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**R.W. "DICK"
WILSON**
L- 51796

MEMO FROM THE SNARK

This will be my last report to the membership before the Convention in Washington, D.C. in September. Having been elected and traveled as your Snark has been a rewarding experience for me. I only wish every member of Hoo-Hoo could be the Snark for even a short time.

I have traveled the North American Continent from Ft. Myers, Florida to Victoria, Canada, from Toronto to San Diego, California, from Portland, Maine to Oakland and Sacramento, California and many of these thousands of miles Fran has traveled with me visiting Hoo-Hoo clubs all across North America. I cannot bid you farewell as your Snark without thanking so many of the outstanding clubs that made my travels so pleasant. There are so many people and clubs, Hoo-Hoo members of the First Kind that I must thank for their hospitality and their tireless effort to make our Fraternity the greatest. The Tacoma Olympia was the first club I visited after being installed as your Snark, but then there was the Humbolt Club in Black Bart, Central New

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Mexico where the hospitality was great and the Shasta Cascade Club where we had a great concat and also the Florida clubs where we held concat at Ft. Myers, Tampa Bay, Miami and great meetings in Orlando and a re-activated club at Jacksonville. The hospitality of the Hampton Roads Club is outstanding and the food is great, the concat one of the best. The newly activated clubs in St. Louis and Tulsa and the now active Chicago Club. The concat at the Nutmeg Club and Western Mass No. 59 and you must never miss the concat in Boston and the clam bake at the Granite State Club which was held this year in Durham, N.H., and the Portland, Maine Club is now in good hands and we had a good time there. The Roger Williams Club, what a great bunch they are, and the Washington, D.C. concat. My own club in Atlanta, where we have the finest people in the world.

The people in Sioux Falls who are members of the Sioux Valley Club made me feel at home and a few I met in Billings, Montana who plan to help get it going again and what a great bunch at Spokane with many members from the North Idaho Club in attendance. The Juris three Mini-Conference at Port Ludlow with the members from Seattle No. 34 in charge, what a great place to visit. The Willamette Valley Club trap shoot, every Snark should visit and enjoy that event. The Sacramento Club, what a great time at their auction. The Oakland Club No. 39 concat and the San Diego No. 3 where we had a great Las Vegas night. Every Snark must visit the Detroit Hoo-Hoo Club Christmas party, what a great group of fellows they have. The Toronto old timers night was a great success and this Snark enjoyed himself there. The Chicago meeting to activate that club, and if you have never been to Klamath Falls you have to visit the Winema Club, what a nice group of people they have, and by all means you should never miss the Hoo-Hoo Club in Gurdon, Arkansas where the whole board attended their concat.

There are so many people that Fran and I are grateful to that it is difficult to name them all. Phil & Sylvia Cocks, Ted & Jeanette Anderson, Jim & Betty Jones, Dan & Elouise Brown and other people who have chauffeured me about, great Hoo-Hoo members of the first kind like Bob Hayes, Wayne Raney, Ted Anderson, Gordon Graham, Keith Waddell and Bill Bader, Lee Roberts and Joe Kuczynski, Gregg Sweeter and Joe Bock, Jim Jones and Ken Hallgren, George Mueth and Phil Cocks who drove me over 1600 miles, and Peter Steer and Roscoe Divine and Bill Harley of the Central New Mexico Club. All of this and just think, I have two more months to go before I hope to see all of you in Washington.

Fraternally yours,

R.W. "Dick" Wilson L 51796
Snark of the Universe

THE VICE PRESIDENT'S PAGE



**CARLE
H.C.
HALL**
L-57737
1st Vice-President

March 1984 found me in Houston visiting their monthly meeting. As always it was a great meeting. Great fellowship, fantastic meal and as always just a great time.

Early April I visited the office in Gurdon. Planted trees to replace those that had not weathered the winter. Made some repairs on doors and plumbing. April 10th found many of us at International level and visitors from the Tulsa Club helping to reactivate the Oklahoma City Club. A great big thanks to Lurn Champ and Bob Johns for their help in getting this great club going again. It was great fellowship and certainly a very worthwhile evening. Without a doubt the first 9 months of the 1983-84 Hoo-Hoo season has been the greatest — with 3 reactivations, many great concat, many re-ups and just a good feeling abounds.

May found me in Port Ludlow, Washington for the JIII Mine Convention. A tremendously, well organized 3 days. Met many Hoo-Hoo brothers — great fellowship — and left with good feelings for our Order. Repacked the auto and was on my way to a golf outing with my home club in Des Moines. Then it was on our way to Detroit, to be a part of the celebration of the 60th anniversary of the Detroit Club. Jim Jones, Ken Hallgren, George Olsen, Tom Partridge and myself were in attendance. The Detroit Club put

The State of Oklahoma never struck me as being great timber country. However, within three months I attended two of the best concat and reactivation meetings I have ever attended in my twenty-some years of Hoo-Hoo. The latest one being the Oklahoma City Club.

I guess the rest of us throughout the world can no longer use the excuse that we don't have enough wood-oriented businesses to support a Hoo-Hoo club. In Oklahoma, they don't even build the oil derricks out of wood any longer! Although Oklahoma is a beautiful country they don't have a great abundance of harvestable timber and, yet, they now have a couple of the best clubs in all of Hoo-Hoo!

We need to give a special thanks to the Mid-America Lumbermen Association, their members, leaders, and most especially Rameses No. 70, Lurn R. Champ, for all their help in reactivating clubs in the heart of America. I guess it proves that the rest of us should get busy with the lumber association in our areas and the same things could happen for us.

It has been really great this past year to see so many of the International Officers as well as club members attending concat all over the country. You just have to know that Hoo-Hoo is on the move and good things are happening.

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together a great party, many of the original members were there. The Van Evers and Gordons put together an impromptu evening on Wednesday evening, a magnificent meal and just a great evening. Thanks to the both of you.

Gordon Graham spent many hours in research and searching out pictures and all types of memorabilia to make this occasion a success. The materials lined the walls and tables around the room. A lot of fond memories were relived. Thanks Gordon for doing such a superb job in putting this all together.

June 13 found me visiting the Omaha Club for their annual Golf Outing — a beautiful day but very wet underfoot. The evening was well attended, great food and fellowship. Thanks fellows.

July — At this writing I hope to be with the Southern Minnesota Club for an outing.

August — Hoping to schedule two outings for August. The first being with the Sioux Falls Club, an annual golf outing, trap shoot and a wonderful steak fry. It is my understanding that Snark Wilson will be in attendance. Then later in August I am hoping to visit the Twin City Club annual golf outing and evening of fellowship.

Then late August will find me packing bags and then on to Washington for the great International Convention. I am sure that the Washington Club will not be outdone. Thanks gang for getting the 92nd Annual Convention put together to its fullest.

HEALTH, HAPPINESS AND LONG LIFE.

Until later,

Carle H. C. Hall

AL MEIER

71555

2nd Vice-President



On May 11, I attended the J-III Mini Convention at Pt. Ludlow, Washington hosted by the Seattle Club 34, namely, one Randy Bailey, doing a superb job. I believe it to be one of the best mini conventions ever held and so well attended. We had many visitors from various jurisdictions; Snark of the Universe, Dick Wilson, 1st VP Carle Hall, S9-J6 Jack Jacobson, S9-J9 Phil Cocks, Rameses No. 72, Jim Jones and our own pride and glory S9-J3 Darrell Pardee.

Looking forward to seeing everyone again at the convention in Washington in September. Wishing you all Health, Happiness and Long Life!

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Rameses invited
- 11:59 AM Registration Booth opens
Hospitality Room opens
- 4:29 PM Registration Booth closes
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- 5:29 PM Ben Springer Supreme Toth Icebreaker Party
- 6:59 PM Evening free
Chairman for the day — Greg Schumacher

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1984

- 7:59 AM Registration Booth opens
Hospitality Room opens
- 8:29 AM General business session
Presentation of colors of all Hoo-Hoo nations
Invocation
Welcome
Greetings from Host Club — Greg Schumacher,
President
Introduction of Snark — Hal Miller, Co-
Chairman
Officers' Reports
- 9:29 AM Hospitality Room closes
- 9:59 AM Morning Break
- 10:09 AM General Business continues
Officers' Reports
Supreme Nine Reports
- 11:29 AM Cocktails
- 11:59 AM Luncheon
- 1:29 PM Registration Booth closes
General Business Session continues
Supreme Nine Reports
Committee Appointments
Nominations for Officers and Directors
- 3:19 PM Adjourn
- 3:59 PM Busses leave for Annapolis, Kent Island — Crab,
Chicken and Beer Feast
- 11:59 PM Busses return
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1985 Host
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Jurisdictional Caucuses and Committee
Meetings may be scheduled this
afternoon and evening.
Chairman for the day — Greg Schumacher

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1984

- 7:59 AM Registration Booth opens
Hospitality Room opens
- 8:29 AM General Business session
Presentations for Wood Promotion Trophy
Discussion of Operations Manual
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- 10:59 AM Hospitality Room closes
- 11:29 AM Cocktails with Wives
- 11:59 AM Joint Luncheon with Wives
Speaker — Jim Boren, National Association of
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- 1:39 PM General Business Session continues
Committee Reports
Election of Officers and Directors
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- 2:59 PM Concat — Members in good standing only
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REMEMBER WOOD PROMOTION

July 5, 1984

International Officers and Directors
All Convention Delegates, Club
Officers and Directors and Members

Re: Wood Promotion Trophy

As you all know, it's time once again to nominate individual clubs for the honor of receiving the distinguished Wood Promotion trophy. If you would like to nominate a club for the award, please mail the letter of nomination to me at the headquarters in Gurdon. I will carry a list of nominees to the covention in September.

