week 11)

AREA LAGOS

THE LAGOS HOUSE

External: IERD Project selection team visiting Egbema Community Development Project is impressed with the effectiveness of the agricultural cooperatives and amazed to hear one member of the Yam Farmers Coop say he grows his yams to feed a hungry world! NSC welcomes Mr. Alex Sharta from his trip to Chicago, Toronto, London, Brussels and Paris. Two new members from Gongola and Anambra states give project reports and announce an eastern Regional Exposition to be held in November.

Internal: Collegium on Quarter I time design begins to unravel strategies.

Contradiction: Discerning the difference between cruciform deeds and noble actions. (Week 12)*

AREA KINSHASA

THE LUSAKA HOUSE

External: After the Christian Children's Fund visits the project to return 55 photos, about 50 photos are taken in Saili and Kasulu village. Packet is mailed declaring the RDS event and Right Honourable Prime Minister's story to four Houses in Africa and Nexuses. An IERD proposal is drafted.

Internal: The Quarterly time line workshop and collegium on the Panchayat Report prepares the House for the next three months. Immigration papers are submitted for Ken Otto's visa.

Contradiction: Completing Quarter IV and launching the next 15 weeks while running at 100 miles a minute. (Week 11)

AREA NAIROBI

THE NAIROBI HOUSE

External: Global Research Assembly's influence spills over into Area Council through reports and stories of how the 50 village leaders who attended came back with a new sense of empowerment. Site visits by three Indian groups, one Muslim, one Hindu and one business expands frame. Newspaper prints major article on Kabiro and ICA work across country titled 'Slums of Hope'.

Internal: Joe Slicker with son, Bill and Linda Alton with daughter, Kay are sent out to Global Council in Chicago and nine couples announce plans to marry at Area Council.

Contradiction: Taking excitement from GRA and Area Council and transferring it to Quarter I. (Week 13)*

NAIROBI—THE KABIRO HOUSE

External: Saturday meeting is set in Kiwi and Kamoungu villages. Patrick pushes the House for funding the event and starts working on Auxiliary House in Ikuyani.

Internal: Ikuyani House celebrates its promotion from a HDP to a Sub-Location cluster project 26 days after Onesmus Mutua passes away.

Contradiction: Having inadequate tools, low attendance and thus poor participation. (Week 10)

NAIROBI—THE KALWANI-SHAMALAGO HOUSE

External: Nambacha House finishes Namirama and Sirigoi sub-location consults, adding new momentum to Kakamega District intensification. Monitoring treks to Talau, Kituni and Bokingoia Houses, complete circuits to every House this Quarter. Second health conference in Tiriki South is held with 142 health caretakers attending.

Internal: The most loveable (not to mention the only) youth in the section, John Powell and Stewart Harper are sent out to the USA, seven others are sent out to area planning and GRA prep and House has a great "Now, we are ready" VLI Training.

Contradiction: Finding ways to free up participation in assemblies when villages are consumed with national voter registration drives. (Week 8)

NAIROBI—THE MUGUMOINI HOUSE

External: Muthithi B villages and Kinyona C village circuits are done. Ngararia health training graduates 30 new health care takers. Two hundred and fifty-six people attend community centre workday to cement the floor.

Internal: The House team returns from the GRA and also the Area Council. The House sends H. Rugutu, Lucy Kiilu, and Donald Kiilu out for their new assignments; Lucy Kiilu has been in this House for two and a half years.

Contradiction: Catching up with failed impact VDM in the midst of campaign time. (Week 13)*

MOMBASA—THE KAMWELANI HOUSE

External: Kamweleni Team finishes circuits with good success for the Quarter and inkinds more timber for the Kamwelemi House.

Internal: Quarter I is planned as circuit assignments are made for the Quarter. A new finance committee is formed as House experiences turnover due to assignment shifts. Larry and Abdau are off to the Mauritius for LENS, VDM's and IERD calls.

Contradiction: Getting everybody on the road to win with limited materials in the midst of national election fever. (Week 13)*

AREA BOMBAY

BOMBAY—THE MALIWADA HOUSE

External: Circuits to Jamkhed broaden RDS participation list and team discovers rural health project for PDL (Project Description Lab). Meeting with gram seikas of tahsil promises good support by government agencies.

Internal: House works on roof repairs before monsoon rains hit the village.

Contradiction: Creating strong teams to cover all arenas of work especially our relationship with government. (Week 10)

BOMBAY—THE CHIKALE HOUSE

External: Economic module is initiated in the cluster; representatives visit RCF Co. and Jawale Industry Exhibits; Ambar Charka programme is on computer. Training Center and Chikale bridge construction continue; a 67 foot wall is completed for AB Parts, and the tap water system for Chikale and Moho is eight feet short of completion which the MID agrees to connect.

Internal: People from Hoechst Co. are hosted for economic modules and House sends staff to cluster villages for actuation and planning meetings. Chikale and Area team work on Maruti Babhale's passport and visa for the Nairobi GRA.

Contradiction: Dividing and imaging responsibility for the mission so the risks can be won while holding the tension of the external task and the internal life. (Week 6&7)

BOMBAY—THE VAVIHARSH HOUSE

External: Two CYFs are held for 75 students in Deogaon Ashram School and 61 students in Vaitarna High School. Three Adivasi people are sent from cluster village, Chandrachi Meth, to Nasik for driving course. Three day cluster consult has 70 people participating.

Internal: Principal Mr. M. S. Gosavi of Byr College visits Vaviharsh Ashram and talks on NSS Camp. Ashram receives new paint and decor and internal life training begins for new staff.

Contradiction: Completing more documentation as soon as possible so that it can be shown to four-sector people. (Week 7)

PUNE—THE JAWALE HOUSE

External: Documentation meeting in Bombay with whole Area and Sub-continents present puts final touches on documentation. House sends two people to Maale for a regional finance meeting, Jawale hosts a site visit from Spicer's College of Poona and hosts a group seminar with them for teachers living in the villages around the college. The Jawale cluster initiates professional circuits and treks to Kolhapur, Latur, Bombay and Bangalore.

Internal: Fire in the village puts CDA to the test of acting immediately as fire takes two hours and fifteen minutes to extinguish and three staff are sent to hospital. Darren Dynes celebrates his 21st birthday and Duncan and Ramesh come from Nexus to talk about the up-charge initiation budgets and procedures.

Contradiction: Meeting for continuity and engagement in all tasks with all staff in a more rhythmic consistent with external demands. (Week 8)

PUNE—THE MALE HOUSE

External: Waagaoon for the village is completed with 97 children whose parents are charged Rs 10 each. Actuation of Maale lit up with a group of employees with additional signatures and a home visit to the village with Mudsinghi. Sewing class opens in Maale.

Internal: Makwana family visits Maale Ashram bringing skills in sewing and embroidery. Management team of A. Paul and A. Algoankar spend week in Kolhapur and Sangli.

Contradiction: (See above item) (Weeks 9,10)

PUNE—THE BUDHODA HOUSE

External: Bulldozer for road building estimate and drinking water is completed. HDA visits Budhoda village people about future planning. Shivani holds birthday fair and Budhoda village people participate. New information about Ambar charka industries and arrives as Budhoda builds Amabedkar statue.

Internal: House has a meeting with Area Team member Ambavji Kemble.

Contradiction: (See above item) (Week 11)

NAGPUR—THE SHIVANI HOUSE

External: House starts for its education walls in five houses each in Mandurgad area. Materials donated by The Centre of Science for Villages. Materials distributed for drainage in Sevagram and Karanjali. Ambar Charkha programme takes another leap as five more units are supplied to both Piyai and Bhankheda from Gumbhleshwar who also supplied bales of cotton (raw material). A research and development institute report is printed and distributed to four sectors. Village Leaders Conference is held in Sevagram with nine villages from two clusters represented. Seventy-five people come to the opening ceremony of this two-day programme where the Block Development Officer gives a great, practical keynote talk. This programme decides on twelve common programmes for the block which will focus the participation of (four sectors) action guilds in agricultural, environment and social arenas.

Internal: House struggles to prepare for VLC including new design windows with great celebration. Kokene and Varna are visited by Area Meeting in Jawale. Mohan Borker finally gets his full license for the jeep. Massive food credit bill of Rs 1,000 is finally paid off.

Contradiction: Using the time until troops come back and quarter planning is done to prepare for the coming quarter. (Weeks 11,12)

NAGPUR—THE TEMBURWAHI HOUSE

External: The planting season is launched with promises of high yields enabled by the distribution of free, high quality seed and NPK fertilizer, through the World Bank assisted Benoarth (Agricultural Training & Visitation) Scheme. Preschool teacher Suekha graduates with 60 other newly trained Adult Education teachers, ready to bridge the literacy gap across the Block. Temburwahi CDA moves toward Bakery Building funding by delivering the final notice for overdue loan repayments.

Internal: Claire returns from meeting in Sevagram to lead a collegium "The New WCDS Volunteer: Not a Development Tourist". This is complemented by a collegium led by Claire's visiting sister Erica, "Volunteers on the Move", using her objectivity to give the Ashram new images of its role in building the Global Movement.

Contradiction: Focussing on the catalytic "Monsoon Miracles" that will prevent the four sectors from getting stuck in the mud. (Week 13)*

NAGPUR—THE DABHAD HOUSE

External: Preschool shed is built in Jambron and Medhda holds shramdan and meeting with Gram Sevek. Managing Director of Village Bank in Pradhpur adopts six cluster villages.

Internal: Wood is obtained for Ashram repairs, S. Sawarkhed arrives from Sevagram and Prasad family is sent out for discontinuity. Marathi classes start.

Contradiction: Setting up Global Women's Forums without any educated women on the staff. (Week 12)

AREA DELHI

THE DELHI HOUSE

External: HDZ cluster village Sarpanch visits Sikror and reaffirms his decision to make his a model village, too. Seminar with BATA management and supervisors leads to follow-up "Effective Supervisors" course set for July - first structural permeation in Faridabad. First HDA meeting is small but highlighted by favourable report of Maharashtra work by Canara Bank representative. "Development Alternatives" Director brings experts to advise village leaders on cheap and effective road building.

Internal: Volunteer Fiona MacIntosh arrives from Temburwahi and creates confusion and amusement by being the second Fiona in the House.

Contradiction: Releasing potentially available government services to the cluster. (Week 11)

AREA MADRAS

THE BANGALORE HOUSE

External: Rural Development Symposium held in Bangalore is the second in a series of 20 RDS's planned for Area Madras before the Delhi Plenary. Forty-five participants from seven banks and 18 voluntary organisations from across Karnataka attend the event. Accompanying advertising booklet and participant fees brings the ICA income of over 22,000 rupees on the event. Health meeting with 20 participants representing the four sectors, establishes the first fully fledged HDA meeting in Gunjurpalya.

Internal: Ten days of "whole House" collegiums gives the House a much needed reorientation and rearticulation of the corporate mission, after a quarter of being on the road.

Contradiction: Working out the practical details of caring for the corporate body that we presently are and the new community which we are becoming. (Week 10)

AREA CALCUTTA

THE CALCUTTA HOUSE

External: Rural Development Symposium: Eastern India is held with 50 organisations and 100 participants, representing all four sectors and three states. It is sponsored by three Calcutta based banks and three Calcutta Chambers (United Commercial Bank, United Bank of India, Allahabad Bank, Bharat Chamber of Commerce, Indian Chamber of Commerce and Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry.) The Inauguration, by Shri B. D. Pande the Governor of W. Bengal, is covered with two and one half minutes on local T.V. and articles and photos in two leading newspapers. Symposium ends with fine Plenary reflection, and invitation to do another symposium in Jamshedpur, and government/local rural frame in the best shape yet!

Internal: Week of comings and goings including sending out Antoinette Baptista (regional colleague) to Academy, Vaughn to Bombay and then Chicago Council, return of Prasad family from discontinuity and arrival of Nancy Trask for RDS is capped off by fine beer and biriyani feast after the RDS.

Contradiction: Broadening back out to major task arenas (with one third staff) after focussed blitz of RDS. (Week 12)

AREA SINGAPORE

THE JAKARTA HOUSE

External: A week of mailings sends out 50 "Hari Raya" cards in anticipation of the end of the Ramadam fasting month, 50 "Development Update Newsletters" to contributors, and 14 packets to NSC members.

Internal: Tajuddin and Yasin give a great collegium report on the Nairobi GRA, just before they are sent out to Medan to staff HDZ-Pilot programs.

Contradiction: Creating the strategic authorization and framing "Hari Raya" visits, in the midst of a complete shutdown as two million people leave Jakarta for Lebaran (holiday). (Week 1)*

THE MEDAN HOUSE

External: Tactics for getting the new Governor's audience include a brief four year summary report of ICA, letter from Camat to Bupati for continued ICA presence and request and encouragement for a recommendation letter from Bupati to the governor.

Internal: House celebrates with one big party the arrival of Julia from Nairobi GRA and send out of Rebecca and Romanus to Brussels Academy. The week is capped off with an early July 4th celebration at the American Consulate.

Contradiction: Establishing the image of expanding activities popping the lid off July 7 agreement completion date. (Week 13)*

THE KUALA LUMPUR HOUSE

External: A very successful two and a half day module is conducted with Bank Pembangunan, a government sponsored bank in Kuala Lumpur. There are 13 participants, eight of these are seasoned LENS graduates and five are completely new candidates to ICA methods.

Internal: The House welcomes John Radar on a development trip from Hong Kong. A visit to Pulau Kapaz, a beautiful island off the N.E. coast of Malaysia, a day's trek in the jungle and swimming in a mountain fresh river and waterfall provide a refreshing discontinuity for all. Back at base, a very interesting collegium on the Panchayat balloons is conducted by Dharmalingham.

Contradiction: Getting on top of the voluntary sector quickly enough in order to market programmes before the month ends. (Weeks 7,8)

THE-UJUNG PANDANG HOUSE

External: Documentation of Bontoa ripple effect gets underway while Bontoa HDP documentation nears completion. The preschool guild makes a trip to Ujung Pandang to prepare their school graduation certificates and get introduced to the supplier of their inkind milk. Adrian and Majid attend guardian's English class at Chamber of Commerce in Ujung Pandang.

Internal: The House experiences another slow-pace week and adjusts structures to enable the time schedule for the Muslim fasting month.

Contradiction: Enabling the daily tasks to be infused with spirit when the House experiences the effect of the no-solids/no-liquid dawn to dusk fast period physically tiring. (Week 13)*

AREA HONG KONG

THE MANILA HOUSE

External: Visit with IIRR (International Institute of Rural Reconstruction) by NSC representatives enables new ideas to erupt on the IERD Rural Symposium. House sends Peace Corps Officer to Brussels Academy and two agricultural technicians from AMSEF to Palawan project for two weeks. Development ends the month of June with P124,060 - over by P30,000. Quarter IV budget is sent to ADAB for Zamboanga.

Internal: House celebrates African week after hearing report from the Lanings and Ben Aguirang on Kenya. Lanings are sent out to Australia. Ben returns from Kenya, Bernandito from Sudtonggan for development and Jalnu Vergara from Guam.

Internal: Nationals begin to take control of the Manila House as House begins to fill up with Philipinos. (Week 13)*

THE HONG KONG HOUSE

External: Nam Wai Foundation Survey compilation form is completed by volunteer Kevin Grady.

Internal: House celebrates Peter Ballard's "graduation" from his school of the last three years, and is treated to a matinee showing of "The Return of The Jedi" by a long-time colleague. The week ends with a 4th of July rooftop bar-be-que.

Contradiction: Shifting our mindset to a new year when the old year's weaving still has too many loose threads. (Week 13)*

THE TAIPEI HOUSE

External: Singer Co. LENS is held at Grand Hotel with marketing division, 27 participants. It is the first LENS done in Chinese, with team leaders from the company trained to lead the workshops, and the primary leadership in conversations and plenaries taken by Chinese colleagues. The company is highly enthusiastic over results, hosts everyone at wild closing celebration and promises to introduce us to other Chinese companies. For second month of the year, income breaks the bottomline, and conversation about IERD turns up old '73 Filipino LENS grad who offers assistance.

Internal: Roundtable turns into a kind of Town Meeting on Taiwan, House hosts Rob Duffy and Hur Myung Hee who report on Japan and Nexus planning and Roxana is sent out to Global Council.

Contradiction: Clarifying our story as we move into a new year, while creating a new form of intensity appropriate for Quarter I. (Week 13)*

MANILA-THE PUTSAN HOUSE

External: Only two children are still third degree malnourished due to support of food commodities regularly from USSD source. Two new babies are born in the community in one week. The week was highlighted by the completion of purchasing local ceramic products. The first training module in Putsan is completed in one week with participation of barangay officials and guild workers.

Internal: House welcomes the arrival of the Aguirangs from National Council Cebu with one youth of the Estangios from Cebu assigned in Putsan and the send out of Ben Aguirang to GRA Nairobi.

Contradiction: Getting ready to travel and sell the ceramic local product experimentation while the assigned staff are not experienced. (Week 10)

THE CEBU HOUSE

External: Quarterly medicine report is sent to Regional Health Office. One thousand plus are on enrollment list of ELNC preschoolers in the year 1983-84. Three days are spent in documentation by NSC of PRRM - Philippine Rural Reconstruction Movement's Area number three Ampalaya project..

Internal: Research team (PRRM) arrives to represent the NSC. Anna Booth goes to Zamboanga and Bernandito Rosalada to Malaysia for development. NSC holds closing celebration and sends out research team of Anna and Bernandito. Eng Bacante from Minsitry of Agrarian Reform visits the project.

Contradiction: Dividing the time due to shortage of staff in moving the existing project. (Week 13)*

THE DAVAO HOUSE

External: The preschool teachers attend a three day live-in seminar in MSSD. During the first week of June the classes open with 95% attendance from every village. Social worker from MSSD visits the mountain cluster to finalize the PPA Association. Livestock program is going very well and improves the economic.

Internal: Five people are sent out to attend the Area Council in Cebu.

Contradiction: Securing more material for preschool and new proposal for expansion of the Upper Caimon. (Week 10)*

AREA TOKYO

THE TOKYO HOUSE

External: This week IERD receives the endorsement of MITI (Ministry of International Trade and Industry) which is a major breakthrough in Japan.

Internal: Area check signals meeting in Korea is a demonstration of collegiality and builds scenarios of the future in the area that display deep commitment to the turf.

Contradiction: With the summer discontinuous time bearing down on us we are forming the new thinking for the year. (Week 11)

THE SEOUL HOUSE

External: Fourth women's organization gives over \$1,000 this year, and third adoption agency provides orphan flight priority for ICA.

Internal: Families experience expansion of family time when washing machine is fixed and hand washing ends.

Contradiction: Getting all the pieces together to send Miss Kim to Chicago. (Week 1)*

SEOUL-THE CHEONG WON HOUSE

External: The regular cluster leaders meeting plans weekly "village days" each week for July and August, which will put all staff in two villages one day each week. A visit to the county finds caring people who agree to work with the cluster leaders to set up an economic venture. The cluster leaders and two staff visit the agriculture center at Suwon, and one leader says he's going to agricultural training for the whole village.

Internal: Evaluation of Quarter IV and designing Quarter I internal life keeps the whole House spinning.

Contradiction: Translating our strength into a bright new quarter. (Week 13)*

THE FUKUOKA HOUSE

External: A TV Producer from Tokyo who plans to do a film in India of the IERD meeting drops by unexpectedly and Shizuyo gives him breakfast while he proposes a Youth Symposium for August in Kumamoto. The Regional Team brings concerned, interested enthusiasm to the work of planning for the summer and next year at an afternoon meeting on Sunday which ends with the Weekly Ritual and "obentos". Mr. Kim, a Korean ICA member, leads a discussion of his country using many beautiful publications from the University Student Center.

Internal: Naomi Sato is nine years old and celebrates with a great party. The Womens' class prepares a meal and practices English in the process. Professor Imamura reports on his two months in the States.

Contradiction: Increasing IERD activity in Kyushu as a way of bringing together many different kinds of similar programs. (Week 12)

THE OSAKA HOUSE

External: Mr. Fukunaga of the Suita City Social Education Department visits the ICA office to see the NHK Town Meeting news clip and to discuss a possible event for the fall. Mr. Oku, ICA Board of Directors also visits to discuss the possibility of a LENS for his company, Hirakawa Iron Works.

Internal: We celebrate Independence Day with a 9:30 pm. "American" picnic with hamburgers, fireworks and a water balloon fight. Mizuhiro Tanaka stops over after a business trip to America bringing Hershey's Chocolate. Ashiya teaching ends for the summer.

Contradiction: Effectively presenting the story of ICA in Japan and in relation to the developing world, as we prepare for the International Festival. (Week 1)*

THE SAPPORO HOUSE

External: Visits to the Asian Dairy Youth Exchange Committee and the Hokkaido 4-H generate more support for the volunteer symposium. Newsletter task force meets to edit and translate next month's edition. ICA "Camp in Oyubari" brochure is printed and distributed.

Internal: Manami Kitamura is sent out to Academy. Alexander Tonosaki retires from hotel front desk job to begin full-time self-support venture company work.

Contradiction: Pushing a big event in September when there is little work time in August. (Week 13)*

AREA SYDNEY

THE SYDNEY HOUSE

External: RDS with 18 organisations and meeting with New South Wales Bicentennial Commission elicit responses from new networks for money and programme. Third spirit conversation with founder of Society of St. Gerard yields Area Council facility; and YES for three to come to Roundtable plus invitation for week-end Retreat (our House and theirs).

Internal: Collegium on our "ORDER BRIEFS" collegiums series re: 1984 produces model and recommendations for globe and is sent with Sandy to the Summer. ICA office is moved from city back to the House and reshuffle there fits in snugly. MicroConnexions starts July with \$300 worth of work. End of Year Celebration is great event with steak and wine.

Contradiction: Creating formats and manoeuvres that freight us into Quarter I. (Week 13)*

SYDNEY-THE MURRIN BRIDGE HOUSE

External: Schools and community get preparation for National Aboriginal Week into full swing. Beryl Philp visits from Menindee to work on cultural heritage. ABC television, having heard from four education sources that Lake Cargelligo - Murrin Bridge is a place showing positive trends toward the future, comes and spends 10 days filming schools and community for a one half hour programme to be aired in about six months. Margo Johnson is sent out to Milperra College for a month. "Ngiyampaa Verbs" book has trial printing.

Internal: Aaron's birthday coincides with Queen's Birthday weekend and becomes a three-day celebration including a video movie for all the community children and fireworks. Nelsons spend four days in Sydney for Area Check Signals and other work.

Contradiction: Playing less and less direct roles while ensuring eventfulness. (Weeks 11,12,13)*

THE MELBOURNE HOUSE

External: Area development bottomline met twice this month by 5 July with a \$20,000 grant from the Australian Development Assistance Bureau for IERD, and other working money coming home. Mike Bellamy and Adam Thomson are sent out on Perth/Adelaide circuit to push research and project selection for IERD down the road.

Internal: Visit of Area Prior Frank Powell journeys house with depth reflections and brooding on future Area strategies and the future forms and role of the Order, sensing a new turn towards the NSV as we move towards the HDZ. Mary Thomson celebrates her 5th birthday.

Contradiction: Putting in place internal life structures for the new year that enable celebration of the complete missional task. (Week 1)*

AREA SUVA

APIA - THE NUKU'ALOFA HOUSE

External: Health Guild in Vava'u is launched with 19 people participating representing all four sectors. Fetu'u Tupou leads circuit team to Ha'apai group of islands for PTS set up. NSC decides task forces and gets down to work in three arenas of publicity, project documentation and fund raising.

Internal: Grace returns from Vava'u. House participates in church dedication and feast following several months of work building the church and fund-raising by colleagues and House members. Work begins on individual and family course scheduled for Week 13.

Contradiction: Enabling the task forces of the NSC without doing their work for them. (Week 11)

AREA SAN FRANCISCO

THE LOS ANGELES HOUSE

External: Project selection meeting in Visalia chooses nine projects which cover the state and all arenas of Rural Development. Sir Richard Attenborough (Gandhi film) agrees to pursue IERD documenting and GAB membership. Francis Roper is sent to Project Selection Meeting in Chicago with 10 projects selected in the SF/LA bi-region. LA computer guild meeting produces volunteers for project entry onto our computer of LA/SF project surveys and first successful communication takes place between LA Kaypro II and Control Data Corporation main frame in Minneapolis.

Internal: E.G. finally arrive at camp and 4th of July steak cook-out caps weekend of many visitors from Indonesia, Australia and San Francisco. "Return of the Jedi" stars Alice Wright (home from Edmonton), Milind Chitnavis (from taking E.G. to camp), Robert Ennis (from Jamaica) and Jeff Roper (from Nairobi and into hospital with malaria).

Contradiction: Capturing the key victories toward next year's base of program and self-support during July and August. (Week 1)*

THE SEATTLE HOUSE

External: Team flurries to get House and office in shape for the "Open Day at the ICA", which is occasion for new Indian colleagues from Vivian Paul's visits, neighbors and other new colleagues to see the global film, hear the IERD and ICA story and to visit. Raymond returns from three weeks in Alaska setting up State Steering Committee and funding as David Cunningham leaves for Oregon with David Zollars, and Rachel Staffstall flies to Boise, both on project visit circuits. Annual Appeal follow-up call yields surprise \$5000 check (3000 more than pledged) a great visit and a new member of NSC.

