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It seems that the Crew of the S.S. Fellowship is not the only "Crew" around. Zip Zipperer reports that the South Carolina MiniCREW got under way last February. They plan to meet again in Columbia on February 23-24, 1980. Zip also asks us to bring on board Nathan Pridgen, who served as National Director in 1970-71 and is still active in South Carolina Jaycee activities. Nathan's address is Davis Roofing Co., P.O. Box 1908, Florence, ✓
South Carolina 29501.

We have received more nominees for the Crew. George Pagonis asks us to take on board ✓
Walter L. Wahlen, Director of College Relations, Rider College, Lawrenceville, New Jersey. Walt, during his Jaycee years, was a leader with the Trenton Jaycees. He served as a state officer and was responsible for many extensions at that time. Don Varnadore, Executive Vice President of The U.S. Jaycees asks that we take on board John Van Gorder, ✓
30 Woods Avenue, Bergenfield, New Jersey 07621; and Rick Mazola asks that we add Arthur Oswald, 2210 Huckleberry, Pasadena, Texas 77502. We send a hearty welcome to these new mates. ✓

This month's letterhead comes from Fred Sutton, Sutton Insurance Company. Many thanks to Fred! Please be reminded that contributions of 1,000 sheets of letterhead are always welcome to keep the Log going. Just send your letterhead to The U.S. Jaycees Foundations office, P.O. Box 7, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74121.

Monetary contributions streamed in this month from Zip Zipperer, John Ben Shepperd, R.H. Sessions, Robert Ewing and Moton Crockett. These contributions are deeply appreciated; and remember, any contribution made to The U.S. Jaycees Foundation is tax deductible.

Moton Crockett also wrote to tell us that he and his wife, Martha, visited with Howdy Reynolds in Honolulu during the month of March. Through Howdy, the Crocketts were able to get a one bedroom apartment for a week for just a little more than it would have cost to stay in one of the big hotels for just one night. Howdy's right when he says, "Our Jaycee friends are really great."

Jeff Davis, NVP in 1959-60, and a past World Vice President, marked the 20th anniversary of his term as State President of Georgia by attending their State Convention recently at Jekyll Island. He reports that several old-timers and Crew members were on hand. Jeff also asks that we take on board Ray M. Baskette, 2203 Winding Woods Drive, Tucker, Georgia ✓
30084. Ray has served many years in the Georgia Jaycees and has just completed his term as Commander of the Georgia Rebel Corps.

William M. Shepherd, past National President, 1942-43, has just had published his book, The Seven Honor Men. The book tells the history of Scottish rite masonry in Arkansas, We wish the best of success to Bill.

We were saddened to hear about the death of Vivian Humason following a lengthy illness. Our heartfelt condolences go out to Sherman, a long-time Crew member.

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The following news item was sent to us by Bob Mulhair, Sr., Sioux Falls, South Dakota: Robert Atkins was honored by Sioux Falls College with the Dr. A.O. Larsen Distinguished Alumni Award for 1979. The award is presented to outstanding distinguished alumni of the college. Congratulations Bob!

The Annual Report on Science Management Corporation has come out recently, with what looks like another good year for its President, James Skidmore, past National President, 1965-66.

There seems to be some confusion as to the correct address of our oldest living past National President, General Condon. It is: Major General Robert Condon, 225 Central Drive, Briar Cliff Manor, New York 10510. General Condon was with us at our Crew meeting in Washington, and I'm sure many of you will want to continue to correspond with this great man.

The U.S. Jaycees Foundation has recently selected its Million Dollar Campaign Steering Committee. The members of the committee are: Winfield Cook, Chairman; Bob Hogg, Ray Noxsel, Bruce Palmer, Rozwell Rosengren and Allen Whitfield.

The Foundation also announces the selection of its Chairman for the 1979-80 year, Chuck Shearer. A past National President for The U.S. Jaycees, we all know that Chuck will do a fine job. His term will begin July 1.

Bob Lindholm, who has served as Chairman of the Board for the past two years will be stepping down from those duties June 30, but will return to the Board for one more year to serve as an ex-officio member.

Several Logs were returned after last month's mailing. If you know the correct address of any of those listed below, please let the Foundation office know, so that these Crew members can continue to receive their Logs. Robert G. Fry, Oklahoma; Gerald Moore, Minnesota; Walt Szczerban, Delaware; W.V. Longfitt, West Virginia; C. Lem Harper, South Carolina and Burton Kruglick, Arizona.

We want to read news of what you and your family are doing . . . or if you know news of other members of the Crew of the S.S. Fellowship, please let us hear!

Remember - any contributions you make to help with the postage and printing costs of The Log of the S.S. Fellowship are tax deductible. Thank you!

We close this month's Log with a remark made by W. Somerset Maughan that was quoted by John Armbruster in the August, 1973 Log:

"The common idea that success spoils people by making them vain, egotistical and self-complacent is erroneous; on the contrary, it makes them, for the most part, humble, tolerant, and kind. Failure makes people bitter and cruel."