Let's all work to promote participation among our clubs for the coveted Wood Promotion trophy this year.

Fraternally,
Billy W. Tarpley
Executive Secretary
Hoo-Hoo International

Rules Governing Club Trophy

1.) The club may submit evidence covering all wood promotion projects adopted by the club, including National Forest Products Week.

2.) The entrant club will make its presentation to the judges and the convention. Tangible evidence of the project(s) must be submitted by the club delegate, who must be conversant with the project from start to finish as he may be interviewed by the judges. This evidence may consist of newspaper clippings, photos, scrap books, samples, or display material. A slide projector will be available.

3.) Each participating club must submit a written outline of the wood promotion project(s) to contain the following: (a) a description of the project(s); (b) State the goal of the project(s); (c) Tell of the method of operation; (d) Specify the relative proportion of financial and/or manpower support from cooperating organizations; and (e) Statement of the results.

4.) **DO NOT SEND CLUB CONTEST MATERIALS TO THE INTERNATIONAL HOO-HOO OFFICE.** The Club delegate is



responsible for all contest materials, and for providing the Log & Tally with a complete story for publication. The delegate may ship the materials, addressed to himself, in care of the convention hotel, marked "hold for arrival on September ____, 19__."

5.) Decision of the judges will be final. A club is eligible to be awarded the trophy in two or more consecutive years. In the absence of an acceptable club presentation, at the discretion of the judges the trophy may be retained in the International Headquarters for one year. In addition to the trophy, certificates will be presented to the clubs placing first, second and third. No judge shall be appointed who is a member of a club making a competitive presentation.

6.) Hoo-Hoo clubs wishing to make a presentation for the trophy are requested to advise the International Office by letter prior to August 20th of each year.

7.) Each of the following facets of the wood promotion project shall be rated by each judge, independently of the others, on a scale of 1 thru 10 for letters G and D and 1 thru 5 for letters A, B, E, & F, 10 being the best.

- A—Accomplishment based on size of club.
- B—Involvement of members.
- C—Immediate effect on the community.
- D—Lasting effect on the community.
- E—Written presentation.
- F—Oral presentation.

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SUPREME NINE REPORTS

Jurisdiction I

This has been an exciting three months in Jurisdiction I with many activities and capped with the Snark's visit. Snark, Dick Wilson, arrived June 4th for the annual Harold Littlefield Clambake, sponsored by the Granite State Club. This was followed by visits to Portland, Maine, Boston, Massachusetts, and Rhode Island Clubs. Time was also spent viewing the excellent collection forest and lumber related memorabilia of Walter Biss, of Biss Lumber Company. Many thanks to all the members who helped contribute to the success of his visit.

In addition, the Harry Folsom and Granite State Clubs held old-timer nights during May that were well represented by our senior Hoo-Hoo members.

I also attended meetings in Hartford, Philadelphia, and Long Island. It is particularly pleasing to see all the Hoo-Hoo activity through the area and the renewed interest by new and old alike in joining the oldest industrial fraternity in the world!

This issue should hit the stands as we prepare for our 92nd annual convention, hosted by Washington, D.C. Club. As plans shape up, it promises to be a very exciting convention. I urge as many of you from Jurisdiction I to attend, to help further the aims and goals of Hoo-Hoo. Generally, I would like to personally thank Pete Scherer of

Walt Whitman Club for his herculean effort to garner advertising for this issue. Thanks to you and to all who helped make it a success.

Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Fraternally,

JOE KUCZYNSKI

Jurisdiction II

Since I last wrote about our Jurisdiction II, many good things have happened. I also am sorry for a few disappointments, both on jurisdiction and the international level. Good news first.

I went over to Saginaw Valley Club 246 in Michigan for a concat on April 19th. It was a very good meeting and they concat 10, 9 of their own, one for Detroit. I got to meet and enjoy the officers and many members. I went to Detroit on April 18th first as they had a meeting, then seven of Detroit members and I went up to attend Saginaw's meeting. It was worked out so I could go to Rochester Club 184 in New York on Friday the 19th. Bob VanEvery and I were going to go together. However Rochester could not muster up enough to make their Monte Carlo night pay off in the

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black. Our own Northern Illinois Club 139 had to cancel their Bowling Fun Night also in May because of too few reservations. This is getting too bad that many members lack enthusiasm to make these events a success.

Your Snark Dick Wilson and I then went up to Toronto, Canada for an "Old Timers" night on April 30th. Dick Wilson also attended a Chicago 29 "Come Alive" meeting to help reorganize that club in Illinois the week before on April 25th. Toronto had a very good turnout and many past presidents and old retired members came. The Chicago meeting was lively but not very well attended.

I hope to have the Chicago Club 29 going before the convention. We have another meeting to have a concat on September 6th. Also installation for officers. We have some good tentative officers to be nominated by the Vice-Gerent Snark Joe Romano, Jr., 83527. I. K. "Kelly" Melfi, 77191, who will be up for president, was a former president in the 70's. Chicago has now 15 paid up members and we hope it will be at least 30 or 40 to start with.

Ben Springer Club 28 of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has been going strong. They had a torsh (fish) dinner April 11th. It was very well attended and Ed Foley, 77480, was again chairman and did a super job. John and Julie Gruse helped. They are planning a baseball event on June 26th. Also golf in July, so they are really getting together.

Detroit had their 60th birthday on May 24th, this was a super event. Carle Hall, myself, also from the Minneapolis Club, Jurisdiction VIII, Representative George Olsen and Rameses Tom Partridge came. Also Rameses Jimmy Jones from California was there. Gordon Graham put on the big show and also entertained us at his house that day. It was a terrific book he had published, gathered the information, and put together. They also had some old timers who knew about the club in the 20's and through the years. It was a super job, congratulations Detroit and thanks Gordon for a job well done.

The disappointing part of the news is the lack of participation of the members of many of these clubs. I know that other jurisdictions have attendance problems but it seems worse in the midwest. I know the economy has been hit real hard here, but the Hoo-Hoo effort takes members the poorest excuses not to attend. The other event that has hurt our international is working together as we should. However with a new executive secretary, maybe we will get back in high gear and really roll.

Hope many of you attend the Washington convention in September. It should be a fun affair. Our Capitol and lots

of history besides a good time.

Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Kenneth R. "Ken" Hallgren
Jurisdiction II Representative

Jurisdiction III

J-III is alive and well! Since the beginning of the year I've had the pleasure of visiting many of our clubs in J-III, and had the distinct pleasure of traveling to Gurdon, Arkansas for the Board of Directors meeting in January.

February 8 found me in Chehalis, Washington for a very good meeting with the Mount St. Helen's Hoo-Hoo Club 259. It was a pleasure to visit my friends in that club and several from the Tacoma Olympia Club 89 in Tacoma who attended the meeting. I was in Eugene, Oregon, March 29 for a well-attended concat at Willamette Club 33 in which nine people were initiated, and later attended a three-club meeting April 13-14 at Klamath Falls, Oregon with the Winema Club 216, Rogue Valley Club 94 and Goose Lake Club 258.

My home Portland Club 47 is having regular meetings and everything is going great. We had very good responses to our golf tourney July 13th and our Mother's Day weekend in May.

The highlight of May, of course, was the mini-convention held at Port Ludlow, Washington in which several international Hoo-Hoo officers participated. We were so pleased and honored to have the Snark of the Universe Dick Wilson attend, along with 1st VP Carle Hall and 2nd VP Al Meier. Rameses 72, Jimmy Jones was present for the event as was Rameses 74, Dan Brown. Supreme Nine Phil Cocks of J-IX and his wife Sylvia traveled cross-country to be with us, and another S9, Jack Jacobson of J-V, and his wife Norma came down from Vancouver to join the fun and work. A fantastic 53 couples attended the mini-convention and made it a big success. Shortly after the convention I returned to Klamath Falls to spend some time with Dan Brown.

Through my travels in our jurisdiction, I am pleased to report that J-III is well and healthy. So until I see you in Washington . . .

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Fraternally,

Darrell Pardee, S9, J-III

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Jurisdiction IV

This is the last opportunity I have to talk to you through the columns of our journal Log & Tally before the end of my term of office and that of the current J IV Board of Directors that has backed me so enthusiastically.