Internal: The revolving door sends out the Robertsons with great party to Camp as staff and then on to Chicago, and almost immediately receives David and Martha Dempster Cunningham into the House.

Contradiction: Finding the Top Ten projects to recommend to the NSC with only 10 days left, when half the territory is yet to be visited and people are still giving new referrals. (Week 12)

THE PHOENIX HOUSE

External: Six RDSFs are held in the region enabling 76 projects and 200 participants to begin networking successful projects and continue the documentation towards IERD. The Coronado Neighborhood Community LENS in Phoenix inner city, is held June 16, 17, 18, sponsored by local churches, civic associations, hospital, redevelopment corporation, food cooperative, Neighborhood Housing Services, City of Phoenix, Arizona Department of Health & local residents. Forty-one participants create a 35-page document. South Mountain High School's upswing in national scores is attributed by principal to LENS held August '82, and Marilyn is interviewed by local radio station to explain principal's comments, LENS & ICA.

Internal: As temperatures hit 116 degrees, Los Angeles youth and E.G. come through on the way to camp and Kansas City, Catherine Lopez and son Lee from Pisinemo arrive for week's stay and six RDSF's, and Day I folks and Oylor E.G. are sent out to NSC, Los Angeles, Chicago camp, and discontinuity.

Contradiction: Accomplishing Day I tasks with only Day II people in the House. (Week 1)*

THE DENVER HOUSE

External: Project selection from Denver-Billings is accomplished in two five hour meetings. Showcase forum is held in Casper, Wyoming, and confirmations are mailed to 50 for IERD fund-raising event in Don Elliotts' home next week. Global film is shown at luncheon at center.

Internal: Lingo stops by, does two presentations and recruits walk-in visitor to work in Kenya. E.G. are driven to camp with two day, sixteen block curriculum enroute. House now on firm foundation as bricks are placed under northeast corner. "Return of the Jedi" gives a new myth to explore.

Contradiction: Ballooning assignments early enough to maximize use of the available time, troops, and money. (Week 8)

AREA EDMONTON

THE EDMONTON HOUSE

External: Development gets an early response towards IERD funding with the request for proposals and yes's to fund. The IERD regional steering committee produces first draft for project documentation.

Internal: House celebrates along with the city of Edmonton eleven full days of University games highlighted by the international gatherings and opening ceremonies given by the Prince of Wales.

Contradiction: Figuring out what product we want from the documentation of area successes. (Week 1)*

THE ANCHORAGE HOUSE

External: Luke Titus, of Minto, says yes to being included on the Alaska Advisory Committee. Will Mayo attends the national Steering Committee meeting in Chicago as Alaska's representative. Over 100 invitations to Alaska Advisory IERD Committee meeting are sent.

Internal: Alan Stocking arrives for the summer and he takes on a phone answering job for the Daily News. Warren Crain, guardian from Seattle, stops by.

Contradiction: Maintaining missional momentum when region is in summer mode. (Week 1)*

THE VANCOUVER HOUSE

AREA HOUSTON

THE HOUSTON HOUSE

External: The Regional Team experiences the refreshment of continued momentum over the summer as the House and Houston Metro Team host an "Ending Hunger Briefing" and experience a bubbling flow of profound conversation from hors d'oeuvres (Dick Whanger's trip to Brazil) through dessert (innovative education) at Roundtable. The monthly All Task Force meeting sets pre- and post- Continental Council regional meetings to launch the 1983-84 program year.

Internal: The Regional Team gathers for swimming, feasting and celebrating Larry & Shirley Henschen's first 25 years as a family. Linda VerNooy arrives to pick up a new Apple II computer system for Conacosta HDP.

Contradiction: Mobilizing the entire team's creativity on building the foundations for Quarter II program and development in the midst of pulling off summer objectives. (Week 1)*

THE DALLAS HOUSE

External: First of four sessions is prepared in response to request from Texas Instruments for us to do training using their content and our method. United Methodist reporter hires Bill Bailey as permanent manager of promotion. Visits continue with colleagues of the spirit movement in North Texas.

Internal: "Say Amen, Somebody" reminds us of the unique power of music to ground the word about life.

Contradiction: Finding out our expectations are already over. (Week 11)

THE MEMPHIS HOUSE

External: Team brainstorm scenario for RDS video story; mails RDS document to area participants; and sends out Clements' final newsletter to New Orleans Region.

Internal: David Zarht is sent out to NSC and Global Council, Russell White to join his parents in Kenya and entire House to two picnics highlighted by July 4th fireworks on Mud Island and Mollie's winning a ham at St. Peter's Home for Children.

Contradiction: Getting new act on the road that deals with realities and transits into the new year. (Week 1)*

THE ATLANTA HOUSE

External: Charles Lingo drops in for Atlanta visits and House is absorbed by Kenya collegium. Meals on Wheels in Orlando requests second round of planning.

Internal: Dean and Anna Johnson arrive along with Area Priors in time to celebrate a fabulous 4th of July barbecue.

Contradiction: Intuiting the long term directions which inform us about immediate regional and self-support strategies. (Week 1)*

AREA CHICAGO

THE CHICAGO HOUSE

External: The House hosts 15 leaders from agencies on the West Side at the first of six 3-hour Westside Leadership Institutes. The House is greatly enabled by three summer university students - Heidi Bradshaw, Peter Fry and Charles Santos. The Mid-America Council enjoyed lunch out at the 5th City Summer Festival.

Internal: The House sends all E.G. and Youth off to camp and the Sixth Grade Trip along with three 5th City E.G. enabled by a McDonalds Corporation grant.

Contradiction: Making sure that our Quarter I plan includes a foundational understanding of the 5th City story of why we're here and who we care for and revitalize the Third Decade and the West Side Zone. (Week 1)*

THE KANSAS CITY HOUSE

External: House and Metro assist in prep for 150th anniversary of Westport community and attend the fine event. Visits continue toward a fall event in Metro Kansas City including a garden party at Wilsons. First local showing of video intrigues old and new colleagues. Donna W. Zeigenhorn is awarded one of three Time-Life awards for participation in ICA Westport Alive Forum Education.

Internal: Sandy Lamphear arrives from Detroit to join youth in summer of work; week ends with pizza, Rocky III and Neil Young concert celebration.

Contradiction: Forging a Quarter I vision while shifting gears in three weeks time. (Week 13)*

KANSAS CITY—THE LORIMOR HOUSE

External: The Hunger Task Force of the Methodist Church in Des Moines, views the new ICA video presentation and affirms our long relationship with the possibility of future funding for third world projects. A follow up visit to Lincoln for the Youth Development Series and proposals are drafted for American Cable Vision, HBO Cable Vision and the Nebraska Wellness program consultations. Delivery of Mid America Access to the future documents provides occasions for conversations on implementation of symposium tactics across the Zone.

Internal: Justin Morrill arrives for 24 hours to attend the Hunger Task Force Meeting and Dick West returns from the GRA in Nairobi and his son Calvin arrives for a month stay at the House.

Contradiction: Moving from reacting to "that which is hanging over our head" to charting the future of Lorimor and the Midcrest HDZ. (Week 1)*

THE MINNEAPOLIS HOUSE

External: Ten projects and representatives of innovative rural development projects in Minnesota attend RDS in Des Moines, while Minneapolis partnerships rapidly blossom to cover four days of job training with 75 youth in PAC (Partnerships Among Communities) Program, co-sponsored by IDS and Bell Telephone.

Internal: Staff celebrates with Len Rado, Virginia Pierce and Mary Alice Smalls the completion of their working with student government class, Student Council and the management team at Central High School.

Contradiction: Empowering people to persist in a creative modes of program development as staff is dispersed across programs and geography. (Week 9)

THE DETROIT HOUSE

External: Team focuses on future financial condition as region presents model for Order winepress, LENS, Incorporated and first workshops begin to mold fall Annual Appeal.

Internal: "Summertime" shift is made as troops berry pick and set aside Tuesday evening reflections after "On the Road" and "Our Times" television shows. Four weeks in July Roundtable is launched with meatier studies, spirit conversations, and exercises.

Contradiction: Brainstorming long lists of to do's and could do's for Quarter I --- none of which demand inspired revolutionary presence without re-storying and grounding of Regional contradiction. (Week 1)*

CLEVELAND-THE INDIANAPOLIS HOUSE

External: Judson Edwards decides to attend Academy in Brussels. Design conference with Kentucky Department of Local Government yields one hot LENS prospect and one very promising PSU. College Avenue Corridor coalition (CCC) community meeting attendance exceeds most optimistic predictions with 120 coming from all sectors and TV cameras rolling. Quarter I planning completed on July 4th with Declaration of Radical Repentance and Reconciliation.

Internal: A celebrative House Church lifts up and celebrates two graduations and the birthday of Kris Kucera. House does Pilgrimage to four projects in Region nominated for India.

Contradiction: Seeing what we are doing as prototypical of Religious dynamic replicable in every metro. (Week 13)

AREA NEW YORK

THE NEW YORK HOUSE

External: A \$10,000 donation is given to ICA development through Roman Haas in Philadelphia. In the private sector a new contact was made with Mr. Nanaka of Japan who could be a foothold into the private sector of the U.S. In Maine 167 are now registered for the Rural Development Symposium.

Internal: The Metafile Software package arrives which allows the Paragigm business in the House to pick up data entry work which has been on hold for six months.

Contradiction: Building the Metabit while running from event to event. (Week 10)

THE ROCHESTER HOUSE

External: Community Forum in Ripley sponsored by Town Supervisor and School Superintendent heals old wounds and makes new plans. New York is represented at New England/Maritimes RDS by Buffalo and Stockport energy projects and four representing the Millers Mills Ice Harvest Festival.

Internal: Alice Rose goes to farm while Tom Catandella sojourns on way to and from RDS.

Contradiction: Gearing our region into IERD after recruiting Vermont for the RDS. (Week 11)

THE WASHINGTON HOUSE

External: Dutch Embassy agrees to host a reception and cultural event in October as a fundraiser for the IERD. Computer Paradigm Inc. secures contracts for four basic computer literacy courses for a local IBM dealer's customers. C & P Telephone in Richmond, Virginia contributes. Richmond Senior Citizens Council calls to schedule a one-day board planning session which will yield \$1,000. Follow up visits are held with individuals who attended the recent IERD reception hosted by the Bedells.

Internal: Linda Knutsen returns home from hospital after a 5-day stay. House welcomes Robert, first member of the True family to arrive for new assignment to Washington House. First of three July holidays transforms kitchen and pantry. Helen and Bill Newkirk report on Area Santiago's past year during collegium

Contradiction: Using July/August to set up fall momentum in the midst of traditional images of discontinuity. (Weeks 13,1)*

THE BOSTON HOUSE

External: The Boston House sends all available members to the RDS in Portland, Maine. The preparatory time spent leading up to this symposium pays off with a signal event for New England and the Maritimes. Boston Training Inc. is moving ahead with appointments this week at Digital, Boston Housing Authority, and the Boston Mayor's Office. Date of September 17 is set for Northfield Mt. Hermon student leadership symposium.

Internal: Alison Bengel receives the outstanding student award for the second grade class at Nathan Hale School. The House hosts those from New York and Troy on the way to and from the RDS.

Contradiction: Maintaining a common focus amid the diversity of activity. (Week 11)

BOSTON-THE STARKS HOUSE

External: The Starks Enterprise Corporation sponsors a Starks village lawn sale. SEC Board members visit Jerry Dodd of "The Maine Idea" in relation to cornshop rental. The Starks woodworks receives its first mail order - through Bruce Macomber's International Marketing Associates Corporation.

Internal: Starks participates with Boston in a regional team brooding weekend on the future of the Order.

Contradiction: Putting several things on automatic pilot while council and discontinuity approach. (Week 13)*

AREA MONTREAL

THE TORONTO HOUSE

External: In two and a half days 62 people from across the continent are trained to facilitate the Planetary Initiates Congress of 470 people. Hornepayne Community LENS with Native community combines planning and training in six day event. Closing reflection reveals journey of community as they admit, "We started out scared and moved to opening the door to the future." One day planning with the Native Community Branch and the Hornepayne LENS intensifies our role as linking government structures with local communities. NSC meeting in Winnipeg lays out task of documenting 100 projects for the continent.

Internal: House experiences incredible celebrations in midst of programmatic activity with Planetary Initiatives montage building, neighborhood celebration, barbeque with participants in Hornepayne LENS and quarter end celebration at Summer Country '83 as we bask in the sun for nine hours. Jessica Farrar receives participation award at 6th grade graduation for most involvement in activities in and out of school. She then joins 6th grade rite of passage trip as they explore eastern Canada.

Contradiction: Gathering regional colleagues together to plan documentation trips in the midst of summer holidays. (Week 13)

THE OTTAWA HOUSE

External: A planning session is held with the staff of F.J.C.F. to determine focus and construct for a three-day meeting with Nova Scotia Administrative Council. Rideauwood meeting offers opportunity to pass leadership over to the group and determines summer focus on funding. A number of visits yields IERD possibilities including news of RDS-type event being held in Quebec, Intermediate Technology contacts and presentation to BCNI-the latter enabled by Fred Carrothers. CICA legal advisor.

Internal: Michael attends 3M award dinner and receives a plaque for sales achievement in 1982-83. The House holds a successful garage sale in ongoing preparation for move.

Contradiction: Opportunities for making a major contribution to national organisations involved in local planning call for urgency and prudence at same time. (Week 7)

THE MONTREAL HOUSE

External: Two towers at Habitation Jeanne Mance take July 1st (Canada Day) outside for a grand fête. Staff travels to Western Canada to participate in National Steering Committee Meeting and the Stony Plaine, Alberta Exchange Conference.

Internal: Annual Interprovincial bicycle race passes our door doing 50 laps while we host 6th grade trip and Montreal grand churches allow for youth to meditate on Ground of Being.

Contradiction: Learning how to work with people from all sectors to allow for reflection on missional focus and indigenize programmes. (Week 12)

AREA MEXICO CITY

THE MEXICO CITY HOUSE

External: National Steering Committee meets to tackle fundraising contradiction. Loss of RDS site forces postponement till late August of the Symposium which allows us time to prepare adequate procedures and facilitation team. Time/Life LENS is a resounding success with 100 salespersons unified in a common plan and an invitation to explore a LENS in Peru.

Internal: House overflows as colleagues gather for the LENS team: Jim Kelly (Chicago), Rose Worden (Atlanta), Carlos Zervignon (New Orleans), John Turton (Guatemala). The week includes several celebrations; final poolside relaxation session at magnificent Hyatt hacienda.

Contradiction: Creating enough momentum to last as House anticipates being absent throughout the month of July. (Week 11)

THE GUATEMALA CITY HOUSE

External: Team rejoices for the moment as all the plates are spinning and under control. Agricultural Project story is documented and ready to be presented to the world by George West and Rolando Rodriguez in visits to IADB Washington D.C. and U.S. funding organizations. CCF announces June 24 starting date for sponsoring Conacaste Brillando the preschool program. Harvest intensifies with three experimental crops off to test market and the first harvest of 59 boxes of tomatoes from the four drip irrigated farms.

Internal: House celebrates the send-out of Rolando Rodriguez to Washington D.C. and birthday (in absentia) of George West with delicious strawberry cream cake.

Contradiction: Transferring skills and data rapidly and imaginably so that local people can keep pace as the project reaches another level of managerial and technical sophistication. (Week 9)

AREA HAVANA

THE KINGSTON HOUSE

External: HDTI participants name first week, "Discovery of a New Beginning," with economic cycle, trip to national hero Paul Bogle's home village, Musashi study, visit by Australian High Commissioner and two Rotarians on panels. Jamaica report is written for Nairobi GRA and Alice Wright and Mary Work are sent out to GRA. National Steering Committee of IERD has first meeting since RDS with reflection and look at major fund raising ahead.

Internal: House sends out John Barnes back to Chicago Nexus.

Contradiction: Sustaining six missional tracks with very few troops. (Week 10)

AREA LIMA

THE LIMA HOUSE

External: Another grand roofing day takes place as 50 Azpitianos work six hours to pour 200 square meters of roof on the dormitory wing of the training center while eight village women prepare the feast. Last Health Caretaker Class is finished and practical experience with local health department is scheduled.

Internal: Big Despedida celebration sends out Manuel Samayoa to the Academy in Brussels and on to next assignment after 20 months in Azpitia.

Contradiction: Implementing the cluster plan in all the villages at the same time. (Week 13)*

AREA CARACAS

THE CARACAS HOUSE

External: Grant from Finance Corporation comes through on the same day Stephan Vance's science teacher gives unexpected gift of 1,400Bs. Large proposal for November Research Assembly is received favorably by director of Polar Foundation. The first of a new series of mobilization treks begins in Caño Negro with its focus on education. Caño Negro becomes the first audience of the new "Cultural Encounter-Barlovento" course. Father Luis of Fe and Alegria meets with Juan Pablo and Caño Negro youth to discuss implications of establishing a highschool in Caño Negro and the opportunity to send six youth to continue secondary studies in Merida State.

Internal: Vances are sent out to the summer with celebration of T-Bone steaks and Betamax Double-Feature. The Caño Negro House welcomes a second summer volunteer Roger Carless from England and continues to perform "minimiracles" on the training center's lawn.

Contradiction: Maintaining the unity of the group while dispersed on treks. (Week 10)

AREA BUENOS AIRES

THE SANTIAGO HOUSE

External: More responsibility comes to "The Directiva" in Sol as they struggle through a finance meeting to decide how to use the new monies received from the sale of the Machinery Pool. A decision for a legal structure of the Sol Bakery is drawing near as the women receive some good advice on how to organize a successful business for the future. A great "going away" party in Sol is held to send off the Newkirks to the Global Research Assembly in Chicago.

Internal: The Team in Santiago sends out the Newkirks to Chicago with a fine meal at one of the local restaurants and many conversations about global assignments are held to determine the situation for the next year.

Contradiction: Catalyzing an effective commitment from colleagues in order to implement the missional vision. (Week 12)

AREA RIO DE JANEIRO

THE RIO DE JANEIRO HOUSE

External: ICA purchases new alcohol VW Kombi with grant received from Dutch Embassy. Development receives another \$US 1500 and two companies donate drugs for Rio Bonito project clinics.

Internal: House welcomes David Wood-Smith, an English volunteer through the London House Volunteer Training Program. Welch family, after a five month visa saga, hears that now the minister to sign the final papers is sick!!

Contradiction: Deciding the key activities in the midst of diminishing resources of people and money. (Week 13)*

GLOBAL NEXUS

THE BRUSSELS NEXUS HOUSE

External: Thirty Seventh Global Academy opens with 100 present, including half the members of The Order of Our Lady of Perseverance and a number of guests from Brussels.

Internal: Year-end flurry of activities includes a day of recollection and writing followed by an indoor picnic overlooking the garden and last-minute Academy prep.

Contradiction: Forging out a creative practical structure for undergirding global priority No. 9. (Week 13)*

THE BOMBAY NEXUS HOUSE

External: A Rural Development Symposium in Bangalore sponsored by the Canara Bank brings together 17 volunteer agencies and seven banks.

Internal: Seven people from the Nexus join 3000 in celebrating the marriage of Asaram Rokhade and Mangla More in Athwad, a former district project village. A blue sari, a journal and centerpiece gifts are given to symbolize their decision to be in the ICA. Nexus Order Day and fasting day with key reflection create a week of celebration of life.

Contradiction: Complexity in orchestrating year end demands tends to blur images of riding momentum. (Weeks 9)

THE HONG KONG NEXUS HOUSE

External: Final session on second module of Global Language program includes field trip and registration for Module III. As \$20,000 comes in as a surprise and intensive preparation is done to send out representatives to GOC.

Internal: This week has been full of celebration as module teacher enjoys bar-be-que with the students, Mary Hoff's brother takes House to a very nice Chinese restaurant on his way from China with his wife and Murrays return from China trip to Nexus for surprise birthday celebration for Bill Murray.

Contradiction: Counting down to facility move at 27 days and holding all the demands of mission in order. (Week 2)*

THE CHICAGO NEXUS HOUSE

External: The first draft of the annual report for 1982 is written and covers the work in the USA. The Vocational Journey Lab PSU is a training event in course building. About 20 representatives from around the globe produce construct recommendations for use next year. 145 Indian Order members are now integrated into the Master File System. A video-slide show entitled "Welcome to the Global Village" premieres with an overwhelming demand for second and third showings.

Internal: An intensification of grassroots polity is experienced as sixth graders participate in planning their own trip and the whole Nexus deals with the immediate and long range self-support issue by assigning four more people to permeation. Summer coordination team is established and dramatically different time design initiated with evening collegiums.

Contradiction: Experiencing kittens (business as usual) slipping through the cracks and drowning as the tidal wave of July comes crashing in. (Week 12)*

THE GLOBAL ORDER CENTRUM REPORT

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QUARTER I WEEK 1

CHICAGO

GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT CENTRUM

Global Development Centrum reports that May month is closed at Rs. 65,325 in Bombay. TISCO commits Rs. 100,000 for June; and manoeuvre debriefing is highlighted by activation of regionalising IERD with Rs. 20,000 in hand for Banagalore RDS advertising brochure. The key contradiction lies in the arena of having June/July global assignments drain the momentum established towards July 31st. (Week 9)*

GLOBAL RESEARCH CENTRUM

Global Research Centrum reports that a four hour debriefing session with Mary and Sethe, two colleagues from England, provides refreshing break from hectic Nairobi GRA prep. Volunteer research on how to get a foothold into the education structures provides data and new strategies. The key contradiction lies in the arena of discerning what method will document the journey of Nava Gram Prayas so the world can see the victory and wisdom. (Week 9)*

GLOBAL OPERATIONS CENTRUM

Global Operations Centrum reports that for the IERD taskforce - this was the week to deepen the involvement of the Indian Steering Committee in the preparation phase of the IERD. In Bangalore RDS, Mr. B. Rudramoorthy participates actively not only in the process of the event but representing the IERD to the people gathered as well as to the whole public answering burning questions. In the same week Mr. Bhoopat Trivedi asks to be on the ISC but really offers to hold an RDS in Jamnagar for more local level in Gujrat. The breakthrough is experienced in the arena of RDS set up for which there are materials, guidelines and methods created and sent out to the Houses. The futuric contradiction for the IERD taskforce for the coming week 10 is limited utilisation of resources available to ensure the comprehensiveness of the IERD. (Week 9)*

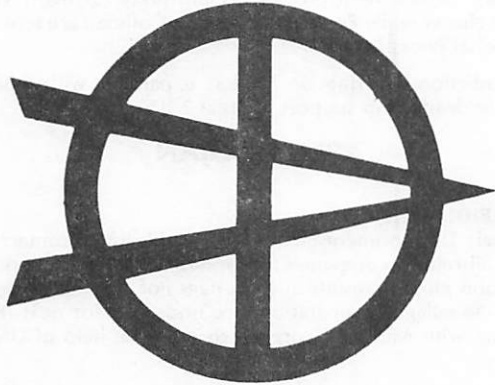
GLOBAL MANAGEMENT CENTRUM

Global Management Centrum reports that we finished January cash book summary and completed February cash book adding and coding and finance commission preparation. This week our management centrum member Asaram Rokhadi got married. The breakthrough is receipts are done through March. The key contradiction lies in the arena of unclarity on effecting Ashram finance monitoring. (Week 9)*

THE GLOBAL ORDER REPORT

QUARTER I WEEK 2

July 11-July 17, 1983



The woods are lovely, dark and deep. But I have promises to keep, and miles to go before I sleep.

—The Poet

AREA MADRID

THE MADRID HOUSE

External: A representative of a possible project visits the House and begins next steps for India participation. Bill and Barb visit Portugal to participate in evaluation of year's work and talk through strategies for next year.

Internal: Eneida arrives from Portugal and joins Frank on trip to Brussels for Academy.

Contradiction: Keeping momentum for IERD when everyone is affected by the onset of summer doldrums. (Week 7)

LISBON—THE LAMEGO HOUSE

External: Government youth programme starts children's programmes in nine villages. Ministry of Agriculture agrees to send technical expert to help with work camp construction. ICA receives letter from Misereor confirming continuation of grant for next year.

Internal: Within 24 hours House goes from seven to five to 16 as Dutch volunteers leave and German workcamp arrives.

Contradiction: Establishing confidence in the villages so that the regular programmes become the villages responsibility. (Week 1)*

AREA LONDON

THE LONDON HOUSE

External: Ben Kingsley agrees to introduce promotional film. Twelve projects are lined up for Leeds IERD meeting. Short listing of projects reveals half are new.

Internal: Time design shifts to accommodate summer assignments and tasks — next steps happen in paving court yard. Hostelry opens with nine guests -three of whom are planetary initiative workers.

Contradiction: Insuring use of time to win in four arenas - all need detailed energy plans. (Week 2)*

AREA PARIS

THE PARIS HOUSE

External: June 16 meeting of new steering committee brings commitment of four organizations to seek funding together. A new colleague who came looking for a chance to serve in the third world wrote and published our biggest and best newsletter yet.

Internal: Benedictine sisters invite House for dinner and conversation just before we leave the House they have given us for six years. The evening is a time of foundational collegiality. Beverly Parker goes to work with Service Ventures in Brussels for a month and then be in Academy. Joan Avery goes to Sixth Grade rite of passage just after confirmation into catholic church.

