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TO : CDAs, CDAA's

Date: August 10, 1967

FROM : Pradith Vongpakdy, RDD

SUBJECT: Books or Booklets in Lao Language

Attached (in 3 copies) is a list of Lao books or booklets available in RDD, including primary school texts. The English translation of all book titles has been completely done to help both American and Lao librarians in searching and collecting books and reading materials for your cluster library.

We are sure that some books in the attached list have been already sent to each cluster library. In order to have all available Lao books in your library, please send one copy to RDD underlining whatever you don't have. We will attempt to gather these and send them to you as soon as possible.

Since supplies are short, please ask for only those you feel will be used often.

RDD/pd/c - 8/9/67

LIST OF BOOKS OR BOOKLETS  
AVAILABLE IN LAOS

ກະຊວງສຶກສາ

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

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| ໑. ດັບສອນລາຍພາກນຶ່ງ                      | ປ. ໑   |
| ໒. " ພາກສອງ                              |        |
| ໓. " " "                                 | ປ. ໑-໖ |
| ໔. ວິທຍາສາດ, ໖ ຫົວ                       | ປ. ໑-໖ |
| ໕. ສິ່ງສາວະດານ, ໖ ຫົວ                    | ປ. ໑-໖ |
| ໖. ສຸຂະພິບານ, ໖ ຫົວ                      | "      |
| ໗. ພູມສິດ, ໖ ຫົວ                         | "      |
| ໘. ສິລະທັມ, ໖ ຫົວ                        | "      |
| ໙. ເລກ, ໖ ຫົວ                            | "      |
| ໑໐. ວິຊາແບບການເຮືອນ                      | "      |
| ໑໑. ອຸປະກອນສູນກາງ                        | "      |
| ໑໒. ທຸກທີ່ບໍ່ເລືອກ                       | "      |
| ໑໓. ອຸປະກອນ                              | "      |
| ໑໔. ອະນຸບານການຍຸວະຊົນ                    | ປ. ໒-໖ |
| ໑໕. ດິນຕຣີ                               | ປ. ໔-໖ |
| ໑໖. ຮຽນກາຍກອນ, ສອນຕຣານ, ສິນໄຊ, ພະເຈດ ໑-໖ | ປ. ໔-໖ |
| ໑໗. ນິທານລູກສິດ                          | ປ. ໔-໖ |
| ໑໘. ວິທີປຶກສາແບບສະເພາະບານ                |        |
| ໑໙. ມິດຈະນານຸກົມລາວ                      |        |
| ໒໐. ສິ່ງສາວະດານລາວ                       |        |
| ໒໑. ດັບສອນພຸດທະປະຈຳວັດ                   | ປ. ໑-໓ |
|                                          | ປ. ໔-໖ |

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| 1. Reading (Part I)            | Grade | I   |
| 2. " (Part II)                 | "     | 2-6 |
| 3. Science, 6 vols.            | "     | 1-6 |
| 4. History, 6 vols.            | "     | 1-6 |
| 5. Hygiene, 6 vols.            | "     | 1-6 |
| 6. Geography, 6 vols.          | "     | 1-6 |
| 7. Ethics, 6 vols.             | "     | 1-6 |
| 8. Mathematic                  | "     | 1-6 |
| 9. Home Economics, 6 vols      | "     | 1-6 |
| 10. Gardening, 6 vols.         | "     | 1-6 |
| 11. Civics, 6 vols.            | "     | 1-6 |
| 12. Teacher Manual, 6 vols     | "     | 1-6 |
| 13. Youth Movement, 5 vols.    | "     | 2-6 |
| 14. Music, 3 vols.             | "     | 4-6 |
| 15. Poetry, 3 vols.            | "     | 5-6 |
| 16. Lao Fables, 3 vols.        | "     | 4-6 |
| 17. How to practise Basketball |       |     |
| 18. Lao Dictionary             |       |     |
| 19. Lao History                |       |     |
| 20. Story of Buddha            | "     | 1-3 |
|                                |       | 4-6 |

ກົມວັນນະຄະດີ

COMMITTEE LITERATURE

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| ໑. ໄວຍະກອນລາວແບບເກົ່າ, ໔ ຫົວ                |
| ໒. ໄວຍະກອນລາວຄັດແປງໃໝ່, ໒ ຫົວ               |
| ໓. ພະເຈດສິນຕະສະຊາດິກ                        |
| ໔. ນິທານນາງຕັນໄຕ, ໗ ຫົວ                     |
| ໕. ນິທານສິງສິນໄຊ, ໒ ຫົວ                     |
| ໖. ນິທານສຽວສວາດ, ໒ ຫົວ                      |
| ໗. ວັນນະຄະດີເພື່ອການສຶກສາ                   |
| ໘. ສິງສິນໄຊ, ຄຳກອນ ໔ ຫົວ                    |
| ໙. ສິງສິນໄຊ, ຮອຍແກວ                         |
| ໑໐. ສິງສິນໄຊພາສາຝຣັ່ງ                       |
| ໑໑. ຮະບຽບການປົກຄອງໃນຕະຫຼອດປະຫວັດສາດ         |
| ໑໒. ປະເພນີໂບຮານ                             |
| ໑໓. ວັນນະຄະດີ ຫົວ ໑-໓                       |
| ໑໔. ຄວາມສຸພາບແລະອະນຸພິບັດນັບຮຽນລາວ          |
| ໑໕. ກາປູສອນຕຣານສອນປູ                        |
| ໑໖. ຄຳສອນລູກສິດ                             |
| ໑໗. ຄວາມສຸພາບແລະອະນຸພິບັດນັບຮຽນລາວພາສາຝຣັ່ງ |
| ໑໘. ໄວຍະກອນລາວ-ຝຣັ່ງ                        |
| ໑໙. ສັນຍາລາວ                                |
| ໒໐. ຄຳພີໂລກນິຕິ                             |

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| 1. Old Lao Grammar vol. 1-4                         |
| 2. Adapted Grammar, vol. 1-2                        |
| 3. Buddhist Teaching                                |
| 4. Story of Tantie, vol. 1-2                        |
| 5. Story Xieng Mieng, vol. 1-2                      |
| 6. Story of Siosavath, vol. 1-2                     |
| 7. Lao Literature for Education                     |
| 8. Kang Sin Say, poem, vol. 1-4                     |
| 9. Kang Sin Say, idiom                              |
| 10. Kang Sin Say in French                          |
| 11. Local Ad. by Naiban & Tasseng                   |
| 12. Tradition                                       |
| 13. Literature, vol. 1-9                            |
| 14. Lao Manners & Etiquette                         |
| 15. Poems Grandfathers & Children teach each other. |
| 16. Proverbs in Poem                                |
| 17. Lao Manner in French                            |
| 18. Lao-French Grammar                              |
| 19. France-Asie (Kingdom of Lao-French)             |
| 20. Civil Law                                       |

໒໑. ພະລຸປຸດເຖຣະ
໒໒. ນິທານສິນລາດ
໒໓. ຫນັງສືເທດເຮືອງພະເຈດຕິນດອນ
໒໔. ວິຊາຊາງໂລຫະຊົນບິດ
໒໕. ນິທານທາວລິນທອງ
໒໖. ນິທານຫມອງພິເສດ
໒໗. ສານລິພສູນ
໒໘. ກາສະນີຍນິສວຍ (ພຸດທິນນາຍ)
໒໙. ນິທານທາວຄຳສອນ

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໑. ການວຽງຫມູ
໒. ຄຳແນະນຳໃນການວຽງງົວ
໓. ຄຳແນະນຳໃນການວຽງໂກ
໔. ຄຳແນະນຳໃນການວຽງຫມູ

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໑. ຂາຕັ້ງທີ່ມີສານອາກາສິບນຳ້ວາງຊຸດ
໒. ວິທີເຮັດວິດຊິນ

ກະຊວງທຶນການ

໑. ພະຣາຊໂອງການແຕງຕັ້ງພະສົງ

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໑. ປະຫວັດສາດລາວ
໒. ແຜນທີ່ໂລກ
໓. ຊີວະປະຫວັດຂອງວົງດາໄລ ລາມະ
໔. ອາຫານລາວ
໕. ພຶດຈະນານຸກົມ ລາວ-ອັງກິດ

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໑. ປຸກພູມຍາບານ
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໓. ຄຸນິຕມ ແລະເດັກ

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໒. ສຽງເສຣີລາຍວັນ
໓. ສຽງລາວລາຍວັນ
໔. ສຽງມຫາຊົນລາຍວັນ

21. Story of Oupakout Terah
22. Story of Chanta Kat, 2 vols.
23. Epic of Wat Sandon (Pavet Sandon)
24. Metal work
25. Story of Thao Lin Thong
26. Story of Nong Phee Phet
27. Leupa Soun letter
28. Buddha Foreteller
29. Story of Thao Kham Sone

VETERINARY SERVICE

1. How to Raise Pigs
2. Suggestions on Raising Cattle
3. Suggestions on Raising Poultry
4. Suggestions on Raising Pigs

Commission for Rural Affairs

1. Well Rings and Dug Wells for Laos
2. How to Make Water Seal Toilets

MINISTRY OF CULTS

1. Lao Monk Ordinance

USIS

1. Lao History
2. Map of the World  
Macmillan St. Martin St. London
3. History of Dali Lama
4. Lao Food Preparation
5. Lao-English Dictionary

PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION

1. First Aid
2. First Aid for Military
3. Mother & Child Care

IVS

1. Water Seal Privies
2. Animal & Fowl Diseases
3. Medicines for Animal & Fowl

DAILY LOCAL NEWSPAPERS

1. Xad Lao Quotidien (Nation of Lao)
2. Sieng Seri Quotidien (Free Voice)
3. Sieng Lao Quotidien (Voice of Lao people)
4. Sieng Maha Xon (Voice of Public)



ຫນຶ່ງສິນລາຍປຶກແລະລາຍເດືອນ

໑. ຊາດລາວລາຍເດືອນ
໒. ຄອດຊາດລາຍເດືອນ
໓. ຂ່າວສານທະຫານລາຍເດືອນ
໔. ລາວສິນລາຍປຶກ

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໑. ບຣູທສາສນາ
໒. ຫຼັກສຳລັບຂ່າວສານ
໓. ຫຼັກສຳລັບສາລາວ (ໂດຍກອນ)
໔. ນິທານຈຽງມຽງ
໕. ນິທານສຽງສວາດ
໖. ຕິດເຈົ້າພາສາອັງກິດດ້ວຍຕົນເອງ
໗. ຫນຶ່ງສິນລາວທຸກຊຸມ

LOCAL MAGAZINES

1. Xad Lao Magazine (Monthly)
2. EKA RAT Magazine (Monthly)
3. KAO SAN THA HARN (Monthly)
4. Lao SAMAI (Quarterly)

NAI SAI SHOP BOOK

1. Religion & RLG administration
2. Ethics for RLG Officials
3. Lao Language (Grammar)
4. Xieng Mieng Story
5. Siesavath Story
6. English Self-Study
7. General Lao Model Song

TO : See Distribution

DATE: May 26, 1969

FROM : Dan Frederick, Community Development Training Advisor, USAID/RDD DE 2

SUBJECT: Books Available in Vientiane

Attached is a list of the sources and titles of 139 books, magazines, and newspapers which the Rural Development Division of USAID has distributed to the rural libraries which we support. This list was prepared in response to a very worthwhile suggestion by Mr. Allard, Cultural Affairs Officer, USIS/Vientiane. Additional copies are available on request from the CD Training Advisor, USAID/RDD. Attached is also a list of books which may be of interest to certain libraries, but which RDD has not procured.

It is our intention that this list be of considerable use and interest to those concerned with libraries in Laos.

Would any persons acquainted with additional Lao books and reading materials of interest to the rural reading public of Laos please advise the Community Development Training Advisor of USAID/RDD of such materials. Furthermore, if you should learn of appropriate books or library materials in the future, we would appreciate your bringing the title and source to our attention.

If the RDD Training Office may be of assistance in any way to the further development of libraries in Laos, Please feel free to call on the CD Training Staff.

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Distribution:

W. Allard, USIS  
LDaks, USIS  
C. Wilcox, USIS  
Mrs. Chanthanon, Fa Ngum School-3  
J. Doolittle, USIS  
H. Rosacker, USIS  
R. Spencer, USIS  
T. Finnerty, USIS  
R. Hughes, LAA  
M. Rettinger, LAA  
L. Connick, Asia Foundation-3  
Khamson, CRA  
Ministry of Information  
D. Maxwell, MD/LT  
D. Collins, EDU  
W. Hart, EDU  
L. Green, EDU  
D. Cox, EDU  
A. Stillman, IVS  
R. Lovan, IVS  
W. Johnson, IVS  
Bongnamath, CRA/Xieng Ngeun

CDAA/Luang Prabang  
K. Sanders, IVS/Lahanam  
CDAA/Kengkong  
Souvanh, RDD/Muong Phiang  
CDAA/Sayaboury  
G. Viles, IVS/Houei Kong  
CDAA/Pakse  
IVS/Khong Sedone  
ACDAA/Paksane-3  
CDAA/Thakhek  
Sophon, RDD/Nong Bok  
AGR  
Paul White, RDD/Samthong  
CDAA/Vang Vieng  
Seng Savang-Outhay, RDD/Thalath  
Sengdao, RDD/Ban Keun  
Pradith Vongphakdy-10  
D. Frederick  
Mr. Xang Xeunson, RIG/EDU  
Mr. Prachit, National Library  
Maha Ma, Wat Phone Phra Nao  
Nai Say Book Shop

ວັນທີ ໑ ມິຖຸນາ ໑໙໖໙

June 1, 1969

ບັນຊີໜັງສື ທີ່ໝວດຢືນຢູ່ໜ້າບ້ານຂອງຢູ່ເສດໄດ້ຊາກຢາຍໄວ້ທົ່ວສະໝຸດປະຈຳຊຸມຊົນ.

List of Books Sent to Rural Libraries by the Rural Development

Division of USAID/Laos

ອວບອວນໂດຍ ປະຕິດ ວົງສິກຄີ ແລະ ດນ ເຟລເດີຣິກ, ໝວດຢືນຢູ່ໜ້າບ້ານ, ຢູ່ເສດ

Compiled by Pradith Vongphakdy and Dan Frederick, USAID/RDD

ກະຊວງແລະກົມຕ່າງໆຂອງຣັຖບານລາວ

Organizations of the Royal Lao Government

ຈາກກົມວັນນະຄະດີ

From the Literary Committee

1. ໂລບກອນລາວແບບເກົ່າ, ຫົວ ໑, ໒, ໓, ໔  
Old Lao Grammar, Vols. 1, 2, 3, 4
2. ໂລບກອນລາວຕິດຊ່ວງໃໝ່, ຫົວ ໑, ໒  
Adapted Lao Grammar, Vols. 1, 2
3. ພະເຈດຕະສິນທະສະຊາຕິກ  
Phavet Santara Sadok (Literature About the Buddha)
4. ສິຕານນາງຕິນໄຕ, ຫົວ ໑, ໒  
The Story of Nang Tan Tai, Vols. 1, 2
5. ສິຕານສິງສິນໄຊ, ຫົວ ໑, ໒  
The Story of Sang Sin Say, Vols. 1, 2
6. ສິຕານສຸວະສວາດ, ຫົວ ໑, ໒  
The Story of Siosavath, Vols. 1, 2
7. ວັນນະຄະດີເພື່ອການສຶກສາ  
Lao Literature for Education
8. ຄຳກອນສິງສິນໄຊ, ຫົວ ໑, ໒, ໓, ໔  
The Story of Sang Sin Say (Poem), Vols. 1, 2, 3, 4

9. ສົງສິນເຊ (ສົງສິນເຊ) ສົງ ໑, ໒, ໓, ໔, ໕

The Story of Sang Sin Say (Prose), Vols. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

10. X ສົງສິນເຊ (ພາສາຝຣັ່ງ) 1 ສົງ ໑-໕

The Story of Sang Sin Say (in French).