***VISITS TO J IV CLUBS** — Further to visits recorded in the last edition, I have been able to attend meetings of ADELAIDE HOO-HOO CLUB 212, BRISBANE HOO-HOO CLUB 218, NORTHWEST NSW HOO-HOO CLUB 241, NEWCASTLE TIMBER INDUSTRY CLUB 237, HOBART HOO-HOO CLUB 235, NORTHEAST VICTORIA HOO-HOO CLUB 236 and GIPPSLAND HOO-HOO CLUB 257. During my visit to Adelaide, I was very pleased to be part of their efforts on Timber Week and World Forestry Day. A small delegation was received at the Town Hall by the Lord Mayor of Adelaide and the Minister for Forests opened the Hoo-Hoo kiosk in the Rundle Mall where seedlings were sold by Club members to the citizens of Adelaide during all of that week. In Grafton, a very successful World Forestry Day dinner was held with appropriate speakers. In Brisbane, the Timber Week Dinner and the inauguration of the Queensland Timber Industry Innovation Awards was an outstanding success. The Club meetings at Newcastle, Hobart, Northeast Victoria and Gippsland were all conducted in a general atmosphere of friendliness, fraternalism and cooperation as good as I have experienced anywhere.

***J IV EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING** — On the Queen's Birthday long weekend, the Executive of J IV held a meeting in Sydney. Apart from myself, 1st Vice President WORRALL McCARTHY and 2nd Vice President BOB FROST who comprise the Executive, we were also fortunate to have the attendance and contribution of Past J IV Presidents MAX O'RIELLY and DICK CAMPBELL and NSW Vicegerent Snark TONY HOBSON. Local arrangements and hospitality were generously provided by BOB and BEVERLY FROST and the opportunity was taken to hold a get-together of several Hoo-Hoo notables on the afternoon prior to the meeting.

***CONRAD LEMBKE OAM (MEDAL OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA)** — It was with great pleasure that I was able to write to CON LEMBKE on your behalf congratulating him on the honour bestowed in the Queen's Birthday Honours List. I believe that his dedication to the

forest products industry should be seen, not only as an inspiration and a guiding light, but also a living embodiment of the spirit of self-sacrifice and service. It is of some personal satisfaction to me that Hoo-Hoo and J IV were able to "get in first" as it were, with the special award we made to CON at the Bright Convention as OUR recognition of his very real contribution to our industry.

***J IV MEMBERSHIP** — At the beginning of this Hoo-Hoo year, membership in J IV stood at 869. We have had no particular hard-hitting membership drive and I had never intended that we should do so. Prizes and awards for large increases in new members are, in my opinion of doubtful value unless you can be sure that those who join are going to become keen, active and contributing members. However, most clubs have conducted concatenations during the year and I feel sure that we will finish with a membership very close to that magical figure of 900.

***NEW CLUB FOR J IV** — Well, it has happened at last. A Club that many Hoo-Hoo members, particularly in the USA and Canada, think has been in existence for many years, now exists! Tuesday the 10th of July, 1984 was not only the date of the joint SYDNEY/NEWCASTLE Clubs golf day, it was also the CHARTER MEETING date of the WOY WOY HOO-HOO CLUB No. 260. Many of the foundation members are no strangers to Hoo-Hoo as they are already members of other clubs and have decided to belong to more than one club. In welcoming Woy Woy to our list of clubs in J IV, I acknowledge to special social part that DICK CAMPBELL and his many supporters have already played in Hoo-Hoo affairs.

***THE 1984 J IV MINI CONVENTION, PERTH W.A., 31 AUGUST - 3 SEPTEMBER** — If you have not already made your reservation for Perth, NOW is the time to do so. More than 50 people are registered to go on the trip via Singapore. Several others have worked out alternative schemes and others still have registered. I really hope that all active clubs are represented by as many members as at all possible. Perth Club, with the help of Manjimup Club have been working hard to make it a good one. Now it is our turn to help them — and J IV — by getting ourselves there. It promises to be one of the best so, as we've been saying for a while now, "CROSS THE 'BOR IN '84".

***THE 1984 HHI CONVENTION** — Washington is a
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long way from Jurisdiction IV, but we expect to have at least 9 delegates there to represent the South Pacific. Barbara and I look forward to seeing many of our many Hoo-Hoo friends.

Fraternally,
Doug Howick L-80748
(S-9, Jurisdiction IV)

Jurisdiction V

Since coming in as S9 at mid-term replacing Keith Warren of Toronto, I have attended a meeting and concat with the Cowichan Club and the Ladies Reverse Draw and Las Vegas night with the Victoria Club. Also all the meetings and events with the Vancouver Club.

I have kept in touch with Keith Waddell of Toronto Club and he informs me that membership is holding at about the same as last year. They have had a full season of various activities and have several more planned for the balance of the term. Keith tells me he plans on running for S9 in Washington. Membership seems to be at a par with last year with all J-V clubs.

I will have a full report at Washington, D.C.
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Fraternally,
Jack Jacobson S9, J-V

Jurisdiction VI

It is with a fond farewell that I submit my last Official Report as Supreme Nine of Jurisdiction VI. I would like to thank all Hoo-Hoo for an enjoyable three years, and extend my best wishes to my successor.

In January, we had the pleasure of flying to Kansas where we enjoyed the fine hospitality of Lourn & Maxine Champ in Goddard before traveling with them to the International Board Meeting in Gurdon, Arkansas. Lourn was kind enough to take Delores to visit her birthplace in Eldorado, Kansas before our trip south.

It's always a pleasure to visit International and the

Museum and to see so many members there. After the meeting we traveled on to Tulsa, Oklahoma for the reactivation of the Tulsa Club 27. It was a fine meeting. Leaving Tulsa was a little frightening for this California boy . . . seeing snow pile up on our plane before take off for sunny California.

Arrived home in time to attend the Los Angeles Club No. 2's annual Transportation Night at Azusa Greens Golf Club in Azusa. Always a well attended meeting.

Since I've been unable to play golf for the last few years it was a real pleasure to attend the Club's Annual LeRoy Stanton Invitational Golf tournament and played a pretty good game at the Los Coyotes CC in Brea, California on May 11th.

In June, I finally got to visit the Honolulu Club 142 . . . where I attended and played golf at their June 9th meeting at Hawaii Kai Golf Course. Many thanks to President Wyman Lai and all the members for making me feel at home. Met a lot of new young members who are already planning the next convention for Hawaii.

In May (19th & 20th) I flew to Eureka to attend the Redwood Grove Committee Meeting, unfortunately the attendance was very poor . . . but Dave Jones & I hitched a ride in a 4 wheel drive into the Grove and checked things out. We had to hike the 5 miles out, but it was worth it.

We're looking forward to attending the 1984 Convention in Washington, D.C. See you all there.
Health — Happiness — Long Life.

Fraternally,
Ken Coleman 71801
Supreme Nine Jurisdiction VI

Jurisdiction VII

Dear Hoo-Hoo Brothers:

This issue of the Log & Tally may be running a little late. As many of you know by now, we have had some changes in our International Organization. Mr. Russ McClain has left his position as Executive Secretary of Hoo-Hoo International.

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At this time I think we should all THANK Russ for his dedication and hard work — both in his efforts to get the office moved from Norwood to Gurdon and his continuing efforts in the day to day operations of our headquarters.

We should all give Russ's replacement, Billy Tarpley, a big Hoo-Hoo WELCOME. I know he will be extremely busy when he first takes over but do try to drop him a line just to say hello and welcome.

We have taken a little breather since our reactivation of Tulsa and Oklahoma City clubs but it is only a breather. We are still looking forward into the future to Kansas City — Little Rock and other places that are prime for solid functioning clubs.

By the time you are reading this issue I will have already been to the golf tourney put on by Wichita Club 173. I hope as I sit here writing this report that there are not any houses around the golf course. As some of you know I have a terrible slice. Or is it a hook? Well sometimes it is both!

I am looking forward to seeing many of you at the convention in Washington D.C. If you have not done so by now, please clip out the Registration Form and send it in. Those not planning on attending the convention will miss one heck of a time. The people of Host Club 99 have worked very hard to show the delegates of HHI how to have a successful convention and will do so. See ya in Washington D.C.

Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Fraternally Yours,
Joe H. Breeden L-82467

Jurisdiction VIII

Jurisdiction VIII is growing in numbers, clubs are having concat, parties, golf outings and as a whole everything is good in the Midwest.

On May 3rd, President, Marvin Smit called a luncheon meeting. The officers of Hoo-Hoo Club 124, Omaha area, met with me later that day and about thirty couples attended the horse races at Ak-Sar-Ben track. Jeanette and I did not make any money, but had a great time with Jim Lykke and his wife. After the Rous, Mr. Hoo-Hoo of Nebraska, Homer Hahn, and friends went to dinner. We had a sing along, it was great fun.

On May 9th, Twin Cities, Hoo-Hoo Club 12 had a Fishermans Night with about 125 members in attendance. A

concat with nineteen kittens was held the same night.

The Twin Cities Club is very busy making plans for the 1985 H.H.I. Convention. The new Hyatt Regency has been reserved for the convention. This is on beautiful Nicollet Mall in Minneapolis, with many specialty shops and stores to shop in.

On May 24th, Tom Partridge, Rameses 68, and I flew over to Detroit Club 28 to help them celebrate their 60th Anniversary.