Contradiction: Creating images of the IERD 10 days in India tempt but do not solidify participants' expectations. (Week 1)

THE BRUSSELS HOUSE

External: Men's group quarter-end evaluation suggests vastly expanded group for next year. IERD inquiries come in

Internal: Vists with Dick West, Frank & Aimee Hilliard, Don Bushman, Time Lush and Barbara Barkony continue conversations on the future.

Contradiction: Responding creatively to non-renewable visas. (Week 2)*

AREA FRANKFURT

THE FRANKFURT HOUSE

External: True to the spirit of June, every day seems to hold the growth of something new--the second and third RDS are planned for the fall, covering three of 11 states in Germany. A day of marketing for the LENS symposium in Pforzheim takes place contacting Chamber of Commerce and Union representatives. Volunteer programme expands to include regular volunteers for work in Germany, preparation of a work camp for Portugal, fund raising for volunteers to attend Academy, and the second VOW this spring.

Internal: The turn to summer occurs over Pentecost weekend and the weeks following as we think through configurations, a summer symbol, hosting the E.G. camp, and staffing the Academy. Corporate work contract produces 1600 DM in three days and occasions further reflection on self-support modes. Abundance celebrated in Reemtsma 1st anniversary, Gerry's 66th birthday, sojourners and garden salad!

Contradiction: Recreating structures that appropriately focus our corporate energy on specific tasks and contradictions, in midst of operating in new teams and new images of the summer. (Week 10)

THE AMSTERDAM HOUSE

External: Lady Peggy Lindsay's visit expands the IERD/NSC frame and context with 11 calls in two days covering all sectors. Last minute Academy enlistment calling elicits four participants.

Internal: Week is highlighted by celebrations as House participates in colleague's birthday party in Amsterdam and board chairman, Jan Joosten, hosts an end of year celebration at the House with a rijstafle while Roundtable is celebration of community as guests and House ground "networking" in their own lives.

Contradiction: Pouring the concrete for the next steps when the forms are not in place. (Week 11)

AREA ROME

THE ROME HOUSE

External: Finished "La Voce d'Italia" document is delivered to translators

Internal: The baptism of Francesca Christine Balm highlights the week. Visitors Robert Lingafelter, Penelope Portman, Sarah Bayer and Patrice Vrona are included amongst the attendants. A reception afterwards with plenty of food and sunshine is enjoyed by ten Franciscan sisters as well as a delighted House. Maureen is sent out to the Chicago Council. The children begin their summer vacation.

Contradiction: Building cash flow flexibility in midst of uncertainty of arrival of money. (Week 13)*

AREA STOCKHOLM

THE COPENHAGEN HOUSE

External: Trip to Geneva wraps up the final stage of co-sponsorship for IERD by W.H.O. with the possibility of further co-operation with the ICA after the exposition for all levels of our work globally. An almost totally new group gathers at the House for an evening context and workshop to evaluate and plan the Youth In Development program.

Internal: Guest Laurie Ure (returning volunteer from Kenya) leaves for USA and a colleague from Rome, Sister Eileen Gran, arrives to share her experience and do sightseeing.

Contradiction: Evaluating the strategic advantages from 1982-83 while preparing for Academy. (Week 12)

AREA BUDAPEST

THE VIENNA HOUSE

External: Two NSC task force meetings slowly inch IERD Phase I forward. RDS date is set for 29 & 30 October and place is reserved. Executive Director of Agrarian Research Institute in Hungary is officially named as IERD coordinator by his government.

Internal: House facility is tested by Yost family visit with nine people sleeping at House and 13 around table including Miss Han and Mr. Niu from Korea.

Contradiction: Getting clear that Phase II of IERD is in February, 1984 - not 1985. (Week 13)

AREA CAIRO

GIZA — THE EL BAYAD HOUSE

External: Construction dominates the scene as Sheik Ali pump is electrified and work continues there on preschool while walkways are cemented at training center.

Internal: Bairam feast provides opportunity for many visits within cluster while Powells and Patricia Coffman are sent out for Global Priors Council.

Contradiction: Moving on Markaz expansion with limited staff and leadership support. (Weeks 2,3)*

AREA ABIDJAN

THE ABIDJAN HOUSE

External: Development call to ESSO yields list of contacts in other oil-related companies for funding. Documentation Lab on Brobo clusters results in eight pages of accomplishments across 18 villages. Preparations are underway for next IERD meeting with Ministries, organized with the help of UNDP ResRep.

Internal: Abidjan team is reduced to one as Suzanne is sent out to Chicago for Andy's graduation and July Council, and Bill and Steve are sent to Nairobi GRA. All-Ivorian staff keep cluster circuits going in pilot.

Contradiction: Giving "the faithful remnant" the power of an army - or at least a platoon - when each little Francis is precious, and troops are dispersed. (Week 11)

AREA LAGOS

THE LAGOS HOUSE

External: Project visitation team in Jos Region, sponsored by Plateau State Ministry of Rural Development, joins ICA to look at six projects for possible IERD documentation; the six members of the team represent four sectors.

Internal: House celebrates completion of 1981 ICA Finance Statement by Arthur Young, Osindero and Moret, and secures inkind commitment.

Contradiction: Daring to discern the long range collegial structure that builds and sustains the Movement while enmeshed in implementing IERD. (Week 10)*

AREA KINSHASA

THE LUSAKA HOUSE

External: After the Christian Children's Fund visits the project to return 55 photos, about 50 photos are taken in Sali and Kasulu village. Packet is mailed declaring the RDS event and Right Honourable Prime Minister's story to four Houses in Africa and Nexuses. An IERD proposal is drafted.

Internal: The Quarterly time line workshop and collegium on the Panchayat Report prepares the House for the next three months. Immigration papers are submitted for Ken Otto's visa.

Contradiction: Completing Quarter IV and launching the next 15 weeks while running at 100 miles a minute. (Week 11)

AREA NAIROBI

THE NAIROBI HOUSE

External: Team of three is sent to Mauritius (a country in the Indian Ocean off East Africa) to spend two weeks doing LENS, village meetings, and leaders training for the government at \$150 a day consultancy fee, paid by African American Council. United Nations's (International Food and Agriculture Development Preparation Mission) requests training materials plus IBM's request for booklet on bio-intensive garden work sparks publication interest. IERD project selection visits are lined up as NSC offer time and vehicles.

Internal: House spends week putting significance on Internal Life and post work as we lay out manoeuvre charts and build the House frame to freight missional demands.

Contradiction: Getting in tune with the rhythm of the new quarter while trying to discern the implications of the GRA. (Week 1)*

NAIROBI—THE KABIRO HOUSE

External: Saturday meeting is set in Kiwi and Kamoungu villages. Patrick pushes the House for funding the event and starts working on Auxiliary House in Ikuyani.

Internal: Ikuyani House celebrates its promotion from a HDP to a Sub-Location cluster project 26 days after Onesmus Mutua passes away.

Contradiction: Having inadequate tools, low attendance and thus poor participation. (Week 10)

NAIROBI—THE KALWANI-SHAMALAGO HOUSE

External: Nambacha House finishes Namirama and Sirigoi sub-location consults, adding new momentum to Kakamega District intensification. Monitoring treks to Talau, Kituni and Bokingoina Houses, complete circuits to every House this Quarter. Second health conference in Tiriki South is held with 142 health caretakers attending.

Internal: The most loveable (not to mention the only) youth in the section, John Powell and Stewart Harper are sent out to the the USA, seven others are sent out to area planning and GRA prep and House has a great "Now, we are ready" VLI Training.

Contradiction: Finding ways to free up participation in assemblies when villages are consumed with national voter registration drives. (Week 8)

NAIROBI—THE MUGUMOINI HOUSE

External: Muthithi B villages and Kinyona C village circuits are done. Ngararia health training graduates 30 new health care takers. Two hundred and fifty-six people attend community centre workday to cement the floor.

Internal: The House team returns from the GRA and also the Area Council. The House sends H. Rugutu, Lucy Kiilu, and Donald Kiilu out for their new assignments; Lucy Kiilu has been in this House for two and a half years.

Contradiction: Catching up with failed impact VDM in the midst of campaign time. (Week 13)

MOMBASA—THE KAMWELENI HOUSE

External: Great week of authorization as location guns and health coordinator secure positive responses from the Chief's, division officer, and district public health officer. Circuit teams meet with 26 villages and four sublocations with a total of 707 participants. Inkind victory produces lumber for the roof of the new House.

Internal: First week of the new year brings new report forms tracking charts, teams, priorship, and new structures exemplified by a four hour reporting session that usually lasts an hour and a half. E.G. structures are set up as Dillon Odari and Lloyd Philbrook arrive

Contradiction: Cooperating effectively with government structure as circuits continue and guarding image as national election fever begins to rise. (Week 1)*

AREA BOMBAY

BOMBAY—THE MALIWADA HOUSE

External: Circuits to Jamkhed broaden RDS participation list and team discovers rural health project for PDL (Project Description Lab). Meeting with gram seikas of tahsil promises good support by government agencies.

Internal: House works on roof repairs before monsoon rains hit the village.

Contradiction: Creating strong teams to cover all arenas of work especially our relationship with government. (Week 10)

BOMBAY—THE CHIKALE HOUSE

External: Economic module is initiated in the cluster; representatives visit RCF Co. and Jawale Industry Exhibits; Ambar Charka programme is on computer. Training Center and Chikale bridge construction continue; a 67 foot wall is completed for AB Parts, and the tap water system for Chikale and Moho is eight feet short of completion which the MID agrees to connect.

Internal: People from Hoechst Co. are hosted for economic modules and House sends staff to cluster villages for actuation and planning meetings. Chikale and Area team work on Maruti Babhale's passport and visa for the Nairobi GRA.

Contradiction: Dividing and imaging responsibility for the mission so the risks can be won while holding the tension of the external task and the internal life. (Week 6&7)

BOMBAY—THE VAVIHARSH HOUSE

External: Two CYFs are held for 75 students in Deogaon Ashram School and 61 students in Vaitarna High School. Three Adivasi people are sent from cluster village, Chandrachi Meth, to Nasik for driving course. Three day cluster consult has 70 people participating.

Internal: Principal Mr. M. S. Gosavi of Byr College visits Vaviharsh Ashram and talks on NSS Camp. Ashram receives new paint and decor and internal life training begins for new staff.

Contradiction: Completing cluster documentation as soon as possible so that it can be shown to four-sector people. (Week 7)

PUNE—THE JAWALE HOUSE

External: Documentation meeting in Bombay with whole Area and Sub-continent present puts final touches on documentation. House sends two people to Maale for a regional finance meeting. Jawale hosts a site visit from Spicer's College of Poona and does a leadership seminar with them for teachers living in the four wards around the college. The Jawale cluster initiates pre-school circuits and treks to Kolhapur, Latur, Bombay and Bangalore.

Internal: Fire in the village puts ICA to the test of acting immediately as fire takes two hours and fifteen minutes to extinguish and three staff are sent to hospital. Darren Dynes celebrates his 21st birthday and Duncan and Ramesh come from Nexus to work on Training Centre initiation budgets and procedures.

Contradiction: Sharing responsibility and engagement in all tasks with all staff to create rhythm consistent with external demands. (Week 8)

PUNE—THE MAALE HOUSE

External: Wadgaon Preschool survey is completed with 91 children whose parents are ready to pay Rs 10 each. Actuation of Maale lift irrigation scheme continues with additional signatures and a joint meeting is held with Mudsinghi. Sewing class opens in Maale.

Internal: Makwana family joins Maale Ashram bringing skills in sewing and embroidery. Development team of A. Paul and A. Algoankar spend week in Kolhapur and Sangli.

Contradiction: No contradiction submitted (Weeks 9,10)

PUNE—THE BUDHODA HOUSE

External: Buldard engineers submit building estimate and drinking water is repaired. B.A.I.F. advises Budhoda village people about future planning. Shivagi holds birthday fair and Budhoda village people participate. New information about Ambar charka industries land arrives as Budhoda builds Ambedkar statue.

Internal: House has celebration with Area Team member Ambavji Kemble.

Contradiction: None submitted (week 5)

NAGPUR—THE SEVAGRAM HOUSE

External: House tiles for demonstration walls in five houses each in Mandurgad and Nandora are donated by The Centre of Science for Villages. Pipes are distributed for drainage in Sevagram and Karenji Kaji. Ambar Charkha programme takes another leap as five more units are supplied to both Piyai and Bhankheda from Gandhi Ashram, who also supplied bales of cotton (raw material). Women's Awakening Institute report is printed and distributed to four sectors. Village Leaders Conference is held in Sevagram with nine villages from two clusters represented. Seventy-five people come to the opening ceremony of this two day programme where the Block Development Officer gives a great, practical keynote talk. This programme decides on twelve common programmes for the block which will focus the participation of (four sectors) action guilds in agriculture, environment and social arenas.

Internal: House shramdam is held to prepare for VLC including new decor, then follows it with great celebration. Kokene and Varma are sent out to Area Meeting in Jawale. Mohan Borker finally gets his full driving license for the jeep. Massive food credit bill of RS4,000 is finally paid off.

Contradiction: Using the time until troops come back and quarter planning is done to prepare for the coming quarter. (Weeks 11,12)

NAGPUR—THE TEMBURWAHI HOUSE

External: The planting season is launched with promises of high yields enabled by the distribution of free, high quality seed and NPK fertilizer, through the World Bank assisted Benoarh (Agricultural Training & Visitation) Scheme. Preschool teacher Suekha graduates with 60 other newly trained Adult Education teachers, ready to bridge the literacy gap across the Block. Tembuhurwahi CDA moves toward Bakery Building funding by delivering the final notice for overdue loan repayments.

Internal: Claire returns from meeting in Sevagram to lead a collegium "The New WCDS Volunteer: Not a Development Tourist". This is complemented by a collegium led by Claire's visiting sister Erica, "Volunteers on the Move", using her objectivity to give the Ashram new images of its role in building the Global Movement.

Contradiction: Focussing on the catalytic "Monsoon Miracles" that will prevent the four sectors from getting stuck in the mud. (Week 13)

NAGPUR—THE DABHAD HOUSE

External: Preschool shed is built in Jambron and Medhda holds shramdan and meeting with Gram Sevek. Managing Director of Village Bank in Pradhpur adopts six cluster villages.

Internal: Wood is obtained for Ashram repairs, S. Sawarkhed arrives from Sevagram and Prasad family is sent out for discontinuity. Marathi classes start.

Contradiction: Setting up Global Women's Forums without any educated women on the staff. (Week 12)

AREA DELHI

THE DELHI HOUSE

External: HDZ cluster village Sarpanch visits Sikror and reaffirms his decision to make his a model village, too. Seminar with BATA management and supervisors leads to follow-up "Effective Supervisors" course set for July - first structural permeation in Faridabad. First HDA meeting is small but highlighted by favourable report of Maharashtra work by Canara Bank representative. "Development Alternatives" Director brings experts to advise village leaders on cheap and effective road building.

Internal: Volunteer Fiona MacIntosh arrives from Temburwahi and creates confusion and amusement by being the second Fiona in the House.

Contradiction: Releasing potentially available government services to the cluster. (Week 11)

AREA MADRAS

THE BANGALORE HOUSE

External: Rural Development Symposium held in Bangalore is the second in a series of 20 RDS's planned for Area Madras before the Delhi Plenary. Forty-five participants from seven banks and 18 voluntary organisations from across Karnataka attend the event. Accompanying advertising booklet and participant fees brings the ICA income of over 22,000 rupees on the event. Health meeting with 20 participants representing the four sectors, establishes the first fully fledged HDA meeting in Gunjurpalya.

Internal: Ten days of "whole House" collegiums gives the House a much needed reorientation and rearticulation of the corporate mission, after a quarter of being on the road.

Contradiction: Working out the practical details of caring for the corporate body that we presently are and the new community which we are becoming. (Week 10)

AREA CALCUTTA

THE CALCUTTA HOUSE

External: Whole House of two adults and three E.G. participates in all day RDS collating and mailing blitz that results in collating 400 RDS documents and posting 100 to participants and NSC. The first Imaginal Education Curriculum followup workshop results in participation of six schools and 12 teachers, most of whom had not attended any Imaginal Education course.

Internal: The week is marked by celebration of ID-UL-FATR (end of the Muslim Ramadan fast) and sees doubling of House size as Bhimrao Tupe returns from Bombay, Dennis Jennings from Jawale, John Burbidge from Delhi and two WCDS volunteers arrive. Local bustee colleagues visit the House.

Contradiction: Finding ways of seducing decisions out of people to come through on commitments this week. (Week 2)*

AREA SINGAPORE

THE JAKARTA HOUSE

External: A week of mailings sends out 50 "Hari Raya" cards in anticipation of the end of the Ramadan fasting month, 50 "Development Update Newsletters" to contributors, and 14 packets to NSC members.

Internal: Tajuddin and Yasin give a great collegium report on the Nairobi GRA, just before they are sent out to Medan to staff HDZ-Pilot programs.

Contradiction: Creating the strategic authorization and framing "Hari Raya" visits, in the midst of a complete shutdown as two million people leave Jakarta for Lebaran (holiday). (Week 1)

THE MEDAN HOUSE

External: Tactics for getting the new Governor's audience include a brief four year summary report of ICA, letter from Camat to Bupati for continued ICA presence and request and encouragement for a recommendation letter from Bupati to the governor.

Internal: House celebrates with one big party the arrival of Julia from Nairobi GRA and send out of Rebecca and Romanus to Brussels Academy. The week is capped off with an early July 4th celebration at the American Consulate.

Contradiction: Establishing the image of expanding activities popping the lid off July 7 agreement completion date. (Week 13)

THE KUALA LUMPUR HOUSE

External: Board member K.P. Choong helps close deal with data prep for a LENS in July.

Internal: Board member Santharasegaran takes House out to dinner at Rotary Club Anniversary event.

Contradiction: Broadening programmatic service to sectors in wider audience besides the same old names on the calling log. (Week 13)*

THE UJUNG PANDANG HOUSE

External: The rector of Hasanudin University responds with a positive 'yes' to being on the NSC and begins to discuss how he will bring off a powerful RDS in Ujung Pandang involving all key development agencies in the province. Opportunities for research into development efforts in the province open up with access to university research documents and an invitation from a government doctor to visit a successful health project.

Internal: The House evaluates the first round of interviews in the cluster, with an intensive two hour workshop and completes last week of fasting.

Contradiction: Riding with the high spirit of Labaran celebration to awaken a fresh vision of programmatic activities. (Week 1)*

AREA HONG KONG

THE MANILA HOUSE

External: The House experiences "Building Stakes" for the future by updating Alpha File with inclusion of new companies from the top 1,000 corporations and sending 16 proposals. The visit of Mrs. Crisol from the Ministry of Agrarian Reform in Legaspi City, finalizes the set-up dates for documentation in San Rafael. Dow LENS confirmation is set on September 4-8, 1983. Gandhi Team finally builds its Quarter Plan. Union Oil monies for June-Aug. arrive after travelling around the globe.

Internal: House experiences Global reawakening through the new Quarter Roundtable about compassion, seeing film "The World of Human Development" and listening to Earthrise Music. Internal Life model for Quarter necessitates a purchase of new alarm clock.

Internal: Shifting from idea of pesos to pesos in hand. (Week 1)*

THE HONG KONG HOUSE

External: Time Inc. seeks ICA out to ask for submission of a training proposal for Asia - a one year program. Local retired businessman, Mr. Tang, comes for a site visit.

Internal: Joe returns from vacation in USA and is sent out to Nexus with beach party and roof bar-be-que.

Contradiction: Creating and maintaining the story that gets into the new year. (Week 1)*

THE TAIPEI HOUSE

External: Singer LENS bears fruit in the forms of a follow-up management training session, which may be the first of several, and the largest programmatic income of the year: NT\$166,000 (US\$4,150). Presenting Hai Ou slide show and ICA story enthuses Kiwanis Club members, including seven who volunteer to help. House, and leads to anticipating the challenge of doing programme with the MBA (Masters of Business Administration) Club.

Internal: House transits to Quarter I discontinuous mode with confusion over what the consensus was, but gets its act together in time to celebrate Bill Bigelow's birthday with hamburgers on the front lawn and late evening ice cream at a nearby restaurant.

Contradiction: Moving rapidly as if all was solid while knowing that there may be no track ahead and may have to do some high-speed switching to another line. (Week 1)*

MANILA-THE PUTSAN HOUSE

External: The preschool class opens June 14 with enrollment of 52 three to six year olds and 38 regularly in attendance. PPA meeting calls for organizing PPA officers. House receives donation of assorted medicine from Abbot Company. New ceramic industry mass production recruited 10 workers from five puruks. Ninety eight dressed chickens are delivered. Second batch of seeds is prepared and new plots are cultivated in the demonstration farm.

Internal: Mr. Ben Aguirang arrives from GRA. House holds three month manoeuvre planning. Benjamin Aguirang Jr. celebrates his third birthday.

Contradiction: Starting new mass production for ceramic industry while preparing for the national council to be held in Cebu. (Week 1)*

THE CEBU HOUSE

External: Medicine report is submitted to Region seven and nutrition meeting of 19 villages in Lapu-Lapu City Hall. Farm workday plants and weeds gardens and visits the 27 pigs. Team prepares 1983-84 charts of ELNC Teacher's attendance and ELNC preschoolers weight chart.

Internal: Citibank visits Sudtonggan HDP. House holds beautification workday, and creates new style of menu.

Contradiction: Spending time looking for seedlings of green revolution campaign due to long range droughts. (Week 1)*

THE DAVAO HOUSE

External: David Manbey visits the House and donates four cans of paint from TCG Fibiari. MSSD donates six sacks of rice every month to drought victims. Mountain cluster quarterly coop takes inventory and holds coop members meeting.

Internal: House celebrates the birthday of Eula Pamat, one year old, at a beach party.

Contradiction: Preparing for the fourth anniversary this coming second week of June. (Week 11)*

AREA TOKYO

THE TOKYO HOUSE

External: This week IERD receives the endorsement of MITI (Ministry of International Trade and Industry) which is a major breakthrough in Japan.

Internal: Area check signals meeting in Korea is a demonstration of collegiality and builds scenarios of the future in the area that display deep commitment to the turf.

Contradiction: With the summer discontinuous time bearing down on us we are forming the new thinking for the year. (Week 11)

THE SEOUL HOUSE

External: Regional team holds TM in eight villages in Seosan County as next step to selection of cluster project in new province. Cluster work will be related to WHO project which provided funds for all expenses including transportation in the local ambulance. Eight local churches sponsor benefit concert to raise \$1,300.

Internal: Regional Council brings organization to summer of intensified mission and depleted staff.

Contradiction: Making IERD decisions without moving into NSC driver's seat. (Week 13)*

SEOUL-THE CHEONG WON HOUSE

External: First village day puts whole staff into the cluster to work, talk, and celebrate with villagers. Town Meetings with women, youth, and churches are scheduled. Visits are made, invitations sent out, and staff spends many hours working on TM design and flow. Two-year cluster report is prepared showing flow of village development and preparing the way for government approval of the cluster grain mill.

Internal: A new sojourner (number 5) and three fourths of the Greenwald-family bring new spirit to House and a design to have sojourner training.

Contradiction: Stretching the hide of our troops over the lock of our contradiction. (Week 1)*

THE FUKUOKA HOUSE

External: English intensive all day on Sunday is a great success with nine participants and three staff. Mr. Ono, a guest at Roundtable who has lived in India one and a half years, owns a clothing factory in India Y.E.S. House completes Regional newsletter. Mr. Yano joins ICA after introduction through English Intensive flyer. Professor Ichimura, who teaches Economics at Kyushu University, is guest at Roundtable and speaks about his two month research at U. of Michigan this spring.

Internal: Naomi Sato celebrates ninth birthday with many friends at party. David Reese is sent out for summer in USA at staff breakfast at New Utani. "Economic Miracle" takes place as all classes covered by three remaining troops.

Contradiction: Involving Regional team in financial plans for ICA. (Weeks 13,1)*

THE OSAKA HOUSE

External: ICA: Osaka participates in an International Festival sponsored by a group of organizations interested in development of international relations. ICA is well represented with eight at an all day forum. Twenty-one staff, sojourners and volunteers take part in a rotation of staffing the ICA display for three days.

Internal: Making decor for the festival display, preparing a photo album and volunteers coming and going highlight the week.

Contradiction: Looking to the next year with a vision and a plan as we near the 10 day Area Council, while recognizing the new that will come with the summer Council results. (Week 2)*

THE SAPPORO HOUSE

External: First computer in Area Tokyo arrives. All House members begin training on the N.E.C. 8000. Volunteer symposium preparation meeting decides panelists and writes statement of purpose for distribution to 20 international volunteer groups in Hokkaido.

Internal: House contracts out internal finances to self-support venture company. Typing lessons begin to break the "keyboard shock" of most staff.

Contradiction: Meshing guests visiting from America and program assignments. (Weeks 2,3)*

AREA SYDNEY

THE SYDNEY HOUSE

External: RDS with 18 organisations and meeting with New South Wales Bicentennial Commission elicit responses from new networks for money and programme. Third spirit conversation with founder of Society of St. Gerard yields Area Council facility; and YES for three to come to Roundtable plus invitation for week-end Retreat (our House and theirs).

