

Dec. 30th

Dear Larry,

I hope it's not too late to include this information in the Khas Lao.

George Dally has compiled an incredible collection of SE Asia books. The catalog is 159 pages and checked full of interesting reading material, non-fiction and fiction. I'm sure your readers would be interested and some might even remember him for AIO, Laos 1962-65. He's hoping to return in the near future.

Another item of interest concerns Ambassador Godley's

death in November at his farm
in Morris, N.Y. He died peace-
fully in his favorite chair,
having returned from a short
trip to New York City. There
will be a memorial tribute to
him at The Chevy Chase Club,
Chevy Chase M.D., on Feb. 18th
at 4:30. Friends and colleagues
are welcome.

Happy New Year,
Betty and Broderus
Bailey

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