Gordon and Jane Graham had us to their home for lunch along with Jim Jones, Rameses 72, Carl Hall, 1st V.P., Ken Hollgren, J-II Rep. The evening meeting with Gordon as the M.C. was very memorable and entertaining. He did just a great job.

On June 13th, Jim Crumley, Dick Hogan, and I attended a Southern Minnesota Club 150 golf outing at Hayfield Minnesota Country Club. Secretary/Treasurer, Gerald Schridt and Vicegerent, Curt Rayman felt that their club was getting more active and will be growing.

I am looking forward to seeing you in Washington, D.C. in September.

Health, Happiness, and Long Life.

George Olsen,
69342 — J-VIII

Jurisdiction IX

Dear Hoo-Hoo Brothers,

The third quarter in our Jurisdiction has absolutely flown! This quarter has been one of progress in J9 with the emphasis on membership. Not so much soliciting membership, but solidifying our existing numbers. There is little sense in having an intense recruiting campaign when we let our existing members fall by the wayside. In addition, there is little sense in keeping a member on the books who does not pay his dues and has little intention of participating.

Membership was the key issue that our Snark of the Universe, Dick Wilson, emphasized on his visit to all the Florida clubs, in April. Dick made a commitment to visiting clubs who have seen very few International Officers and we were delighted when he agreed to visit all the Florida clubs during a one week trip up and down the state. All the clubs co-operated in rearranging their meeting dates and programs so that Dick and I could visit a club every day.

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Monday through Friday. On Monday April 9th, we drove to Ft. Myers where Royal Palm Club 202 is located. Dick presided over their concat for 9 kittens, Tuesday night at Miami Club 42 another 8 kittens, Tampa/St. Petersburg on Wednesday for 6 more, meeting with Central Florida Club 115 on Thursday night and Ladies Night at Jacksonville on Friday. A fuller description of the trip is in another article, hopefully, elsewhere in the Log & Tally.

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On the expenses side, some of the expenses have exceeded the budget for the three quarters of the year, while others have not. Also, due to the generosity of the Cabe Family in paying off the loan at the bank, our expenses were reduced substantially for this year.

All in all, it appears we will have a favorable report to make when the Hoo-Hoo year ends August 31, 1984.

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CLUB NEWS

Jurisdiction I

REPORT FROM GRANITE STATE 107

The club held an "Old Timer" night May 14 at The Yard Restaurant in Londonderry, New Hampshire. Attendance for the event was 45, with ten old timers present. The star of the evening was Owen Johnson L37038, the club's oldest member.

Elections were held the same evening, and the following able bodied men were elected by a landslide for the Board of Directors: Joseph Cade, Roger Cote, Robert King and Glen Scott. New officers are Gerald Rivet, president; Richard Pacquin, 1st vice-president; J. Rockwell Furman, 2nd vice-president; Peter Steer, secretary; Emile Bernard, treasurer; and Gerald Eckman, assistant treasurer.

The Harold Littlefield Memorial Clambake was held June 4 at Simpson's in Dover, New Hampshire. A crowd of 200 ate 400 lobsters and drank kegs of beer too numerous to count. Our honored guest was the Snark of the Universe Dick Wilson. We appreciate the effort he made to attend.

On the same day 55 golfers entered The Clambake Open, held at the Wentworth Fairways, Newcastle. Steve Springer won low gross with a 74, and tied Rhys Stucker for low net with a 71.

WASHINGTON CLUB BOASTS 10 FATHER-SON TEAMS

Washington, D.C. Hoo-Hoo Club 99 cannot let the comments of Spokane Club 16 go unanswered as far as father-son teams go in the membership. They had a photo of three father-son combinations, but

our club boasts TEN such combinations. George W. Huguely III and George W. Huguely IV are third and fourth generation members of our club, being the grandson and great-grandson of our Charter President, George W. Huguely, Sr. We have three second and third generation father-son teams in Russell and Rusty Lamar, Lee and Brian Roberts and Marty and Martin Wiegand. Other father-son combinations include J.P. and Joe Dempsey, Eddie and Jimmy Fones, Harold and Don Hershey, Tom and Tommy Perry, Leo and Joe Wells, and Bob and Joe Wyatt. Time and logistical problems prevent us from submitting a photo of this group, but come to the convention in September and you can meet many of these folks in person.

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Some of the Past Presidents of the Folsom Hoo-Hoo Club on hand May 7 to honor the old timers.



The new slate of Officers and Directors of the Folsom Club of Boston gather for an informal picture at the VFW Post in Norwood, Massachusetts during Old Timers night.

FOLSOM HOO-HOO CLUB OF BOSTON HONORS OLD TIMERS & PAST PRESIDENTS

(reprinted from the Commercial Bulletin, Friday, June 8, 1984)

The accompanying photo was taken at the Harry L. Folsom Hoo-Hoo Club of Boston's "Old Timers Night" held at the VFW Post in

Norwood, Massachusetts on Monday evening, May 7. One of the most popular club events of the year, the get-together also honored past presidents of the club and featured a special slide presentation by the Washington, D.C. Hoo-Hoo club on their city where the International Hoo-Hoo Convention will take place in September, 1984.

Jurisdiction II

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CLUB NEWS

Jurisdiction I

REPORT FROM GRANITE STATE 107

The club held an "Old Timer" night May 14 at The Yard Restaurant in Londonderry, New Hampshire. Attendance for the event was 45, with ten old timers present. The star of the evening was Owen Johnson L37038, the club's oldest member.

Elections were held the same evening, and the following able bodied men were elected by a landslide for the Board of Directors: Joseph Cade, Roger Cote, Robert King and Glen Scott. New officers are Gerald Rivet, president; Richard Pacquin, 1st vice-president; J. Rockwell Furman, 2nd vice-president; Peter Steer, secretary; Emile Bernard, treasurer; and Gerald Eckman, assistant treasurer.

The Harold Littlefield Memorial Clambake was held June 4 at Simpson's in Dover, New Hampshire. A crowd of 200 ate 400 lobsters and drank kegs of beer too numerous to count. Our honored guest was the Snark of the Universe Dick Wilson. We appreciate the effort he made to attend.

On the same day 55 golfers entered The Clambake Open, held at the Wentworth Fairways, Newcastle. Steve Springer won low gross with a 74, and tied Rhys Stucker for low net with a 71.

WASHINGTON CLUB BOASTS 10 FATHER-SON TEAMS

Washington, D.C. Hoo-Hoo Club 99 cannot let the comments of Spokane Club 16 go unanswered as far as father-son teams go in the membership. They had a photo of three father-son combinations, but

our club boasts TEN such combinations. George W. Huguely III and George W. Huguely IV are third and fourth generation members of our club, being the grandson and great-grandson of our Charter President, George W. Huguely, Sr. We have three second and third generation father-son teams in Russell and Rusty Lamar, Lee and Brian Roberts and Marty and Martin Wiegand. Other father-son combinations include J.P. and Joe Dempsey, Eddie and Jimmy Fones, Harold and Don Hershey, Tom and Tommy Perry, Leo and Joe Wells, and Bob and Joe Wyatt. Time and logistical problems prevent us from submitting a photo of this group, but come to the convention in September and you can meet many of these folks in person.

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Some of the Past Presidents of the Folsom Hoo-Hoo Club on hand May 7 to honor the old timers.



The new slate of Officers and Directors of the Folsom Club of Boston gather for an informal picture at the VFW Post in Norwood, Massachusetts during Old Timers night.

FOLSOM HOO-HOO CLUB OF BOSTON HONORS OLD TIMERS & PAST PRESIDENTS

(reprinted from the Commercial Bulletin, Friday, June 8, 1984)

The accompanying photo was taken at the Harry L. Folsom Hoo-Hoo Club of Boston's "Old Timers Night" held at the VFW Post in

Norwood, Massachusetts on Monday evening, May 7.

One of the most popular club events of the year, the get-together also honored past presidents of the club and featured a special slide presentation by the Washington, D.C. Hoo-Hoo club on their city where the International Hoo-Hoo Convention will take place in September, 1984.

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Convention in Detroit a success when
 it was held on September 7 - 9, 1922.

In commemoration of the event,
 Gordon Graham L-70604 compiled
 the club's history and related Hoo-
 Hoo information into a booklet titled
 "An Introduction to Hoo-Hoo,
 Detroit Hoo-Hoo Club 28, May 22,
 1924 - May 22, 1984."

**GRAHAM PREPARES BOOKLET
 ON DETROIT CLUB**

Thanks to the efforts of Gordon
 Graham L-70604 of Detroit Hoo-Hoo
 Club 28, the members of that club and
 other interested parties now have
 available to them a concise, accurate
 history of the Detroit Club, complete
 with other interesting facts about
 Hoo-Hoo International.

Graham authored the booklet to
 be published in conjunction with the
 Detroit Club's 60th anniversary which

was celebrated in May. He writes that
 he prepared the book "for distribution
 to guest speakers, visitors, potential
 members, media organizations,
 members who need reminding and the
 curious." Undoubtedly, persons in
 each of the above categories will
 benefit from reading it.