Internal: Collegium on our "ORDER BRIEFS" collegiums series re: 1984 produces model and recommendations for globe and is sent with Sandy to the Summer. ICA office is moved from city back to the House and reshuffle there fits in snugly. MicroConnexions starts July with \$300 worth of work. End of Year Celebration is great event with steak and wine.

Contradiction: Creating formats and manoeuvres that freight us into Quarter I. (Week 13)

SYDNEY-THE MURRIN BRIDGE HOUSE

External: National Aborigines Week is smashing success with special guest Bob Morgan from the N.S.W. Education Commission and guests from Government Departments, surrounding towns, and the Australian Broadcasting Corporation. Week is filled with intense participation of all ages in traditional and contemporary crafts, dramas, sports, ceremonies, hosting and feasting.

Internal: House is deeply impacted with Aboriginal experience of contact with Europeans in watching the First Two Episodes of T.V. series "Women Of The Sun". Participation in National Aborigines Week events at Old Menindee Mission provides very missional discontinuity.

Contradiction: Enabling effective relationships between Murrin Bridge and Lake Cargelligo structures. (Week 1)*

THE MELBOURNE HOUSE

External: Area development bottomline met twice this month by 5 July with a \$20,000 grant from the Australian Development Assistance Bureau for IERD, and other working money coming home. Mike Bellamy and Adam Thomson are sent out on Perth/Adelaide circuit to push research and project selection for IERD down the road.

Internal: Visit of Area Prior Frank Powell journeys house with depth reflections and brooding on future Area strategies and the future forms and role of the Order, sensing a new turn towards the NSV as we move towards the HDZ. Mary Thomson celebrates her 5th birthday.

Contradiction: Putting in place internal life structures for the new year that enable celebration of the complete missional task. (Week 1)

AREA SUVA

APIA - THE NUKU'ALOFA HOUSE

External: Central Planning Department sets date for RDS - 10,12,13 September and National Steering Committee task group builds timeline for RDS actuation. Collegium on Effective Leadership Course sent from Area New York opens new possibilities for programme marketing. Workshop on basic discussion method at the Methodist Theological College raises possibilities of working more closely with the established church.

Internal: Intern, Tupa Siale, reports surprise and approval of education inspectors at the work the teachers on faculty of the Pacific Training School are using in their public school classes-based on Imaginal Education.

Contradiction: Moving programme possibilities into firm commitments. (Week 2)*

AREA SAN FRANCISCO

THE LOS ANGELES HOUSE

External: Project selection meeting in Visalia chooses nine projects which cover the state and all arenas of Rural Development. Sir Richard Attenborough (Gandhi film) agrees to pursue IERD documenting and GAB membership. Francis Roper is sent to Project Selection Meeting in Chicago with 10 projects selected in the SF/LA bi-region. LA computer guild meeting produces volunteers for project entry onto our computer of LA/SF project surveys and first successful communication takes place between LA Kaypro II and Control Data Corporation main frame in Minneapolis.

Internal: E.G. finally arrive at camp and 4th of July steak cook-out caps weekend of many visitors from Indonesia, Australia and San Francisco. "Return of the Jedi" stars Alice Wright (home from Edmonton), Milind Chitnavis (from taking E.G. to camp), Robert Ennis (from Jamaica) and Jeff Roper (from Nairobi and into hospital with malaria).

Contradiction: Capturing the key victories toward next year's base of program and self-support during July and August. (Week 1)

THE SEATTLE HOUSE

External: Project circuits to Yakima Valley in Washington, far points in Eastern Oregon, and Boise, Idaho bring visit count up to 60. Briefing materials and letter of invitation to next meeting are prepared for the Alaska Steering Committee mailing list. The Roundtable with 20 people changes gears for one week, does "Mythology Think-Tank" using Joseph Campbell's four functions of "living mythology" probing the emerging story of our time.

Internal: Wayside Inn is a reality as Vivian Paul from Chicago, Carol Butcher from Tokyo, Joe Nagy from Hong Kong along with his brother and family from California, and Bill and Carol Henshaw from Bellingham are guests this week. David Riely moves in as sojourner.

Contradiction: Compressing one week into two days to finish selection process without collapsing the rest of the week. (Week 13)*

THE PHOENIX HOUSE

External: Six RDSFs are held in the region enabling 76 projects and 200 participants to begin networking successful projects and continue the documentation towards IERD. The Coronado Neighborhood Community LENS in Phoenix inner city, is held June 16, 17, 18, sponsored by local churches, civic associations, hospital, redevelopment corporation, food cooperative, Neighborhood Housing Services, City of Phoenix, Arizona Department of Health & local residents. Forty-one participants create a 35-page document. South Mountain High School's upswing in national scores is attributed by principal to LENS held August '82, and Marilyn is interviewed by local radio station to explain principal's comments, LENS & ICA.

Internal: As temperatures hit 116 degrees, Los Angeles youth and E.G. come through on the way to camp and Kansas City, Catherine Lopez and son Lee from Pisinemo arrive for week's stay and six RDSF's, and Day I folks and Oylar E.G. are sent out to NSC, Los Angeles, Chicago camp, and discontinuity.

Contradiction: Accomplishing Day I tasks with only Day II people in the House. (Week 1)

THE DENVER HOUSE

External: Project selection from Denver-Billings is accomplished in two five hour meetings. Showcase forum is held in Casper, Wyoming, and confirmations are mailed to 50 for IERD fund-raising event in Don Elliotts' home next week. Global film is shown at luncheon at center.

Internal: Lingo stops by, does two presentations and recruits walk-in visitor to work in Kenya. E.G. are driven to camp with two day, sixteen block curriculum enroute. House now on firm foundation as bricks are placed under northeast corner. "Return of the Jedi" gives a new myth to explore.

Contradiction: Ballooning assignments early enough to maximize use of the available time, troops, and money. (Week 8)

AREA EDMONTON

THE EDMONTON HOUSE

External: Development gets an early response towards IERD funding with the request for proposals and yes's to fund. The IERD regional steering committee produces first draft for project documentation.

Internal: House celebrates along with the city of Edmonton eleven full days of University games highlighted by the international gatherings and opening ceremonies given by the Prince of Wales.

Contradiction: Figuring out what product we want from the documentation of area successes. (Week 1)*

THE ANCHORAGE HOUSE

External: Luke Titus, of Minto, says yes to being included on the Alaska Advisory Committee. Will Mayo attends the national Steering Committee meeting in Chicago as Alaska's representative. Over 100 invitations to Alaska Advisory IERD Committee meeting are sent.

Internal: Alan Stocking arrives for the summer and he takes on a phone answering job for the Daily News. Warren Crain, guardian from Seattle, stops by.

Contradiction: Maintaining missional momentum when region is in summer mode. (Week 1)

THE VANCOUVER HOUSE

AREA HOUSTON

THE HOUSTON HOUSE

External: Regional Team experiences the power of corporately searching for "our" training center, especially when the "perfect" possibility is uncovered. Visit to Prairie View A&M stimulates interest in participatory methods within the college. Metro meeting refreshes with dialogue on responsibility for broadening contexts.

Internal: Collegium on Kenya replication sparks reflections on life demand in North American front. House celebrates with laser light concert and ice cream sundaes.

Contradiction: Keeping the continuity of mission going in the midst of shifting personnel. (Week 2)*

THE DALLAS HOUSE

External: First of four sessions is prepared in response to request from Texas Instruments for us to do training using their content and our method. United Methodist reporter hires Bill Bailey as permanent manager of promotion. Visits continue with colleagues of the spirit movement in North Texas.

Internal: "Say Amen, Somebody" reminds us of the unique power of music to ground the word about life.

Contradiction: Finding out our expectations are already over. (Week 11)

THE MEMPHIS HOUSE

External: Five people from Houston and Atlanta Houses help facilitate Areal Selection Event for 21 to reach consensus on 16 projects to be offered from the South to the globe. Memphis and New Orleans regions meet in morning to select the 13 projects from five states to go into the selection with 14 each from Atlanta, Houston, Dallas.

Internal: Jay Zahrt's 21st birthday celebration with Japanese feast at Benihana's rivals welcome for Jesse and Mollie Clements to Memphis House for week's highpoint.

Contradiction: Yielding to the temptation to look yonder to September leaves advantages and needs of the now untended. (Week 13)*

THE ATLANTA HOUSE

External: IERD trekking continues with Steering Committee meeting in Alabama, South Georgia visit to Bacontow. Day 1 troops prep for production of National Steering Committee's newsletter.

Internal: Saturday work-day welcomes Marilyn and Armando. House experiences berry picking and pies, movie and trip to Stone Mountain for the Laser show.

Contradiction: Losing the blocks and issues in midst of doings. (Week 1)*

AREA CHICAGO

THE CHICAGO HOUSE

External: The House hosts 15 leaders from agencies on the West Side at the first of six 3-hour Westside Leadership Institutes. The House is greatly enabled by three summer university students - Heidi Bradshaw, Peter Fry and Charles Santos. The Mid-America Council enjoyed lunch out at the 5th City Summer Festival.

Internal: The House sends all E.G. and Youth off to camp and the Sixth Grade Trip along with three 5th City E.G. enabled by a McDonalds Corporation grant.

Contradiction: Making sure that our Quarter I plan includes a foundational understanding of the 5th City story of why we're here and who we care for and revitalize the Third Decade and the West Side Zone. (Week 1)

THE KANSAS CITY HOUSE

External: Wilson's represent Kansas and Missouri at NSC meeting in Chicago. Metro participates in planning and implementing Westport's 150 birthday celebration, runs booth for Hyde Park (our neighborhood) and Westport cluster which releases interest and fascination.

Internal: House continues sequence of collegiums on the "new family" and looks at options for the future; sees "Max Dugan Returns", completes self support jobs and celebrates with a swim.

Contradiction: Working through individual journeys to enable the corporate victory for the year. (Week 1)*

KANSAS CITY—THE LORIMOR HOUSE

External: The Hunger Task Force of the Methodist Church in Des Moines, views the new ICA video presentation and affirms our long relationship with the possibility of future funding for third world projects. A follow up visit to Lincoln for the Youth Development Series and proposals are drafted for American Cable Vision, HBO Cable Vision and the Nebraska Wellness program consultations. Delivery of Mid America Access to the future documents provides occasions for conversations on implementation of symposium tactics across the Zone.

Internal: Justin Morrill arrives for 24 hours to attend the Hunger Task Force Meeting and Dick West returns from the GRA in Nairobi and his son Calvin arrives for a month stay at the House.

Contradiction: Moving from reacting to "that which is hanging over our head" to charting the future of Lorimor and the Midcrest HDZ. (Week 1)

THE MINNEAPOLIS HOUSE

External: Ten projects and representatives of innovative rural development projects in Minnesota attend RDS in Des Moines, while Minneapolis partnerships rapidly blossom to cover four days of job training with 75 youth in PAC (Partnerships Among Communities) Program, co-sponsored by IDS and Bell Telephone.

Internal: Staff celebrates with Len Rado, Virginia Pierce and Mary Alice Smalls the completion of their working with student government class, Student Council and the management team at Central High School.

Contradiction: Empowering people to persist in a creative modes of program development as staff is dispersed across programs and geography. (Week 9)

THE DETROIT HOUSE

External: Team focuses on future financial condition as region presents model for Order winepress, LENS, Incorporated and first workshops begin to mold fall Annual Appeal.

Internal: "Summertime" shift is made as troops berry pick and set aside Tuesday evening reflections after "On the Road" and "Our Times" television shows. Four weeks in July Roundtable is launched with meatier studies, spirit conversations, and exercises.

Contradiction: Brainstorming long lists of to do's and could do's for Quarter I --- none of which demand inspired revolutionary presence without re-storying and grounding of Regional contradiction. (Week 1)

CLEVELAND-THE INDIANAPOLIS HOUSE

External: Judson Edwards decides to attend Academy in Brussels. Design conference with Kentucky Department of Local Government yields one hot LENS prospect and one very promising PSU. College Avenue Corridor coalition (CCC) community meeting attendance exceeds most optimistic predictions with 120 coming from all sectors and TV cameras rolling. Quarter 1 planning completed on July 4th with Declaration of Radical Repentance and Reconciliation.

Internal: A celebrative House Church lifts up and celebrates two graduations and the birthday of Kris Kucera. House does Pilgrimage to four projects in Region nominated for India.

Contradiction: Seeing what we are doing as prototypical of Religious dynamic replicable in every metro. (Week 13)

AREA NEW YORK

THE NEW YORK HOUSE

External: A \$10,000 donation is given to ICA development through Roman Haas in Philadelphia. In the private sector a new contact was made with Mr. Nanaka of Japan who could be a foothold into the private sector of the U.S. In Maine 167 are now registered for the Rural Development Symposium.

Internal: The Metafile Software package arrives which allows the Paragigm business in the House to pick up data entry work which has been on hold for six months.

Contradiction: Building the Metabilt while running from event to event. (Week 10)

THE ROCHESTER HOUSE

External: Community Forum in Ripley sponsored by Town Supervisor and School Superintendent heals old wounds and makes new plans. New York is represented at New England/Maritimes RDS by Buffalo and Stockport energy projects and four representing the Millers Mills Ice Harvest Festival.

Internal: Alice Rose goes to farm while Tom Catandella sojourns on way to and from RDS.

Contradiction: Gearing our region into IERD after recruiting Vermont for the RDS. (Week 11)

THE WASHINGTON HOUSE

External: Mathbox Computer Stores say all four scheduled courses are full two weeks in advance. Washington Metro team does fine Effective Leadership Course wit 12. Mail to Richmond/Petersburg, Virginia results in request from Petersburg coalition for a proposal from ICA regarding continued training of the coalition.

Internal: House sends out sojourner Robert Schafer to Phoenix and culminates Week II workday with a pool party at the Goldman's.

Contradiction: Maintaining and focusing priorities in the midst of transisting into discontinuity weeks. (Weeks 2)*

THE BOSTON HOUSE

External: The Boston House sends all available members to the RDS in Portland, Maine. The preparatory time spent leading up to this symposium pays off with a signal event for New England and the Maritimes. Boston Training Inc. is moving ahead with appointments this week at Digital, Boston Housing Authority, and the Boston Mayor's Office. Date of September 17 is set for Northfield Mt. Hermon student leadership symposium.

Internal: Alison Bengel receives the outstanding student award for the second grade class at Nathan Hale School. The House hosts those from New York and Troy on the way to and from the RDS.

Contradiction: Maintaining a common focus amid the diversity of activity. (Week 11)

BOSTON-THE STARKS HOUSE

External: Thirty-one adults attend Starks Enterprises Corporation fourth anniversary dinner with reports recapping the year, guest speaker Jeff Coolidge, guests from Guatemala (Wests), tours of the building, great food and singing. RDS followup begins with thank-you letters, document distribution and core meeting set for discussing fall event. Woodworks saves money by discovering brad gun.

Internal: While Tim and Judy attend New York check signals highlighted by reflection on order future through Rome visits, Wendy and Tim catch up on Hong Kong happenings thru visit by Joe Nagy.

Contradiction: Stopping the world long enough to look at long haul future while effectively handling current critical momentum. (Week 13)*

AREA MONTREAL

THE TORONTO HOUSE

External: In two and a half days 62 people from across the continent are trained to facilitate the Planetary Initiates Congress of 470 people. Hornepayne Community LENS with Native community combines planning and training in six day event. Closing reflection reveals journey of community as they admit, "We started out scared and moved to opening the door to the future." One day planning with the Native Community Branch and the Hornepayne LENS intensifies our role as linking government structures with local communities. NSC meeting in Winnipeg lays out task of documenting 100 projects for the continent.

Internal: House experiences incredible celebrations in midst of programmatic activity with Planetary Initiatives montage building, neighborhood celebration, barbeque with participants in Hornepayne LENS and quarter end celebration at Summer Country '83 as we bask in the sun for nine hours. Jessica Farrar receives participation award at 6th grade graduation for most involvement in activities in and out of school. She then joins 6th grade rite of passage trip as they explore eastern Canada.

Contradiction: Gathering regional colleagues together to plan documentation trips in the midst of summer holidays. (Week 13)

THE OTTAWA HOUSE THE MONTREAL HOUSE

External: Two towers at Habitation Jeanne Mance take July 1st (Canada Day) outside for a grand fête. Staff travels to Western Canada to participate in National Steering Committee Meeting and the Stony Plaine, Alberta Exchange Conference.

Internal: Annual Interprovincial bicycle race passes our door doing 50 laps while we host 6th grade trip and Montreal grand churches allow for youth to meditate on Ground of Being.

Contradiction: Learning how to work with people from all sectors to allow for reflection on missional focus and indigenize programmes. (Week 12)

AREA MEXICO CITY

THE MEXICO CITY HOUSE

External: National Steering Committee meets to tackle fundraising contradiction. Loss of RDS site forces postponement till late August of the Symposium which allows us time to prepare adequate procedures and facilitation team. Time/Life LENS is a resounding success with 100 salespersons unified in a common plan and an invitation to explore a LENS in Peru.

Internal: House overflows as colleagues gather for the LENS team: Jim Kelly (Chicago), Rose Worden (Atlanta), Carlos Zervignon (New Orleans), John Turton (Guatemala). The week includes several celebrations; final poolside relaxation session at magnificent Hyatt hacienda.

Contradiction: Creating enough momentum to last as House anticipates being absent throughout the month of July. (Week 11)

THE GUATEMALA CITY HOUSE

External: Tomato production exceeds expectations by reaching over 1,600 boxes in one manzana (two acres), giving substance to the title "The Heart-Soaring Economic Sign". Don Rafael realizes over Q9,000 gross in three months from a previous Q900 per year income. Governor visits Conacaste to deliver letter on recommendation promises help with new school. Appropriate Technology International visits with the cooperative and enthusiastically receives proposal for funding.

Internal: Residential Center gets facelift with new light in the outhouse, creation of a demonstration street drainage and above all the smiling face of sojourner Joe Schmid from Idaho. Surgery on the houses' 19 chickens and several hours of translation secure self-support victory.

Contradiction: Getting a common vision for the needs of next Quarter that puts into perspective and prioritizes immediate demands. (Week 13)*

AREA HAVANA

THE KINGSTON HOUSE

External: HDTI participants name second week "Leader's Role in Global Development," and highlight the UR images, Urban Excursion, Profound Humanness and 13 panelists in the Social Cycle modules. Circuit team visits seven villages in Portland and St. Andrew Parishes setting up implementation treks. Kingston and Woburn Lawn welcome Diane O'Neil, a one month volunteer from Atlanta, and Nicholas Hallchurch, a six month volunteer from London.

Internal: House celebrates the Addington's anniversary.

Contradiction: Journeying House members in depth style transformation while initiating village leaders into the journey. (Week 11)*

AREA LIMA

THE LIMA HOUSE

External: Another grand roofing day takes place as 50 Azpitanos work six hours to pour 200 square meters of roof on the dormitory wing of the training center while eight village women prepare the feast. Last Health Caretaker Class is finished and practical experience with local health department is scheduled.

Internal: Big Despedida celebration sends out Manuel Samayoa to the Academy in Brussels and on to next assignment after 20 months in Azpitia.

Contradiction: Implementing the cluster plan in all the villages at the same time. (Week 13)

AREA CARACAS

THE CARACAS HOUSE

External: Grant from Finance Corporation comes through on the same day Stephan Vance's science teacher gives unexpected gift of 1.400Bs. Large proposal for November Research Assembly is received favorably by director of Polar Foundation. The first of a new series of mobilization treks begins in Caño Negro with its focus on education. Caño Negro becomes the first audience of the new "Cultural Encounter-Barlovento" course. Father Luis of Fe and Alegria meets with Juan Pablo and Caño Negro youth to discuss implications of establishing a highschool in Caño Negro and the opportunity to send six youth to continue secondary studies in Merida State.

Internal: Vances are sent out to the summer with celebration of T-Bone steaks and Betamax Double-Feature. The Caño Negro House welcomes a second summer volunteer Roger Carless from England and continues to perform "miracles" on the training center's lawn.

Contradiction: Maintaining the unity of the group while dispersed on treks. (Week 10)

AREA BUENOS AIRES

THE SANTIAGO HOUSE

External: A cocktail party with some members of the non government agencies brings new contacts and interest in visiting Sol de Septiembre. A meeting with our colleagues Jorge Orchard and Exequiel Rivas help the women in the bakery of Sol form a legal association.

Internal: Team celebrates "House Church" with new colleagues and brings new interest in our rituals.

Contradiction: Releasing our effective creativity and responsibility in the midst of new possibilities. (Week 13)*

AREA RIO DE JANEIRO

THE RIO DE JANEIRO HOUSE

External: ICA purchases new alcohol VW Kombi with grant received from Dutch Embassy. Development receives another \$US 1500 and two companies donate drugs for Rio Bonito project clinics.

Internal: House welcomes David Wood-Smith, an English volunteer through the London House Volunteer Training Program. Welch family, after a five month visa saga, hears that now the minister to sign the final papers is sick!!

Contradiction: Deciding the key activities in the midst of diminishing resources of people and money. (Week 13)

GLOBAL NEXUS

THE BRUSSELS NEXUS HOUSE

External: IERD trek discovers Old World-New World side by side as grad student asks the University Library to get more data. Academy inkind and work day attracts interest of local Commune Officer.

Internal: Service Ventures completes English Graphics code for clients. Transient colleagues are hosted. Youth and E.G. are sent to camp. Academy Fiesta in the garden astounds the neighbors.

Contradiction: Practicing an Irish Jig to a Vienna Waltz. (Week 1)*

THE BOMBAY NEXUS HOUSE

External: A Rural Development Symposium in Bangalore sponsored by the Canara Bank brings together 17 volunteer agencies and seven banks.

Internal: Seven people from the Nexus join 3000 in celebrating the marriage of Asaram Rokhade and Mangla More in Athwad, a former district project village. A blue sari, a journal and centerpiece gifts are given to symbolize their decision to be in the ICA. Nexus Order Day and fasting day with key reflection create a week of celebration of life.

Contradiction: Complexity in orchestrating year end demands tends to blur images of riding momentum. (Weeks 9)

THE HONG KONG NEXUS HOUSE

External: Final session on second module of Global Language program includes field trip and registration for Module III. As \$20,000 comes in as a surprise and intensive preparation is done to send out representatives to GOC.

Internal: This week has been full of celebration as module teacher enjoys bar-be-que with the students, Mary Hoff's brother takes House to a very nice Chinese restaurant on his way from China with his wife and Murrays return from China trip to Nexus for surprise birthday celebration for Bill Murray.

Contradiction: Counting down to facility move at 27 days and holding all the demands of mission in order. (Week 2)

THE CHICAGO NEXUS HOUSE

External: A ritual life PSU is held getting clarity for Order Rituals in the future. An upfront funding meeting held in Denver by the U.S. NSC brings \$1400 in hand, \$1500 committed and more to come. A day long workshop with Control Data Corporation considers IERD data management systems.

Internal: A corporate work day on Saturday is enlivened by mobile vendors carts "Sharing Snacks At Work".

Contradiction: Facing week of complex logistics for two major events (The US NSC and Global Order Council) back to back requiring lightning speed, simple finesse and flexible obedience to necessary tasks. (Week 13)*

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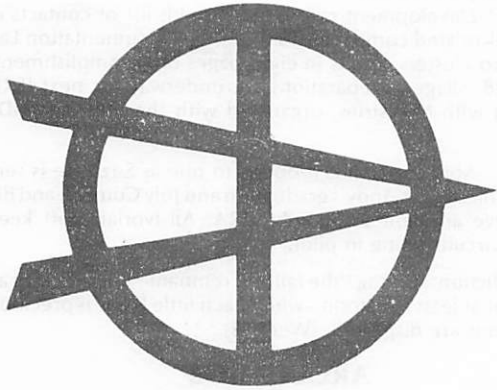
QUARTER 1 WEEK 2

GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT CENTRUM	<p>Global Development Centrum reports that May month is closed at Rs. 65,325 in Bombay. TISCO commits Rs. 100,000 for June; and manoeuvre debriefing is highlighted by activation of regionalising IERD with Rs. 20,000 in hand for Banagalore RDS advertising brochure. The key contradiction lies in the arena of having June/July global assignments drain the momentum established towards July 31st. (Week 9)</p>
GLOBAL RESEARCH CENTRUM	<p>Global Research Centrum reports that a four hour debriefing session with Mary and Sethe, two colleagues from England, provides refreshing break from hectic Nairobi GRA prep. Volunteer research on how to get a foothold into the education structures provides data and new strategies. The key contradiction lies in the arena of discerning what method will document the journey of Nava Gram Prayas so the world can see the victory and wisdom. (Week 9)</p>
GLOBAL OPERATIONS CENTRUM	<p>Global Operations Centrum reports that for the IERD taskforce - this was the week to deepen the involvement of the Indian Steering Committee in the preparation phase of the IERD. In Bangalore RDS, Mr. B. Rudramoorthy participates actively not only in the process of the event but representing the IERD to the people gathered as well as to the whole public answering burning questions. In the same week Mr. Bhoopat Trivedi asks to be on the ISC but really offers to hold an RDS in Jamnagar for more local level in Gujrat. The breakthrough is experienced in the arena of RDS set up for which there are materials, guidelines and methods created and sent out to the Houses. The futuristic contradiction for the IERD taskforce for the coming week 10 is limited utilisation of resources available to ensure the comprehensiveness of the IERD. (Week 9)</p>
GLOBAL MANAGEMENT CENTRUM	<p>Global Management Centrum reports that we finished January cash book summary and completed February cash book adding and coding and finance commission preparation. This week our management centrum member Asaram Rokhadi got married. The breakthrough is receipts are done through March. The key contradiction lies in the arena of unclarity on effecting Ashram finance monitoring. (Week 9)</p>

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QUARTER I WEEK 3

July 18-July 24, 1983



An education in humanity breeds a oneness of situation in each mind, in each land—a common existence.