11. ຮຽນການປົກຄອງໃນໝູ່ບ້ານ ແລະຕາສັງ

Local Village and Tasseng Administration

12. ປະເພນີບ້ານ

Ancient Traditions and Customs

13. X ບັນຫະດີ, ໑ ສົງ 1 ສົງ ໑-໕

Literature, 9 Vols.

14. ກາບປູ່ສອນຕາມວາງສອນປູ່

Poems, Grandfather Teaches Grandchildren, Grandchildren Teach Grandfather

15. ຄຳກອນສູນາສິດ

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KINGDOM OF LAOS

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STATISTICS

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1969 - 70 Close of School Year

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PRIMARY SCHOOL INSPECTORS

|               |                          |                   |                       |
|---------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
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| Sedone        | Sounthong KHAMINGSAVAT   | Sayaboury         | Phommavanthong        |
| Saravane      | Chanthalat LITNHOUVONG   |                   |                       |
| Wapikhamthong | Somseng NAMMATHAO        | Paklay            | Vanna PHENGSAVADY     |
|               |                          | Vientiane - North | Khampheui SILAVONG    |
| Savannakhet   | Long INTHOMPRADIT        | Vientiane - South | Thanh PHROMSAVANH     |
| Keng Kok      | Siphong CHOUMMANIVONG    | Phone Hong        | Linh LOUANGSISONGKHAM |
| Khammouane    | Scukhaseum BOUNSOUAY     | Ban Keun          | Khampheui PHANOUVONG  |
| Nong Bok      | Phomma MANNORINH         | Vang Vieng        | Sonthany MEUNMAHATHAY |
|               |                          | Borikhane         | Khamheuang            |
|               |                          | Xieng Khouang     | Moua Lia              |
|               |                          | Houa Phan         | Mounty S. PHABMTAY    |

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I. Administration

The elementary school system in Laos is administered at the national level by the Office of Elementary and Adult Education. School administration in the 16 provinces of Laos is the responsibility of 22 Primary School Inspectors. There is currently no school inspector for the province of Phong Saly.

Table No. 8 shows the number of pupils who passed the sixth grade final examination (Certificat d'Etudes Primaires, or CEP) and also gives an indication of the success these pupils had in being admitted to the secondary schools in the country. The table below shows the substantial increase in the number of successful candidates for the CEP over the past 24 years.

II. Enrollment (Table 1 - 8)

Between the close of the 1968-69 school year and the close of the 1969-70 school year, the total enrollment in public elementary school increased from 174,885 to 183,929 or 5.17 percent.

Of the total number of pupils in public schools at the end of the 1969-70 school year, 76.9 percent were in the first three grades and 41.4 percent were in Grade One. However, the information given under "remarks" on Table No. 5 shows an acceleration in the number of pupils reaching the upper elementary grades.

Table No. 7 presents the number of pupils in each grade in the public schools who were promoted to the next grade at the end of the 1969-70 school year. About 40 per cent of the pupils are not promoted and must therefore repeat the same grade or drop out of school.

|         | <u>Number of Candidates<br/>For CEP Examination</u> | <u>Number Who Passed<br/>CEP Examination</u> |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| 1946-47 |                                                     | 271                                          |
| 1947-48 |                                                     | 225                                          |
| 1948-49 |                                                     | 398                                          |
| 1949-50 | 934                                                 | 504                                          |
| 1950-51 | 1460                                                | 396                                          |
| 1951-52 | 1613                                                | 520                                          |
| 1952-53 | 1994                                                | 630                                          |
| 1953-54 | 1769                                                | 619                                          |
| 1954-55 | 2251                                                | 635                                          |
| 1955-56 | 2576                                                | 740                                          |
| 1956-57 | 3297                                                | 1225                                         |
| 1957-58 | 3896                                                | 1630                                         |
| 1958-59 | 4492                                                | 1687                                         |
| 1959-60 | 5713                                                | 2887                                         |
| 1960-61 | 5000                                                | 2236                                         |
| 1961-62 | 5837                                                | 3043                                         |
| 1962-63 | 6633                                                | 3019                                         |
| 1963-64 | 6603                                                | 4570                                         |
| 1964-65 | 6843                                                | 4325                                         |
| 1965-66 | 8081                                                | 5054                                         |
| 1966-67 | 9248                                                | 5544                                         |
| 1967-68 | 10136                                               | 6772                                         |
| 1968-69 | 10743                                               | 7616                                         |
| 1969-70 | 11814                                               | 7578                                         |

### III. Schools (Table 9 - 12)

Although the Ministry reports an increase of 158 public elementary schools since last year (see Table No. 11), it should be noted that the Ministry includes schools that are in operation and schools that are closed, mostly for security reasons, in its figure. The number of schools in operation actually decreased by 16. There were 17 more groupes scolaires, and 65 more CREC schools in operation since the previous year, but there was a decrease of 97 in the number of primary schools and 2 in the number of demi-groupes scolaires in operation.

Definitions of the different types of schools are as follows:

Groupe Scolaire (226 in operation): A six-year elementary school which meets certain requirements (an enrollment of 180 pupils, at least 20 pupils in grade six, at least three surrounding primary schools, etc.). The director of a groupe scolaire is a sub-administrator under the Primary School Inspector with responsibilities for the primary and CREC schools in his areas.

Demi-Groupe Scolaire (164 in operation): An elementary school with more than three grades but usually less than six, which has not yet qualified to become a full groupe scolaire.

Primary School (980 in operation): A village school which usually has the first three grades. At least one teacher in a primary school would be a qualified (Van Tri) civil service employee.

CREC School (593 in operation - 184 in wats, 409 in villages): A CREC school ("Centre Rural d'Education Communautaire") often has only one grade but sometimes reaches grade three. The teacher in this type of school may be a monk or a village volunteer who receives a small monthly allowance from the ministry.

### IV. Teachers (Tables 13 - 16)

Teacher employed as civil servants have the following grade classifications:

Van Tck: Class I Civil Servants. 25 school inspectors and other school officials have achieved this grade.

Van Tho: Class II Civil Servants. The Ministry employs 1544 Van Tho teachers, who are graduates of the tenth grade or the equivalent, and qualified to teach grades 4-6.

Van Tri: Class III Civil Servants. The Ministry employs 3229 Van Tri teachers, who are graduates of the sixth grade with one or two years of teacher training, or the equivalent, and qualified to teach grades 1-3.

The civil service teachers are supplemented by a corps of CREC teachers, who are basically volunteers, and by a group of teachers in some areas who are paid by the military.

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## TOTAL ENROLLMENT IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Close of 1969-70 School Year

By School District - Public and Private Schools

Table

No. 1

| SCHOOL DISTRICT       | PUBLIC<br>SCHOOLS | PRIVATE<br>SCHOOLS | TOTAL   |
|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------|
| LAOS (Total)          | 183,929           | 25,751             | 209,680 |
| 1. Attapeu            | 543               | -                  | 543     |
| 2. Champassak         | 9,115             | 337                | 9,452   |
| 3. Sithandone         | 7,173             | -                  | 7,173   |
| 4. Sedone             | 13,048            | 4,430              | 17,478  |
| 5. Saravane           | -                 | 15                 | 15      |
| 6. Wapikhamthong      | 7,211             | -                  | 7,211   |
| 7. Savannakhet        | 18,467            | 2,670              | 21,137  |
| 8. Keng Kok           | 12,994            | -                  | 12,994  |
| 9. Khammouane         | 9,147             | 1,193              | 10,340  |
| 10. Nong Bok          | 4,130             | 181                | 4,311   |
| 11. Luang Prabang     | 14,495            | 2,230              | 16,725  |
| 12. Houa Khong        | 4,620             | -                  | 4,620   |
| 13. (Phong Saly)      | -                 | -                  | -       |
| 14. Sayaboury         | 7,471             | 120                | 7,591   |
| 15. Paklay            | 7,378             | -                  | 7,378   |
| 16. Vientiane-North ) | 17,564            | 13,970             | 53,511  |
| 17. Vientiane-South ) | 21,977            |                    |         |
| 18. Phone Hong        | 5,894             | -                  | 5,894   |
| 19. Vang Vieng        | 6,227             | -                  | 6,227   |
| 20. Ban Keun          | 5,548             | -                  | 5,548   |
| 21. Borikhane         | 5,090             | 605                | 5,695   |
| 22. Xieng Khuang      | 4,343             | -                  | 4,343   |
| 23. Houa Phan         | 1,494             | -                  | 1,494   |

## HISTORICAL DATA

INCREASE IN ENROLLMENT IN  
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Table

No. 2

|         | SINCE 1940        |                    |
|---------|-------------------|--------------------|
|         | Public<br>Schools | Private<br>Schools |
| 1940-41 | 7,062             |                    |
| 1941-42 | *                 |                    |
| 1942-43 | 7,910             |                    |
| 1943-44 | 9,508             |                    |
| 1944-45 | 11,410            |                    |
| 1945-46 | *                 |                    |
| 1946-47 | 24,057            |                    |
| 1947-48 | 31,414            |                    |
| 1948-49 | 36,517            |                    |
| 1949-50 | 38,331            |                    |
| 1950-51 | 34,087            |                    |
| 1951-52 | 36,902            |                    |
| 1952-53 | 41,412            |                    |
| 1953-54 | 33,357            | 1,247              |
| 1954-55 | 43,274            | 2,586              |
| 1955-56 | 63,950            | 3,048              |
| 1956-57 | 75,167            | 2,461              |
| 1957-58 | 77,204            | 4,911              |
| 1958-59 | 95,957            | 5,102              |
| 1959-60 | 99,302            | 8,036              |
| 1960-61 | 91,313            | 8,302              |
| 1961-62 | 88,312            | 9,589              |
| 1962-63 | 108,603           | 12,450             |
| 1963-64 | 117,111           | 14,514             |
| 1964-65 | 128,040           | 15,698             |
| 1965-66 | 142,296           | 17,421             |
| 1966-67 | 156,481           | 18,382             |
| 1967-68 | 166,159           | 20,272             |
| 1968-69 | 174,885           | 20,900             |
| 1969-70 | 183,929           | 25,751             |

(\*) - Missing documents



ENROLLMENT IN PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS  
Close of 1969-70 School Year  
By School District, Type of School, and Sex

Table  
No. 3

| SCHOOL DISTRICT                | TOTAL  |       |        | GROUPES SCOLAIRES |       |       | DEMI-GROUPES SCOLAIRES |      |       | PRIMARY SCHOOLS |       |       | CREC (IN WATS) |      |      | CREC (VILLAGES) |      |       | TOTAL CREC | KINDER-GARTEN |     |     |    |
|--------------------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------------------|-------|-------|------------------------|------|-------|-----------------|-------|-------|----------------|------|------|-----------------|------|-------|------------|---------------|-----|-----|----|
|                                | Boys   | Girls | Total  | B                 | G     | T     | B                      | G    | T     | B               | G     | T     | B              | G    | T    | B               | G    | T     |            | B             | G   | T   |    |
| LAOS (Total)                   | 116198 | 67731 | 183929 | 50526             | 31154 | 81680 | 17180                  | 8821 | 26001 | 33727           | 20499 | 54226 | 4259           | 2348 | 6607 | 10392           | 4763 | 15155 | 21762      | 114           | 146 | 260 |    |
| ✓ 1. Attapeu 1,000             | 1      | 436   | 107    | 543               | 163   | 44    | 207                    | -    | -     | -               | 273   | 63    | 336            | -    | -    | -               | -    | -     | -          | -             | -   | -   |    |
| 2. Champasak                   | 9      | 5889  | 3226   | 9115              | 1944  | 905   | 2849                   | 357  | 186   | 543             | 2101  | 1209  | 3310           | 1108 | 677  | 1785            | 379  | 249   | 628        | 2413          | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 3. Sithandone 1,000          | 7      | 4451  | 2719   | 7173              | 1716  | 983   | 2699                   | 294  | 173   | 467             | 1808  | 1170  | 2978           | 509  | 306  | 815             | 127  | 87    | 214        | 1029          | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 4. Sedone 12,000             | 13     | 8208  | 4840   | 13048             | 3512  | 2068  | 5580                   | 1042 | 493   | 1535            | 2608  | 1628  | 4236           | 493  | 386  | 879             | 553  | 265   | 818        | 1697          | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 5. Saravane 500              |        |       |        |                   |       |       |                        |      |       |                 |       |       |                |      |      |                 |      |       |            |               |     |     |    |
| ✓ 6. Wapikhamthong 1,000       | 7      | 4777  | 2434   | 7211              | 1800  | 781   | 2581                   | 290  | 111   | 401             | 1564  | 927   | 2491           | 17   | 9    | 26              | 1106 | 606   | 1712       | 1738          | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 7. Savannakhet 2,000         | 18     | 11989 | 6478   | 18467             | 5533  | 3592  | 9125                   | 2111 | 882   | 2993            | 2064  | 1057  | 3121           | 805  | 226  | 1031            | 1450 | 677   | 2127       | 3158          | 26  | 44  | 70 |
| 8. Keng Kok                    | 13     | 8885  | 4109   | 12994             | 3054  | 1562  | 4616                   | 1730 | 617   | 2347            | 2416  | 1270  | 3686           | 368  | 132  | 500             | 1317 | 528   | 1845       | 2345          | -   | -   | -  |
| 9. Khammouane                  | 9      | 5626  | 3521   | 9147              | 1522  | 1030  | 2552                   | 1235 | 718   | 1953            | 1651  | 1052  | 2703           | 653  | 383  | 1036            | 547  | 312   | 859        | 1895          | 18  | 26  | 44 |
| 10. Nong Bok                   | 4      | 2599  | 1531   | 4130              | 987   | 492   | 1479                   | 399  | 217   | 616             | 1033  | 665   | 1698           | -    | -    | -               | 180  | 157   | 337        | 337           | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 11. Luang Prabang 10,000     | 14     | 8657  | 5838   | 14495             | 4636  | 3527  | 8163                   | 1264 | 758   | 2022            | 1935  | 1122  | 3057           | 75   | 69   | 144             | 732  | 345   | 1077       | 1221          | 15  | 17  | 32 |
| ✓ 12. Houa Khong 2,500         | 5      | 2980  | 1640   | 4620              | 1422  | 746   | 2168                   | 342  | 216   | 558             | 1200  | 654   | 1854           | -    | -    | -               | -    | -     | -          | -             | 16  | 24  | 40 |
| 13. (Phong Saly)               |        |       |        |                   |       |       |                        |      |       |                 |       |       |                |      |      |                 |      |       |            |               |     |     |    |
| ✓ 14. Sayaboury 4,000          | 7      | 5209  | 2262   | 7471              | 2162  | 936   | 3098                   | 757  | 318   | 1075            | 1833  | 811   | 2644           | -    | -    | -               | 418  | 162   | 580        | 580           | 39  | 35  | 74 |
| 15. Paklay 10,000              | 15     | 5003  | 2375   | 7378              | 2486  | 1276  | 3762                   | 289  | 111   | 400             | 1885  | 858   | 2743           | -    | -    | -               | 343  | 130   | 473        | 473           | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 16. Vientiane - North 12,000 | 18     | 8827  | 7737   | 17564             | 5437  | 4394  | 9831                   | 1758 | 1278  | 3036            | 2399  | 1896  | 4295           | 83   | 61   | 144             | 150  | 108   | 258        | 402           | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 17. Vientiane - South 12,000 | 21     | 8623  | 9354   | 21977             | 6936  | 5208  | 12144                  | 2196 | 1524  | 3720            | 2905  | 2221  | 5126           | 148  | 99   | 247             | 438  | 302   | 740        | 987           | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 18. Phone Heng 5,000         | 6      | 3487  | 2407   | 5894              | 1424  | 942   | 2366                   | 436  | 216   | 652             | 1510  | 1160  | 2670           | -    | -    | -               | 117  | 89    | 206        | 206           | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 19. Ban Keun 4,000           | 6      | 3415  | 2133   | 5548              | 1575  | 919   | 2494                   | 621  | 312   | 933             | 961   | 702   | 1663           | -    | -    | -               | 258  | 200   | 458        | 458           | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 20. Vang Vieng 3,000         | 6      | 4145  | 2082   | 6227              | 1683  | 790   | 2473                   | 407  | 140   | 547             | 1720  | 1003  | 2723           | -    | -    | -               | 335  | 149   | 484        | 484           | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 21. Borikhane 6,000          | 5      | 3155  | 1935   | 5090              | 1404  | 802   | 2206                   | 517  | 280   | 797             | 1023  | 742   | 1765           | -    | -    | -               | 211  | 111   | 322        | 322           | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 22. Xieng Khouang 30,000     | 4      | 3657  | 686    | 4343              | 913   | 125   | 1038                   | 556  | 150   | 706             | 593   | 165   | 758            | -    | -    | -               | 1555 | 246   | 1841       | 1841          | -   | -   | -  |
| ✓ 23. Houa Phan 5,000          | 1      | 1177  | 317    | 1494              | 217   | 32    | 249                    | 579  | 121   | 700             | 245   | 124   | 369            | -    | -    | -               | 136  | 40    | 176        | 176           | -   | -   | -  |

