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Log of the S. S. Fellowship

October 15, 1979

There is much news to report this month in the Log! First we should mention some new nominees to the Crew.

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Lou Raskin wrote in to nominate John E. Comes, 208 East Main, Mulvane, KS 67110. John served the Jaycee organization as a Kansas State Vice President (1969) and U.S. Jaycee National Director (1970), Southeastern Kansas, He also served as State Chairman for Project Concern and International Relations. Another nomination comes from Ray Noxsel, who asks that we take on board Congressman Wayne Grisham, 512 Cannon, House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515. was from the Lakewood Jaycees and served as a State and National officer.

The 10 Crew members in the Wednesday morning fellowship in Washington, DC, jointly propose 2 outstanding men for the Crew of the S. S. Fellowship - Louis Kramp and Tom Cantrell. Louie was active in Jaycees in the 50's and early 60's and is the winner of many Jaycee awards and recognitions. Since he has remained a friend of the Jaycees in the intervening years, many Crew members know him personally. Tom Cantrell, who is associated with Louie, was on the staff in Tulsa. You may also remember that he was on our Crew Reunion program earlier this year. Both have the same mailing address which is: Louis C. Kramp & Associates, 1919 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 301, Washington, D.C. 20006.

Bob Lindholm wrote to return two "lost" mates to our mailing list. Herb Conyers, a former staff officer at the national headquarters, is now Vice President for Retail Operations at Safelite Industries, Inc. His address is 801 South Wichita, Wichita, KS 67213. Also, Deloss Walker, a past President of the Arkansas Jaycees and National Chaplain 1965-66, was dropped from the mailing list years ago. in the advertising and public relations business in Memphis, Deloss promises to attend the Crew Meeting in Tulsa next April, and looks forward to seeing a lot of his old Jaycee friends again. His address Deloss Walker, President, Walker & Associates, Inc., 2506 Nonconnah Blvd., Memphis, TN 38132.

We also have some changes of address to report. Fred Driver's new address is: c/o Driver Associates, Inc., 75 S.W. 8th Street. Suite 303, Miami, FL 33130. CBill Allman is now at 6411 Hayes Street, Merrillville, IN 46410. Dick Frey wrote to tell us of his new address: Route 1, Box 172 A, Crystal Springs Road, Bellaire, MI 49615 as did Walter Creitz, who is now at 830 Berkshire Drive, Reading, PA 19601 We also have a change of address for Fred Kegelmeyer which is 825 Orchid Drive, Plantation, FL 33317

Johnny Holland reports a reunion with Jim Cashman and his wife, Mary, when they docked at Vicksburg, Mississippi aboard the Riverboat, Mississippi Queen. Jim was given the key to the city, made an honorary citizen and a colonel on the Governor's staff. After touring some beautiful antebellum homes, Jim suggested he buy one for Mike Milder and George Pagonis and make genuine rebels out of them, providing Mike wouldn't join the Klan.

Dick Thomas, St. Joseph, Missouri, National Vice President 1962-63 and JCI Vice President 1965, reports on recent visits with Wayne Matlock, Doug Blankenship and Johnny Davis. Dick says he and his wife also plan a visit soon with Dan Stewart and his wife, Betsy, in Lexingotn, Kentucky. Wayne, Doug, Johnny, Dan and Dick were all on the 1962-63 USJC National Executive Committee.

Doug Hoge reports that Larry Moles was a speaker at a recent Cincinnati Rotary Club meeting. As you know, Larry is a past National Vice President. Also present at the meeting was Crew member John K. Jones and local chapter president Mark Wyllie. It seems they took advantage of the situation and plugged the Jaycees. Good work, boys!

We congratulate Jim O'Connell, charter president of the U.S. JCI Senate, on achieving the Crusade Goal for the American Cancer Society, Will County Unit. Jim was 1979 Crusade chairman and helped to raise the \$64,500 goal, which was 12 per cent higher than the previous year.

- J.D. (Jack) Myers, one of the founders of the Junior Chamber of Commerce in St. Louis back in 1920, has been honored by his Springfield, Illinois, Masonic Lodge with a 50-year pin to mark his half century as a Master Mason.
- J.L. McMullen was honored recently for his many years of service to the Florida S Weriffs Boys Ranch, Girls Villa and Youth Ranch. J.L. has served for 20 years as treasurer of the Boys Ranch, and he's been a member of the board of trustees of the Boys Ranch, Girls Villa and Youth Ranch.

William Suttle, past National President 1966-67, and formerly vice president-government affairs for the Southeast region of the American Insurance Association, has been appointed vice president-federal affairs in the Washington, DC offices. Some of you may know that Bill underwent surgery in late August, and is recouperating rapidly at home. He was to begin his new duties in Washington on or about October 1. Bill will retain his current residence in Atlanta at least until the end of this year before moving to the D.C. area.

Frank Foster wrote in to inform us of the death of one of our mates. Leroy Merritt, former president of the Delray (Florida) Jaycees and a former state vice president and national director, died September 3rd of Hodgkins Disease. He had been ill for the past two years.

We also regret to inform you of the passing of <u>William V. Langfitt, Sr.</u> He died July 28th from injuries sustained in an automobile accident on November 16, 1978.

We wish to thank Robert E. Cook for providing us with the letterhead we are using for this month's Log. Also we wish to recognize D.J. Noble, who sent in some letterhead which will be used for a later edition of the Log. If you would like to contribute some letterhead, please send 1,000 sheets to The U.S. Jaycees Foundation, P.O. Box 7, Tulsa, OK 74121.

We are also grateful to the following people who sent in contributions for the printing and mailing of the Log: Kenny Kent, \$100; Francis H. Lang, \$25; Dick Fitzgerald, \$25 and Marmaduke Corbyn, Jr., \$25. Remember, if you wish to contribute for the printing and mailing of the Log, your donation is tax deductible!

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In the October 15, 1973, Log, John Armbruster wrote, "In the Many years I have been editing this little paper I've had a profound respect for the mates of the Crew, the Jaycees and the Jaycee Creed by which they live. Truly of them it must be said they exemplify the same conviction that George Bernard Shaw expressed in these words:

'Life is no brief candle to me. It is a sort of splendid torch which I have got hold of for the moment and I want to make it burn as brightly as possible before handing it on to future generations.'"

The Keeper of the Log