—The Wise One

AREA MADRID

THE MADRID HOUSE

External: A representative of a possible project visits the House and begins next steps for India participation. Bill and Barb visit Portugal to participate in evaluation of year's work and talk through strategies for next year.

Internal: Eneida arrives from Portugal and joins Frank on trip to Brussels for Academy.

Contradiction: Keeping momentum for IERD when everyone is affected by the onset of summer doldrums. (Week 7)

LISBON—THE LAMEGO HOUSE

External: Government youth programme starts children's programmes in nine villages. Ministry of Agriculture agrees to send technical expert to help with work camp construction. ICA receives letter from Misereor confirming continuation of grant for next year.

Internal: Within 24 hours House goes from seven to five to 16 as Dutch volunteers leave and German workcamp arrives.

Contradiction: Establishing confidence in the villages so that the regular programmes become the villages responsibility. (Week 1)

AREA LONDON

THE LONDON HOUSE

External: Ben Kingsley agrees to introduce promotional film. Twelve projects are lined up for Leeds IERD meeting. Short listing of projects reveals half are new.

Internal: Time design shifts to accommodate summer assignments and tasks — next steps happen in paving court yard. Hostelry opens with nine guests -three of whom are planetary initiative workers.

Contradiction: Insuring use of time to win in four arenas - all need detailed energy plans. (Week 2)

AREA PARIS

THE PARIS HOUSE

External: Seven colleagues help house more to new home during the weekend of a neighborhood festival to sounds of African, Indian, Arab and black American music and drum beat.

Internal: Daminique Mathiot leaves Paris for new job With UNDP in Benin.

Contradiction: Making ICA:France self-supporting. (Week 4)*

THE BRUSSELS HOUSE

External: Men's group quarter-end evaluation suggests vastly expanded group for next year. IERD inquiries come in

Internal: Vists with Dick West, Frank & Aimee Hilliard, Don Bushman, Time Lush and Barbara Barkony continue conversations on the future.

Contradiction: Responding creatively to non-renewable visas. (Week 2)

AREA FRANKFURT

THE FRANKFURT HOUSE

External: True to the spirit of June, every day seems to hold the growth of something new--the second and third RDS are planned for the fall, covering three of 11 states in Germany. A day of marketing for the LENS symposium in Pforzheim takes place contacting Chamber of Commerce and Union representatives. Volunteer programme expands to include regular volunteers for work in Germany, preparation of a work camp for Portugal, fund raising for volunteers to attend Academy, and the second VOW this spring.

Internal: The turn to summer occurs over Pentecost weekend and the weeks following as we think through configurations, a summer symbol, hosting the E.G. camp, and staffing the Academy. Corporate work contract produces 1600 DM in three days and occasions further reflection on self-support modes. Abundance celebrated in Reemtsma 1st anniversary, Gerry's 66th birthday, sojourners and garden salad!

Contradiction: Recreating structures that appropriately focus our corporate energy on specific tasks and contradictions, in midst of operating in new teams and new images of the summer. (Week 10)

THE AMSTERDAM HOUSE

External: Lady Peggy Lindsay's visit expands the IERD/NSC frame and context with 11 calls in two days covering all sectors. Last minute Academy enlistment calling elicits four participants.

Internal: Week is highlighted by celebrations as House participates in colleague's birthday party in Amsterdam and board chairman, Jan Joosten, hosts an end of year celebration at the House with a rijstafle while Roundtable is celebration of community as guests and House ground "networking" in their own lives.

Contradiction: Pouring the concrete for the next steps when the forms are not in place. (Week 11)

AREA ROME

THE ROME HOUSE

External: Academy scholarships start to arrive with cheques received for USD 200 and others considering. House hosts Fr. Rajan of the house. Three companies say "yes" to in-kind computer time for training week-ends in Autumn.

Internal: Jerry Bayer, Jean-Paul, Michael Jenkins and Michelle Balm leave for Frankfurt for E. G. camp prep.

Contradiction: Creating a way to keep up missional momentum while doing necessary facility maintenance with one half the troops and tight cash flow. (Week 4)*

AREA STOCKHOLM

THE COPENHAGEN HOUSE

External: Trip to Geneva wraps up the final stage of co-sponsorship for IERD by W.H.O. with the possibility of further co-operation with the ICA after the exposition for all levels of our work globally. An almost totally new group gathers at the House for an evening context and workshop to evaluate and plan the Youth In Development program.

Internal: Guest Laurie Ure (returning volunteer from Kenya) leaves for USA and a colleague from Rome, Sister Eileen Gran, arrives to share her experience and do sightseeing.

Contradiction: Evaluating the strategic advantages from 1982-83 while preparing for Academy. (Week 12)

AREA BUDAPEST

THE VIENNA HOUSE

External: Two NSC task force meetings slowly inch IERD Phase I forward. RDS date is set for 29 & 30 October and place is reserved. Executive Director of Agrarian Research Institute in Hungary is officially named as IERD coordinator by his government.

Internal: House facility is tested by Yost family visit with nine people sleeping at House and 13 around table including Miss Han and Mr. Niu from Korea.

Contradiction: Getting clear that Phase II of IERD is in February, 1984 - not 1985. (Week 13)

AREA CAIRO

GIZA — THE EL BAYAD HOUSE

External: Baby clinic in El Alalma has Dr. treating 26 babies. Three clinics in Bayad provide opportunity for Health Caretakers to conduct lessons.

Internal: Visits and visiting highlight week house attends wedding in Sheik Ali and Nabila Isaac engagement. Caritas volunteer visits project.

Contradiction: Discerning how to move with or through government bureaucracy to begin work in Markaz. (Weeks 2,3)*

AREA ABIDJAN

THE ABIDJAN HOUSE

External: Development call to ESSO yields list of contacts in other oil-related companies for funding. Documentation Lab on Brobo clusters results in eight pages of accomplishments across 18 villages. Preparations are underway for next IERD meeting with Ministries, organized with the help of UNDP ResRep.

Internal: Abidjan team is reduced to one as Suzanne is sent out to Chicago for Andy's graduation and July Council, and Bill and Steve are sent to Nairobi GRA. All-Ivorian staff keep cluster circuits going in pilot.

Contradiction: Giving "the faithful remnant" the power of an army - or at least a platoon - when each little Francis is precious, and troops are dispersed. (Week 11)

AREA LAGOS

THE LAGOS HOUSE

External: Project visitation team in Jos Region, sponsored by Plateau State Ministry of Rural Development, joins ICA to look at six projects for possible IERD documentation; the six members of the team represent four sectors.

Internal: House celebrates completion of 1981 ICA Finance Statement by Arthur Young, Osindero and Moret, and secures in-kind commitment.

Contradiction: Daring to discern the long range collegial structure that builds and sustains the Movement while enmeshed in implementing IERD. (Week 10)

AREA KINSHASA

THE LUSAKA HOUSE

External: After the Christian Children's Fund visits the project to return 55 photos, about 50 photos are taken in Sali and Kasulu village. Packet is mailed declaring the RDS event and Right Honourable Prime Minister's story to four Houses in Africa and Nexuses. An IERD proposal is drafted.

Internal: The Quarterly time line workshop and collegium on the Panchayat Report prepares the House for the next three months. Immigration papers are submitted for Ken Otto's visa.

Contradiction: Completing Quarter IV and launching the next 15 weeks while running at 100 miles a minute. (Week 11)

AREA NAIROBI

THE NAIROBI HOUSE

External: Great week of materials production leaps into preparation for three consults and 17 village leaders institutes at same time as we receive flood of letters from potential volunteers to participate in these programmes. Two NSC site visit teams go out to evaluate five projects catalysing interest in filming and video documentation. Final push on grant accountability is prepared as in-kind cement, roofing panels, and timber for Kamweleni arrive. Team does site visits to check on state of nursery school construction.

Internal: Quarter I begins with exciting new set of collegiums including GRA document study, giving form to new ICA:Kenya brochure and lecture building session on explaining the new village movement.

Contradiction: Careful strategising to maintain extensive programme implementation in midst of financial drought. (Week 2)*

NAIROBI—THE KABIRO HOUSE

External: Saturday meeting is set in Kiwi and Kamoungu villages. Patrick pushes the House for funding the event and starts working on Auxiliary House in Ikuyani.

Internal: Ikuyani House celebrates its promotion from a HDP to a Sub-Location cluster project 26 days after Onesmus Mutua passes away.

Contradiction: Having inadequate tools, low attendance and thus poor participation. (Week 10)

NAIROBI-THE KALWANI-SHAMALAGO HOUSE

External: Budenga Cluster Consult and Namirama Cluster VLI end in combined team and faculty disco, first of many this year as Kakamega District expansion intensifies. Kusa House holds village meetings to ready lagging HDP for Sub-location Cluster Consult. Kaganda House reports 45 village leaders have volunteered to circuit Kaganda Cluster plus be expansion teams for the Location and then be the circuiters

Internal: Circuiters returning from week in Hamisi Division, and experiment with global Roundtable on "Widewera" and experience as "fantastic".

Contradiction: Understanding role of leadership as responsible for alleviating ignorance and poverty. (Week 2)*

NAIROBI—THE MUGUMOINI HOUSE

External: Muthithi B villages and Kinyona C village circuits are done. Ngararia health training graduates 30 new health care takers. Two hundred and fifty-six people attend community centre workday to cement the floor.

Internal: The House team returns from the GRA and also the Area Council. The House sends H. Rugutu, Lucy Kiilu, and Donald Kiilu out for their new assignments; Lucy Kiilu has been in this House for two and a half years.

Contradiction: Catching up with failed impact VDM in the midst of campaign time. (Week 13)

MOMBASA—THE KAMWELENI HOUSE

External: House sends J. Kioko to participate in GRA for three weeks. It is a tremendous success with sixteen countries. In Week 13 Paul follows James to attend the Area Council. The two Auxiliary report back after the long journey with great hope towards future strategies in multiple community development. Sub-Location work has 300 participants working on road repair.

Internal: Auxiliary demonstration farm completes planting two kind of vegetables, and agricultural guild members receive share from the remaining nursery seedlings. House celebrates feast invited by Mr. Koja Swalehe during closing of their Muslim fasting.

Contradiction: Setting up next Quarter circuit in the midst of government election campaign. (Week 2)*

AREA BOMBAY

BOMBAY—THE MALIWADA HOUSE

External: Circuits to Jamkhed broaden RDS participation list and team discovers rural health project for PDL (Project Description Lab). Meeting with gram seikas of tahsil promises good support by government agencies.

Internal: House works on roof repairs before monsoon rains hit the village.

Contradiction: Creating strong teams to cover all arenas of work especially our relationship with government. (Week 10)

BOMBAY—THE CHIKALE HOUSE

External: Economic module is initiated in the cluster; representatives visit RCF Co. and Jawale Industry Exhibits; Ambar Charka programme is on computer. Training Center and Chikale bridge construction continue; a 67 foot wall is completed for AB Parts, and the tap water system for Chikale and Moho is eight feet short of completion which the MID agrees to connect.

Internal: People from Hoechst Co. are hosted for economic modules and House sends staff to cluster villages for actuation and planning meetings. Chikale and Area team work on Maruti Babhale's passport and visa for the Nairobi GRA.

Contradiction: Dividing and imaging responsibility for the mission so the risks can be won while holding the tension of the external task and the internal life. (Week 6&7)

BOMBAY—THE VAVIHARSH HOUSE

External: Two CYFs are held for 75 students in Deogaon Ashram School and 61 students in Vaitarna High School. Three Adivasi people are sent from cluster village, Chandrachi Meth, to Nasik for driving course. Three day cluster consult has 70 people participating.

Internal: Principal Mr. M. S. Gosavi of Byr College visits Vaviharsh Ashram and talks on NSS Camp. Ashram receives new paint and decor and internal life training begins for new staff.

Contradiction: Completing cluster documentation as soon as possible so that it can be shown to four-sector people. (Week 7)

PUNE—THE JAWALE HOUSE

External: Documentation meeting in Bombay with whole Area and Sub-continent present puts final touches on documentation. House sends two people to Maale for a regional finance meeting. Jawale hosts a site visit from Spicer's College of Poona and does a leadership seminar with them for teachers living in the four wards around the college. The Jawale cluster initiates pre-school circuits and treks to Kolhapur, Latur, Bombay and Bangalore.

Internal: Fire in the village puts ICA to the test of acting immediately as fire takes two hours and fifteen minutes to extinguish and three staff are sent to hospital. Darren Dynes celebrates his 21st birthday and Duncan and Ramesh come from Nexus to work on Training Centre initiation budgets and procedures.

Contradiction: Sharing responsibility and engagement in all tasks with all staff to create rhythm consistent with external demands. (Week 8)

PUNE—THE MAALE HOUSE

External: Wadgaon Preschool survey is completed with 91 children whose parents are ready to pay Rs 10 each. Actuation of Maale lift irrigation scheme continues with additional signatures and a joint meeting is held with Mudsinghi. Sewing class opens in Maale.

Internal: Makwana family joins Maale Ashram bringing skills in sewing and embroidery. Development team of A. Paul and A. Algoankar spend week in Kolhapur and Sangli.

Contradiction: No contradiction submitted; (Weeks 9,10)

PUNE—THE BUDHODA HOUSE

External: Buldawd engineers submit building estimate and drinking water is repaired. B.A.I.F. advises Budhoda village people about future planning. Shivagi holds birthday fair and Budhoda village people participate. New information about Ambar charka industries land arrives as Budhoda builds Amabedkar statue.

Internal: House has celebration with Area Team member Ambavji Kemble.

Contradiction: None submitted (week 5)

NAGPUR—THE SEVAGRAM HOUSE

External: House tiles for demonstration walls in five houses each in Mandurgad and Nandora are donated by The Centre of Science for Villages. Pipes are distributed for drainage in Sevagram and Karenji Kaji. Ambar Charkha programme takes another leap as five more units are supplied to both Piyai and Bhankheda from Gandhi Ashram, who also supplied bales of cotton (raw material). Women's Awakening Institute report is printed and distributed to four sectors. Village Leaders Conference is held in Sevagram with nine villages from two clusters represented. Seventy-five people come to the opening ceremony of this two day programme where the Block Development Officer gives a great, practical keynote talk. This programme decides on twelve common programmes for the block which will focus the participation of (four sectors) action guilds in agriculture, environment and social arenas.

Internal: House shramdam is held to prepare for VLC including new decor, then follows it with great celebration. Kokene and Varma are sent out to Area Meeting in Jawale. Mohan Borker finally gets his full driving license for the jeep. Massive food credit bill of RS4,000 is finally paid off.

Contradiction: Using the time until troops come back and quarter planning is done to prepare for the coming quarter. (Weeks 11,12)

NAGPUR—THE TEMBURWAHI HOUSE

External: The planting season is launched with promises of high yields enabled by the distribution of free, high quality seed and NPK fertilizer, through the World Bank assisted Benoarth (Agricultural Training & Visitation) Scheme. Preschool teacher Suekha graduates with 60 other newly trained Adult Education teachers, ready to bridge the literacy gap across the Block. Tembhurwahi CDA moves toward Bakery Building funding by delivering the final notice for overdue loan repayments.

Internal: Claire returns from meeting in Sevagram to lead a collegium "The New WCDS Volunteer: Not a Development Tourist". This is complemented by a collegium led by Claire's visiting sister Erica, "Volunteers on the Move", using her objectivity to give the Ashram new images of its role in building the Global Movement.

Contradiction: Focussing on the catalytic "Monsoon Miracles" that will prevent the four sectors from getting stuck in the mud. (Week 13)

NAGPUR—THE DABHAD HOUSE

External: Preschool shed is built in Jambron and Medhda holds shramdan and meeting with Gram Sevek. Managing Director of Village Bank in Pradhpur adopts six cluster villages.

Internal: Wood is obtained for Ashram repairs, S. Sawarkhed arrives from Sevagram and Prasad family is sent out for discontinuity. Marathi classes start.

Contradiction: Setting up Global Women's Forums without any educated women on the staff. (Week 12)

AREA DELHI

THE DELHI HOUSE

Internal: HDZ cluster village Sarpanch visits Sikror and reaffirms his decision to make his a model village, too. Seminar with BATA management and supervisors leads to follow-up "Effective Supervisors" course set for July - first structural permeation in Faridabad. First HDA meeting is small but highlighted by favourable report of Maharashtra work by Canara Bank representative. "Development Alternatives" Director brings experts to advise village leaders on cheap and effective road building.

Internal: Volunteer Fiona MacIntosh arrives from Temburwahi and creates confusion and amusement by being the second Fiona in the House.

Contradiction: Releasing potentially available government services to the cluster. (Week 11)

AREA MADRAS

THE BANGALORE HOUSE

External: Rural Development Symposia in Trivandrum (Kerala) and Kanyukamari (Tamil Nadu) mean that 180 people from 100 organisations in all four southern states have participated in the IERD programme. The Tamil Nadu State government announced its commitment of 3000 rupees to the cost of the Madras RDS in mid-August, and appoints the Minister of Rural Development to be the Inaugural speaker. Gunjurpalya extension and visibility occur with the granting of 2500 trees to the cluster, free of charge, for a social forestry programme.

Internal: Experiencing the creativity of "assignments which stretch the troops" with active participation of House troops in programmes in Bangalore, Trivandrum, Madras, a development circuit and the Chicago Global Priors Council, all happening simultaneously.

Contradiction: Figuring out how to allow every order member to have the courage and the methods to take responsibility for the whole task. (Week 2)*

AREA CALCUTTA

THE CALCUTTA HOUSE

External: Whole House of two adults and three E.G. participates in all day RDS collating and mailing blitz that results in collating 400 RDS documents and posting 100 to participants and NSC. The first Imaginal Education Curriculum followup workshop results in participation of six schools and 12 teachers, most of whom had not attended any Imaginal Education course.

Internal: The week is marked by celebration of ID-UL-FATR (end of the Muslim Ramadan fast) and sees doubling of House size as Bhimrao Tupe returns from Bombay, Dennis Jennings from Jawale, John Burbidge from Delhi and two WCDS volunteers arrive. Local bustee colleagues visit the House.

Contradiction: Finding ways of seducing decisions out of people to come through on commitments this week. (Week 2)

AREA SINGAPORE

THE JAKARTA HOUSE

External: A week of mailings sends out 50 "Hari Raya" cards in anticipation of the end of the Ramadam fasting month, 50 "Development Update Newsletters" to contributors, and 14 packets to NSC members.

Internal: Tajuddin and Yasin give a great collegium report on the Nairobi GRA, just before they are sent out to Medan to staff HDZ-Pilot programs.

Contradiction: Creating the strategic authorization and framing "Hari Raya" visits, in the midst of a complete shutdown as two million people leave Jakarta for Lebaram (holiday). (Week 1)

THE MEDAN HOUSE

External: Tactics for getting the new Governor's audience include a brief four year summary report of ICA, letter from Camat to Bupati for continued ICA presence and request and encouragement for a recommendation letter from Bupati to the governor.

Internal: House celebrates with one big party the arrival of Julia from Nairobi GRA and send out of Rebecca and Romanus to Brussels Academy. The week is capped off with an early July 4th celebration at the American Consulate.

Contradiction: Establishing the image of expanding activities popping the lid off July 7 agreement completion date. (Week 13)

THE KUALA LUMPUR HOUSE

External: LENS with Workers Institute of Technology is scheduled for the end of July making this month a record with two LENS both of which were journeyed from interest to in hand all within one month

Internal: Phone calls across the globe for staffing the LENS brings home the power of the global network we are.

Contradiction: Caring for living space as programme demands consumes all attention. (Week 1)*

THE UJUNG PANDANG HOUSE

External: The rector of Hasanudin University responds with a positive 'yes' to being on the NSC and begins to discuss how he will bring off a powerful RDS in Ujung Pandang involving all key development agencies in the province. Opportunities for research into development efforts in the province open up with access to university research documents and an invitation from a government doctor to visit a successful health project.

Internal: The House evaluates the first round of interviews in the cluster, with an intensive two hour workshop and completes last week of fasting.

Contradiction: Riding with the high spirit of Labaran celebration to awaken a fresh vision of programmatic activities. (Week 1)

AREA HONG KONG

THE MANILA HOUSE

External: The House experiences "Building Stakes" for the future by updating Alpha File with inclusion of new companies from the top 1,000 corporations and sending 16 proposals. The visit of Mrs. Crisol from the Ministry of Agrarian Reform in Legaspi City, finalizes the set-up dates for documentation in San Rafael. Dow LENS confirmation is set on September 4-8, 1983. Gandhi Team finally builds its Quarter Plan. Union Oil monies for June-Aug. arrive after travelling around the globe.

Internal: House experiences Global reawakening through the new Quarter Roundtable about compassion, seeing film "The World of Human Development" and listening to Earthrise Music. Internal Life model for Quarter necessitates a purchase of new alarm clock.

Internal: Shifting from idea of pesos to pesos in hand. (Week 1)

THE HONG KONG HOUSE

External: Time Inc. seeks ICA out to ask for submission of a training proposal for Asia - a one year program. Local retired businessman, Mr. Tang, comes for a site visit.

Internal: Joe returns from vacation in USA and is sent out to Nexus with beach party and roof bar-be-que.

Contradiction: Creating and maintaining the story that gets into the new year. (Week 1)

THE TAIPEI HOUSE

External: New breakthroughs occur in IERD. Steering Committee budget task force gets plan for RDS funding and Visas task force gets appropriate Visa from influential ROC Advisory Board member to pursue private-sector India visa mechanism. Staff meets Masters of Business Administration Club through Kodak contact and sets short program on "how to coordinate large meetings" with 30-40 young high-level businessmen including members of special advisory task force to the Minister of Economic Affairs. Second Service club slide show (this week Roatry, last week Kiwanis) generates excitement over Human Development and opens way for club donation.

Internal: New Quarter's Roundtable, "Compassion as Celebration", with 10 guests, an experimental new China Daily Ritual, and Peter Hu and ShauKuang's first wedding anniversary focuses us on the wonder of the human drama.

Contradiction: Constantly changing hats midstream while avoiding getting wet and not missing any hats! (Week 2)*

MANILA-THE PUTSAN HOUSE

External: The preschool class opens June 14 with enrollment of 52 three to six year olds and 38 regularly in attendance. PPA meeting calls for organizing PPA officers. House receives donation of assorted medicine from Abbot Company. New ceramic industry mass production recruited 10 workers from five puroks. Ninety eight dressed chickens are delivered. Second batch of seeds is prepared and new plots are cultivated in the demonstration farm.

Internal: Mr. Ben Aguirang arrives from GRA. House holds three month manoeuvre planning. Benjamin Aguirang Jr. celebrates his third birthday.

Contradiction: Starting new mass production for ceramic industry while preparing for the national council to be held in Cebu. (Week 1)

THE CEBU HOUSE

External: ELNC teachers plan a field trip, distribute curriculum and hold nutrition meeting for teachers in Lapu-Lapu City. Citibank provides picnic to all Sudtonggan Primary School children.

Internal: Goodyear manager, San Jose University students (Cebu), and Mrs. Armas (former ICA) visit Sudtonggan Human Development Project.

Contradiction: Anticipating new direction of Mactan-24 ELNC activities. (Week 2)*

THE DAVAO HOUSE

External: David Manbey visits the House and donates four cans of paint from TCG Fibiari. MSSD donates six sacks of rice every month to drought victims. Mountain cluster quarterly coop takes inventory and holds coop members meeting.

Internal: House celebrates the birthday of Eula Pamat, one year old, at a beach party.

Contradiction: Preparing for the fourth anniversary this coming second week of June. (Week 11)

AREA TOKYO

THE TOKYO HOUSE

External: Women's TM preparation session solidifies format to be used. Bank of India expresses interest in introducing us to Indian Community for assistance in IERD. Membership renewal comes into focus as development strategy.

Internal: Fire extinguishers are in kind from former sojourner answering fire inspectors main concern. Professor and Mrs. Gould show slides from China trip before being sent out after two weeks stay. Jim Thomas gives startling collegium on country music.

Contradiction: Maintaining momentum in the midst of 40 days of rain. (Week 2)*

THE SOUL HOUSE

External: Regional team holds TM in eight villages in Seosan County as next step to selection of cluster project in new province. Cluster work will be related to WHO project which provided funds for all expenses including transportation in the local ambulance. Eight local churches sponsor benefit concert to raise \$1,300.

Internal: Regional Council brings organization to summer of intensified mission and depleted staff.