Remarks: Total, close of 1969-70 school year: 183,929

Total, close of 1968-69 school year: 174,885

Increase: 9,044 or 5.17%

ENROLLMENT IN PRIVATE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS  
Close of 1969-70 School Year  
By School District, Type of School, and Sex

Table  
No. 4

| SCHOOL DISTRICT     | TOTAL IN ALL   |       |       | PRIVATE | PRIVATE    |      |      | PRIVATE      | PRIVATE      |   |   | PRIVATE       | PRIVATE    |     |     | PRIVATE      | PRIVATE      |    |     | PRIVATE | PRIVATE |      |      |      |     |     |     |
|---------------------|----------------|-------|-------|---------|------------|------|------|--------------|--------------|---|---|---------------|------------|-----|-----|--------------|--------------|----|-----|---------|---------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|
|                     | PRIVATE SCHOOL |       |       | COLLEGE | LAO SCHOOL |      |      | BOARDING SCH | KINDERGARTEN |   |   | HOME ECONOMIC | VOCATIONAL |     |     | CHINESE SCH. | ENGLISH SCH. |    |     |         |         |      |      |      |     |     |     |
|                     | Boys           | Girl  | Total | B       | G          | T    | B    | G            | T            | B | G | T             | B          | G   | T   | B            | G            | T  | B   | G       | T       | B    | G    | T    |     |     |     |
| LAOS (Total)        | 15005          | 10746 | 25751 | 1177    | 482        | 1659 | 9285 | 6713         | 15998        |   |   |               | 113        | 108 | 221 | -            | 26           | 26 | 131 | 144     | 275     | 3822 | 3039 | 6861 | 477 | 252 | 729 |
| 1. Attoneu          | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 2. Champassak       | 205            | 132   | 337   | -       | -          | -    | 205  | 132          | 337          | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 3. Sithandone *     | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 4. Sedone           | 2628           | 1802  | 4430  | -       | -          | -    | 1861 | 1190         | 3051         | - | - | -             | 14         | 21  | 35  | -            | -            | -  | 4   | 2       | 6       | 749  | 589  | 1338 | -   | -   | -   |
| 5. Saravane         | 15             | 16    | 31    | -       | -          | -    | 15   | 16           | 31           | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 6. Wapikhamthong *  | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 7. Savannakhet      | 1533           | 1137  | 2670  | -       | -          | -    | 1007 | 734          | 1741         | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | 50 | 46  | 96      | 476     | 359  | 835  | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 8. Keng Kok         | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 9. Khammouane       | 691            | 502   | 1193  | -       | -          | -    | 691  | 502          | 1193         | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 10. Nong Bok        | 107            | 74    | 181   | -       | -          | -    | 107  | 74           | 181          | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 11. Luang Prabang   | -              | -     | -     | 149     | 78         | 227  | 801  | 531          | 1332         | - | - | -             | 49         | 36  | 85  | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | 336  | 250  | 586  | -   | -   | -   |
| 12. Houa Khong *    | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 13. (Phone Saly)    | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 14. Sayaboury       | 100            | 20    | 120   | -       | -          | -    | 100  | 20           | 120          | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 15. Paklay          | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 16. Vientiane - N ) | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 17. Vientiane - S   | 8002           | 5968  | 13970 | 928     | 404        | 1332 | 4209 | 3324         | 7533         | - | - | -             | 50         | 51  | 101 | -            | -            | -  | 77  | 96      | 173     | 2261 | 1841 | 4102 | 477 | 252 | 729 |
| 18. Phone Hong      | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 19. Ban Keun        | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 20. Vang Vieng      | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 21. Borikhane       | 389            | 216   | 605   | 100     | -          | 100  | 289  | 190          | 479          | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | 26           | 26           | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 22. Vieng Khouang   | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |
| 23. Houa Phan       | -              | -     | -     | -       | -          | -    | -    | -            | -            | - | - | -             | -          | -   | -   | -            | -            | -  | -   | -       | -       | -    | -    | -    | -   | -   |     |

Remarks: Total, close of 1969-70 school year: 25,751  
Total, close of 1968-69 school year: 20,900

Increase: 4,851 or 23.21%

\* No information



ENROLLMENT IN PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS  
Close of 1969-70 School Year  
By School District, Grade Level, and Sex

Table  
No. 5

| SCHOOL DISTRICT     | TOTAL  |       |        | GRADE 1 |       |       | GRADE 2 |       |       | GRADE 3 |       |       | GRADE 4 |      |       | GRADE 5 |      |       | GRADE 6 |      |       | KINDER | TOTAL |
|---------------------|--------|-------|--------|---------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|---------|------|-------|---------|------|-------|---------|------|-------|--------|-------|
|                     | Boys   | Girls | Total  | B       | G     | T     | B       | G     | T     | B       | G     | T     | B       | G    | T     | B       | G    | T     | B       | G    | T     |        |       |
| LAOS (Total)        | 116198 | 67731 | 183929 | 45981   | 30263 | 76244 | 23196   | 14316 | 37512 | 17581   | 10185 | 27766 | 11910   | 5721 | 17631 | 8952    | 3758 | 12710 | 8464    | 3342 | 11806 |        | 260   |
| 1. Attapeu          | 436    | 107   | 543    | 168     | 51    | 219   | 95      | 21    | 116   | 75      | 24    | 99    | 44      | 4    | 48    | 25      | 4    | 29    | 29      | 3    | 32    |        |       |
| 2. Champassak       | 5889   | 3226  | 9115   | 2707    | 1678  | 4385  | 1287    | 722   | 2009  | 802     | 462   | 1264  | 418     | 150  | 68    | 349     | 123  | 472   | 326     | 91   | 417   |        |       |
| 3. Sithandone       | 4454   | 2719  | 7173   | 1873    | 1344  | 3217  | 837     | 546   | 1383  | 688     | 379   | 1067  | 438     | 212  | 650   | 327     | 134  | 461   | 291     | 104  | 395   |        |       |
| 4. Sedone           | 8208   | 4840  | 13048  | 3100    | 2115  | 5215  | 1584    | 1064  | 2648  | 1269    | 702   | 1971  | 919     | 405  | 1324  | 658     | 283  | 941   | 678     | 271  | 949   |        |       |
| 5. Saravane         |        |       |        |         |       |       |         |       |       |         |       |       |         |      |       |         |      |       |         |      |       |        |       |
| 6. Wapikhamthong    | 4777   | 2434  | 7211   | 2009    | 1225  | 3234  | 912     | 536   | 1448  | 755     | 384   | 1139  | 487     | 140  | 627   | 326     | 79   | 405   | 288     | 70   | 358   |        |       |
| 7. Savannakhet      | 11989  | 6478  | 18467  | 5223    | 3061  | 8284  | 2255    | 1308  | 3563  | 1731    | 896   | 2627  | 1166    | 541  | 1707  | 841     | 367  | 1208  | 747     | 261  | 1008  | 70     |       |
| 8. Keng Kok         | 8885   | 4109  | 12994  | 3772    | 2084  | 5856  | 1652    | 769   | 2421  | 1298    | 572   | 1870  | 954     | 328  | 1282  | 674     | 205  | 879   | 535     | 151  | 686   |        |       |
| 9. Khammouane       | 5626   | 3521  | 9147   | 2403    | 1664  | 4067  | 1183    | 766   | 1949  | 877     | 502   | 1379  | 515     | 260  | 775   | 324     | 147  | 471   | 306     | 156  | 462   | 44     |       |
| 10. Nong Bok        | 2599   | 1531  | 4130   | 1009    | 700   | 1709  | 585     | 394   | 979   | 436     | 244   | 680   | 251     | 90   | 341   | 177     | 71   | 248   | 141     | 32   | 173   |        |       |
| 11. Luang Prabang   | 8657   | 5838  | 14495  | 3339    | 2306  | 5645  | 1708    | 1143  | 2851  | 1125    | 826   | 1951  | 921     | 616  | 1537  | 764     | 431  | 1195  | 785     | 499  | 1284  | 32     |       |
| 12. Houa Khong      | 2980   | 1640  | 4620   | 1286    | 809   | 2095  | 613     | 328   | 941   | 466     | 229   | 695   | 259     | 113  | 372   | 199     | 80   | 279   | 141     | 57   | 198   | 40     |       |
| 13. (Phong Saly)    |        |       |        |         |       |       |         |       |       |         |       |       |         |      |       |         |      |       |         |      |       |        |       |
| 14. Sayaboury       | 5209   | 2262  | 7471   | 1982    | 1027  | 3009  | 1136    | 484   | 1620  | 801     | 324   | 1125  | 527     | 172  | 699   | 375     | 107  | 482   | 349     | 113  | 462   | 74     |       |
| 15. Paklay          | 5003   | 2375  | 7378   | 1758    | 1000  | 2758  | 1146    | 534   | 1680  | 883     | 394   | 1277  | 474     | 195  | 689   | 367     | 141  | 508   | 355     | 111  | 466   |        |       |
| 16. Vientiane-North | 9827   | 7737  | 17564  | 3523    | 3064  | 6587  | 1947    | 1649  | 3596  | 1535    | 1208  | 2743  | 1173    | 797  | 1970  | 832     | 536  | 1368  | 817     | 483  | 1300  |        |       |
| 17. Vientiane-South | 12623  | 9354  | 21977  | 4348    | 3647  | 7995  | 2646    | 2027  | 4673  | 2008    | 1564  | 3572  | 1476    | 922  | 2398  | 1091    | 602  | 1693  | 1054    | 592  | 1646  |        |       |
| 18. Phone Hong      | 3487   | 2407  | 5894   | 1361    | 1098  | 2459  | 660     | 477   | 1137  | 526     | 384   | 910   | 351     | 240  | 591   | 314     | 122  | 436   | 275     | 86   | 361   |        |       |
| 19. Ban Keun        | 3415   | 2133  | 5548   | 1110    | 921   | 2031  | 597     | 404   | 1001  | 571     | 325   | 896   | 427     | 203  | 630   | 355     | 154  | 509   | 355     | 126  | 481   |        |       |
| 20. Vang Vieng      | 4145   | 2082  | 6227   | 1673    | 1094  | 2767  | 781     | 483   | 1264  | 629     | 239   | 868   | 443     | 129  | 572   | 325     | 91   | 416   | 294     | 46   | 340   |        |       |
| 21. Borikhane       | 3155   | 1935  | 5090   | 1148    | 841   | 1989  | 568     | 452   | 1020  | 489     | 337   | 826   | 314     | 165  | 479   | 362     | 71   | 433   | 274     | 69   | 343   |        |       |
| 22. Xieng Khouang   | 3657   | 686   | 4343   | 1777    | 363   | 2142  | 746     | 126   | 872   | 423     | 159   | 582   | 208     | 23   | 231   | 178     | 2    | 180   | 323     | 13   | 336   |        |       |
| 23. Houa Phan       | 1177   | 317   | 1494   | 410     | 171   | 581   | 258     | 83    | 341   | 194     | 31    | 225   | 125     | 16   | 141   | 89      | 8    | 97    | 101     | 8    | 109   |        |       |

Remarks:

Kindergarten

1969-70

1968-69

Kindergarten

260

210

P - 1

76244

74305 Increased 1939 or 2.60%

P - 2

37512

35273 Increased 2239 or 6.34%

P - 3

27766

26018 Increased 1748 or 6.71%

P - 4

17631

16229 Increased 1402 or 8.63%

P - 5

12710

12018 Increased 692 or 5.75%

P - 6

11806

10832 Increased 974 or 8.99%

NUMBER OF CLASSES IN PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS  
Close of 1969-70 School Year  
By School District and Grade Grouping