While he acknowledges using a
 booklet published by the Hoo-Hoo
 Club 21 in Mt. Gambier, Australia as
 a guide, Graham obviously spent
 hours in research time in preparation
 for the booklet titled "An
 Introduction To Hoo-Hoo, Detroit
 Hoo-Hoo Club 28, May 22, 1924 -
 May 22, 1984."

The booklet includes the
 following contents: What is a Hoo-
 Hoo?; History of Hoo-Hoo; The Hoo-
 Hoo Organization; Some Hoo-Hoo
 Terminology; A History of Detroit
 Club 28; Past Presidents and Supreme
 Nine; Hoo-Hoo of the Year; and
 Other Literature of Interest.



In attendance for Detroit's 60th anniversary were Rameses 73, Box Van Every, Rames 72,
 Jimmy Jones, 1st V.P. Carle H. C. Hall L-57737, Rameses 68, Thomas Partridge, and
 Rameses 66, Phil Dawson.



LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON — (l-r) Howie Dawson, Jimmy Jones, Phil Dawson and Peter
 Dawson. Howie and Peter are members of the Detroit Club and sons of Rameses Phil.

Jurisdiction III

**AND A GOOD TIME WAS HAD
 BY ALL!**

These photos below were taken
 in May at the Jurisdiction III Mini-
 convention in Port Ludlow on the
 Olympic Peninsula in the great state



Darrell Pardee, S-9, IIII, presenting all fine money to the museum, via Jimmy Jones,
 chairman of the Museum committee.



Darrell Pardee and Al Meier, 2nd Vice-president



All checks for fishing and golf prizes were given to the museum. Shown here (l-r) are
 Seattle Club President, Doug Mekkers, Darrell Pardee, Jimmy Jones, Jack Jacobsen S-9,
 JV and Gordon Loth of the Seattle club. A total of \$148.00 was donated.

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TACOMA CLUB REPORTS BUSY YEAR

1984 has been a busy year for Hoo-Hoo Club 89. President Barney Wagner called a concat April 3, 1984. Seven kittens were brought into the realm of Hoo-Hoo under the strict supervision of International Second Vice President, Al Meier.

The Club was represented at the mini convention at Port Ludlow by 15 couples. Also sending our famous bartender, Joe Scheffler to host the icebreaker for the Seattle Club.

Our May meeting was our annual Ladies' Night with sixty Hoo-Hoos in full woodsman dress. Best logger's costumes were awarded a \$50.00 prize. The prize had to be split between Jack Janson and his wife, Ruby, and Rich Bleich and his fiancée, Retta Shaw. President Barney Wagner dispensed prizes for Fastest Bucksaw couples, Paul Brokenshire and his wife, Terri, Sue and Al Shriver second, Dick and Shirley Smith third. Drawing was held

for champagne for the ladies. It was dispensed with kisses from President Barney.

June 5th was Old Timer's and election night with eighty-six in attendance. Chairmen were Al Meier and Ted Vaughn. Twenty-eight were old timers who shaped the lumber industry in the Tacoma-Olympia area. Such notables by Hoo-Hoo number were: William Hermes, 37313, Bert Vaughn, 41312, Wayne James, 48368, Russ Ross, 49148, Art McMahon, 48368, Beldon Bidwell, 62033, Ray Dickinson, 79322.

Our retired Secretary-Treasurer of 16 years and past member of the Supreme Nine, Lenard J. "Larry" Hurd, 63142, looking good, gave us a few words of Hoo-Hoo wisdom.

Other notables in attendance were brothers Clarence and George Hammersmith and St. Regis lumberman, Henry Hewitt. Each old timer greeted the Club and were well received.

The membership went on to elect five new board members. Eric Bleich, 84192, Bob VanDewall, 85561, Jim Smith, 80222, Darrel Andrews, 85541, Tom Read, Past President, 79964.

(Notice how the numbers get bigger.)

The board retired and elected Eric Bleich, President, son of Fred Bleich, past president (1968). Bob VanDewall, Vice President, Robert Wagner, Vicegerent Snark, appointed John Harrington, Recording Secretary, and Dick Smith, Secretary-Treasurer. All were presented to the membership and installed.

Then I wrote: The 1984 Golf Tournament brought out 80 plus golfers to the Brookdale course. Beer, dogs and pop were furnished by Manke Lumber Company and served by Chef Joe Scheffler. He does good work.

Ted Vaughan, Bruce McDonald tied for the low gross, Bert Vaughan perpetual trophy. Sudden death between Bruce and Ted went two holes. Ted's hot putter sank a seven footer for the trophy he has been after since its inception in 1969. Congratulations, Ted. Don Briggs and Tom Read golf chairmen for the last ten years did a fine job getting this tournament together. We all had fun. Fun!! That's what we're here for.

Reporter, Dick Smith, 76488.



New cats for Tacoma Club 89



Hoo-Hoo Old Timers — Bert Vaughan and Leonard Hurd



Ladies' Night Loggers — Lowe, Janson, Bleich



Past President Fred Bleich presents presidents pin to Erick Bleich

SEATTLE HOO-HOO CLUB 34

Seattle Hoo-Hoo Club 34 celebrated its annual Ladies' Night on April 12th at the historic and colorful Rainier Brewery. Twenty-five couples turned out for the tour and a delicious catered buffet of barbecued ribs and chicken. One charming wife was heard commenting that she thought it was lovely of the club to finally give her a night on the town, especially when her husband was gone so often, attending four Hoo-Hoo meetings a month!

May 12th found the Seattle Club meeting at the world famous Swedish Club in beautiful downtown Seattle. Forty members were present to hear Kurt Smith discuss the curtailed sports fishing allocations for Pacific salmon, and gave us an insider's view of the controversial fishing agreements being entered into by the State



Ron Starke (l) greets new board member Tom Vogel



Chuck Cain (l) and Ron Harmon

and the various Indian tribes of Western Washington.

Board member elections were held after dinner for four open positions. Ed Williams was re-elected to a second term, and the Club 34 elected three new members, Bill Lindgren, Don McAfee, and Tom Vogel.

Seattle's annual Golf and Field Day was held at the scenic Mt. Si Golf and Country Club at the foot of the snow covered Cascades on June 8th. More than 100 golfers took to the field under threatening skies, but the rain held off long enough for everyone to finish. With the round completed, golfers enjoyed several contests such as the blind putt and the dart throw. A sumptuous steak dinner was enjoyed by all, followed by the awarding of various prizes and trophies.



(L-R) New Club President, Brian Dickie, Vice Gerent Snark Doug Mekkers, and Deputy Supreme 9 Representative Dan Olsen.



Gary Powell (l) and John Bratland

NORTHWESTERN CLUB 187 PRESENTS AWARDS AT ANNUAL BANQUET


Northwestern Hoo-Hoo Club 187 selected several members of the timber industry for distinction and awarded trophies during the 1984 Montana Loggers Association convention's banquet held at the Outlaw Inn at Kalispell, Mt. on May 27. Wally Foster was named **LOGGER OF THE YEAR**. Wally has been actively involved in the timber industry since 1942. The posthumous award was presented to the family of Edwin H. Conrad, a long-time resident of the Flathead valley who was very much involved in the timber industry. Jack King of the Valley Bank and JoAnn Speelman of the Kalispell Weekly News were given the "Woodpeckers" award for this year for their support of our industry.

Clyde Smith, a faithful member of 187, was re-elected the president of the Montana Loggers Association.

Next on the agenda for 187 is their annual summer seminar which will be held in northwestern Montana on August 3 & 4th. Come and enjoy!

NORTH IDAHO HOO-HOO CLUB 155

Our regular May meeting was held the 10th, in Coeur d'Alene. Only fair attendance. Gilmore reported on our meeting with the Spokane Club directors and Snark Dick Wilson on May 9, in Spokane. Summer boat trip plans were finalized. This is our last meeting until September. A very interesting program on Wilderness was given by two men from the U.S. Forest Service.



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ROGUE VALLEY HOO-HOO 94

The Easter Seals Telethon, held April 1st buzzed with excitement when members of the Rogue Valley Hoo-Hoo Club 94 manned the phones. Rising to the occasion our gang raised \$3,841.00 in donations, the largest amount raised by any group participating in the Telethon for South Oregon. Our goal for next year is to increase the dollar amount raised, and make life a little easier for the handicapped. GOOD JOB, HOO-HOO!

A Tri-Concat was held April 13th in Klamath Falls with the Klamath Falls and Lakeview Clubs. Congratulations to Kittens Bob Crews, Phil Burke, Scott Rainwater, and Ron Snopl for their initiation into the Order of the Hoo-Hoo.

Over 90 golfers converged on the Grants Pass Country Club May 11th for our Annual Grants Pass Golf Tournament. Steve Shudoma lead the way by posting the best score. Many thanks to Hank Jensen, Andy Owens, Lew Merrill, John Hammons and John West for a great day.

The Hoo-Hoo-Ettes National

Convention, held in Ashland, Oregon enjoyed a fashion show, with "Models" Scott Rainwater, Phil Burke, Mark Hefley, John (Boots) Gottwald and Terry Brimhall providing the entertainment. The fashion show was held during a luncheon for the 125 women attending the convention, and was greatly enjoyed by all.