Contradiction: Making IERD decisions without moving into NSC driver's seat. (Week 13)

SEOUL-THE CHEONG WON HOUSE

External: First village day puts whole staff into the cluster to work, talk, and celebrate with villagers. Town Meetings with women, youth, and churches are scheduled. Visits are made, invitations sent out, and staff spends many hours working on TM design and flow. Two-year cluster report is prepared showing flow of village development and preparing the way for government approval of the cluster grain mill.

Internal: A new sojourner (number 5) and three fourths of the Greenwald-family bring new spirit to House and a design to have sojourner training.

Contradiction: Stretching the hide of our troops over the lock of our contradiction. (Week 1)

THE FUKUOKA HOUSE

External: English intensive all day on Sunday is a great success with nine participants and three staff. Mr. Ono, a guest at Roundtable who has lived in India one and a half years, owns a clothing factory in India Y.E.S. House completes Regional newsletter. Mr. Yano joins ICA after introduction through English Intensive flyer. Professor Ichimura, who teaches Economics at Kyushu University, is guest at Roundtable and speaks about his two month research at U. of Michigan this spring.

Internal: Naomi Sato celebrates ninth birthday with many friends at party. David Reese is sent out for summer in USA at staff breakfast at New Utani. "Economic Miracle" takes place as all classes covered by three remaining troops.

Contradiction: Involving Regional team in financial plans for ICA. (Weeks 13,1)

THE OSAKA HOUSE

External: The membership thermometer bursts with 52 members now registered. Many of the members are resulting from the sojourn program and the Philippine Work Camp. In a week of "new skills", we rehearse the Vocational Journey Lab method and share the imaginal education method through English teaching.

Internal: Breakfast party for Vera Ariel's 47th birthday is highlighted by the sojourner glee club giving us their rendition of Old MacDonald's farm. The House visits the annual Sansha shrine festival, an experience of local tradition in fine style.

Contradiction: Using the methods of spirit and planning that we have to enhance and sustain participation of the whole regional team. (Week *)

THE SAPPORO HOUSE

External: Two key symposium panelists are confirmed, Dr. Muro and Dr. Tajima, both prominent in the field of Third World development. Date and place also set (October 8-9).

Internal: Visiting relatives, Dick and Doloris Hinkelman and Leonard and Kim Good, arrive and engage 100% in House life. Tonosaki commits symbolic "sepuku" as Yubari Kita High School loses an important baseball tournament game.

Contradiction: Understanding that pressure before our August "off-time" can be helpful. (Week 3)*

AREA SYDNEY

THE SYDNEY HOUSE

External: RDS with 18 organisations and meeting with New South Wales Bicentennial Commission elicit responses from new networks for money and programme. Third spirit conversation with founder of Society of St. Gerard yields Area Council facility; and YES for three to come to Roundtable plus invitation for week-end Retreat (our House and theirs).

Internal: Collegium on our "ORDER BRIEFS" collegiums series re: 1984 produces model and recommendations for globe and is sent with Sandy to the Summer. ICA office is moved from city back to the House and reshuffle there fits in snugly. MicroConnexions starts July with \$300 worth of work. End of Year Celebration is great event with steak and wine.

Contradiction: Creating formats and manoeuvres that freight us into Quarter I. (Week 13)

SYDNEY-THE MURRIN BRIDGE HOUSE

External: National Aborigines Week is smashing success with special guest Bob Morgan from the N.S.W. Education Commission and guests from Government Departments, surrounding towns, and the Australian Broadcasting Corporation. Week is filled with intense participation of all ages in traditional and contemporary crafts, dramas, sports, ceremonies, hosting and feasting.

Internal: House is deeply impacted with Aboriginal experience of contact with Europeans in watching the First Two Episodes of T.V. series "Women Of The Sun". Participation in National Aborigines Week events at Old Menindee Mission provides very missional discontinuity.

Contradiction: Enabling effective relationships between Murrin Bridge and Lake Cargelligo structures. (Week 1)

THE MELBOURNE HOUSE

External: Teams are sent out to Lake Tyers, Yackandandah, and Canberra, to visit aboriginal communities and national agencies for IERD project selection. Meeting with staff of one-room primary school in Labertouche results in an invitation to consult with them on the School Improvement Plan. Circuiters return with reports of meeting with top Perth businessmen and Adelaide team's in-depth work on Methods for Teamwork course.

Internal: Newkirks announce the expected arrival of a second child in March. Adam demonstrates that fathers can work in the school canteen with finesse and a vegemite apron. Inkind food starts to pour in for upcoming VJL.

Contradiction: Doing first world constructs with third world resources. (Week 3)*

AREA SUVA

APIA - THE NUKU'ALOFA HOUSE

External: Central Planning Department sets date for RDS - 10,12,13 September and National Steering Committee task group builds timeline for RDS actuation. Collegium on Effective Leadership Course sent from Area New York opens new possibilities for programme marketing. Workshop on basic discussion method at the Methodist Theological College raises possibilities of working more closely with the established church.

Internal: Intern, Tupa Siale, reports surprise and approval of education inspectors at the work the teachers on faculty of the Pacific Training School are using in their public school classes-based on Imaginal Education.

Contradiction: Moving programme possibilities into firm commitments. (Week 2)

AREA SAN FRANCISCO

THE LOS ANGELES HOUSE

External: Project selection meeting in Visalia chooses nine projects which cover the state and all arenas of Rural Development. Sir Richard Attenborough (Gandhi film) agrees to pursue IERD documenting and GAB membership. Francis Roper is sent to Project Selection Meeting in Chicago with 10 projects selected in the SF/LA bi-region. LA computer guild meeting produces volunteers for project entry onto our computer of LA/SF project surveys and first successful communication takes place between LA Kaypro II and Control Data Corporation main frame in Minneapolis.

Internal: E.G. finally arrive at camp and 4th of July steak cook-out caps weekend of many visitors from Indonesia, Australia and San Francisco. "Return of the Jedi" stars Alice Wright (home from Edmonton), Milind Chitnavis (from taking E.G. to camp), Robert Ennis (from Jamaica) and Jeff Roper (from Nairobi and into hospital with malaria).

Contradiction: Capturing the key victories toward next year's base of program and self-support during July and August. (Week 1)

THE SEATTLE HOUSE

External: National Steering Committee member sees new video film and initiates conversation on a local funding strategy. Team hears report from the NSC meeting in Chicago, debriefs the Northwest Spotlight on Success campaign, and strategizes the next two months.

Internal: House stays ahead in the war with the slugs; fresh garden produce appears on the table daily.

Contradiction: Rehearsing story that this is a summer of continuity and momentum in the midst of proposed assignment shifts. (Week 2)*

THE PHOENIX HOUSE

External: IERD activity speeds up as Gene Ortega and Roy Chapman join the NSC and meet with NSC in Chicago. The House prepares IERD sample press release. The region mails the RDSF document which contains participants list, keystone statements and the 5 year practical vision for the Rural Development in the Southwest for all of the six RDSF's held in June.

Internal: John Oyler returns from NSC meeting in time for celebrative sendout for Mindy Goodhead to college in Wyoming, and Gail's birthday.

Contradiction: Deciding week by week focus with short troops developing short strategies. (Week 2)*

THE DENVER HOUSE

External: Project selection from Denver-Billings is accomplished in two five hour meetings. Showcase forum is held in Casper, Wyoming, and confirmations are mailed to 50 for IERD fund-raising event in Don Elliotts' home next week. Global film is shown at luncheon at center.

Internal: Lingo stops by, does two presentations and recruits walk-in visitor to work in Kenya. E.G. are driven to camp with two day, sixteen block curriculum enroute. House now on firm foundation as bricks are placed under northeast corner. "Return of the Jedi" gives a new myth to explore.

Contradiction: Ballooning assignments early enough to maximize use of the available time, troops, and money. (Week 8)

AREA EDMONTON

THE EDMONTON HOUSE

External: Development gets an early response towards IERD funding with the request for proposals and yes's to fund. The IERD regional steering committee produces first draft for project documentation.

Internal: House celebrates along with the city of Edmonton eleven full days of University games highlighted by the international gatherings and opening ceremonies given by the Prince of Wales.

Contradiction: Figuring out what product we want from the documentation of area successes. (Week 7)

THE ANCHORAGE HOUSE

External: Luke Titus, of Minto, says yes to being included on the Alaska Advisory Committee. Will Mayo attends the national Steering Committee meeting in Chicago as Alaska's representative. Over 100 invitations to Alaska Advisory IERD Committee meeting are sent.

Internal: Alan Stocking arrives for the summer and he takes on a phone answering job for the Daily News. Warren Crain, guardian from Seattle, stops by.

Contradiction: Maintaining missional momentum when region is in summer mode. (Week 1)

THE VANCOUVER HOUSE

AREA HOUSTON

THE HOUSTON HOUSE

External: Regional Team experiences the power of corporately searching for "our" training center, especially when the "perfect" possibility is uncovered. Visit to Prairie View A&M stimulates interest in participatory methods within the college. Metro meeting refreshes with dialogue on responsibility for broadening contexts.

Internal: Collegium on Kenya replication sparks reflections on life demand in North American front. House celebrates with laser light concert and ice cream sundaes.

Contradiction: Keeping the continuity of mission going in the midst of shifting personnel. (Week 2)

THE DALLAS HOUSE

External: First of four sessions is prepared in response to request from Texas Instruments for us to do training using their content and our method. United Methodist reporter hires Bill Bailey as permanent manager of promotion. Visits continue with colleagues of the spirit movement in North Texas.

Internal: "Say Amen, Somebody" reminds us of the unique power of music to ground the word about life.

Contradiction: Finding out our expectations are already over. (Week 11)

THE MEMPHIS HOUSE

External: Trekking through Louisiana and Arkansas picks up \$200 of Annual Appeal pledges plus sets up a funding event. Little Rock video facility confirms assistance in editing of RDS video material.

Internal: The House sends out Mary Smith to emerging generation camp. House sees progress in pursuit of education programs for Jay and Linda Zahrt.

Contradiction: Getting summer victories and setting up events for the fall. (Week 2)*

THE ATLANTA HOUSE

External: IERD trekking continues with Steering Committee meeting in Alabama, South Georgia visit to Bacontow. Day 1 troops prep for production of National Steering Committee's newsletter.

Internal: Saturday work-day welcomes Marilyn and Armando. House experiences berry picking and pies, movie and trip to Stone Mountain for the Laser show.

Contradiction: Losing the blocks and issues in midst of doings. (Week 1)

AREA CHICAGO

THE CHICAGO HOUSE

External: The House hosts 15 leaders from agencies on the West Side at the first of six 3-hour Westside Leadership Institutes. The House is greatly enabled by three summer university students - Heidi Bradshaw, Peter Fry and Charles Santos. The Mid-America Council enjoyed lunch out at the 5th City Summer Festival.

Internal: The House sends all E.G. and Youth off to camp and the Sixth Grade Trip along with three 5th City E.G. enabled by a McDonalds Corporation grant.

Contradiction: Making sure that our Quarter I plan includes a foundational understanding of the 5th City story of why we're here and who we care for and revitalize the Third Decade and the West Side Zone. (Week 1)

THE KANSAS CITY HOUSE

External: Wilson's represent Kansas and Missouri at NSC meeting in Chicago. Metro participates in planning and implementing Westport's 150 birthday celebration, runs booth for Hyde Park (our neighborhood) and Westport cluster which releases interest and fascination.

Internal: House continues sequence of collegiums on the "new family" and looks at options for the future; sees "Max Dugan Returns", completes self support jobs and celebrates with a swim.

Contradiction: Working through individual journeys to enable the corporate victory for the year. (Week 1)

KANSAS CITY—THE LORIMOR HOUSE

External: The Hunger Task Force of the Methodist Church in Des Moines, views the new ICA video presentation and affirms our long relationship with the possibility of future funding for third world projects. A follow up visit to Lincoln for the Youth Development Series and proposals are drafted for American Cable Vision, HBO Cable Vision and the Nebraska Wellness program consultations. Delivery of Mid America Access to the future documents provides occasions for conversations on implementation of symposium tactics across the Zone.

Internal: Justin Morrill arrives for 24 hours to attend the Hunger Task Force Meeting and Dick West returns from the GRA in Nairobi and his son Calvin arrives for a month stay at the House.

Contradiction: Moving from reacting to "that which is hanging over our head" to charting the future of Lorimor and the Midcrest HDZ. (Week 1)

THE MINNEAPOLIS HOUSE

External: "Declaration Theme" maneuver gains momentum with image of 20 minute Roundtable presentations by three colleagues on their images of our common mission and why they are engaged. Sharry Lachman is sent to Datapoint LENS in Austin.

Internal: Addie Lyman, Bill Butler and Marta Dubi all assist in putting on computer skills program at Camp New Family, while the men of House fell two trees in side yard.

Contradiction: Focusing of a picture of the new task while many of the key players are still going to and fro. (Week)*

THE DETROIT HOUSE

External: Team focuses on future financial condition as region presents model for Order winepress, LENS, Incorporated and first workshops begin to mold fall Annual Appeal.

Internal: "Summertime" shift is made as troops berry pick and set aside Tuesday evening reflections after "On the Road" and "Our Times" television shows. Four weeks in July Roundtable is launched with meatier studies, spirit conversations, and exercises.

Contradiction: Brainstorming long lists of to do's and could do's for Quarter I --- none of which demand inspired revolutionary presence without re-storying and grounding of Regional contradiction. (Week 1)

CLEVELAND-THE INDIANAPOLIS HOUSE

External: New Human Service Venture contract is signed, office and training space inked from local church, and are classes underway. Unexpected volunteer to head new community taskforce delights neighbors and ICA facilitator team.

Internal: House regroups after three week dispersion to Global Order Council and family discontinuity.

Contradiction: Integrating GOC priorities with Regional momentum. (Week 3)*

AREA NEW YORK

THE NEW YORK HOUSE

External: A \$10,000 donation is given to ICA development through Roman Haas in Philadelphia. In the private sector a new contact was made with Mr. Nanaka of Japan who could be a foothold into the private sector of the U.S. In Maine 167 are now registered for the Rural Development Symposium.

Internal: The Metafile Software package arrives which allows the Paragim business in the House to pick up data entry work which has been on hold for six months.

Contradiction: Building the Metabilt while running from event to event. (Week 10)

THE ROCHESTER HOUSE

External: Community Forum in Ripley sponsored by Town Supervisor and School Superintendent heals old wounds and makes new plans. New York is represented at New England/Maritimes RDS by Buffalo and Stockport energy projects and four representing the Millers Mills Ice Harvest Festival.

Internal: Alice Rose goes to farm while Tom Catandella sojourns on way to and from RDS.

Contradiction: Gearing our region into IERD after recruiting Vermont for the RDS. (Week 11)

THE WASHINGTON HOUSE

External: Goldman's host House and Metro for NSC meeting report and update on IERD fund raising events. Planning event opens door for future relationships with Richmond (Virginia) community seniors center and nets \$1000 program fee. Both computer courses sponsored by Mathbox (IBM dealer) are full and Computer Paradigm staff get to view videos of both courses.

Internal: Task force continues transformation of third floor bathroom in preparation for arrival of nine seminarians who will live with us next semester. House celebrates Kurt Dahlke's acceptance by college in Colorado.

Contradiction: Tying up loose ends to allow for a great discontinuity for the whole House. (Week 3)*

THE BOSTON HOUSE

External: The Boston House sends all available members to the RDS in Portland, Maine. The preparatory time spent leading up to this symposium pays off with a signal event for New England and the Maritimes. Boston Training Inc. is moving ahead with appointments this week at Digital, Boston Housing Authority, and the Boston Mayor's Office. Date of September 17 is set for Northfield Mt. Hermon student leadership symposium.

Internal: Alison Bengel receives the outstanding student award for the second grade class at Nathan Hale School. The House hosts those from New York and Troy on the way to and from the RDS.

Contradiction: Maintaining a common focus amid the diversity of activity. (Week 11)

BOSTON-THE STARKS HOUSE

External: Thirty-one adults attend Starks Enterprises Corporation fourth anniversary dinner with reports recapping the year, guest speaker Jeff Coolidge, guests from Guatemala (West), tours of the building, great food and singing. RDS followup begins with thank-you letters, document distribution and core meeting set for discussing fall event. Woodworks saves money by discovering brad gun.

Internal: While Tim and Judy attend New York check signals highlighted by reflection on order future through Rome visits, Wendy and Tim catch up on Hong Kong happenings thru visit by Joe Nagy.

Contradiction: Stopping the world long enough to look at long haul future while effectively handling current critical momentum. (Week 13)

AREA MONTREAL

THE TORONTO HOUSE

External: In two and a half days 62 people from across the continent are trained to facilitate the Planetary Initiates Congress of 470 people. Hornepayne Community LENS with Native community combines planning and training in six day event. Closing reflection reveals journey of community as they admit, "We started out scared and moved to opening the door to the future." One day planning with the Native Community Branch and the Hornepayne LENS intensifies our role as linking government structures with local communities. NSC meeting in Winnipeg lays out task of documenting 100 projects for the continent.

Internal: House experiences incredible celebrations in midst of programmatic activity with Planetary Initiatives montage building, neighborhood celebration, barbeque with participants in Hornepayne LENS and quarter end celebration at Summer Country '83 as we bask in the sun for nine hours. Jessica Farrar receives participation award at 6th grade graduation for most involvement in activities in and out of school. She then joins 6th grade rite of passage trip as they explore eastern Canada.

Contradiction: Gathering regional colleagues together to plan documentation trips in the midst of summer holidays. (Week 13)

THE OTTAWA HOUSE

THE MONTREAL HOUSE

External: Two towers at Habitation Jeanne Mance take July 1st (Canada Day) outside for a grand fête. Staff travels to Western Canada to participate in National Steering Committee Meeting and the Stony Plaine, Alberta Exchange Conference.

Internal: Annual Interprovincial bicycle race passes our door doing 50 laps while we host 6th grade trip and Montreal grand churches allow for youth to meditate on Ground of Being.

Contradiction: Learning how to work with people from all sectors to allow for reflection on missional focus and indigenize programmes. (Week 12)

AREA MEXICO CITY

THE MEXICO CITY HOUSE

External: National Steering Committee meets to tackle fundraising contradiction. Loss of RDS site forces postponement till late August of the Symposium which allows us time to prepare adequate procedures and facilitation team. Time/Life LENS is a resounding success with 100 salespersons unified in a common plan and an invitation to explore a LENS in Peru.

Internal: House overflows as colleagues gather for the LENS team: Jim Kelly (Chicago), Rose Worden (Atlanta), Carlos Zervignon (New Orleans), John Turton (Guatemala). The week includes several celebrations; final poolside relaxation session at magnificent Hyatt hacienda.

Contradiction: Creating enough momentum to last as House anticipates being absent throughout the month of July. (Week 11)

THE GUATEMALA CITY HOUSE

External: LENS methodology allows technical assistants, ICA staff, short term volunteers and villagers to create a common vision for the next Quarter across cultural diversity and educational backgrounds from third grade to college level.

Internal: Celebration after planning uncovers a wealth of hidden talents with singing, dancing and comedy skits - Rolando illustrates the history of the Tango.

Contradiction: Doing tactics that allow people to move in their hopes rather than those which allow them to think about their hopes. (Week 1)*

AREA HAVANA

THE KINGSTON HOUSE

External: HDTI participants name second week "Leader's Role in Global Development," and highlight the UR images, Urban Excursion, Profound Humanness and 13 panelists in the Social Cycle modules. Circuit team visits seven villages in Portland and St. Andrew Parishes setting up implementation treks. Kingston and Woburn Lawn welcome Diane O'Neil, a one month volunteer from Atlanta, and Nicholas Hallchurch, a six month volunteer from London.

Internal: House celebrates the Addington's anniversary.

Contradiction: Journeying House members in depth style transformation while initiating village leaders into the journey. (Week 11)

AREA LIMA

THE LIMA HOUSE

External: Basic services survey is completed in five communities of Canete Cluster and first electricity commission meeting is held in one of the communities. Economic guild does first presentation in another community and sets up a three day course the first week in August.

Internal: ICA finance report for the year is mailed to Chicago. Two new Canadian Sojourners arrived just in time to celebrate Jaquina's birthday at a surprise party planned by the Peruvian staff.

Contradiction: Creating the story of the one task that we are all about as we disperse in many directions at one time. (Week 2)*

AREA CARACAS

THE CARACAS HOUSE

External: The House completes education treks to the cluster villages of Pacheco and La Menzura. Town Meeting is held in the village of Los Gonzales where the team is toasted at a community feast. Bunk beds and fans arrive from the North American Association.

Internal: Janice May and Jacobo Pacheco return from Kenya as Kip May is sent out to Chicago GOC amidst great celebrations of welcoming and send out.

Contradiction: Coordinating troops and transport to realize the challenges of a full quarter. (Week 1)*

AREA BUENOS AIRES

THE SANTIAGO HOUSE

External: IERD letterhead in Spanish is ready for sending invitation letters to the September Rural Development Symposium. Self-sufficiency continues in Sol as Directiva learns about a new accounting system and an old tractor is sold bringing new money into the community.

Internal: Fourth of July is celebrated in a typical Chilean style "Once", colleagues are trained on "the artform method" during an exciting methods session.

Contradiction: Creating practical wheels for establishing community forums while facing many administrative transactions. (Week 1)*

AREA RIO DE JANEIRO

THE RIO DE JANEIRO HOUSE

External: More than 100 people participate in the second annual Bracana/Tatus Community Planning Series; a highlight being a slide show of the past year's accomplishments. Thirty households are visited by the team to set up the Mata/Tomascar Community Planning Series. A new Volkswagon van arrives, donated by the Dutch Embassy.

Internal: The Welch family visa is finally approved and Kit Krauss is sent out to Chicago for Council.

Contradiction: Sustaining big turnouts and organizing details for Community Planning Series' and the Community Centre Inauguration. (Week 2)*

GLOBAL NEXUS

THE BRUSSELS NEXUS HOUSE

External: IERD trek discovers Old World-New World side by side as grad student asks the University Library to get more data. Academy inkind and work day attracts interest of local Commune Officer.

Internal: Service Ventures completes English Graphics code for clients. Transient colleagues are hosted. Youth and E.G. are sent to camp. Academy Fiesta in the garden astounds the neighbors.

Contradiction: Practicing an Irish Jig to a Vienna Waltz. (Week 1)

THE BOMBAY NEXUS HOUSE

External: A Rural Development Symposium in Bangalore sponsored by the Canara Bank brings together 17 volunteer agencies and seven banks.

Internal: Seven people from the Nexus join 3000 in celebrating the marriage of Asaram Rokhade and Mangla More in Athwad, a former district project village. A blue sari, a journal and centerpiece gifts are given to symbolize their decision to be in the ICA. Nexus Order Day and fasting day with key reflection create a week of celebration of life.

Contradiction: Complexity in orchestrating year end demands tends to blur images of riding momentum. (Weeks 9)

THE HONG KONG NEXUS HOUSE

External: Final session on second module of Global Language program includes field trip and registration for Module III. As \$20,000 comes in as a surprise and intensive preparation is done to send out representatives to GOC.

Internal: This week has been full of celebration as module teacher enjoys bar-be-que with the students, Mary Hoff's brother takes House to a very nice Chinese restaurant on his way from China with his wife and Murrays return from China trip to Nexus for surprise birthday celebration for Bill Murray.

Contradiction: Counting down to facility move at 27 days and holding all the demands of mission in order. (Week 2)

THE CHICAGO NEXUS HOUSE

External: A ritual life PSU is held getting clarity for Order Rituals in the future. An upfront funding meeting held in Denver by the U.S. NSC brings \$1400 in hand, \$1500 committed and more to come. A day long workshop with Control Data Corporation considers IERD data management systems.

Internal: A corporate work day on Saturday is enlivened by mobile vendors carts "Sharing Snacks At Work".

Contradiction: Facing week of complex logistics for two major events (The US NSC and Global Order Council) back to back requiring lightening speed, simple finesse and flexible obedience to necessary tasks. (Week 13)

THE GLOBAL ORDER CENTRUM REPORT

BRUSSELS

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CHICAGO

QUARTER I WEEK 3

GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT CENTRUM

Global Development Centrum reports that May month is closed at Rs. 65,325 in Bombay. TISCO commits Rs. 100,000 for June; and manoeuvre debriefing is highlighted by activation of regionalising IERD with Rs. 20,000 in hand for Banagalore RDS advertising brochure. The key contradiction lies in the arena of having June/July global assignments drain the momentum established towards July 31st. (Week 9)

GLOBAL RESEARCH CENTRUM

Global Research Centrum reports that a four hour debriefing session with Mary and Sethe, two colleagues from England, provides refreshing break from hectic Nairobi GRA prep. Volunteer research on how to get a foothold into the education structures provides data and new strategies. The key contradiction lies in the arena of discerning what method will document the journey of Nava Gram Prayas so the world can see the victory and wisdom. (Week 9)

GLOBAL OPERATIONS CENTRUM

Global Operations Centrum reports that for the IERD taskforce - this was the week to deepen the involvement of the Indian Steering Committee in the preparation phase of the IERD. In Bangalore RDS, Mr. B. Rudramoorthy participates actively not only in the process of the event but representing the IERD to the people gathered as well as to the whole public answering burning questions. In the same week Mr. Bhoopat Trivedi asks to be on the ISC but really offers to hold an RDS in Jamnagar for more local level in Gujrat. The breakthrough is experienced in the arena of RDS set up for which there are materials, guidelines and methods created and sent out to the Houses. The futuric contradiction for the IERD taskforce for the coming week 10 is limited utilisation of resources available to ensure the comprehensiveness of the IERD. (Week 9)

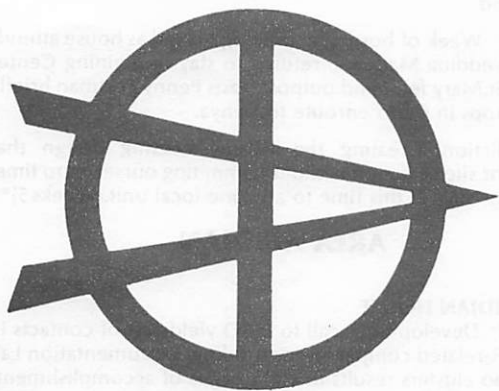
GLOBAL MANAGEMENT CENTRUM

Global Management Centrum reports that we finished January cash book summary and completed February cash book adding and coding and finance commission preparation. This week our management centrum member Asaram Rokhadi got married. The breakthrough is receipts are done through March. The key contradiction lies in the arena of unclarity on effecting Ashram finance monitoring. (Week 9)

THE GLOBAL ORDER REPORT

QUARTER I WEEK 3

July 25-July 31, 1983



AREA MADRID

THE MADRID HOUSE

External: A representative of a possible project visits the House and begins next steps for India participation. Bill and Barb visit Portugal to participate in evaluation of year's work and talk through strategies for next year.