Table  
No. 6

| SCHOOL DISTRICT       | TOTAL | Kinder-<br>graten | 1st<br>Grades | 2nd<br>Grades | 3rd<br>Grades | 4th<br>Grades | 5th<br>Grades | 6th<br>Grades | Combined<br>Grds. 1-2 | Combined<br>Grds 2-3 | Combined<br>Grds. 1,2,3 | Combined<br>Grds. 3,4 | Combined<br>Grds. 4,5 | Combined<br>Grds. 5,6 |
|-----------------------|-------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| LAOS (Total)          | 4,850 | 9                 | 1,141         | 523           | 459           | 470           | 376           | 371           | 250                   | 284                  | 866                     | 36                    | 35                    | 30                    |
| 1. Attapeu            | 17    | -                 | 3             | 2             | 2             | 2             | 1             | 1             | -                     | 1                    | 5                       | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| 2. Champassak         | 209   | -                 | 37            | 17            | 17            | 17            | 16            | 15            | 28                    | 13                   | 49                      | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| 3. Sithandone         | 207   | -                 | 39            | 15            | 15            | 20            | 16            | 14            | 9                     | 13                   | 65                      | 1                     | -                     | -                     |
| 4. Sedone             | 310   | -                 | 59            | 32            | 28            | 27            | 27            | 27            | 22                    | 13                   | 69                      | 2                     | 4                     | -                     |
| 5. Saravane           |       |                   |               |               |               |               |               |               |                       |                      |                         |                       |                       |                       |
| 6. Wapikhamthong      | 191   | -                 | 27            | 7             | 7             | 15            | 13            | 11            | -                     | 17                   | 94                      | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| 7. Savannakhet        | 411   | 2                 | 92            | 42            | 38            | 38            | 32            | 32            | 28                    | 17                   | 74                      | 8                     | 4                     | 4                     |
| 8. Keng Kok           | 325   | -                 | 71            | 23            | 24            | 32            | 24            | 22            | 30                    | 20                   | 73                      | 3                     | 2                     | 1                     |
| 9. Khammouane         | 260   | 2                 | 58            | 16            | 15            | 17            | 10            | 11            | 27                    | 19                   | 64                      | 9                     | 4                     | 8                     |
| 10. Nong Bok          | 117   | -                 | 39            | 9             | 11            | 10            | 6             | 6             | 6                     | 19                   | 9                       | 1                     | 1                     | -                     |
| 11. Luang Prabang     | 430   | 2                 | 95            | 45            | 36            | 43            | 34            | 38            | 35                    | 17                   | 59                      | 8                     | 8                     | 10                    |
| 12. Houa Khong        | 111   | 1                 | 24            | 15            | 13            | 11            | 9             | 10            | 3                     | 2                    | 20                      | -                     | 2                     | 1                     |
| 13. (Phong Saly)      |       |                   |               |               |               |               |               |               |                       |                      |                         |                       |                       |                       |
| 14. Sayaboury         | 213   | 2                 | 52            | 28            | 19            | 18            | 14            | 15            | 6                     | 7                    | 45                      | 2                     | 3                     | 2                     |
| 15. Paklay            | 200   | -                 | 40            | 19            | 20            | 21            | 18            | 17            | 10                    | 15                   | 38                      | 1                     | -                     | -                     |
| 16. Vientiane - North | 421   | -                 | 124           | 70            | 57            | 50            | 39            | 36            | 6                     | 20                   | 16                      | -                     | 3                     | -                     |
| 17. Vientiane - South | 548   | -                 | 153           | 93            | 78            | 63            | 50            | 49            | 11                    | 24                   | 22                      | 1                     | 2                     | 2                     |
| 18. Phone Hong        | 171   | -                 | 60            | 20            | 17            | 16            | 13            | 13            | 1                     | 17                   | 14                      | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| 19. Ban Keun          | 178   | -                 | 46            | 19            | 20            | 21            | 18            | 17            | 2                     | 15                   | 20                      | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| 20. Vang Vieng        | 215   | -                 | 42            | 16            | 15            | 20            | 12            | 13            | 16                    | 16                   | 61                      | -                     | 2                     | 2                     |
| 21. Borikhane         | 140   | -                 | 23            | 13            | 12            | 15            | 14            | 12            | 6                     | 5                    | 40                      | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| 22. Vieng Khouang     | 124   | -                 | 41            | 10            | 8             | 9             | 6             | 7             | 3                     | 14                   | 26                      | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| 23. Houa Phan         | 53    | -                 | 16            | 12            | 7             | 5             | 4             | 5             | 1                     | -                    | 3                       | -                     | -                     | -                     |

Remarks: Total, close of 1969-70 school year: 4,850

Total, close of 1968-69 school year: 4,722

Increase: 128 or 2.71%



NUMBER OF STUDENTS PROMOTED TO THE NEXT GRADE  
Close of 1969-70 School Year  
In Public School, by School District

Table  
No. 7

| SCHOOL DISTRICT           | TOTAL  |        |        | GRADE 1 |        |        | GRADE 2 |        |        | GRADE 3 |        |        | GRADE 4 |        |        | GRADE 5 |        |        | GRADE 6 |        |        |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
|                           | Total  | Passed | Failed | Total   | Passed | Failed | Total   | Passed | Failed | Total   | Passed | Failed | Total   | Passed | Failed | Total   | Passed | Failed | Total   | Passed | Failed |
| LACS (total)              | 183719 | 111086 | 72633  | 76244   | 38776  | 37468  | 37512   | 25860  | 11652  | 27766   | 18587  | 9179   | 17631   | 12151  | 5480   | 12710   | 9030   | 3680   | 11856   | 6682   | 5174   |
| 1. Attapeu                | 543    | 341    | 202    | 219     | 97     | 122    | 116     | 84     | 32     | 99      | 81     | 18     | 48      | 39     | 9      | 29      | 20     | 9      | 32      | 20     | 12     |
| 2. Champassak             | 9115   | 5100   | 4015   | 4385    | 2270   | 2115   | 2009    | 1162   | 847    | 1264    | 698    | 566    | 568     | 394    | 174    | 472     | 328    | 144    | 417     | 248    | 169    |
| 3. Sithandone             | 7173   | 4762   | 2411   | 3217    | 1690   | 1527   | 1383    | 1128   | 255    | 1067    | 821    | 246    | 650     | 494    | 156    | 461     | 340    | 121    | 395     | 289    | 106    |
| 4. Sedone                 | 13048  | 6761   | 6287   | 5215    | 2680   | 2535   | 2648    | 703    | 1945   | 1971    | 1383   | 588    | 1324    | 759    | 565    | 941     | 716    | 225    | 949     | 520    | 429    |
| 5. Saravane               | 50     | 23     | 27     |         |        |        |         |        |        |         |        |        |         |        |        |         |        |        | 50      | 23     | 27     |
| 6. Wapikhamthong          | 7211   | 5054   | 2157   | 3234    | 1638   | 1596   | 1448    | 1401   | 47     | 1139    | 1137   | 2      | 627     | 412    | 215    | 405     | 280    | 125    | 358     | 186    | 172    |
| 7. Savannakhet            | 18397  | 9583   | 8814   | 8284    | 3546   | 4738   | 3563    | 2179   | 1384   | 2627    | 1492   | 1135   | 1707    | 1007   | 700    | 1208    | 786    | 422    | 1008    | 573    | 435    |
| 8. Keng Kok               | 12994  | 7588   | 5406   | 5856    | 3073   | 2783   | 2421    | 1728   | 693    | 1870    | 1057   | 813    | 1282    | 878    | 404    | 879     | 543    | 336    | 686     | 309    | 377    |
| 9. Khammouane             | 9103   | 5136   | 3967   | 4067    | 1859   | 2208   | 1949    | 1238   | 711    | 1379    | 893    | 486    | 775     | 525    | 250    | 471     | 335    | 136    | 462     | 286    | 176    |
| 10. Nong Bok              | 4130   | 2034   | 2096   | 1709    | 728    | 981    | 979     | 535    | 444    | 680     | 368    | 312    | 341     | 207    | 134    | 248     | 141    | 107    | 173     | 55     | 118    |
| 11. Luang Prabang         | 14463  | 8789   | 5674   | 5645    | 2883   | 2762   | 2851    | 1982   | 869    | 1951    | 1514   | 437    | 1537    | 1098   | 439    | 1195    | 774    | 421    | 1284    | 538    | 746    |
| 12. Houa Khong            | 4580   | 2551   | 2029   | 2095    | 986    | 1109   | 941     | 520    | 421    | 695     | 434    | 261    | 372     | 253    | 119    | 279     | 216    | 63     | 198     | 142    | 56     |
| 13. Phong Saly            |        |        |        |         |        |        |         |        |        |         |        |        |         |        |        |         |        |        |         |        |        |
| 14. Sayaboury             | 7397   | 5246   | 2151   | 3009    | 1949   | 1060   | 1620    | 1607   | 13     | 1125    | 670    | 455    | 699     | 409    | 290    | 482     | 369    | 113    | 462     | 242    | 220    |
| 15. Paklay                | 7378   | 4885   | 2493   | 2758    | 1646   | 1112   | 1680    | 1230   | 450    | 1277    | 902    | 375    | 689     | 524    | 165    | 508     | 378    | 130    | 466     | 205    | 261    |
| 16. Vientiane - North     | 17564  | 11770  | 5794   | 6587    | 3204   | 3383   | 3596    | 3338   | 258    | 2743    | 1850   | 893    | 1970    | 1443   | 527    | 1368    | 1069   | 299    | 1300    | 866    | 434    |
| 17. Vientiane - South     | 21977  | 13360  | 8617   | 7995    | 4096   | 3899   | 4673    | 3029   | 1644   | 3572    | 2239   | 1333   | 2398    | 1716   | 682    | 1693    | 1273   | 420    | 1646    | 1007   | 639    |
| 18. Phone Hong            | 5894   | 4127   | 1767   | 2459    | 1506   | 953    | 1137    | 873    | 264    | 910     | 696    | 214    | 591     | 464    | 127    | 436     | 347    | 89     | 361     | 241    | 120    |
| 19. Ban Keun              | 5548   | 3498   | 2050   | 2031    | 990    | 1041   | 1001    | 692    | 309    | 896     | 649    | 247    | 630     | 474    | 156    | 509     | 386    | 123    | 481     | 307    | 174    |
| 20. Vang Vieng            | 6227   | 3711   | 2516   | 2767    | 1407   | 1360   | 1264    | 900    | 364    | 868     | 581    | 287    | 572     | 388    | 184    | 416     | 248    | 168    | 340     | 187    | 153    |
| 21. Borikhane             | 5090   | 2978   | 2112   | 1989    | 944    | 1045   | 1020    | 657    | 363    | 826     | 568    | 258    | 479     | 334    | 145    | 433     | 281    | 152    | 343     | 194    | 149    |
| 22. Vieng Khouang         | 4343   | 2819   | 1524   | 2142    | 1247   | 895    | 872     | 633    | 239    | 582     | 394    | 188    | 231     | 211    | 20     | 180     | 126    | 54     | 336     | 208    | 128    |
| 23. Houa Phan             | 1494   | 970    | 524    | 581     | 337    | 244    | 341     | 241    | 100    | 225     | 160    | 65     | 141     | 122    | 19     | 97      | 74     | 23     | 109     | 36     | 73     |
| Percent Passing (1969-70) |        | 60.46% |        |         | 50.85% |        |         | 68.93% |        |         | 66.94% |        |         | 68.91% |        |         | 71.04% |        |         | 56.35% |        |
| Percent Passing (1968-69) |        | 59.56% |        |         | 52.05% |        |         | 63.61% |        |         | 62.14% |        |         | 69.58% |        |         | 73.07% |        |         | 61.38% |        |



## RESULTS OF THE CEP EXAMINATION

and

## RESULTS OF THE ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS FOR CERTAIN SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Close of 1969-70 School Year

Table

No. 8

The Certificat d'Etudes Primaires (CEP) is a sixth grade "diploma" which shows successful completion of elementary school. Students who wish to enter a public secondary school are usually required to have the CEP.

| SCHOOL DISTRICT       | # CANDIDATES FOR CEP |       |       | 'NUMBER WHO PASSED CEP' |       |       | PERCENT   | ENTRANCE TO   | ENTRANCE TO | ENTRANCE TO      | ENTRANCE TO        |        |     |        |     |
|-----------------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------|-------|-------|-----------|---------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------|--------|-----|--------|-----|
|                       | ' BOYS               | GIRLS | TOTAL | ' BOYS                  | GIRLS | TOTAL | ' PASSING | TECH. SCHOOLS | ESP, ENIS   | LYCEES, COLLEGES | COMPREHENSIVE H.S. |        |     |        |     |
|                       |                      |       |       |                         |       |       | ' CEP     | (See Note)    | (See Note)  | (See Note)       | (See Note)         |        |     |        |     |
| LAOS (total)          | ' 8408               | 3406  | 11814 | ' 5354                  | 2224  | 7578  | ' 64.14%  | ' 326         | 44          | ' 3184           | 334                | ' 3604 | 691 | ' 1388 | 183 |
| 1. Attapeu            | ' 26                 | 3     | 29    | ' 17                    | 3     | 20    | ' 68.96%  | ' 9           | 2           | ' -              | -                  | ' 32   | -   | ' -    | -   |
| 2. Champassak         | ' 345                | 94    | 439   | ' 198                   | 59    | 257   | ' 58.54%  | ' 32          | -           | ' 117            | 19                 | ' 87   | 18  | ' 22   | 1   |
| 3. Sithandone         | ' 284                | 103   | 387   | ' 223                   | 83    | 306   | ' 79.06%  | ' 19          | 1           | ' 178            | 5                  | ' 100  | 21  | ' -    | -   |
| 4. Sedone             | ' 693                | 259   | 952   | ' 409                   | 163   | 572   | ' 60.08%  | ' 42          | 15          | ' 314            | 81                 | ' 430  | 91  | ' 11   | 7   |
| 5. Saravane           | ' 28                 | 19    | 47    | ' 16                    | 7     | 23    | ' 48.93%  | ' 6           | 1           | ' 21             | 3                  | ' 64   | 23  | ' 47   | 15  |
| 6. Wapikhamthong      | ' 269                | 57    | 326   | ' 153                   | 33    | 186   | ' 57.05%  | ' 15          | 2           | ' 127            | 11                 | ' 131  | 32  | ' 15   | -   |
| 7. Savannakhet        | ' 717                | 294   | 1011  | ' 458                   | 193   | 651   | ' 64.39%  | ' 68          | 17          | ' 359            | 31                 | ' 336  | 104 | ' 99   | 32  |
| 8. Keng Kok           | ' 507                | 149   | 656   | ' 262                   | 60    | 322   | ' 49.08%  | ' 17          | -           | ' 288            | 21                 | ' 166  | 18  | ' 33   | -   |
| 9. Khammouane         | ' 315                | 136   | 451   | ' 193                   | 100   | 293   | ' 64.96%  | ' -           | -           | ' 99             | 12                 | ' 122  | 26  | ' -    | -   |
| 10. Nong Bok          | ' 122                | 26    | 148   | ' 52                    | 7     | 59    | ' 39.86%  | ' 3           | -           | ' 82             | 3                  | ' 18   | -   | ' 23   | 1   |
| 11. Luang Prabang     | ' 714                | 430   | 1144  | ' 462                   | 271   | 733   | ' 64.07%  | ' -           | -           | ' 526            | 23                 | ' 706  | 122 | ' 7    | -   |
| 12. Houa Khong        | ' 151                | 59    | 210   | ' 106                   | 41    | 147   | ' 70.00%  | ' 12          | 2           | ' 65             | 9                  | ' 141  | 40  | ' -    | -   |
| 13. (Phong Saly)      | '                    |       |       | '                       |       |       | '         | '             |             | '                |                    | '      |     | '      |     |
| 14. Sayaboury         | ' 320                | 88    | 408   | ' 210                   | 45    | 255   | ' 62.50%  | ' 19          | -           | ' 117            | 8                  | ' 165  | 18  | ' -    | -   |
| 15. Paklay            | ' 323                | 100   | 423   | ' 164                   | 48    | 212   | ' 50.11%  | '             |             | '                |                    | '      |     | '      |     |
| 16. Vientiane - North | ' 846                | 487   | 1333  | ' 631                   | 360   | 991   | ' 74.34%  | ' -           | -           | ' 169            | 11                 | ' 318  | 37  | ' 258  | 6   |
| 17. Vientiane - South | ' 1184               | 737   | 1921  | ' 758                   | 499   | 1257  | ' 65.43%  | ' 5           | -           | ' 265            | 13                 | ' 273  | 22  | ' 475  | 18  |
| 18. Phone Hong        | ' 273                | 89    | 362   | ' 192                   | 52    | 244   | ' 67.40%  | ' 9           | -           | ' 121            | -                  | ' 31   | 6   | ' 308  | 81  |
| 19. Ban Keun          | ' 346                | 137   | 483   | ' 250                   | 110   | 360   | ' 74.53%  | ' 5           | -           | ' 112            | 8                  | ' 158  | 30  | ' 53   | 16  |
| 20. Vang Vieng        | ' 284                | 40    | 324   | ' 164                   | 29    | 193   | ' 59.56%  | ' 30          | 4           | ' 166            | 55                 | ' 87   | 35  | ' 2    | 1   |
| 21. Borikhane         | ' 291                | 82    | 373   | ' 175                   | 52    | 227   | ' 60.85%  | ' -           | -           | ' 39             | 3                  | ' 99   | 15  | ' 13   | 3   |
| 22. Xieng Khouang     | ' 283                | 11    | 294   | ' 214                   | 7     | 221   | ' 75.17%  | ' 31          | -           | ' -              | 15                 | ' 111  | 27  | ' 22   | 2   |
| 23. Houa Phan         | ' 87                 | 6     | 93    | ' 47                    | 2     | 49    | ' 52.68%  | ' 4           | -           | ' 19             | 3                  | ' 29   | 6   | ' -    | -   |

Note: Figures for entering secondary schools are only for students enrolled in groupes scolaires during the 1969-70 school year, and do not include students from private schools or candidates not enrolled in any schools.