Over 100 people enjoyed a warm summer evening along the Rogue



Celebrating the record-setting contribution are (clockwise from left foreground), Bruce Monson, Scott Rainwater, Dave Disselbrett, Dave Weaver, Jeff Norman, Doug Seeley, John Gottwald, Dick Maurer, Terry Downey, Greg Applen, Lloyd Haneberg, Phil Burke and Brad Monson.

River at our 2nd Annual Family Picnic. Held at the Elks Picnic grounds, there was plenty of food, drink and games for the kids.

Up coming events include the Wholesalers and Loggers VS The Manufacturers & Transportation Softball Game, July 11th, and on August 3rd be sure to make the Rogue Valley Invitational 24th Annual Golf Tournament.

INLAND EMPIRE CLUB 117 HOSTSLADIES WEEKEND

It's hard to believe that our 31st Annual Ladies' Weekend at Palm Springs is now history. Once again the Marriott provided all the amenities that we have come to expect. We do like our creature comforts.

The weather was warm (100 degrees) but for the late afternoon it wasn't too hot and all golfers did manage to get in 18 holes. The number of balls lost to the patios, roofs, and those treacherous water holes will probably never be known. Even the palm trees provided some interesting shots along the way. It has been reported from a reliable source that Irene Holquin decided that the weather was perfect for lake wading in search of Eldra Gregson's water ball, oh well.

Saturday evening was the highlight of the weekend with the Annual Banquet. Lovely flower centerpieces and candles provided a touch of elegance to the occasion with orchid corsages for the ladies. A moment of sadness touched us all as we raised our glasses in memory of George Whitney who recently passed away.

Introductions were made by our President, Ron Mason with the recognition of Dwight Hays' contribution as president in 1982. Our immediate past-president, Terry Patrick was presented with his pin and in recognition of his and Dwight's leadership a round of applause was called for and given.

We had an excellent turnout for golf with prizes going to:

Don Watson — Low Net and

Cap Strano — Magic Score

Our lady golfers, Dorothy Bergstrom, Eldra Gregson, Irene Holquin and Marlene Tipton all received golf shirts.

You will have to ask Jack Butler about that "Magic Score" bit.

Then the moment of the evening which all of our ladies had been waiting for so patiently finally arrived — the drawing of the gift prizes and they were truly lovely pieces of jewelry with the winners being:

Patsy Stockstill — Diamond Necklace
Marlene Tipton — Diamond-Emerald Ring

Eldra Gregson — Diamond Necklace
Wallie Schuh — Seiko Quartz Watch
Sara Fisher — Gold Bracelet

There were a number of names drawn for the prizes but unfortunately were not in attendance. Those people no doubt will be so informed.

Just before we adjourned for the evening each lady was asked to look on the back of her placemat. Those who had an "X" won the centerpiece at that table.

After dinner many returned to the hospitality suite or took in the entertainment in the resort lounge.

THE HOO-HOO CLUB OF SPOKANE NO. 16, INC.

MINUTES

May 9, 1984

The regular Board of Directors Meeting of Spokane Hoo-Hoo Club was held at the Off Broadway Cafe at a dinner meeting on May 9.

Present, and SPECIAL GUEST was Snark of the Universe, Dick Wilson from Atlanta, Ga. plus the following Officers of the North Idaho Hoo-Hoo Club in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. 1st VP Erv Meeks, 2nd VP Bob Burke, Secty.-Treas. Carl Krueger, Past President Tom Gilmore and member Howard Welton.

Spokane Board Members present were 1st VP Al Stadtmueller, 2nd VP Perrin Zanck, Secty.-Treas. Ernie McKay, Daryl Zanck, Gene Zanck, R-71, and Past Pres. Tony Perry, and Director Bill Lenten.

Snark Wilson was warmly greeted and welcomed, and was presented by the Spokane Hoo-Hoo Club, a chain sawn owl, with the inscription on a small plaque which read "To Wise Snark Dick Wilson from Spokane Hoo-Hoo Club May 9, 1984". Dick responded in good form, and talked interestingly and enthusiastically about Hoo-Hoo, its Museum and Headquarters in Gurdon, Arkansas, and its founding and some of its founders.

Dick expressed appreciation for the meeting called at this time, for his convenience, and he thanked the North Idaho members for coming from Coeur d'Alene to be with all of us.

Secretary gave a short impromptu talk on early Washington State and Spokane Hoo-Hoo History.

It was also noted that Fran Wilson was being entertained at dinner at Clinkerdaggers by Jackie Zanck, Mary Zanck, Ellen Wales, Ellen Lenten, Betty Mosely, and Laura Perry.

The business part of the meeting consisted of the reading of the minutes of April 9, advising the members that the Woodworking Contest is proceeding well, and the assignment of various members to "security."

One item of business of great interest to all was a further discussion of our two Clubs Cruise on Coeur d'Alene Lake on July 28. The N. Ida members advised that the cost will be approximately \$8.00 per person, and will be limited to 80 people, 40 for our Club, and 40 for N. Idaho. Snacks will be served during the cruise.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Ernie L. Wales
Secretary and Rameses 50

WILLAMETTE CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL TRAP SHOOT AND GOLF TOURNEY

The Willamette Valley Club No. 33 in Eugene, OR, held its annual trap shoot on May 16 and had a record attendance, as over 85 members and guests turned out. Snark Dick Wilson showed up and participated in the evening affairs. (Chairman was Steve Hammans).

The golf tourney held June 8 at the Eugene Country Club grounds was a record affair. There were 262 golfers participating in a 7:45 AM and 1:15 PM shot-gun starts. Over 275 were in attendance for the Prime-Rib buffet dinner served by the Eugene Country Club staff. Prizes were handed out to the winners. Co-chairmen were Tom Ross and Bob McBride. The local weather cooperated and they had sun and no rain. Everyone stated this was a record turn-out of all times. People came from as far as California and northern Washington.

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Jurisdiction IV A LETTER FROM DOUG

Herewith the monthly missive from Doug and Jurisdiction IV.

From what I have heard, the J III Mini Convention was, as usual, a most successful affair. Regrettable that I wasn't able to be there, but, particularly with recent changes in my professional life, I do have to perform in areas other than Hoo-Hoo (strange as it may seem!)

Last Friday, Barbara and I travelled to Brisbane to be a part of the Timber Week Dinner. The Brisbane Club under Worrall McCarthy and a willing team of effective workers really put on a good show. The concept of Timber Innovation Awards to companies who had contributed significantly to the well-being of the industry was a good one. For your information, I enclose a copy of the special souvenir supplement to the "Australian Timberman" which was handed out on the night and was sponsored by Brisbane Hoo-Hoo Club 218.

Since my last circular letter, I've been pleased to receive letters and information from various people (including Jimmy Jones — would you believe!) so I have at least some idea of developments in the other Jurisdictions. I must congratulate PHIL COCKS and his supporters on the production of the new Hoo-Hoo information booklet. It's great to see somebody getting up off his fundament and delivering the goods as promised. — Goodonyer mate! I have also been most impressed with the SNARK's schedule. It seems to me Dick, that you really are getting around to those Clubs that most need a visit and the figures of new kittens sound very, very good from where I sit. If only we can keep the renewals up to scratch, the Order should now be getting into the healthy state that we would all wish for it.

I was pleasantly surprised to get a phone call from DARRELL PARDEE a week or so before the J III gathering, and more recently have talked to JACK JACOBSON a couple of times.

On Saturday 9th June, BOB FROST (Deputy S-9) is having a gathering at his home in Sydney prior to our J IV Executive Meeting which we are having on BOB's boat on the following day. J IV 1st Deputy S-9 WORRALL MCCARTHY will, of course be there, also KEVIN KELLY, DICK CAMPBELL, TONY HOBSON and probably several others. On Tuesday 12th, I'll be visiting the NEWCASTLE Club, and then after a couple of days at work, will visit our HOBART Club on Friday 15th and NORTHEAST VICTORIA on Monday 18th June.

Before finishing this letter, there is an important subject I wish to address to all of the HHI Board and all of the active Rameses. It concerns the 1992 CENTENARY CONVENTION and the HOO-HOO CENTENARY itself. Some of these thoughts have been developed as a result of discussions with such people as AL MEIER, EDDIE HUNT, KEVIN KELLY and others, so they are not necessarily original. However, I believe it is not too soon for us all to be thinking about the matter, so that we can allow some time for discussion at the Convention and Board Meetings in Washington next September. Here we go: —

1. The fact that Hoo-Hoo will be 100 years old in 1992 is something on which we should build the Order's plans for action in the years between now and then.