Internal: Eneida arrives from Portugal and joins Frank on trip to Brussels for Academy.

Contradiction: Keeping momentum for IERD when everyone is affected by the onset of summer doldrums. (Week 7)

LISBON—THE LAMEGO HOUSE

External: Government youth programme starts children's programmes in nine villages. Ministry of Agriculture agrees to send technical expert to help with work camp construction. ICA receives letter from Misereor confirming continuation of grant for next year.

Internal: Within 24 hours House goes from seven to five to 16 as Dutch volunteers leave and German workcamp arrives.

Contradiction: Establishing confidence in the villages so that the regular programmes become the villages responsibility. (Week 1)

AREA LONDON

THE LONDON HOUSE

External: Meeting in Leeds is held as next step after RDS with 23 people present representing 11 projects, and 17 additional written submissions for consideration. One participant asks to become member of NSC and three others offer to help on visits to do project description labs. 100 Pounds donation comes in to launch the Delegate Scholarship Fund. r.

Internal: Twenty one Paying Guests in one night (including one on the roof) boosts our second week of Hostelry Operation to bring in the equivalent of two average salaries in two weeks..

An education in humanity breeds a oneness of situation in each mind, in each land—a common existence.

—The Wise One

Contradiction: Setting realistic but challenging goals in the three arenas while using the current momentum to maintain the necessary pace.-(Week 4)

AREA PARIS

THE PARIS HOUSE

External: Seven colleagues help house move to new home during the weekend of a neighborhood festival to sounds of African, Indian, Arab and black American music and drum beat.

Internal: Daminiq Mathiot leaves Paris for new job With UNDP in Benin.

Contradiction: Making ICA:France self-supporting. (Week 4)*

THE BRUSSELS HOUSE

External: Men's group quarter-end evaluation suggests vastly expanded group for next year. IERD inquiries come in

Internal: Vists with Dick West, Frank & Aimee Hilliard, Don Bushman, Time Lush and Barbara Barkony continue conversations on the future.

Contradiction: Responding creatively to non-renewable visas. (Week 2)

AREA FRANKFURT

THE FRANKFURT HOUSE

External: True to the spirit of June, every day seems to hold the growth of something new--the second and third RDS are planned for the fall, covering three of 11 states in Germany. A day of marketing for the LENS symposium in Pforzheim takes place contacting Chamber of Commerce and Union representatives. Volunteer programme expands to include regular volunteers for work in Germany, preparation of a work camp for Portugal, fund raising for volunteers to attend Academy, and the second VOW this spring.

Internal: The turn to summer occurs over Pentecost weekend and the weeks following as we think through configurations, a summer symbol, hosting the E.G. camp, and staffing the Academy. Corporate work contract produces 1600 DM in three days and occasions further reflection on self-support modes. Abundance celebrated in Reemtsma 1st anniversary, Gerry's 66th birthday, sojourners and garden salad!

Contradiction: Recreating structures that appropriately focus our corporate energy on specific tasks and contradictions, in midst of operating in new teams and new images of the summer. (Week 10)

THE AMSTERDAM HOUSE

External: Lady Peggy Lindsay's visit expands the IERD/NSC frame and context with 11 calls in two days covering all sectors. Last minute Academy enlistment calling elicits four participants.

Internal: Week is highlighted by celebrations as House participates in colleague's birthday party in Amsterdam and board chairman, Jan Joosten, hosts an end of year celebration at the House with a rijstafle while Roundtable is celebration of community as guests and House ground "networking" in their own lives.

Contradiction: Pouring the concrete for the next steps when the forms are not in place. (Week 11)

AREA ROME

THE ROME HOUSE

External: Academy scholarships start to arrive with cheques received for USD 200 and others considering. House hosts Fr. Rajan of the house. Three companies say «yes» to in-kind computer time for training week-ends in Autumn.

Internal: Jerry Bayer, Jean-Paul, Michael Jenkins and Michelle Balm leave for Frankfurt for E. G. camp prep.

Contradiction: Creating a way to keep up missional momentum while doing necessary facility maintenance with one half the troops and tight cash flow. (Week 4)*

AREA STOCKHOLM

THE COPENHAGEN HOUSE

External: Trip to Geneva wraps up the final stage of co-sponsorship for IERD by W.H.O. with the possibility of further co-operation with the ICA after the exposition for all levels of our work globally. An almost totally new group gathers at the House for an evening context and workshop to evaluate and plan the Youth In Development program.

Internal: Guest Laurie Ure (returning volunteer from Kenya) leaves for USA and a colleague from Rome, Sister Eileen Gran, arrives to share her experience and do sightseeing.

Contradiction: Evaluating the strategic advantages from 1982-83 while preparing for Academy. (Week 12)

AREA BUDAPEST

THE VIENNA HOUSE

External: Two NSC task force meetings slowly inch IERD Phase I forward. RDS date is set for 29 & 30 October and place is reserved. Executive Director of Agrarian Research Institute in Hungary is officially named as IERD coordinator by his government.

Internal: House facility is tested by Yost family visit with nine people sleeping at House and 13 around table including Miss Han and Mr. Niu from Korea.

Contradiction: Getting clear that Phase II of IERD is in February, 1984 - not 1985. (Week 13)

AREA CAIRO

GIZA — THE EL BAYAD HOUSE

External: David, Farrah and Mr Hamid (Officer in charge of Rural Development Office for Beni Suef Markaz) travel to Tismat local unit to meet with 35 village leaders in preparation for doing village meeting in local unit. Meeting with Mr. Samir, local unit chief in Bayad, moves desert reclamation plans one step down the road. Construction on training center is finished.

Internal: Week of hosting and being hosted as house attends Bayad wedding. Madeline returns to stay in Training Center during St. Mary feast and outpost hosts Penny Portman briefly as she stops in Cairo enroute to Kenya.

Contradiction: Creating the village meeting design that allows for site selection without committing ourselves to time, money or staff at this time to any one local unit. (Weeks 5)*

AREA ABIDJAN

THE ABIDJAN HOUSE

External: Development call to ESSO yields list of contacts in other oil-related companies for funding. Documentation Lab on Brobo clusters results in eight pages of accomplishments across 18 villages. Preparations are underway for next IERD meeting with Ministries, organized with the help of UNDP ResRep.

Internal: Abidjan team is reduced to one as Suzanne is sent out to Chicago for Andy's graduation and July Council, and Bill and Steve are sent to Nairobi GRA. All-Ivorian staff keep cluster circuits going in pilot.

Contradiction: Giving "the faithful remnant" the power of an army - or at least a platoon - when each little Franc is precious, and troops are dispersed. (Week 11)

AREA LAGOS

THE LAGOS HOUSE

External: Project visitation team in Jos Region, sponsored by Plateau State Ministry of Rural Development, joins ICA to look at six projects for possible IERD documentation; the six members of the team represent four sectors.

Internal: House celebrates completion of 1981 ICA Finance Statement by Arthur Young, Osindero and Moret, and secures in-kind commitment.

Contradiction: Daring to discern the long range collegial structure that builds and sustains the Movement while enmeshed in implementing IERD. (Week 10)

AREA KINSHASA

THE LUSAKA HOUSE

External: Reporters from one of the two daily newspapers visit Kapini saying they want to do a feature article, and stay for five hours. Sub-committees of NSC meet this week for the first time with fantastic energy and vision.

Internal: Andrew Knutsen leaves on Wednesday for G.O.C. in Chicago, while Jean-Kaarpo follows on Saturday morning after securing his passport.

Contradiction: Expanding alternatives in development to meet new money demands and free us for expansion. (Week 2)

AREA NAIROBI

THE NAIROBI HOUSE

External: First Nairobi consultation with Mauritius Government for two weeks is tremendous success with opening of LENS for directors of the rural development carried live on national T.V. They are asking ICA back in November.

Great week of materials production leaps into preparation for three consults and 17 village leaders institutes at same time as we receive flood of letters from potential volunteers to participate in these programmes. Two NSC site visit teams go out to evaluate five projects catalysing interest in filming and video documentation. Final push on grant accountability is prepared as inked cement, roofing panels, and timber for Kamweleni arrive. Team does site visits to check on state of nursery school construction.

Internal: Quarter I begins with exciting new set of collegiums including GRA document study, giving form to new ICA:Kenya brochure and lecture building session on explaining the new village movement.

Contradiction: Careful strategising to maintain extensive programme implementation in midst of financial drought. (Week 3)*

NAIROBI—THE KABIRO HOUSE

External: Saturday meeting is set in Kiwi and Kamoungu villages. Patrick pushes the House for funding the event and starts working on Auxiliary House in Ikuyani.

Internal: Ikuyani House celebrates its promotion from a HDP to a Sub-Location cluster project 26 days after Onesmus Mutua passes away.

Contradiction: Having inadequate tools, low attendance and thus poor participation. (Week 10)

NAIROBI—THE KALWANI-SHAMALAGO HOUSE

External: Budenga Cluster Consult and Namirama Cluster VLI end in combined team and faculty disco, first of many this year as Kakamega District expansion intensifies. Kusa House holds village meetings to ready lagging HDP for Sub-location Cluster Consult. Kaganda House reports 45 village leaders have volunteered to circuit Kaganda Cluster plus be expansion teams for the Location and then be the circuiters

Internal: Circuiters returning from week in Hamisi Division, and experiment with global Roundtable on "Widewera" and experience as "fantastic".

Contradiction: Understanding role of leadership as responsible for alleviating ignorance and poverty. (Week 2)*

NAIROBI—THE MUGUMOINI HOUSE

External: Muthithi B villages and Kinyona C village circuits are done. Ngararia health training graduates 30 new health care takers. Two hundred and fifty-six people attend community centre workday to cement the floor.

Internal: The House team returns from the GRA and also the Area Council. The House sends H. Rugutu, Lucy Kiilu, and Donald Kiilu out for their new assignments; Lucy Kiilu has been in this House for two and a half years.

Contradiction: Catching up with failed impact VDM in the midst of campaign time. (Week 13)

MOMBASA—THE KAMWELENI HOUSE

External: House sends J. Kioko to participate in GRA for three weeks. It is a tremendous success with sixteen countries. In Week 13 Paul follows James to attend the Area Council. The two Auxiliary report back after the long journey with great hope towards future strategies in multiple community development. Sub-Location work has 300 participants working on road repair.

Internal: Auxiliary demonstration farm completes planting two kind of vegetables, and agricultural guild members receive share from the remaining nursery seedlings. House celebrates feast invited by Mr. Koja Swalehe during closing of their Muslim fasting.

Contradiction: Setting up next Quarter circuit in the midst of government election campaign. (Week 2)*

AREA BOMBAY

BOMBAY—THE MALIWADA HOUSE

External: Circuits to Jamkhed broaden RDS participation list and team discovers rural health project for PDL(Project Description Lab). Meeting with gram seikas of tahsil promises good support by government agencies.

Internal: House works on roof repairs before monsoon rains hit the village.

Contradiction: Creating strong teams to cover all arenas of work especially our relationship with government. (Week 10)

BOMBAY—THE CHIKALE HOUSE

External: Economic module is initiated in the cluster; representatives visit RCF Co. and Jawale Industry Exhibits; Ambar Charka programme is on computer. Training Center and Chikale bridge construction continue; a 67 foot wall is completed for AB Parts, and the tap water system for Chikale and Moho is eight feet short of completion which the MID agrees to connect.

Internal: People from Hoechst Co. are hosted for economic modules and House sends staff to cluster villages for actuation and planning meetings. Chikale and Area team work on Maruti Babhale's passport and visa for the Nairobi GRA.

Contradiction: Dividing and imaging responsibility for the mission so the risks can be won while holding the tension of the external task and the internal life. (Week 6&7)

BOMBAY—THE VAVIHARSH HOUSE

External: Two CYFs are held for 75 students in Deogaon Ashram School and 61 students in Vaitarna High School. Three Adivasi people are sent from cluster village, Chandrachi Meth, to Nasik for driving course. Three day cluster consult has 70 people participating.

Internal: Principal Mr. M. S. Gosavi of Byr College visits Vaviharsh Ashram and talks on NSS Camp. Ashram receives new paint and decor and internal life training begins for new staff.

Contradiction: Completing cluster documentation as soon as possible so that it can be shown to four-sector people. (Week 7)

PUNE—THE JAWALE HOUSE

External: Documentation meeting in Bombay with whole Area and Sub-continent present puts final touches on documentation. House sends two people to Maale for a regional finance meeting. Jawale hosts a site visit from Spicer's College of Poona and does a leadership seminar with them for teachers living in the four wards around the college. The Jawale cluster initiates pre-school circuits and treks to Kolhapur, Latur, Bombay and Bangalore.

Internal: Fire in the village puts ICA to the test of acting immediately as fire takes two hours and fifteen minutes to extinguish and three staff are sent to hospital. Darren Dynes celebrates his 21st birthday and Duncan and Ramesh come from Nexus to work on Training Centre initiation budgets and procedures.

Contradiction: Sharing responsibility and engagement in all tasks with all staff to create rhythm consistent with external demands. (Week 8)

PUNE—THE MAALE HOUSE

External: Wadgaon Preschool survey is completed with 91 children whose parents are ready to pay Rs 10 each. Actuation of Maale lift irrigation scheme continues with additional signatures and a joint meeting is held with Mudsinghi. Sewing class opens in Maale.

Internal: Makwana family joins Maale Ashram bringing skills in sewing and embroidery. Development team of A. Paul and A. Algoankar spend week in Kolhapur and Sangli.

Contradiction: [No contradiction submitted] (Weeks 9,10)

PUNE—THE BUDHODA HOUSE

External: Buldard engineers submit building estimate and drinking water is repaired. B.A.I.F. advises Budhoda village people about future planning. Shivagi holds birthday fair and Budhoda village people participate. New information about Ambar charka industries land arrives as Budhoda builds Amabedkar statue.

Internal: House has celebration with Area Team member Ambavji Kemble.

Contradiction: None submitted (week 5)

NAGPUR—THE SEVAGRAM HOUSE

External: House tiles for demonstration walls in five houses each in Mandurgad and Nandora are donated by The Centre of Science for Villages. Pipes are distributed for drainage in Sevagram and Karenji Kaji. Ambar Charkha programme takes another leap as five more units are supplied to both Piyai and Bhankheda from Gandhi Ashram, who also supplied bales of cotton (raw material). Women's Awakening Institute report is printed and distributed to four sectors. Village Leaders Conference is held in Sevagram with nine villages from two clusters represented. Seventy-five people come to the opening ceremony of this two day programme where the Block Development Officer gives a great, practical keynote talk. This programme decides on twelve common programmes for the block which will focus the participation of (four sectors) action guilds in agriculture, environment and social arenas.

Internal: House shramdam is held to prepare for VLC including new decor, then follows it with great celebration. Kokene and Varma are sent out to Area Meeting in Jawale. Mohan Borker finally gets his full driving license for the jeep. Massive food credit bill of RS4,000 is finally paid off.

Contradiction: Using the time until troops come back and quarter planning is done to prepare for the coming quarter. (Weeks 11,12)

NAGPUR—THE TEMBURWAHI HOUSE

External: The planting season is launched with promises of high yields enabled by the distribution of free, high quality seed and NPK fertilizer, through the World Bank assisted Benoarh (Agricultural Training & Visitation) Scheme. Preschool teacher Suekha graduates with 60 other newly trained Adult Education teachers, ready to bridge the literacy gap across the Block. Tembuhurwahi CDA moves toward Bakery Building funding by delivering the final notice for overdue loan repayments.

Internal: Claire returns from meeting in Sevagram to lead a collegium "The New WCDS Volunteer: Not a Development Tourist". This is complemented by a collegium led by Claire's visiting sister Erica, "Volunteers on the Move", using her objectivity to give the Ashram new images of its role in building the Global Movement.

Contradiction: Focussing on the catalytic "Monsoon Miracles" that will prevent the four sectors from getting stuck in the mud. (Week 13)

NAGPUR—THE DABHAD HOUSE

External: Preschool shed is built in Jambron and Medhda holds shramdan and meeting with Gram Sevek. Managing Director of Village Bank in Pradhpur adopts six cluster villages.

Internal: Wood is obtained for Ashram repairs, S. Sawarkhed arrives from Sevagram and Prasad family is sent out for discontinuity. Marathi classes start.

Contradiction: Setting up Global Women's Forums without any educated women on the staff. (Week 12)

AREA DELHI

THE DELHI HOUSE

External: HDZ cluster village Sarpanch visits Sikror and reaffirms his decision to make his a model village, too. Seminar with BATA management and supervisors leads to follow-up "Effective Supervisors" course set for July - first structural permeation in Faridabad. First HDA meeting is small but highlighted by favourable report of Maharashtra work by Canara Bank representative. "Development Alternatives" Director brings experts to advise village leaders on cheap and effective road building.

Internal: Volunteer Fiona MacIntosh arrives from Temburwahi and creates confusion and amusement by being the second Fiona in the House.

Contradiction: Releasing potentially available government services to the cluster. (Week 11)

AREA MADRAS

THE BANGALORE HOUSE

External: Rural Development Symposia in Trivandrum (Kerala) and Kanyukamari (Tamil Nadu) mean that 180 people from 100 organisations in all four southern states have participated in the IERD programme. The Tamil Nadu State government announced its commitment of 3000 rupees to the cost of the Madras RDS in mid-August, and appoints the Minister of Rural Development to be the Inaugural speaker. Gunjurpalya extension and visibility occur with the granting of 2500 trees to the cluster, free of charge, for a social forestry programme.

Internal: Experiencing the creativity of "assignments which stretch the troops" with active participation of House troops in programmes in Bangalore, Trivandrum, Madras, a development circuit and the Chicago Global Priors Council, all happening simultaneously.

Contradiction: Figuring out how to allow every order member to have the courage and the methods to take responsibility for the whole task. (Week 2)*

AREA CALCUTTA

THE CALCUTTA HOUSE

External: Whole House of two adults and three E.G. participates in all day RDS collating and mailing blitz that results in collating 400 RDS documents and posting 100 to participants and NSC. The first Imaginal Education Curriculum followup workshop results in participation of six schools and 12 teachers, most of whom had not attended any Imaginal Education course.

Internal: The week is marked by celebration of ID-UL-FATR (end of the Muslim Ramadan fast) and sees doubling of House size as Bhimrao Tupe returns from Bombay, Dennis Jennings from Jawale, John Burbidge from Delhi and two WCDS volunteers arrive. Local bustee colleagues visit the House.

Contradiction: Finding ways of seducing decisions out of people to come through on commitments this week. (Week 2)

AREA SINGAPORE

THE JAKARTA HOUSE

External: NSC meets and decides to hold nine symposiums covering the islands of Sumatra, Java, Sulawesi, and Bali, as news interview by NSC member appears in Bandung paper, the location of the first symposium in September..

Internal: House welcomes Kevin Grandy of Boston on his way from Hong Kong to Medan via one week in Jakarta.

Contradiction: Saying yes to the momentum of the NSC and models that do not quite fit ICA models.(Weeks 2&3)

THE MEDAN HOUSE

External: Tactics for getting the new Governor's audience include a brief four year summary report of ICA, letter from Camat to Bupati for continued ICA presence and request and encouragement for a recommendation letter from Bupati to the governor.

Internal: House celebrates with one big party the arrival of Julia from Nairobi GRA and send out of Rebecca and Romanus to Brussels Academy. The week is capped off with an early July 4th celebration at the American Consulate.

Contradiction: Establishing the image of expanding activities popping the lid off July 7 agreement completion date. (Week 13)

THE KUALA LUMPUR HOUSE

External: The two LENSEs for this month take a clearer shape as we receive advance payment on one and have consultations to determine the focus on the other.

Internal: A week of eventfulness marked by two days of feasting and visiting as Hari Raya (the annual Muslim breaking of the fast celebration) comes around capped with a great evening of collegiality and interchange as Ken Fisher arrives from Brussels to join the LENS facilitation team.

Contradiction: Ensuring the corporateness of the LENS faculty in the midst of the practices of setting up of two LENSEs.(Week 2)*

THE UJUNG PANDANG HOUSE

External: The rector of Hasanudin University responds with a positive 'yes' to being on the NSC and begins to discuss how he will bring off a powerful RDS in Ujung Pandang involving all key development agencies in the province. Opportunities for research into development efforts in the province open up with access to university research documents and an invitation from a government doctor to visit a successful health project.

Internal: The House evaluates the first round of interviews in the cluster, with an intensive two hour workshop and completes last week of fasting.

Contradiction: Riding with the high spirit of Labaran celebration to awaken a fresh vision of programmatic activities. (Week 1)

AREA HONG KONG

THE MANILA HOUSE

External: The House experiences "Building Stakes" for the future by updating Alpha File with inclusion of new companies from the top 1,000 corporations and sending 16 proposals. The visit of Mrs. Crisol from the Ministry of Agrarian Reform in Legaspi City, finalizes the set-up dates for documentation in San Rafael. Dow LENS confirmation is set on September 4-8, 1983. Gandhi Team finally builds its Quarter Plan. Union Oil monies for June-Aug. arrive after travelling around the globe.

Internal: House experiences Global reawakening through the new Quarter Roundtable about compassion, seeing film "The World of Human Development" and listening to Earthrise Music. Internal Life model for Quarter necessitates a purchase of new alarm clock.

Internal: Shifting from idea of pesos to pesos in hand. (Week 1)

THE HONG KONG HOUSE

External: Time Inc. seeks ICA out to ask for submission of a training proposal for Asia - a one year program. Local retired businessman, Mr. Tang, comes for a site visit.

Internal: Joe returns from vacation in USA and is sent out to Nexus with beach party and roof bar-be-que.

Contradiction: Creating and maintaining the story that gets into the new year. (Week 1)

THE TAIPEI HOUSE

External: First program is scheduled in Kaohsiung region for the new year with company that did a LENS three years ago. Steering Committee for IERD looks at budget task force's reports and hears good news about possibility of visas. Visits to Provincial Government provide further suggestions as to participants for Rural Development Symposium.

Internal: First sojourner moves in as largest Round Table of the year sees twelve guests engage in struggle with the meaning of «justice.»

Contradiction: Articulating the story of what's really «worth our lives» in the mission here.(Week 3)*

MANILA-THE PUTSAN HOUSE

External: The preschool class opens June 14 with enrollment of 52 three to six year olds and 38 regularly in attendance. PPA meeting calls for organizing PPA officers. House receives donation of assorted medicine from Abbot Company. New ceramic industry mass production recruited 10 workers from five puroks. Ninety eight dressed chickens are delivered. Second batch of seeds is prepared and new plots are cultivated in the demonstration farm.

Internal: Mr. Ben Aguirang arrives from GRA. House holds three month manoeuvre planning. Benjamin Aguirang Jr. celebrates his third birthday.

Contradiction: Starting new mass production for ceramic industry while preparing for the national council to be held in Cebu. (Week 1)

THE CEBU HOUSE

External: The social team reports on the Regional Health Office new arrangement of quarterly medicine report. A monthly weighing report has been submitted to Regional Health Office. And the highlight of the week is the island meeting where teachers are evaluated. Kalubihan teacher, Miss. Falaviana Fuentes got the first place-«Excellent Performance.»

Internal: Bernandito is back from two weeks development assignment in Manila. Rock Bayer visits Sudtongan and stays two days to meet with the villagers and orders 1000 pieces. Fred goes with Jean and Jessie to Bohol for a Government project visit for IERD.

Contradiction: Penetrating our knowledge in the midst of possibilities.(Week 3)*

THE DAVAO HOUSE

External: David Manbey visits the House and donates four cans of paint from TCG Fibiari. MSSD donates six sacks of rice every month to drought victims. Mountain cluster quarterly coop takes inventory and holds coop members meeting.

Internal: House celebrates the birthday of Eula Pamat, one year old, at a beach party.