TOTAL NUMBER OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS  
Close of 1969-70 School Year  
By School District - Public and Private Schools  
Open and Closed

Table  
No. 9

| SCHOOL DISTRICT        | PUBLIC SCHOOLS |        |       | PRIVATE SCHOOLS |        |       | TOTAL |       |       |
|------------------------|----------------|--------|-------|-----------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                        | Open           | Closed | Total | Open            | Closed | Total | O     | C     | T     |
| LAOS (Total)           | 1,939          | 1,168  | 3,107 | 80              | 36     | 116   | 2,019 | 1,204 | 3,223 |
| 1. Attapeu             | 8              | 61     | 69    | -               | -      | -     | 8     | 61    | 69    |
| 2. Champassak          | 111            | -      | 111   | 3               | 0      | 3     | 114   | -     | 114   |
| 3. Sithandone          | 109            | -      | 109   | 2               | 0      | 2     | 111   | -     | 111   |
| 4. Sedone              | 133            | 15     | 148   | 9               | 1      | 10    | 142   | 24    | 166   |
| 5. Saravane            | -              | 149    | 149   | 1               | -      | 1     | 1     | 149   | 150   |
| 6. Vapikhamthong       | 117            | -      | 117   | 2               | 0      | 2     | 119   | -     | 119   |
| 7. Savannakhet         | 165            | 35     | 200   | 5               | 2      | 7     | 170   | 37    | 207   |
| 8. Keng Kok            | 167            | 14     | 181   | -               | -      | -     | 167   | 14    | 181   |
| 9. Khammouane          | 142            | 168    | 310   | 3               | 1      | 4     | 145   | 169   | 314   |
| 10. Nong Bok           | 51             | 1      | 52    | 1               | -      | 1     | 52    | 1     | 53    |
| 11. Luang Prabang      | 162            | 154    | 316   | 7               | -      | 7     | 169   | 154   | 323   |
| 12. Houa Khong         | 42             | 62     | 104   | 1               | -      | 1     | 43    | 62    | 105   |
| 13. (Phong Saly)       |                |        |       |                 |        |       |       |       |       |
| 14. Sayaboury          | 91             | 6      | 97    | 1               | -      | 1     | 92    | 6     | 98    |
| 15. Paklay             | 79             | 18     | 97    | -               | -      | -     | 79    | 18    | 97    |
| 16. Vientiane - North) | 84             | 3      | 87    |                 |        |       |       |       |       |
| 17. Vientiane - South  | 124            | -      | 124   | 42              | 31     | 73    | 250   | 34    | 284   |
| 18. Phone Hong         | 56             | -      | 56    | -               | -      | -     | 56    | -     | 56    |
| 19. Ban Keun           | 59             | -      | 59    | -               | -      | -     | 59    | -     | 59    |
| 20. Vang Vieng         | 110            | 2      | 112   | -               | -      | -     | 110   | 2     | 112   |
| 21. Borikhane          | 63             | 14     | 77    | 3               | 1      | 4     | 66    | 15    | 81    |
| 22. Xieng Khouang      | 53             | 345    | 398   | -               | -      | -     | 53    | 345   | 398   |
| 23. Houa Phan          | 13             | 121    | 134   | -               | -      | -     | 13    | 121   | 134   |

Historical Data  
Increase in the Number of Elementary Schools  
Since 1940

Table  
No. 10

|         | No. of Public<br>Elem. Schools | No. of Private<br>Elem. Schools | Total |
|---------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
| 1940-41 | 92                             |                                 | 92    |
| 1941-42 | 94                             |                                 | 94    |
| 1942-43 | 121                            |                                 | 121   |
| 1943-44 | 138                            |                                 | 138   |
| 1944-45 | 163                            |                                 | 163   |
| 1945-46 | 187                            |                                 | 187   |
| 1946-47 | 509                            |                                 | 509   |
| 1947-48 | 507                            |                                 | 507   |
| 1948-49 | 604                            |                                 | 604   |
| 1949-50 | 641                            |                                 | 641   |
| 1950-51 | 662                            |                                 | 662   |
| 1951-52 | 741                            |                                 | 741   |
| 1952-53 | 866                            |                                 | 866   |
| 1953-54 | 852                            | 6                               | 858   |
| 1954-55 | 923                            | 21                              | 944   |
| 1955-56 | 1,021                          | 19                              | 1,040 |
| 1956-57 | 1,269                          | 34                              | 1,303 |
| 1957-58 | 1,235                          | 18                              | 1,253 |
| 1958-59 | 1,464                          | 38                              | 1,502 |
| 1959-60 | 1,567                          | 59                              | 1,626 |
| 1960-61 | 1,573                          | 43                              | 1,616 |
| 1961-62 | 1,646                          | 36                              | 1,682 |
| 1962-63 | 2,172                          | 60                              | 2,232 |
| 1963-64 | 2,410                          | 78                              | 2,488 |
| 1964-65 | 2,498                          | 79                              | 2,577 |
| 1965-66 | 2,636                          | 89                              | 2,725 |
| 1966-67 | 2,752                          | 89                              | 2,841 |
| 1967-68 | 2,863                          | 93                              | 2,956 |
| 1968-69 | 2,949                          | 96                              | 3,045 |
| 1969-70 | 3,107                          | 116                             | 3,223 |



# NUMBER OF PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Table

Close of 1969-70 School Year

No. 11

By School District and Type of School, Open and Closed

| SCHOOL DISTRICT       | TOTAL |        |       | GROUPE SCOLAIRE |    |     | DEMI-GROUPE SCOLAIRE |    |     | PRIMARY SCHOOLS |     |       | CREC (IN WATS) |     |     | CREC (VILLAGE) |     |     | KINDER-GARTEN |   |
|-----------------------|-------|--------|-------|-----------------|----|-----|----------------------|----|-----|-----------------|-----|-------|----------------|-----|-----|----------------|-----|-----|---------------|---|
|                       | OPEN  | CLOSED | TOTAL | O               | C  | T   | O                    | C  | T   | O               | C   | T     | O              | C   | T   | O              | C   | T   | O             | C |
| LAOS (Total)          | 1,939 | 1,168  | 3,107 | 226             | 41 | 267 | 164                  | 42 | 206 | 950             | 771 | 1,721 | 184            | 119 | 303 | 409            | 195 | 604 | 6             | - |
| 1. Attapeu            | 8     | 61     | 69    | 1               | 4  | 5   | -                    | 2  | 2   | 7               | 50  | 57    | -              | 1   | 1   | -              | 4   | 4   | -             | - |
| 2. Champassak         | 111   | -      | 111   | 11              | -  | 11  | 3                    | -  | 3   | 54              | -   | 54    | 34             | -   | 34  | 9              | -   | 9   | -             | - |
| 3. Sithandone         | 109   | -      | 109   | 12              | -  | 12  | 4                    | -  | 4   | 59              | -   | 59    | 28             | -   | 28  | 6              | -   | 6   | -             | - |
| 4. Sedone             | 133   | 15     | 148   | 13              | -  | 13  | 10                   | 1  | 11  | 71              | 3   | 74    | 22             | 4   | 26  | 17             | 7   | 24  | -             | - |
| 5. Saravane           | -     | 149    | 149   | -               | 5  | 5   | -                    | 5  | 5   | -               | 64  | 64    | -              | 49  | 49  | -              | 26  | 26  | -             | - |
| 6. Napikharthong      | 117   | -      | 117   | 9               | -  | 9   | 4                    | -  | 4   | 49              | -   | 49    | 1              | -   | 1   | 54             | -   | 54  | -             | - |
| 7. Savannakhet        | 165   | 35     | 200   | 19              | 2  | 21  | 19                   | 1  | 20  | 55              | 31  | 86    | 36             | -   | 36  | 35             | 1   | 36  | 1             | - |
| 8. Keng Kok           | 167   | 14     | 181   | 15              | -  | 15  | 15                   | -  | 15  | 63              | 3   | 66    | 15             | 1   | 16  | 59             | 10  | 69  | -             | - |
| 9. Khammouane         | 142   | 168    | 310   | 7               | 5  | 12  | 17                   | 9  | 26  | 60              | 86  | 146   | 32             | 64  | 96  | 25             | 4   | 29  | 1             | - |
| 10. Vong Bok          | 51    | 1      | 52    | 5               | -  | 5   | 5                    | -  | 5   | 27              | -   | 27    | -              | -   | -   | 14             | 1   | 15  | -             | - |
| 11. Luang Prabang     | 162   | 154    | 316   | 25              | 5  | 30  | 20                   | 7  | 27  | 74              | 110 | 184   | 5              | -   | 5   | 37             | 32  | 69  | 1             | - |
| 12. Houa Khong        | 42    | 62     | 104   | 8               | 4  | 12  | 3                    | 4  | 7   | 30              | 54  | 84    | -              | -   | -   | -              | -   | -   | 1             | - |
| 13. (Phong Saly)      | -     | -      | -     | -               | -  | -   | -                    | -  | -   | -               | -   | -     | -              | -   | -   | -              | -   | -   | -             | - |
| 14. Sayaboury         | 91    | 6      | 97    | 10              | -  | 10  | 7                    | -  | 7   | 51              | 4   | 55    | -              | -   | -   | 21             | 2   | 23  | 2             | - |
| 15. Paklay            | 79    | 18     | 97    | 13              | -  | 13  | 4                    | -  | 4   | 49              | 14  | 63    | -              | -   | -   | 13             | 4   | 17  | -             | - |
| 16. Vientiane - North | 84    | 3      | 87    | 17              | -  | 17  | 13                   | -  | 13  | 46              | 1   | 47    | 5              | -   | 5   | 3              | 2   | 5   | -             | - |
| 17. Vientiane - South | 124   | -      | 124   | 24              | -  | 24  | 16                   | -  | 16  | 62              | -   | 62    | 6              | -   | 6   | 16             | -   | 16  | -             | - |
| 18. Phone Hong        | 56    | -      | 56    | 7               | -  | 7   | 3                    | -  | 3   | 38              | -   | 38    | -              | -   | -   | 8              | -   | 8   | -             | - |
| 19. Ban Keun          | 59    | -      | 59    | 8               | -  | 8   | 6                    | -  | 6   | 31              | -   | 31    | -              | -   | -   | 14             | -   | 14  | -             | - |
| 20. Vang Vieng        | 110   | 2      | 112   | 11              | -  | 11  | 6                    | -  | 6   | 73              | 1   | 74    | -              | -   | -   | 20             | 1   | 21  | -             | - |
| 21. Borikhane         | 63    | 14     | 77    | 8               | -  | 8   | 4                    | -  | 4   | 38              | 6   | 44    | -              | -   | -   | 13             | 8   | 21  | -             | - |
| 22. Xieng Khouang     | 53    | 345    | 398   | 2               | 11 | 13  | 2                    | 13 | 15  | 8               | 275 | 283   | -              | -   | -   | 41             | 46  | 87  | -             | - |
| 23. Houa Phan         | 13    | 121    | 134   | 1               | 5  | 6   | 3                    | -  | 3   | 5               | 69  | 74    | -              | -   | -   | 4              | 47  | 51  | -             | - |

Remarks: Total, close of 1969-70 school year : 3,107 schools, of which 1,939 were in operation

NUMBER OF PRIVATE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Close of 1969-70 School Year

Table  
No. 12

By School District and Type of School, Open and Closed

| SCHOOL DISTRICT   | TOTAL - ALL      |       |       | PRIVATE |   |   | PRIVATE    |    |    | PRIVATE      |   |   | PRIVATE      |   |   | PRIVATE       |   |   | PRIVATE    |    |    | PRIVATE      |   |   | PRIVATE      |   |    |
|-------------------|------------------|-------|-------|---------|---|---|------------|----|----|--------------|---|---|--------------|---|---|---------------|---|---|------------|----|----|--------------|---|---|--------------|---|----|
|                   | PRIVATE SCHOOLS: |       |       | COLLEGE |   |   | LAO SCHOOL |    |    | BOARDING SCH |   |   | KINDERGARTEN |   |   | HOME ECONOMIC |   |   | VOCATIONAL |    |    | CHINESE SCH. |   |   | ENGLISH SCH. |   |    |
|                   | OPEN             | CLOSE | TOTAL | O       | C | T | O          | C  | T  | O            | C | T | O            | C | T | O             | C | T | O          | C  | T  | O            | C | T | O            | C | T  |
| LACS (Total)      | 80               | 36    | 116   | 9       | - | 9 | 51         | 10 | 61 | 2            | 1 | 3 | 3            | 4 | 7 | 1             | - | 1 | 6          | 12 | 18 | 4            | - | 4 | 4            | 9 | 13 |
| 1. Attapeu        | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 2. Champassak     | 3                | -     | 3     | -       | - | - | 3          | -  | 3  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 3. Sithandone     | 2                | -     | 2     | -       | - | - | 2          | -  | 2  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 4. Sedone         | 9                | 1     | 10    | -       | - | - | 6          | -  | 6  | -            | - | - | 1            | - | 1 | -             | - | - | 1          | -  | 1  | 1            | - | 1 | -            | 1 | 1  |
| 5. Saravane       | 1                | -     | 1     | -       | - | - | 1          | -  | 1  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 6. Wapikhamthong  | 2                | -     | 2     | -       | - | - | 2          | -  | 2  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 7. Savannakhet    | 5                | 2     | 7     | -       | - | - | 3          | 1  | 4  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | 1          | 1  | 2  | 1            | - | 1 | -            | - | -  |
| 8. Keng Kok       | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 9. Khammouane     | 3                | 1     | 4     | -       | - | - | 3          | 1  | 4  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 10. Nong Bok      | 1                | -     | 1     | -       | - | - | 1          | -  | 1  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 11. Luang Prabang | 7                | -     | 7     | 1       | - | 1 | 3          | -  | 3  | 1            | - | 1 | 1            | - | 1 | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | 1            | - | 1 | -            | - | -  |
| 12. Houa Khong    | 1                | -     | 1     | -       | - | - | 1          | -  | 1  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 13. (Phong Saly)  | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 14. Sayaboury     | 1                | -     | 1     | -       | - | - | 1          | -  | 1  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 15. Paklay        | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 16. Vientiane-N   | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 17. Vientiane-S   | 42               | 31    | 73    | 7       | - | 7 | 24         | 7  | 31 | 1            | 1 | 2 | 1            | 4 | 5 | -             | - | - | 4          | 11 | 15 | 1            | - | 1 | 4            | 8 | 12 |
| 18. Phone Hong    | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 19. Ban Xeun      | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 20. Vang Vieng    | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 21. Borikhane     | 3                | 1     | 4     | 1       | - | 1 | 1          | 1  | 2  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | 1             | - | 1 | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 22. Xieng Khouang | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |
| 23. Houa Phan     | -                | -     | -     | -       | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | - | -             | - | - | -          | -  | -  | -            | - | - | -            | - | -  |