2. I see a need for a special committee to work on the details of putting together a HOO-HOO CENTENARY BOOK. Such a publication would trace the complete history of the Order, re-printing reports of many of our achievements from issues of Log & Tally over the years, leading up to the 1992 Convention in Arkansas. The BOOK would, I'm sure, be virtually a collector's item that would be in demand by Hoo-Hoo members and others for many, many years after 1992. If only 40 per cent of current members wanted a copy at (say) a cost of \$25 or \$30, the income potential is enormous!! I foresee that the BOOK would have a high level of marketability for the following fifty years and probably its value would increase with time. I think it was ED ROACH in Gurdon last January, who talked about advertising potential. To

be an advertiser in such a publication the industry should be willing to make a special effort. I imagine that advertising costs of up to \$2000 or \$3000 (yes, thousand) would be quite realistic targets. I suggest that the committee for this project should be formed at the Board Meeting prior to the Washington Convention, and should include appropriate members who have expertise in publishing, as well as Hoo-Hoo people who are prepared to WORK and Senior people such as Rameses who have access to information concerning our 100-year history.

3. I also need for a second Committee to start NOW on planning the 1992 Convention. With 19 planned for Honolulu, 1991 for Australia, there will be many members who will make a decision to attend 1992 for the CENTENARY CONVENTION. If ever Hoo-Hoo has had the opportunity to "strut its stuff", 1992 will be the time. As a basis for discussion, I would suggest that the 1992 Convention Committee be chaired each year by the 1st Vice President of HHI, and that for every year between now and then, the SNARK, 1st & 2nd Vice Presidents automatically be members. However, the continuing Committee should comprise people who our current Board believe to be appropriate. If only 20 per cent of International membership makes it to Arkansas in 1992 — and I predict that they will — the CENTENARY CONVENTION ORGANIZING COMMITTEE could be planning for an attendance of around TWO THOUSAND delegates !!!!!!!!!!!

Gentlemen, NOW is the time to start planning.

Health, Happiness and Long Life,

Yours fraternally,

Doug Howick

PROGRESS WITH "GURDON
RESERVE" — WOY WOY
BAY

Jurisdiction IV

This reserve was planned to commemorate the visit to Past Supreme 9 Dick and Diana Campbell's home by delegates to the

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HHI convention in Australia in 1982. Three Norfolk Island Pine trees were planted by the mayors of Woy Woy, Gurdon and Dick, and the park has been developed around the trees. Dick formed a committee to develop the reserve with the help of Sydney member Terry Mullens, who donated Koppers logs for the arch and fencing,

and local resident Len Bourke, who has been hard at work maintaining the trees and lawns.

Rameses 75 Kevin Kelly will be dedicating the reserve on behalf of the new "Woy Woy Hoo-Hoo Club 260" at a function to be held on July 10, 1984. Photos and a report will be available for the next issue of LOG & TALLY.



Attending the executive meeting aboard Bob Frost's motor cruiser were (l-r) Warrell McCarthy, Sr. V.P. JIV of Brisbane Club 218, Tony Hobson, Vice Gerent Snark for New South Wales of Newcastle Club 237; Dick Campbell, Past President JIV of Sydney Club 215; Max O'Rielly, Past President JIV of Adelaide Club 212; Bob Frost, Jr. V.P. for Sydney Club 215; and Doug Howick, S-9 JIV.

The dedication plaque, which is mounted on the entrance arch, reads: "To All Who Visit This Reserve 'Health, Happiness & Long Life.'" Dedicated by Kevin Kelly, Rameses 75, 10th July 1984, On Behalf of Woy Woy Hoo-Hoo Club No. 260."

JURISDICTION IV OFFICERS RETREAT TO BOAT FOR EXECUTIVE MEETING

With the formation of the Woy Woy Club's charter underway, Doug Howick, president of Melbourne Club 217, called an executive meeting of officers to be held in Sydney. To avoid interruptions the meeting was held aboard Bob Frost's motor cruiser at Sydney Harbour. From the looks on their faces in the photo they appear quite pleased with the arrangement!

Dick Campbell 77398, past president JIV of Sydney Club 215, reports all enjoyed a wonderful day at Woy Woy Bay "Gurdon" for the charter ceremony July 10th with Kevin Kelly officiating.

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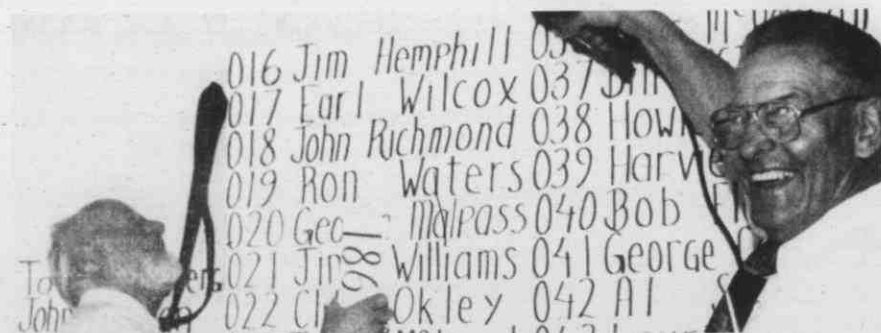
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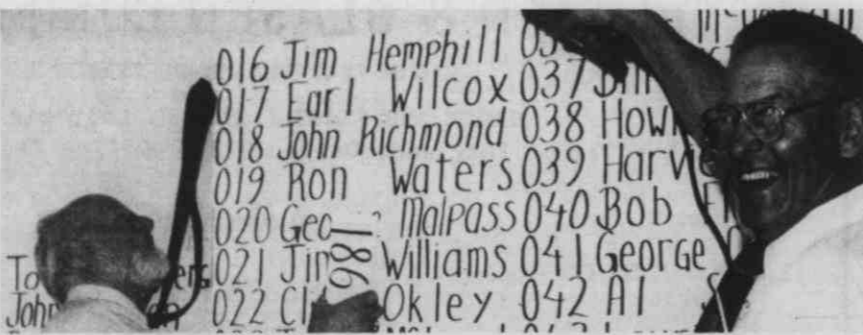
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Honolulu Club 142 held a concat April 19 at the Natsunoya Tea Gardens in Honolulu to initiate six kittens into the brotherhood. Carl Reppun, Harry Frickelton III, Neal Tanaka, Alex Jamile, Dick Carlson and Arthur Monzo were the initiates, and James A. Jones Rameses 73 from Vallejo, California was present to extend the warm hand of fellowship to our new brothers.



Six new cats for Honolulu Club 142 — (l-r) Carl Reppun, Harry Frickelton III, Neal Tanaka, Alex Jamile, Dick Carlson and Arthur Monzo.

OKLAHOMA CITY-OIL CAPITOL HOO-HOO CLUB 5 REACTIVATED

Oklahoma City Hoo-Hoo Club No. 5 was originally chartered in 1922 and was a very active club for many years. Like other clubs it gradually died until April 9, 1984 when it was reactivated as Oklahoma City Oil Capitol Hoo-Hoo Club No. 5. Pat B. Parrish 90919 is serving as President, C. L. Stanfill 66173, Vice President, Roger Dickson 85302 as Secretary and Alan Soderstom 90924, Treasurer.

The Degree Team initiated 19 kittens and there was 3 reinstatements. The team consisted of: Ross Hunnicutt, Houston Club 23; Dave Bond, Green Country-Tulsa Club 27; Marvin Curtis, Club 5; Paul Pixley, Tulsa Club 27; Carle Hall, DeMoines Club 102; Cue Stanfill, Club 5; Roger Dickson, Club 5; Joe

Breeden, Houston Club 25; Al Meier, Tacoma Club 89; and Jim Jones, Black Bart Club 181. They were assisted by Kent Vice 84118, Dick Wilkerson L-67726 and Dave Marteney L-65075 all of Wichita Club 173.

The Class was named the John Collins Class, honoring John as a member of the club and President of Mid-America Lumbermens Association. Laurin Champ presented John a Top Cat picture.

Pat Parrish, president, opened the meeting by introducing special guests which included, Carle Hall, 1st Vice President of Hoo-Hoo International, Al Meier, 2nd Vice President of Hoo-Hoo International, Joe Breeden, S9 Jurd. VII, Jim Jones, Rameses 72, Dave Marteney, Rameses 67, Laurin Champ, Rameses 70, Bob John, Executive Vice President MLA and a member of (continued next page)

Jurisdiction VII

WICHITA LUMBERMEN RAISE \$7,200.00 FOR THE INSTITUTE OF LOGOPEDICS

From: The Wichita Hoo-Hoo Club 173, "The Fraternal Order of Lumberman".

Wichita area lumber dealers, building material wholesalers, and manufacturers (roll of honor-of participating companies is attached) raised approximately \$7,200.00 in their ninth annual gigantic building materials auction Saturday, May 12, 1984 for the Institute of Logopedics. The auction was held in the Village Flea Market parking lot on the corner of Meridian and Pawnee, Wichita, Kansas. Several truck loads of building materials were auctioned off including new and damaged doors, windows, lumber, siding, moulding, odd lot paint, and other miscellaneous building materials. Over 125 bidders came to the auction with their trucks, trailers, and vans to cash in on the values and at the same time help the Insitiute of Logopedics. Over the past 9 years the lumbermen have contributed over \$44,000.00 to the Institute of Logopedics as a public service, including the \$7,200.00 from this year's sale. These days, business doesn't always receive good press for their activities, and it is good to see 15 different companies join together for such a generous gift for a very worthwhile cause. These companies deserve recognition for their contribution.