Contradiction: Preparing for the fourth anniversary this coming second week of June. (Week 11)

AREA TOKYO

THE TOKYO HOUSE

External: Women's TM preparation session solidifies format to be used. Bank of India expresses interest in introducing us to Indian Community for assistance in IERD. Membership renewal comes into focus as development strategy.

Internal: Fire extinguishers are in kind from former sojourner answering fire inspectors main concern. Professor and Mrs. Gould show slides from China trip before being sent out after two weeks stay. Jim Thomas gives startling collegium on country music.

Contradiction: Maintaining momentum in the midst of 40 days of rain. (Week 2)*

THE SEOUL HOUSE

External: Regional team holds TM in eight villages in Seosan County as next step to selection of cluster project in new province. Cluster work will be related to WHO project which provided funds for all expenses including transportation in the local ambulance. Eight local churches sponsor benefit concert to raise \$1,300.

Internal: Regional Council brings organization to summer of intensified mission and depleted staff.

Contradiction: Making IERD decisions without moving into NSC driver's seat. (Week 13)

SEOUL-THE CHEONG WON HOUSE

External: Circuit to Yeosu cluster is great event as villagers report new cattle, orchards, roads, jobs, telephones, low interest loans and much more. Three of the four villages have well attended village meetings during the four days the team is there. Town Meeting requirement continues. The YMCA agrees to be location and the church next door asks ICA to do a Town Meeting for 150 youth. The team holds Youth Town Meeting in Dong-San church with 150 students and several church teachers and two trained sojourners (Lee Chang-Ho and Ho Sae-Hong) lead the proposal session. The House has an art-form conversation training with eight villagers and two university students.

Internal: The week is highlighted with training as house introduces six sojourners to the ICA and starts training them to do Town Meeting. The house has a weekly sojourner's training and participates in Regional Check Signals' Meeting in Seoul House.

Contradiction: Moving from the mundane to the creative in order to keeping our training ahead of our programs. (Week 3&4)

THE FUKUOKA HOUSE

External: English intensive all day on Sunday is a great success with nine participants and three staff. Mr. Ono, a guest at Roundtable who has lived in India one and a half years, owns a clothing factory in India Y.E.S. House completes Regional newsletter. Mr. Yano joins ICA after introduction through English Intensive flyer. Professor Ichimura, who teaches Economics at Kyushu University, is guest at Roundtable and speaks about his two month research at U. of Michigan this spring.

Internal: Naomi Sato celebrates ninth birthday with many friends at party. David Reese is sent out for summer in USA at staff breakfast at New Utani. "Economic Miracle" takes place as all classes covered by three remaining troops.

Contradiction: Involving Regional team in financial plans for ICA. (Weeks 13,1)

THE OSAKA HOUSE

External: Region holds a third Vocational Journey Lab methods session, focusing on the first colloquy. Regional colleague, Ruth Reames leads this session as we rehearse the role and style of the guide.

Internal: Study of the Panchayat Report allows us to put into perspective the unexpected news from the assignments commission.

Contradiction: Keeping the ship steady when the waves are high. (Week 4)*

THE SAPPORO HOUSE

External: Two key symposium panelists are confirmed, Dr. Muro and Dr. Tajima, both prominent in the field of Third World development. Date and place also set (October 8-9).

Internal: Visiting relatives, Dick and Doloris Hinkelman and Leonard and Kim Good, arrive and engage 100% in House life. Tonosaki commits symbolic "sepuku" as Yubari Kita High School loses an important baseball tournament game.

Contradiction: Understanding that pressure before our August "off-time" can be helpful. (Week 3)*

AREA SYDNEY

THE SYDNEY HOUSE

External: RDS with 18 organisations and meeting with New South Wales Bicentennial Commission elicit responses from new networks for money and programme. Third spirit conversation with founder of Society of St. Gerard yields Area Council facility; and YES for three to come to Roundtable plus invitation for week-end Retreat (our House and theirs).

Internal: Collegium on our "ORDER BRIEFS" collegiums series re: 1984 produces model and recommendations for globe and is sent with Sandy to the Summer. ICA office is moved from city back to the House and reshuffle there fits in snugly. MicroConnexions starts July with \$300 worth of work. End of Year Celebration is great event with steak and wine.

Contradiction: Creating formats and manoeuvres that freight us into Quarter I. (Week 13)

SYDNEY-THE MURRIN BRIDGE HOUSE

External: National Aborigines Week is smashing success with special guest Bob Morgan from the N.S.W. Education Commission and guests from Government Departments, surrounding towns, and the Australian Broadcasting Corporation. Week is filled with intense participation of all ages in traditional and contemporary crafts, dramas, sports, ceremonies, hosting and feasting.

Internal: House is deeply impacted with Aboriginal experience of contact with Europeans in watching the First Two Episodes of T.V. series "Women Of The Sun". Participation in National Aborigines Week events at Old Menindee Mission provides very missional discontinuity.

Contradiction: Enabling effective relationships between Murrin Bridge and Lake Cargelligo structures. (Week 1)

THE MELBOURNE HOUSE

External: Teams are sent out to Lake Tyers, Yackandandah, and Canberra, to visit aboriginal communities and national agencies for IERD project selection. Meeting with staff of one-room primary school in Labertouche results in an invitation to consult with them on the School Improvement Plan. Circuiters return with reports of meeting with top Perth businessmen and Adelaide team's in-depth work on Methods for Teamwork course.

Internal: Newkirks announce the expected arrival of a second child in March. Adam demonstrates that fathers can work in the school canteen with finesse and a vegemite apron. Inked food starts to pour in for upcoming VJL.

Contradiction: Doing first world constructs with third world resources. (Week 3)*

AREA SUVA

APIA - THE NUKU'ALOFA HOUSE

External: Central Planning Department sets date for RDS - 10,12,13 September and National Steering Committee task group builds timeline for RDS actuation. Collegium on Effective Leadership Course sent from Area New York opens new possibilities for programme marketing. Workshop on basic discussion method at the Methodist Theological College raises possibilities of working more closely with the established church.

Internal: Intern, Tupa Siale, reports surprise and approval of education inspectors at the work the teachers on faculty of the Pacific Training School are using in their public school classes-based on Imaginal Education.

Contradiction: Moving programme possibilities into firm commitments. (Week 2)

AREA SAN FRANCISCO

THE LOS ANGELES HOUSE

External: Project selection meeting in Visalia chooses nine projects which cover the state and all arenas of Rural Development. Sir Richard Attenborough (Gandhi film) agrees to pursue IERD documenting and GAB membership. Francis Roper is sent to Project Selection Meeting in Chicago with 10 projects selected in the SF/LA bi-region. LA computer guild meeting produces volunteers for project entry onto our computer of LA/SF project surveys and first successful communication takes place between LA Kaypro II and Control Data Corporation main frame in Minneapolis.

Internal: E.G. finally arrive at camp and 4th of July steak cook-out caps weekend of many visitors from Indonesia, Australia and San Francisco. "Return of the Jedi" stars Alice Wright (home from Edmonton), Milind Chitnavis (from taking E.G. to camp), Robert Ennis (from Jamaica) and Jeff Roper (from Nairobi and into hospital with malaria).

Contradiction: Capturing the key victories toward next year's base of program and self-support during July and August. (Week 1)

THE SEATTLE HOUSE

External: National Steering Committee member sees new video film and initiates conversation on a local funding strategy. Team hears report from the NSC meeting in Chicago, debriefs the Northwest Spotlight on Success campaign, and strategizes the next two months.

Internal: House stays ahead in the war with the slugs; fresh garden produce appears on the table daily.

Contradiction: Rehearsing story that this is a summer of continuity and momentum in the midst of proposed assignment shifts. (Week 2)*

THE PHOENIX HOUSE

External: IERD activity speeds up as Gene Ortega and Roy Chapman join the NSC and meet with NSC in Chicago. The House prepares IERD sample press release. The region mails the RDSF document which contains participants list, keystone statements and the 5 year practical vision for the Rural Development in the Southwest for all of the six RDSF's held in June.

Internal: John Oyler returns from NSC meeting in time for celebrative sendout for Mindy Goodhead to college in Wyoming, and Gail's birthday.

Contradiction: Deciding week by week focus with short troops developing short strategies. (Week 2)*

THE DENVER HOUSE

External: Project selection from Denver-Billings is accomplished in two five hour meetings. Showcase forum is held in Casper, Wyoming, and confirmations are mailed to 50 for IERD fund-raising event in Don Elliotts' home next week. Global film is shown at luncheon at center.

Internal: Lingo stops by, does two presentations and recruits walk-in visitor to work in Kenya. E.G. are driven to camp with two day, sixteen block curriculum enroute. House now on firm foundation as bricks are placed under northeast corner. "Return of the Jedi" gives a new myth to explore.

Contradiction: Ballooning assignments early enough to maximize use of the available time, troops, and money. (Week 8)

AREA EDMONTON

THE EDMONTON HOUSE

External: Development gets an early response towards IERD funding with the request for proposals and yes's to fund. The IERD regional steering committee produces first draft for project documentation.

Internal: House celebrates along with the city of Edmonton eleven full days of University games highlighted by the international gatherings and opening ceremonies given by the Prince of Wales.

Contradiction: Figuring out what product we want from the documentation of area successes. (Week 1)

THE ANCHORAGE HOUSE

External: Luke Titus, of Minto, says yes to being included on the Alaska Advisory Committee. Will Mayo attends the national Steering Committee meeting in Chicago as Alaska's representative. Over 100 invitations to Alaska Advisory IERD Committee meeting are sent.

Internal: Alan Stocking arrives for the summer and he takes on a phone answering job for the Daily News. Warren Crain, guardian from Seattle, stops by.

Contradiction: Maintaining mission momentum when region is in summer mode. (Week 1)

THE VANCOUVER HOUSE

AREA HOUSTON

THE HOUSTON HOUSE

External: Regional Team experiences the power of corporately searching for "our" training center, especially when the "perfect" possibility is uncovered. Visit to Prairie View A&M stimulates interest in participatory methods within the college. Metro meeting refreshes with dialogue on responsibility for broadening contexts.

Internal: Collegium on Kenya replication sparks reflections on life demand in North American front. House celebrates with laser light concert and ice cream sundaes.

Contradiction: Keeping the continuity of mission going in the midst of shifting personnel. (Week 2)

THE DALLAS HOUSE

External: First of four sessions is prepared in response to request from Texas Instruments for us to do training using their content and our method. United Methodist reporter hires Bill Bailey as permanent manager of promotion. Visits continue with colleagues of the spirit movement in North Texas.

Internal: "Say Amen, Somebody" reminds us of the unique power of music to ground the word about life.

Contradiction: Finding out our expectations are already over. (Week 11)

THE MEMPHIS HOUSE

External: Co-hosts design invitations and start inviting guests to IERD support dinner in Memphis and Little Rock. Letty Lynn Malone, Dallas NSC member agrees to speak at the IERD funding event in Little Rock.

Internal: Heidi Zahrt designs, prepares, introduces and serves «Peruvian Dinner» with songs, articles, pictures and stories. Mollie Clements receives full tuition scholarship to Garrett Seminary for year 1983-84.

Contradiction: Drawing together old and new Memphis contacts in time for them to participate in August 4 Summer Buffet for IERD support. (Week 3)*

THE ATLANTA HOUSE

External: IERD trekking continues with Steering Committee meeting in Alabama, South Georgia visit to Bacontow. Day I troops prep for production of National Steering Committee's newsletter.

Internal: Saturday work-day welcomes Marilyn and Armando. House experiences berry picking and pies, movie and trip to Stone Mountain for the Laser show.

Contradiction: Losing the blocks and issues in midst of doings. (Week 1)

XXX AREA CHICAGO XXX

THE INDIANAPOLIS HOUSE

External: Appalachia RDS Steering Committee organizes with great resolve. Indiana Steering Committee shifts focus from State Think Tank event to Distressed Counties Showcase Forum hosted by one of the exhibitor communities at MAAF. Entre's found this week to Second Presbyterian, Winona Hospital, and Apple Shop (mass media professionals).

Internal: House energized by night out to the caberet performance of Love Song and the Training Inc. Garage sale bringing students and staff to the front yard.

Contradiction: Creating the master image that enables a corporate thrust on many fronts.

AREA NEW YORK

THE NEW YORK HOUSE

External: A \$10,000 donation is given to ICA development through Roman Haas in Philadelphia. In the private sector a new contact was made with Mr. Nanaka of Japan who could be a foothold into the private sector of the U.S. In Maine 167 are now registered for the Rural Development Symposium.

Internal: The Metafile Software package arrives which allows the Paragigm business in the House to pick up data entry work which has been on hold for six months.

Contradiction: Building the Metabilt while running from event to event. (Week 10)

THE ROCHESTER HOUSE

External: Community Forum in Ripley sponsored by Town Supervisor and School Superintendent heals old wounds and makes new plans. New York is represented at New England/Maritimes RDS by Buffalo and Stockport energy projects and four representing the Millers Mills Ice Harvest Festival.

Internal: Alice Rose goes to farm while Tom Catandella sojourns on way to and from RDS.

Contradiction: Gearing our region into IERD after recruiting Vermont for the RDS. (Week 11)

THE WASHINGTON HOUSE

External: Goldman's host House and Metro for NSC meeting report and update on IERD fund raising events. Planning event opens door for future relationships with Richmond (Virginia) community seniors center and nets \$1000 program fee. Both computer courses sponsored by Mathbox (IBM dealer) are full and Computer Paradigm staff get to view videos of both courses.

Internal: Task force continues transformation of third floor bathroom in preparation for arrival of nine seminarians who will live with us next semester. House celebrates Kurt Dahlke's acceptance by college in Colorado.

Contradiction: Tying up loose ends to allow for a great discontinuity for the whole House. (Week 3)*

THE BOSTON HOUSE

External: The Boston House sends all available members to the RDS in Portland, Maine. The preparatory time spent leading up to this symposium pays off with a signal event for New England and the Maritimes. Boston Training Inc. is moving ahead with appointments this week at Digital, Boston Housing Authority, and the Boston Mayor's Office. Date of September 17 is set for Northfield Mt. Hermon student leadership symposium.

Internal: Alison Bengel receives the outstanding student award for the second grade class at Nathan Hale School. The House hosts those from New York and Troy on the way to and from the RDS.

Contradiction: Maintaining a common focus amid the diversity of activity. (Week 11)

BOSTON-THE STARKS HOUSE

External: Thirty-one adults attend Starks Enterprises Corporation fourth anniversary dinner with reports recapping the year, guest speaker Jeff Coolidge, guests from Guatemala (Wests), tours of the building, great food and singing. RDS followup begins with thank-you letters, document distribution and core meeting set for discussing fall event. Woodworks saves money by discovering brad gun.

Internal: While Tim and Judy attend New York check signals highlighted by reflection on order future through Rome visits, Wendy and Tim catch up on Hong Kong happenings thru visit by Joe Nagy.

Contradiction: Stopping the world long enough to look at long haul future while effectively handling current critical momentum. (Week 13)

AREA MONTREAL

THE TORONTO HOUSE

External: In two and a half days 62 people from across the continent are trained to facilitate the Planetary Initiates Congress of 470 people. Hornepayne Community LENS with Native community combines planning and training in six day event. Closing reflection reveals journey of community as they admit, "We started out scared and moved to opening the door to the future." One day planning with the Native Community Branch and the Hornepayne LENS intensifies our role as linking government structures with local communities. NSC meeting in Winnipeg lays out task of documenting 100 projects for the continent.

Internal: House experiences incredible celebrations in midst of programmatic activity with Planetary Initiatives montage building, neighborhood celebration, barbeque with participants in Hornepayne LENS and quarter end celebration at Summer Country '83 as we bask in the sun for nine hours. Jessica Farrar receives participation award at 6th grade graduation for most involvement in activities in and out of school. She then joins 6th grade rite of passage trip as they explore eastern Canada.

Contradiction: Gathering regional colleagues together to plan documentation trips in the midst of summer holidays. (Week 13)

THE OTTAWA HOUSE

THE MONTREAL HOUSE

External: Two towers at Habitation Jeanne Mance take July 1st (Canada Day) outside for a grand fête. Staff travels to Western Canada to participate in National Steering Committee Meeting and the Stony Plaine, Alberta Exchange Conference.

Internal: Annual Interprovincial bicycle race passes our door doing 50 laps while we host 6th grade trip and Montreal grand churches allow for youth to meditate on Ground of Being.

Contradiction: Learning how to work with people from all sectors to allow for reflection on missional focus and indigenize programmes. (Week 12)

AREA MEXICO CITY

THE MEXICO CITY HOUSE

External: National Steering Committee meets to tackle fundraising contradiction. Loss of RDS site forces postponement till late August of the Symposium which allows us time to prepare adequate procedures and facilitation team. Time/Life LENS is a resounding success with 100 salespersons unified in a common plan and an invitation to explore a LENS in Peru.

Internal: House overflows as colleagues gather for the LENS team: Jim Kelly (Chicago), Rose Worden (Atlanta), Carlos Zervignon (New Orleans), John Turton (Guatemala). The week includes several celebrations; final poolside relaxation session at magnificent Hyatt hacienda.

Contradiction: Creating enough momentum to last as House anticipates being absent throughout the month of July. (Week 11)

THE GUATEMALA CITY HOUSE

External: Ten development visits net Q2100 for a total of Q4,550 in the «Liberating the Quetzal» development campaign. Conacaste leaders organize mothers day events including lunch for the mothers, a drama by the pre-school and hire a priest for a special mass which packs the church. The fourth farmer on the irrigation system receives irrigation module and plants one beautiful manzana of tomatoes as the rest of the country side remains dry two weeks past the start of the normal rainy season.

Internal: A week of celebrations begins with a surprise birthday party for Huanita given by the pre-school staff and includes Christopher's celebration of 3 years with pinatas, cake and jello and 100 pre-schoolers.

Contradiction: Clarifying the corporate images that will enable everyone to understand program phasing. (Week 1)*

AREA HAVANA

THE KINGSTON HOUSE

External: HDTI participants name second week "Leader's Role in Global Development," and highlight the UR images, Urban Excursion, Profound Humanness and 13 panelists in the Social Cycle modules. Circuit team visits seven villages in Portland and St. Andrew Parishes setting up implementation treks. Kingston and Woburn Lawn welcome Diane O'Neil, a one month volunteer from Atlanta, and Nicholas Hallchurch, a six month volunteer from London.

Internal: House celebrates the Addington's anniversary.

Contradiction: Journeying House members in depth style transformation while initiating village leaders into the journey. (Week 11)

AREA LIMA

THE LIMA HOUSE

External: Basic services survey is completed in five communities of Canete Cluster and first electricity commission meeting is held in one of the communities. Economic guild does first presentation in another community and sets up a three day course the first week in August.

Internal: ICA finance report for the year is mailed to Chicago. Two new Canadian Sojourners arrived just in time to celebrate Jaocquina's birthday at a surprise party planned by the Peruvian staff.

Contradiction: Creating the story of the one task that we are all about as we disperse in many directions at one time. (Week 2)*

AREA CARACAS

THE CARACAS HOUSE

External: An impacting site visit by Rotary International reporter and Columbian and Venezuelan representatives caps off a week of declaration and delivery including three education treks to cluster villages, a visit with the regional director of the National Agrarian Institute, first communion of Cano Negro children and completed GRA brochure.

Internal: A day at the beach celebrates house miracles of a new bulletin board, a new antenna, delivery of beds and garden enlargement.

Contradiction: Actualizing the «end of the year» while being in the midst of «a new year.»(Week 2)*

AREA BUENOS AIRES

THE SANTIAGO HOUSE

External: Eighty invitations are delivered to various people in rural development organizations to attend Rural Development Symposium in September. The women in the Sol De Septiembre Bakery and the children's programs continue to use the participatory methods while they struggle with their new roles of responsibility. Team receives the green light to go ahead from the municipalidad of Lampa to establish community forums. The week is highlighted with visitors from the public, private, and voluntary sectors tyo Sol De aseptiembre for a day of convivencia.

Internal: The study on the emerging new roles for men is the highlight of the Round table and a call from Bill Newkirk brings news from the Global Research Assembly in Chicago. Two collegiums are given by the house team to better understand our Daily Ritual.

Contradiction: Changing the hierarchies into horizontal communicating networks.(Week 2&3)*

AREA RIO DE JANEIRO

THE RIO DE JANEIRO HOUSE

External: Three development calls to firms and individuals produce two promised donations towards the necessary US\$280 to buy a second hand 16mm projector to show educational and interest films in the community. Preparations for planning series in MATA and the inaugurations of the Brancana community centre continue, with a further 20 houses visited and 165 T-shirts sent to the printers complete with Brancana symbol.

Internal: The Rio Bonito house visited by Esther from Rio, who, having attended HDTI in Lamego, Portugal proves most useful during her three day stay. Brazilian team member Nussy cooks the house dinner, proving not all Brazilianness are lacking in culinary expertise.

Contradiction: Focussing the contradictions session of the planning series to increase awareness of the major blocks facing the Brancana community, thereby maximising the possibility of 'on target' proposals. (Week 3)*

GLOBAL NEXUS

THE BRUSSELS NEXUS HOUSE

External: Letter from F.A.O. arrives establishing official liaison relationship between a U.N. Agency and the I.C.A. First mailing to Belgian Organizations (letters to 100 N.G.Os) goes out. First session of a five week computer literacy course opens the awe of the information age to Brussels Nexus and Academy computer Guild.

Internal: Three collegiums (new religious groups, nuclear free zone and French lesson) allow a sniff of the winds of future blowing about the house.

Contradiction: Focussing the questions that give a running start into the continental council and zone strategy. (Week 3)

THE BOMBAY NEXUS HOUSE

External: A Rural Development Symposium in Bangalore sponsored by the Canara Bank brings together 17 volunteer agencies and seven banks.

Internal: Seven people from the Nexus join 3000 in celebrating the marriage of Asaram Rokhade and Mangla More in Athwad, a former district project village. A blue sari, a journal and centerpiece gifts are given to symbolize their decision to be in the ICA. Nexus Order Day and fasting day with key reflection create a week of celebration of life.

Contradiction: Complexity in orchestrating year end demands tends to blur images of riding momentum. (Weeks 9)

THE HONG KONG NEXUS HOUSE

External: Year-round programme is a reality as we send troops to six other countries including Mary to Dataprep LENS in Kuala Lumpur and 17 salesmen from Rank Xerox come to the Nexus for the first two sessions of New Skills in Business English programme (paid in advance). Search for facility keeps unearthing great contacts and possibilities, and much red tape.

Internal: Every one over the age of two is engaged in summer teaching blitz, which includes 3 to a 5 week ESL course at the International school, private tutoring in the Nexus and Global Language Programme Modules. First Computer tutorial is held.

Contradiction: Maintaining momentum in the Centurms while all are involved in self-support and the possibility of new directions from the council seem to lie around the corner. (Week 2)

THE CHICAGO NEXUS HOUSE

External: A ritual life PSU is held getting clarity for Order Rituals in the future. An upfront funding meeting held in Denver by the U.S. NSC brings \$1400 in hand, \$1500 committed and more to come. A day long workshop with Control Data Corporation considers IERD data management systems.

Internal: A corporate work day on Saturday is enlivened by mobile vendors carts "Sharing Snacks At Work".

Contradiction: Facing week of complex logistics for two major events (The US NSC and Global Order Council) back to back requiring lightening speed, simple finesse and flexible obedience to necessary tasks. (Week 13)

THE GLOBAL ORDER CENTRUM REPORT

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QUARTER I WEEK 4

GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT CENTRUM

Global Development Centrum reports that May month is closed at Rs. 65,325 in Bombay. TISCO commits Rs. 100,000 for June; and manoeuvre debriefing is highlighted by activation of regionalising IERD with Rs. 20,000 in hand for Banagalore RDS advertising brochure. The key contradiction lies in the arena of having June/July global assignments drain the momentum established towards July 31st. (Week 9)

GLOBAL RESEARCH CENTRUM

Global Research Centrum reports that a four hour debriefing session with Mary and Sethe, two colleagues from England, provides refreshing break from hectic Nairobi GRA prep. Volunteer research on how to get a foothold into the education structures provides data and new strategies. The key contradiction lies in the arena of discerning what method will document the journey of Nava Gram Prayas so the world can see the victory and wisdom. (Week 9)

GLOBAL OPERATIONS CENTRUM

Global Operations Centrum reports that for the IERD taskforce - this was the week to deepen the involvement of the Indian Steering Committee in the preparation phase of the IERD. In Bangalore RDS, Mr. B. Rudramoorthy participates actively not only in the process of the event but representing the IERD to the people gathered as well as to the whole public answering burning questions. In the same week Mr. Bhoopat Trivedi asks to be on the ISC but really offers to hold an RDS in Jamnagar for more local level in Gujrat. The breakthrough is experienced in the arena of RDS set up for which there are materials, guidelines and methods created and sent out to the Houses. The futuric contradiction for the IERD taskforce for the coming week 10 is limited utilisation of resources available to ensure the comprehensiveness of the IERD. (Week 9)

GLOBAL MANAGEMENT CENTRUM

Global Management Centrum reports that we finished January cash book summary and completed February cash book adding and coding and finance commission preparation. This week our management centrum member Asaram Rokhadi got married. The breakthrough is receipts are done through March. The key contradiction lies in the arena of unclarity on effecting Ashram finance monitoring. (Week 9)