Remarks: Total, close of 1969-70 school year: 116 Schools, of which 80 were in operation

Total, close of 1968-69 school year: 96 Schools, of which 64 were in operation

Increase: 20                      Increase 16



NUMBER OF PERSONNEL EMPLOYED BY THE OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION  
Close of 1969-70 School Year  
By School District, Classification of Teachers, and Sex

Table  
No. 13

| SCHOOL DISTRICT       | T O T A L |        |       | VAN ECK   |   |    | VAN THO    |     |       | VAN TRI     |     |       | C R E C |       |       | TOTAL |
|-----------------------|-----------|--------|-------|-----------|---|----|------------|-----|-------|-------------|-----|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
|                       |           |        |       | (Class I) |   |    | (Class II) |     |       | (Class III) |     |       | MONK    |       | OTHER |       |
|                       | Male      | Female | Total | M         | F | T  | M          | F   | T     | M           | F   | T     | M       | F     |       |       |
| LAOS (Total)          | 4,610     | 1,410  | 6,020 | 24        | 1 | 25 | 1,144      | 400 | 1,544 | 2,364       | 865 | 3,229 | 36      | 1,042 | 144   | 1,222 |
| Ministry              | 47        | 11     | 58    | 3         | - | 3  | 26         | 5   | 31    | 18          | 6   | 24    | -       | -     | -     | -     |
| Home Economic         | -         | 19     | 10    | -         | 1 | 1  | -          | 5   | 5     | -           | 4   | 4     | -       | -     | -     | -     |
| 1. Attapeu            | 55        | 7      | 62    | 1         | - | 1  | 10         | 3   | 13    | 41          | 3   | 44    | -       | 3     | 1     | 4     |
| 2. Champassak         | 210       | 24     | 234   | 1         | - | 1  | 50         | 4   | 54    | 100         | 20  | 120   | 10      | 49    | -     | 59    |
| 3. Sithandone         | 187       | 41     | 228   | -         | - | -  | 48         | 7   | 55    | 102         | 34  | 136   | 8       | 29    | -     | 37    |
| 4. Sedone             | 250       | 116    | 366   | 1         | - | 1  | 80         | 16  | 96    | 124         | 85  | 209   | 12      | 33    | 15    | 60    |
| 5. Saravane           | 130       | 17     | 147   | -         | - | -  | 11         | 3   | 14    | 46          | 4   | 50    | -       | 73    | 10    | 83    |
| 6. Wapikhamthong      | 193       | 19     | 212   | 2         | - | 2  | 42         | 4   | 46    | 85          | 13  | 98    | 1       | 63    | 2     | 66    |
| 7. Savannakhet        | 327       | 117    | 444   | 2         | - | 2  | 108        | 38  | 146   | 116         | 62  | 178   | -       | 101   | 17    | 118   |
| 8. Keng Kok           | 304       | 39     | 343   | 1         | - | 1  | 83         | 15  | 98    | 125         | 15  | 140   | -       | 95    | 9     | 104   |
| 9. Khammouane         | 269       | 66     | 335   | 1         | - | 1  | 60         | 14  | 74    | 134         | 41  | 175   | -       | 74    | 11    | 85    |
| 10. Nong Bok          | 117       | 11     | 128   | -         | - | -  | 21         | 2   | 23    | 84          | 7   | 91    | -       | 12    | 2     | 14    |
| 11. Luang Prabang     | 323       | 179    | 502   | 1         | - | 1  | 90         | 33  | 123   | 177         | 146 | 323   | 5       | 50    | -     | 55    |
| 12. Houa Khong        | 97        | 31     | 128   | 1         | - | 1  | 25         | 7   | 32    | 71          | 24  | 95    | -       | -     | -     | -     |
| 13. (Phong Saly)      |           |        |       |           |   |    |            |     |       |             |     |       |         |       |       |       |
| 14. Sayaboury         | 193       | 37     | 230   | 1         | - | 1  | 36         | 6   | 42    | 125         | 29  | 154   | -       | 31    | 2     | 33    |
| 15. Paklay            | 197       | 22     | 219   | -         | - | -  | 49         | 1   | 50    | 129         | 20  | 149   | -       | 19    | 1     | 20    |
| 16. Vientiane - North | 242       | 231    | 473   | 3         | - | 3  | 75         | 104 | 179   | 113         | 117 | 230   | -       | 51    | 10    | 61    |
| 17. Vientiane - South | 344       | 269    | 613   | 3         | - | 3  | 118        | 104 | 222   | 182         | 145 | 327   | -       | 41    | 20    | 61    |
| 18. Phone Hong        | 164       | 39     | 203   | 2         | - | 2  | 38         | 5   | 43    | 107         | 28  | 135   | -       | 17    | 6     | 23    |
| 19. Ban Keun          | 147       | 49     | 196   | -         | - | -  | 36         | 13  | 49    | 80          | 24  | 104   | -       | 31    | 12    | 43    |
| 20. Borikhane         | 140       | 15     | 155   | 1         | - | 1  | 60         | 5   | 65    | 66          | 10  | 76    | -       | 13    | -     | 13    |
| 21. Vang Vieng        | 218       | 44     | 262   | -         | - | -  | 32         | 4   | 36    | 170         | 19  | 189   | -       | 16    | 21    | 37    |
| 22. Xieng Khouang     | 362       | 15     | 377   | -         | - | -  | 32         | 2   | 34    | 139         | 9   | 148   | -       | 191   | 4     | 195   |
| 22. Houa Phan         | 94        | 1      | 95    | -         | - | -  | 14         | -   | 14    | 30          | -   | 30    | -       | 50    | 1     | 51    |

Remarks: Total, close of 1969-70 school year: 6,020

Total, close of 1968-69 school year: 5,422

NUMBER OF CLASSROOM TEACHERS IN THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SYSTEM  
Close of 1969-70 School Year  
By School District, Sex and Classroom Assignment

Table  
No. 14

| SCHOOL DISTRICT       | NUMBER OF TEACHERS |        |       |       |   |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |    |          |    |          |    |            |   |          |   |          |   |          |   |
|-----------------------|--------------------|--------|-------|-------|---|--------|-----|--------|-----|--------|-----|--------|-----|--------|-----|--------|----|----------|----|----------|----|------------|---|----------|---|----------|---|----------|---|
|                       | TOTAL              |        |       | KIDGR |   | GRD. 1 |     | GRD. 2 |     | GRD. 3 |     | GRD. 4 |     | GRD. 5 |     | GRD. 6 |    | GRD. 1+2 |    | GRD. 2+3 |    | GRD. 1+2+3 |   | GRD. 3+4 |   | GRD. 4+5 |   | GRD. 5+6 |   |
|                       | Male               | Female | Total | M     | F | M      | F   | M      | F   | M      | F   | M      | F   | M      | F   | M      | F  | M        | F  | M        | F  | M          | F | M        | F | M        | F | M        | F |
|                       |                    |        |       |       |   |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |    |          |    |          |    |            |   |          |   |          |   |          |   |
| LAOS (Total)          | 3677               | 1173   | 4850  | -     | 9 | 765    | 376 | 271    | 252 | 295    | 164 | 329    | 141 | 258    | 118 | 299    | 72 | 237      | 13 | 264      | 20 | 858        | 8 | 36       | - | 35       | - | 30       | - |
| 1. Attapeu            | 17                 | -      | 17    | -     | - | 3      | -   | 2      | -   | 2      | -   | 2      | -   | 2      | -   | 1      | -  | -        | -  | 1        | -  | 5          | - | -        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 2. Champassak         | 188                | 21     | 209   | -     | - | 33     | 4   | 10     | 7   | 12     | 5   | 15     | 2   | 15     | 1   | 13     | 2  | 28       | -  | 13       | -  | 49         | - | -        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 3. Sithandone         | 169                | 30     | 207   | -     | - | 27     | 12  | 5      | 10  | 7      | 8   | 16     | 4   | 14     | 2   | 14     | -  | 8        | 1  | 12       | 1  | 65         | - | 1        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 4. Sedone             | 233                | 77     | 310   | -     | - | 37     | 22  | 11     | 21  | 14     | 14  | 19     | 8   | 21     | 6   | 23     | 4  | 22       | -  | 12       | 1  | 68         | 1 | 2        | - | 4        | - | -        | - |
| 5. Saravane           |                    |        |       |       |   |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |    |          |    |          |    |            |   |          |   |          |   |          |   |
| 6. Wapikharthong      | 171                | 20     | 191   | -     | - | 20     | 7   | 4      | 3   | 3      | 4   | 14     | 1   | 12     | 1   | 10     | 1  | -        | -  | 14       | 3  | 94         | - | -        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 7. Savannakhet        | 312                | 99     | 411   | -     | 2 | 65     | 27  | 21     | 21  | 20     | 18  | 25     | 13  | 23     | 9   | 30     | 2  | 25       | 3  | 15       | 2  | 72         | 2 | 8        | - | 4        | - | 4        | - |
| 8. Keng Kok           | 292                | 33     | 325   | -     | - | 63     | 8   | 20     | 3   | 17     | 7   | 30     | 2   | 19     | 5   | 19     | 3  | 29       | 1  | 16       | 4  | 73         | - | 3        | - | 2        | - | 1        | - |
| 9. Khammouane         | 211                | 49     | 260   | -     | 2 | 42     | 16  | 8      | 8   | 7      | 8   | 12     | 5   | 7      | 3   | 9      | 2  | 25       | 2  | 16       | 3  | 64         | - | 9        | - | 4        | - | 8        | - |
| 10. Nong Bok          | 108                | 9      | 117   | -     | - | 32     | 7   | 9      | -   | 11     | -   | 9      | 1   | 6      | -   | 5      | 1  | 6        | -  | 19       | -  | 9          | - | 1        | - | 1        | - | -        | - |
| 11. Luang Prabang     | 263                | 167    | 430   | -     | 2 | 51     | 44  | 10     | 35  | 11     | 25  | 18     | 25  | 18     | 16  | 24     | 14 | 33       | 2  | 15       | 2  | 57         | 2 | 8        | - | 8        | - | 10       | - |
| 12. Houa Khong        | 83                 | 28     | 111   | -     | 1 | 13     | 11  | 9      | 6   | 10     | 3   | 9      | 2   | 5      | 4   | 9      | 1  | 3        | -  | 2        | -  | 20         | - | -        | - | 2        | - | 1        | - |
| 13. (Phong Saly)      |                    |        |       |       |   |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |     |        |    |          |    |          |    |            |   |          |   |          |   |          |   |
| 14. Sayaboury         | 176                | 37     | 213   | -     | 2 | 37     | 15  | 18     | 10  | 15     | 4   | 17     | 1   | 10     | 4   | 14     | 1  | 6        | -  | 7        | -  | 45         | - | 2        | - | 3        | - | 2        | - |
| 15. Paklay            | 180                | 19     | 199   | -     | - | 31     | 9   | 15     | 4   | 19     | 2   | 19     | 2   | 17     | 1   | 17     | -  | 10       | -  | 15       | -  | 37         | 1 | 1        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 16. Vientiane - North | 213                | 208    | 421   | -     | - | 61     | 63  | 28     | 42  | 28     | 29  | 20     | 30  | 11     | 28  | 21     | 15 | 6        | -  | 19       | 1  | 16         | - | -        | - | 3        | - | -        | - |
| 17. Vientiane - South | 296                | 252    | 548   | -     | - | 72     | 81  | 33     | 60  | 52     | 26  | 30     | 33  | 22     | 28  | 30     | 19 | 8        | 3  | 23       | 1  | 21         | 1 | 1        | - | 2        | - | 2        | - |
| 18. Phone Hong        | 134                | 37     | 171   | -     | - | 40     | 20  | 16     | 4   | 12     | 5   | 14     | 2   | 11     | 2   | 11     | 2  | -        | 1  | 16       | 1  | 14         | - | -        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 19. Ban Keun          | 133                | 45     | 178   | -     | - | 34     | 12  | 5      | 14  | 15     | 5   | 15     | 6   | 13     | 5   | 14     | 3  | 2        | -  | 15       | -  | 20         | - | -        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 20. Vang Vieng        | 198                | 17     | 215   | -     | - | 34     | 8   | 15     | 1   | 14     | 1   | 17     | 3   | 11     | 1   | 11     | 2  | 16       | -  | 15       | 1  | 61         | - | -        | - | 2        | - | 2        | - |
| 21. Borikhane         | 126                | 14     | 140   | -     | - | 16     | 7   | 10     | 3   | 12     | -   | 14     | 1   | 12     | 2   | 12     | -  | 6        | -  | 5        | -  | 39         | 1 | -        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 22. Xieng Khouang     | 121                | 3      | 124   | -     | - | 38     | 3   | 10     | -   | 8      | -   | 9      | -   | 6      | -   | 7      | -  | 3        | -  | 14       | -  | 26         | - | -        | - | -        | - | -        | - |
| 23. Houa phan         | 53                 | -      | 53    | -     | - | 16     | -   | 12     | -   | 7      | -   | 5      | -   | 4      | -   | 5      | -  | 1        | -  | -        | -  | 3          | - | -        | - | -        | - | -        | - |

Remarks: Total, close of 1969-70 school year: 4,850  
Total, close of 1968-69 school year: 4,722

Increase: 128 or 2.71%



ASSIGNMENT OF PERSONNEL  
IN THE PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SYSTEMS

Table  
No. 15

Close of 1969-70 School Year

|                                                                                                                                                                                | <u>Male</u> | <u>Female</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Administration<br>(Includes professional staff<br>of Office of Elementary School<br>Education, Primary School<br>Inspectors and their staff<br>non-teaching school principals) | 368         | 32            | 400          |
| Classroom teachers - Total                                                                                                                                                     | 3,654       | 1,171         | 4,825        |
| (Civil Service teachers)                                                                                                                                                       | (2,576)     | (1,027)       | (3,603)      |
| (OREC teachers)                                                                                                                                                                | (1,078)     | (144)         | (1,222)      |
| (Teachers paid by military)                                                                                                                                                    |             | 26            | 26           |
| Craft teachers                                                                                                                                                                 | 42          | 9             | 51           |
| Home Economics teachers                                                                                                                                                        | -           | 19            | 19           |
| Others Civil Service teachers<br>(Substitute teachers, teachers<br>on sick or maternal leave,<br>teachers in refugee status, etc...)                                           | 546         | 179           | 725          |
| TOTAL                                                                                                                                                                          | 4,610       | 1,436         | 6,046        |

Note: The total here of 6,046 personnel includes 26 teachers who are paid by the military. The total of 6,020 employees on other tables is for Ministry of Education personnel only.

HISTORICAL DATA

Table  
No. 16

INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF PERSONNEL  
EMPLOYED BY THE OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION  
Since 1946

|         | <u>Male</u> | <u>Female</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|---------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1946-47 |             |               | 704          |
| 1947-48 |             |               | 986          |
| 1948-49 |             |               | 1,135        |
| 1949-50 |             |               | 1,133        |
| 1950-51 |             |               | 1,172        |
| 1951-52 |             |               | 1,144        |
| 1952-53 |             |               | 1,173        |
| 1953-54 |             |               | 1,666        |
| 1954-55 |             |               | 2,041        |
| 1955-56 |             |               | 2,115        |
| 1956-57 |             |               | 1,957        |
| 1957-58 |             |               | 2,660        |
| 1958-59 | 2,741       | 184           | 2,925        |
| 1959-60 | 2,687       | 341           | 3,028        |
| 1960-61 | 2,529       | 336           | 2,865        |
| 1961-62 | 2,734       | 432           | 3,166        |
| 1962-63 | 3,094       | 544           | 3,638        |
| 1963-64 | 3,330       | 624           | 3,954        |
| 1964-65 | 3,496       | 739           | 4,235        |
| 1965-66 | 3,655       | 863           | 4,518        |
| 1966-67 | 3,856       | 918           | 4,774        |
| 1967-68 | 4,091       | 1,022         | 5,113        |
| 1968-69 | 4,204       | 1,218         | 5,422        |
| 1969-70 | 4,610       | 1,410         | 6,020        |

UNITED STATES AID MISSION TO LAOS

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

April 6, 1971

TO : Mr. John MacQueen, AD/RA  
FROM : Hunter Fitzgerald, CEA/National *H. Fitzgerald*  
SUBJECT: Briefing Materials on Refugee School Program

The following report summarizes the refugee school program. This paper is organized to give: (1) a general background statement; (2) the Ministry of Education program; (3) Community Education Branch organization; (4) actual activities undertaken and proposed future activities; and (5) general statistical data designed to give an overview of the refugee school situation.

1. General Background

Currently there are about 266,000 people in Laos classified as refugees. Of this amount approximately 50,000 are school age children who need to have educational opportunities provided.

2. Ministry of Education

The Lao Ministry of Education has operated under the general policy of treating refugee school children the same as any other group of children. Any new construction, teachers, or students become part of the on-going educational program and are administratively part of a Royal Lao Government activity. However, the large influx of new students has definitely been difficult both from monetary and staffing viewpoints on an organization that even without this problem is minimally funded because of limited national resources.

3. Community Education Branch Organization

The Community Education Branch last year was staffed with a Chief, a Curriculum Specialist, and two field advisors for the



northern and southern regions. The major role on the project was to give technical advice and assistance to the Department of Primary and Adult Education. With the advent of large scale refugee movements and top priority given to refugee educational needs, a one year contract Community Education Adviser/Refugees position was approved by the Mission. The addition of this position and the combined efforts of the existing staff have made it possible for the Division to work toward a satisfactory solution of an extremely large and complex problem.

4. Actual Activities Underway or Planned

Brief descriptions of separate activities underway or completed are outlined below:

- (1) 198,000 elementary grade reading books were printed locally with USAID assistance and turned over to the RLG for distribution to refugee children.
- (2) 250,000 copybooks were printed locally with USAID assistance and turned over to the RLG for distribution to refugee school children.
- (3) The Ministry of Education allocated 100 extra teacher positions for refugee schools.
- (4) The Department of Primary Education with USAID assistance completed 117 temporary classrooms with furniture for Plain de Jar refugee children.
- (5) Last March over 200 Sam Thong sixth grade children were airlifted to Vientiane by USAID to finish the sixth grade. A dormitory was built and maintenance was provided.

- (6) A one month in-service training course at four training centers for 161 refugee teachers was conducted last summer.
- (7) The Education Division is giving technical assistance to Area Coordinators in the construction of over 350 refugee classrooms.
- (8) The Community Education Branch with Public Works Division support assisted in the repair and making of furniture for the Long Tieng Nua Groupe Scolaire.
- (9) The Sam Thong ENI was moved to the Dong Dek campus and 80 more students are enrolled.
- (10) In the field of Secondary Education, the Sam Thong Collège was relocated at Fa Ngum I, Vientiane, and 130 students are enrolled. Saravane and Attapeu Collèges were moved to the city of Pakse and 377 pupils are enrolled in two facilities.
- (11) Activity Plans are approved and in process for an additional 207,500 notebooks and 133,400 mathematics and geography textbooks for refugee school children.
- (12) An Activity Plan is approved to train 144 refugee teachers next summer. Another Activity Plan is in the approval process to train 30 military-refugee teachers in Houa Khong province.
- (13) Again there has been a problem in Xieng Khouang due to enemy activity which has necessitated the closing of most schools. A special program has been worked out

to give sixth grade children the opportunity to finish the sixth grade so that they will be eligible to take secondary school entrance examinations.

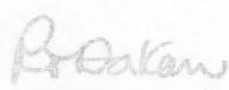
- (14) The Community Education Advisor/North is currently working on comprehensive plans to complete refugee schools. However, security, especially outside the Luang Prabang area, has suspended some of this work.
- (15) Recent large scale movement to the Borikane-Paksane area has necessitated increased input. New Activity Plans are now in the draft stage and will be implemented in the very near future as soon as permanent relocation sites are filled.

5. General Statistical Data

See Chart next page.

Clearance for Distribution:

  
Chief, Education Division

  
FOR MR. JOHN W. MACQUEEN  
AD/RA

EDU/CE:HA Fitzgerald:ei

DIST: AC/LP, AC/Pakse, AC/Svkt, CEA/LP, CEA/Pakse, CEA/Svkt,  
CEA/Refugees, AC/BHS, AC/Sayaboury, AC/Xieng Khouang,  
AC/Vientiane

REFUGEE EDUCATION STATISTICS FOR DRY SEASON REVIEW

|                                                              | TOTAL | VTE/North | VTE/South | Phone Hong | Ban Keun | Vang Vieng | Borikhane | LG Prabang | Ban Houei Sai | Sayaboury | Savannakhet | Khammouane | Pakse | Sithandone |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-----------|-----------|------------|----------|------------|-----------|------------|---------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-------|------------|
| School Age Refugee Children                                  |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 1,073       | 380        | 3,214 | 150 547    |
| Unstarted School Age Illiterate ( 70% )                      |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 775         | 265        | 2,250 | 100 227    |
| School Age Children Enrolled                                 |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 606         | 148        | 2,375 | 28 63      |
| Classrooms required Based on Projected Enroll. (33 per room) |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 24          | 9          | 72    | 1 3        |
| Existing Refugee Classes Completed                           |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 18          | 9          | 64    | 1 2        |
| Classes Completed in Use                                     |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 4           | 5          | 21    | 1 2        |
| Classes FY 72                                                |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 9           | 0          | 14    | 0 1        |
| Classes Completed                                            |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 14          | 2          | 6     | 0 0        |
| Classes in Process                                           |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 0           | 0          | 10    | 0 0        |
| Classes Proposed FY 72                                       |       |           |           |            |          |            |           |            |               |           | 0           | 2          | 13    | 0 0        |



| LOCATION                            | NUMBER OF STUDENTS |     |     |     |     |     |       | NO. OF TEACHERS |     |       | NO. OF CLASSROOMS |          |              |       | REMARKS |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----------------|-----|-------|-------------------|----------|--------------|-------|---------|
|                                     | P1                 | P2  | P3  | P4  | P5  | P6  | Total | CREC            | RLG | Total | Compl.            | In Proc. | Pro-<br>pose | Total |         |
| <u>Savannakhet:</u>                 |                    |     |     |     |     |     |       |                 |     |       |                   |          |              |       |         |
| Seno Relocation                     | 414                | 107 | 25  | 27  | -   | -   | 573   | 5               | 4   | 9     | 14                | -        | -            | 14*   |         |
| Seno Camp **                        | 50                 | -   | -   | -   | -   | -   | 50    | -               | -   | -     | -                 | 5        | -            | 5***  |         |
| Nong Kom **                         | 30                 | -   | -   | -   | -   | -   | 30    | -               | -   | -     | -                 | 4        | -            | 4***  |         |
| That Ing Hang**                     | 146                | -   | -   | -   | -   | -   | 146   | 3****           | -   | 3     | 4                 | -        | -            | 4***  |         |
| Kengkok                             | 12                 | 8   | 5   | 5   | 2   | 1   | 33    | -               | -   | -     | -                 | -        | -            | -     | X       |
| Khammouane:                         | 102                | 31  | 15  | -   | -   | -   | 148   | 7               | 2   | 9     | 7                 | -        | 2            | 9     |         |
| Pakse: (Sedone,<br>Attopeu & Barav) | 926                | 489 | 366 | 237 | 160 | 197 | 2,375 | 30              | 47  | 77    | 6                 | 10       | 13           | 29    |         |
| Wapikhamthong:                      | 66                 | 17  | -   | -   | -   | -   | 83    | 2               | -   | 2     | 2                 | -        | 1            | 3     |         |
| Sithandone:                         | 32                 | -   | -   | -   | -   | -   | 32    | 1               | -   | 1     | 1                 | -        | -            | 1***  |         |
| Total:                              | 1778               | 652 | 411 | 269 | 162 | 198 | 3,470 | 48              | 53  | 101   | 34                | 19       | 16           | 69    |         |

\* - There were five (5) empty classrooms. Need 6 more CREC Teachers to fill them up.

\*\* - Will move to the new location (Ban Thasano) soonest.

\*\*\* - Temporary classrooms. (Constructed by bamboo wood.)

\*\*\*\* - Trainees. (Application forms submitted to Vientiane by PSI/Savannakhet)

X - Being attended in the various Groupes Scolaires in Kengkok Area.

NOTE: By survey, there were 500 refugee children in school age awaiting for the classrooms.

PSI/Savannakhet:

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*info*  
October 16, 1971

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Vang Vieng Refugee Schools.

Ref. SSB 231020 Sept'71 from CDAA to EDU

The following items are the details of refugee schools in Vang Vieng area:

1. Actual refugee children enrolled now:

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|-----------------------|--------------------------------|----------|
|                       | 1. Koksai (TG-307-079)         | 40 pers. |
|                       | 2. Vieng Samai (TG-308-021)    | 76 "     |
| a) <u>Vang Vieng:</u> | 3. Phudinh Deng (TF-318-975)   | 68 "     |
|                       | 4. Namone (TF-399-865)         | 72 "     |
| b) <u>Kassy:</u>      | 1. Houei Phouane (TG-086-219)  | 25 pers. |
|                       | 2. Phakeng (TG-139-299)        | 38 "     |
| c) <u>Hinh Tid:</u>   | 1. Hinh Tid I, II (TF-202-684) | 447 "    |

2. Total existing refugee class-rooms ( temporary and permanent )

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|----------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| a) Vang Vieng: | 8 classrooms, | { 2 temporary and 6 permanents } |
| b) Kassy:      | 2 " "         | { temp }                         |
| c) Hinh Tid:   | 9 " "         | { temp }                         |

3. Temporary refugee classrooms completed and in use:

- |                |                              |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| a) Vang Vieng: | 2 classrooms in Phudinh Deng |
| b) Kassy :     | 2 " " at Phakeng             |
| c) Hinh Tid :  | 10 " "                       |

4. Temporary refugee schools proposed for FY- 1972

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|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| a) Kassy:    | 2 cls in Ban Houei Phouane        |
| b) Hinh Tid: | 2 cls. at new location (TF-24-73) |

5. Permanent refugee classrooms completed:

- |                |                       |
|----------------|-----------------------|
| a) Vang Vieng: | 1. Koksai 2 cls.      |
| b)             | 2. Vieng Samai 2 cls. |
|                | 3. Namone 2 cls.      |

6. Permanent refugee classrooms in process ( approved and now being constructed)

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|-------------|--------|
| 1. Namone   | 2 cls. |
| 2. Houei Mo | 1 cls. |

7. Permanent refugee classrooms proposed for 1972:

1. Kassy 2 classrooms at Ban Houei Phouane
2. Hinh Tid 8 classrooms

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# FACTS

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### COMMUNITY EDUCATION A Project of the USAID Mission to Laos

Although there were earlier USAID - assisted school development activities, 1962 marks the real beginning of community education as a project. USAID assistance to community education falls into four major categories ;

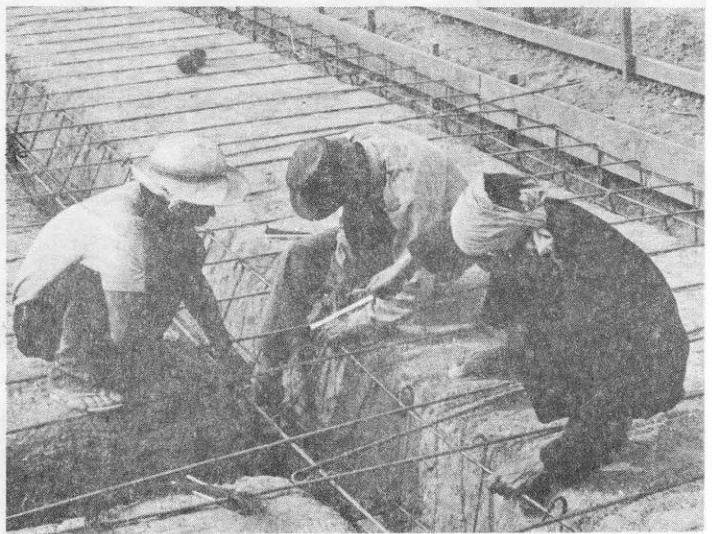
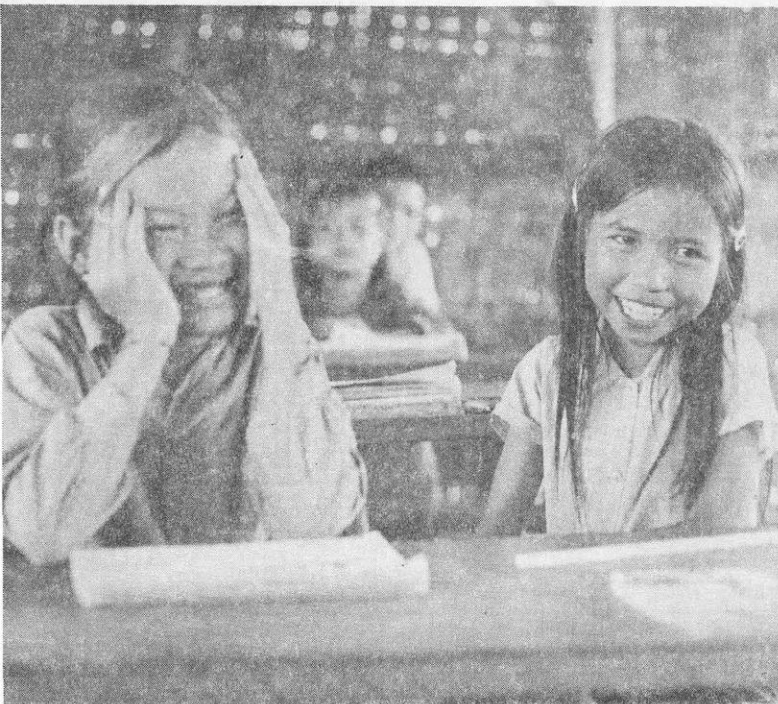
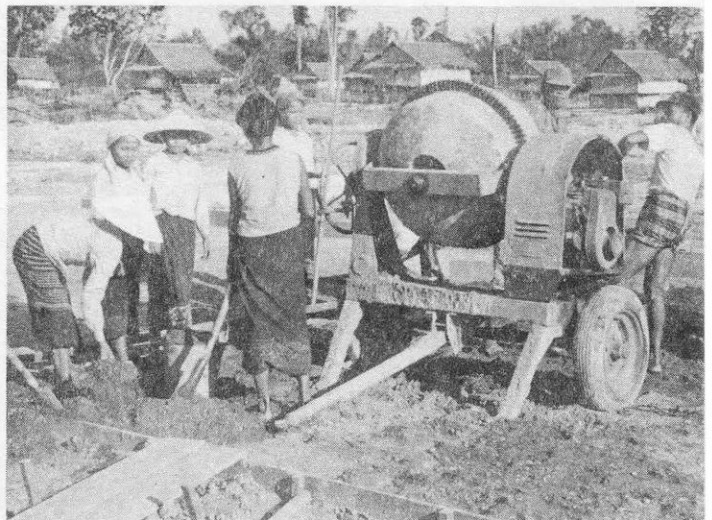
Construction of school facilities to permit an increase in elementary enrollment;

Revision of textbooks and curricula ;

Development of National and provincial administrative structure ;

Training of teachers and administrators.

School construction in rural Laos is largely a matter of self - help on the part of the village people who build the schools under the supervision of personnel assigned to the Royal Lao Government's Commission of Rural Affairs. The USAID projects, Rural Self Help and Refugee Relief and Rehabilitation as well as Community Education, contribute resources not locally available: e. g., cement or skilled workmen if necessary. The village people supply lumber, sand, and gravel.





During the past three years, the self-help method has been extended to urban elementary school construction; in these instances, the Ministry of Education contributes funds for lumber and for labor. Much of the initiative for self-help school construction comes from the 771 Parent-Teachers Associations whose members have also assumed responsibilities in school maintenance.

School construction under the community education project provides three kinds of facilities:

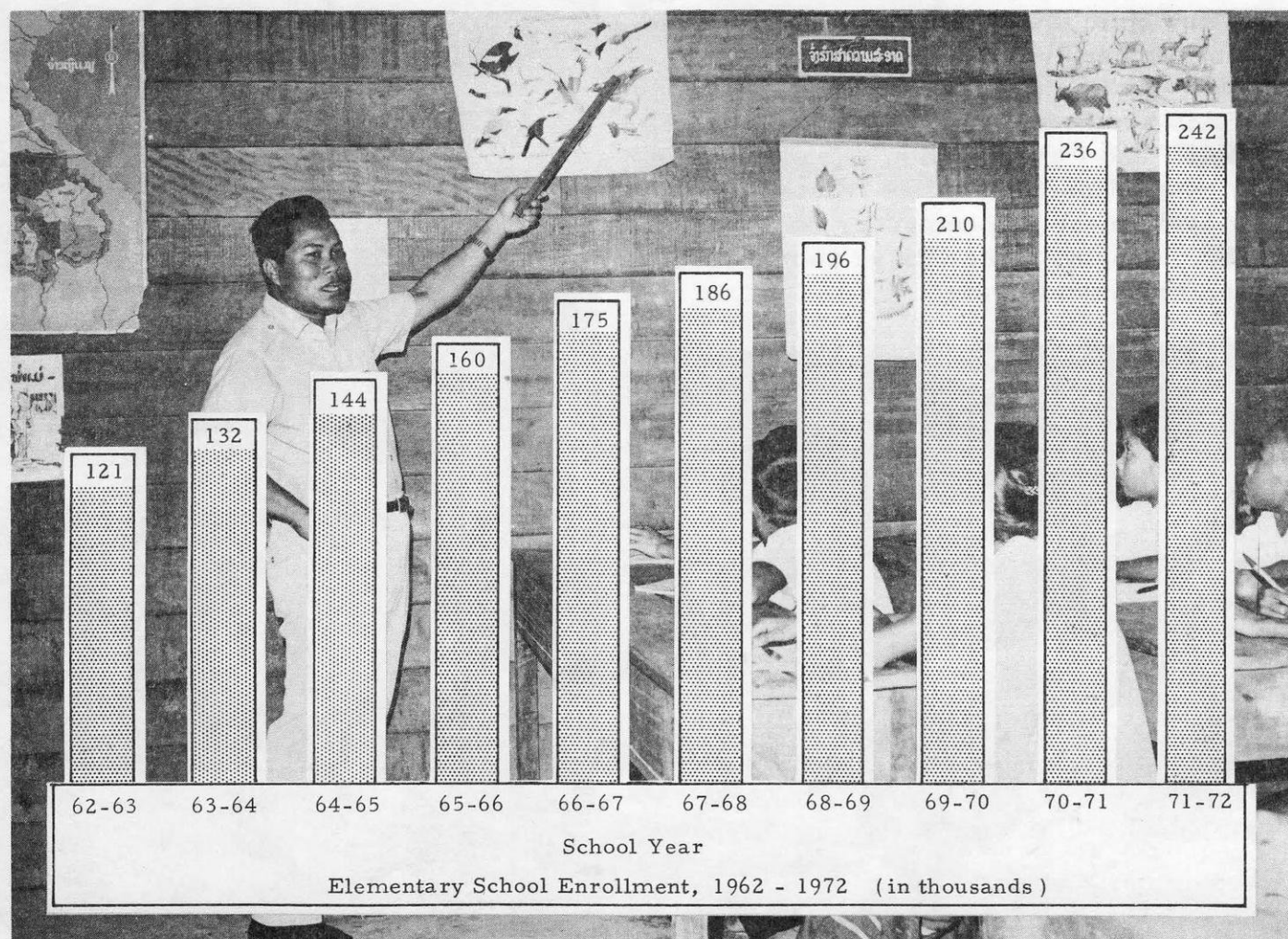
Groupe Scolaire, a six-year elementary school;

Demi - Groupe Scolaire, an elementary school with more than three grades but less than six grades;

Primary school, a village school, Grade 1 through Grade 3.

At present, there are over 6,000 elementary classrooms in Laos; of this number, 4,700 or 78 percent of the total, have been constructed with USAID assistance. Of the over 240,000 students enrolled in elementary schools, over 233,000 or 96 percent are enrolled in USAID-assisted schools. Of these totals, 1,192 classrooms have been constructed to provide educational facilities for the children of refugees; 37,517 refugee children are now enrolled in elementary school. As shown by the chart, elementary school enrollment has been increasing at an average rate of over 10,000 students a year.

Ministry of Education officials with USAID technical advice are revising the elementary school curriculum to conform to the provisions of the Education Reform Act of 1962. The Act stresses the need for practical training for economic and social im-



provement and the importance of community-oriented school activities and curricula. From Article 4,

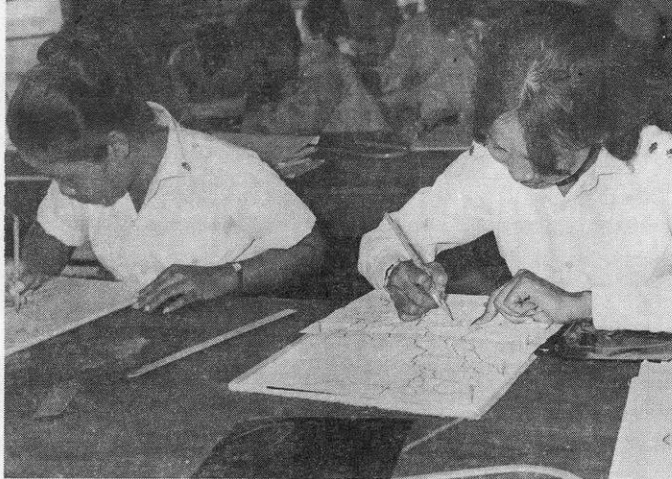
...the new program of the elementary school should de-emphasize purely academic knowledge and stress what the child should know to live better and work for a better output in his community.

At the elementary school level, subjects such as health and agriculture which are crucial to the needs of Laos will be emphasized. Since 1962, 2.5 million elementary textbooks (61 titles) have been printed and distributed.

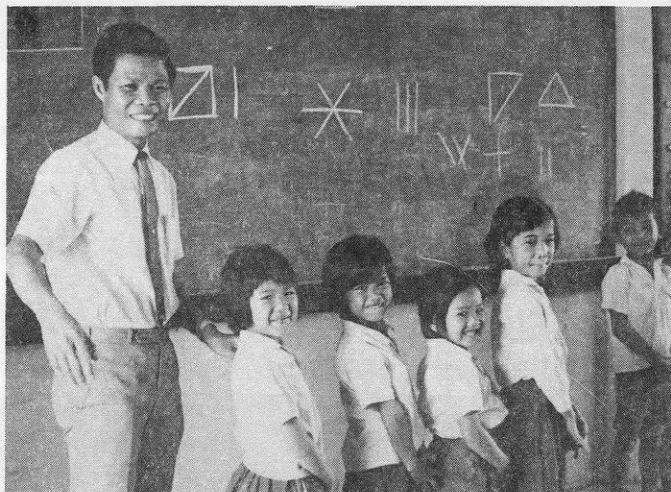
Because of the shortage of teachers at the beginning of the project, many teachers were assigned who lacked academic qualifications. Inservice training for teachers include courses designed to qualify them and, for those teachers already qualified, to instruct them in the new teaching techniques which revision of the curriculum has required. Under the participant training program, teachers are studying methods in testing and guidance and curriculum development in science, mathematics, crafts, home economics, and agriculture. Ministry of Education administrative staff receive inservice training in school administration, budgeting and fiscal procedures, requisition and distribution of supplies, and school maintenance. In developing the national and provincial administrative structure, 19 offices and warehouses for provincial school inspectors and one central warehouse for school supplies have been constructed with USAID assistance.

USAID funding of the community education project, FY 1962 through FY 1972 totals \$3,053,000; FY 1973 funding is estimated at \$352,000. These funds cover the costs of U.S. personnel assigned as advisors to the project, participant training, and for commodities.

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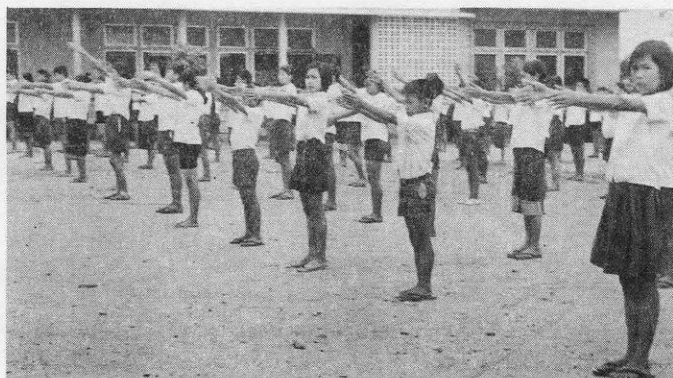
Inservice training for teachers.



An urban elementary school.



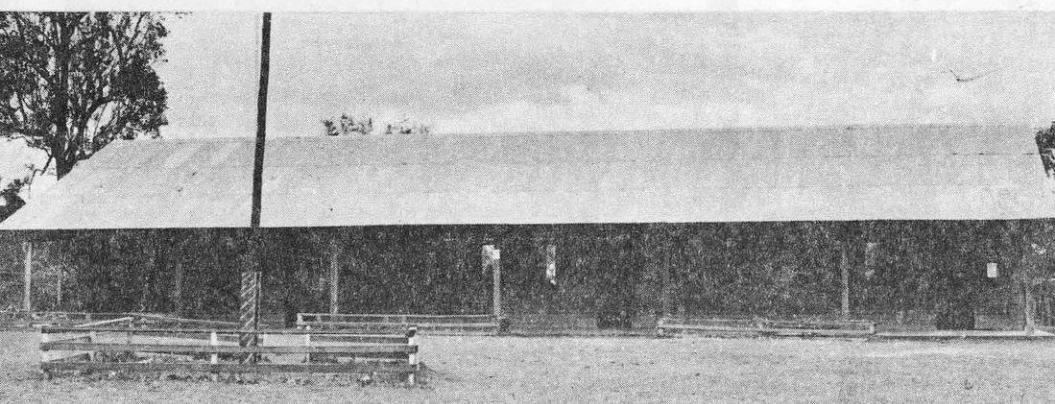
Children of rural school (above) and calisthenics at urban school (below).



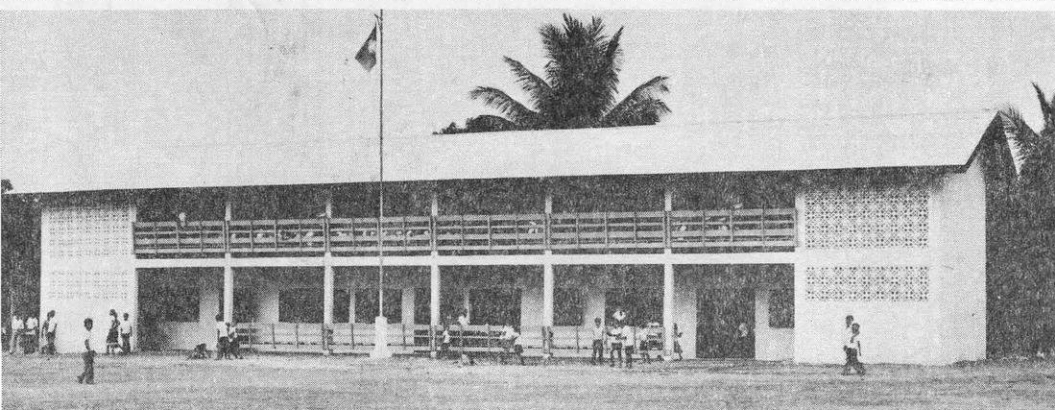




Refugee school at Ban Hin Thid in northcentral Laos where the children of refugees from Xieng Khouang Province attend classes.



A typical rural elementary school built by villagers with USAID assistance.



Urban self-help school in Vientiane, built by the government, the local people and USAID.



An urban Groupe Scolaire in Vientiane, built by a contractor with USAID funding.