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Degree team concatting new kittens in club 5 reactivation: Seated (l-r) Al Meier, Cue Stanfill, Paul Pixley, Carle Hall, Ross Hunnicutt and Roger Dickson, Standing: Marvin Curtis, Joe Breeden, Dave Bond and Jimmy Jones.

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Kansas City Club 43.

Bob John presented Paul Pixley 81820, President Tulsa-Green Country Club 27, an enlarged picture of the Tulsa Club which was reactivated in January. S9 Joe Breeden, presented Roger Dickson a State Deputy Snark plaque. Kevin Kelly, Chairman of the Board, Springvale, Australia sent a tape to be played congratulating the club.

Laurin Champ, Rameses 70 was honored to have his son, Bill Champ 90912 concatenated. Other kittens were: Gary Anderson 76157, Hank Bockus 59161, Donald Bulloch 90910, Dave Campbell 90911, Ray Edge 90913, Dan Fannery 90914, David Graham 90916, Roy Greenlee 90917, Mike Nix 90918, Pat Parrish 90919, Paul Porter, Jr. 90920, Randal Rogers 90921, James Scott 90922, William H. Smith 73898, William K. Smith 90923, William R. Smith 74624, (a record for William Smiths in one club) Alan Soderstom 90924, and Bill Stanfill 90925. Reinstatements were C. L. Stanfill, Marvin Curtis 72863 and Roger Dale Dickson 85302.

OMAHA CLUB 124

Omaha Club 124 had a race track party at Ak-Sar-Ben race track. It was a deluxe affair at special tables in the Club House. Valet parking was provided. About forty members were there, including Supreme Nine George Olsen and wife Jeanette.

Most members made or lost a little, but one company hit the jackpot. Three of Mieland Lumber Co. hit the exacta and won \$589.00 each. Strangely they had not gotten together before the races. They were George Russell (Chairman of Board), Sally Reimer and Rhonda Duffield. All were of course elated as were the rest of us for their good luck!! A very successful afternoon.

IOWA CLUB 102

Two \$500.00 scholarships were presented by Iowa Club 102 on February 20 in Ames, Iowa. The scholarships were presented to Gary Heimerdinger and Jeff England who are students in the Building Materials Management program at Northeast Iowa Technical Institute in Calmar, Iowa. Attached picture shows checks

being presented by Dave Stolp, President of Club 102 at the awards night. Gary, Jeff and their instructor Bob Bartlett.

WICHITA CLUB 173 ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Wichita Club 173 concurred in the candidates nominated for new officers by the nominating committee during the annual meeting June 18. Elected were Roger Wilkerson, president; Jesse Seager, vice president; Kent Vice, secretary; and Steve Hayes, treasurer. The new officers will not officially take office until the September meeting which is the beginning of the club's fiscal year. In the meantime, they will be busy planning next years activities and appointing committees to make their plans happen.



Attending Past Presidents Night at Iowa Club 102 were (Front row l-r) Gerald Jewett, Carle H. C. Hall, Robert C. Leachman (Second row) Bill Vosburg, Leonard Tipping, Bill Sabus, Frank Allen, Joe Horn, Jerry Church, John Leachman, Bill Vranich, Robert Dalby (Back) Dave Stolp



Dave Stolp, club president, presents scholarship checks to Gary Heimerdinger, instructor Bob Bartlett, and Jeff England.

IOWA CLUB 102

Iowa Club 102 recently held a past presidents night and the turnout was beyond expectations. Fourteen past presidents attended including the first president Robert C. Leachman who served in 1938-1939. Carle H. C. Hall, International 1st Vice President and member of Club 102 was also in attendance. Each of the past presidents gave a brief recollection of their term to the delight of all gathered. It was a night that will be long remembered.

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Jurisdiction VIII

TWIN CITIES HOO-HOO
CLUB NO. 12

On Thursday, May 10th Twin Cities Hoo-Hoo Club No. 12 had their annual Fisherman's Stag at Doc's Place in St. Paul, MN. Joe Lonsky, past president of our club, performed the duties of M. C. Joe, as only Joe can do, harassed the wholesalers, supported the retail lumberman, and gave his various opinions on national manufacturers and their products. Great job Joe! All 122 members and new kittens in attendance had great fun listening to the commentary.

Our guest speaker for the evening was Joe Alexander, Commissioner of the Department of Natural Resources for the State of Minnesota. Joe gave a very colorful presentation on Walleye fishing in Minnesota and up-dated the fisherman present on the new fishing regulations. After his presentation he opened the forum for questions about fishing in general.



Joe Alexander (center) guest speaker for Twin Cities Hoo-Hoo Club 12 Fisherman's Stag is shown here with Don Fuchs and Joe Lonsky.

George Olson, our Supreme Nine representative and Craig Wallin our Vice Gerent Snark led our club's concat. Club No. 12 is proud to have added 14 new kittens to the light of Hoo-Hoo. George also brought back from his travel within the jurisdiction a new method of initiation that dampened a few feet, but added mirth to our ceremony.

The summer golf and tennis stag is scheduled for August 20, 1984 at the Majestic Oaks Country Club.

OMAHA CLUB 124 ANNUAL STAG PICNIC — A BIG SUCCESS

Omaha Club 124 celebrated its annual Stag Picnic June 13th with about 150 members and guests taking

part. Prizes were awarded to the best scores in golf and horseshoes, and everyone enjoyed excellent steaks and "fixin's" for dinner.

After dinner and further socializing, a drawing was held for gifts generous suppliers and railroad companies had contributed for the event. All agreed it was a great picnic and the good weather was truly a blessing. The Omaha area had experienced quite a bit of rain days before, but with good weather and a good turnout, the club is looking forward to the 1985 Stag Picnic with great anticipation.

First VP Carle Hall attended the picnic and played golf over the soggy course. We were pleased and honored to have him attend.



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Jurisdiction IX

REPORT FROM CENTRAL
FLORIDA CLUB 115

Unfortunately our C.P.R. demonstration was cancelled last month, however the young lady from Orlando General Hospital promised to come back this month, if we change the "victim" from Harry Aroian to someone else.

Joe Lusk, filled in as speaker last month, and gave us the hair raising details of his snake bite on a golf course. Joe's golf game is recovering very well, when you realize how difficult it is to swing a golf club, without getting out of the golf cart.

We are in the process of preparing a slate of officers for the upcoming elections in August and we need volunteers for committees, especially as the club was saddened to learn of the death this week of one of the club's most valuable members — Someone Else. Someone's passing creates a lot of vacancies that will be difficult to fill. Else has been with the club since we reactivated. He did far more than a normal person's share of the work. Whenever there was a job to do, a social function to arrange, funds to be raised, or a meeting to attend, one name was on everyone's lips, "let Someone Else do it." Someone Else left a wonderful example to follow, but who is going to do the things Someone Else did? When you are asked to help, remember — we can't depend on Someone Else.

We are unable to come up with the numbers necessary to fill the charter plane, so the Bahamas Charter trip is off.

I am not giving up yet, and am contacting a couple of Commercial Carriers to get a group rate for 25 or more. We had 32 who would definitely go, evidently 58 was too many to recruit.

Frank Gray and I visited the Tampa club Tuesday, June 19th, and Frank, Harry, Aroian, Jim Hill and I visited Jacksonville on Thursday, June 21st. The Jacksonville meeting was held in Sequoia's warehouse and we had 32 turn out in really bad weather. Harry's cooking, as usual, was appreciated.

It is important that you call Dave



Having fun at the J-III Mini-Convention in Port Ludlow were Randy Bailey (left) conference chairman, Phil Cocks, S-9J-IX, Snark of the Universe Dick Wilson, and wives.

at Huttig, with your reservation, if you intend to eat.

HEALTH HAPPINESS LONG LIFE

Phil Cocks L77298

DICK WILSON, SNARK OF THE UNIVERSE VISITS FLORIDA

The following is a reprint of an article written by Phil Cocks for BLUEPRINT Magazine.

Each year at the Hoo-Hoo Annual Convention, a new leader is elected — the President of the Corporation, you might say. The President of Hoo-Hoo, (called the Snark of the Universe) has the equivalent of 8,000 employees located in about 200 branches in North America and the Pacific, so we were very excited when the Snark consented to visit each of the Florida clubs, as it is impossible for him to visit all the clubs in Hoo-Hoo.

On Monday, April 9, we drove to Ft. Myers, where Royal Palm Club 202 is located. Dennis Laugel and his officers conducted a fine program in which 9 candidates were initiated. Dick Wilson presided as the visiting officer, and exhorted the new members to support their club and the organization. Joe Ledford, Miami,

and Tony Barr and Ted Anderson from Tampa, were just a few of the visitors from other clubs.

Tuesday morning saw us following Joe Ledford, at a hot pace, toward Miami. En route, Joe conducted us on an impromptu tour of the Corkscrew Swamp, during which Joe prodded the offspring of a large female alligator with the pointed end of his umbrella. The stories of the incredible speed of an outraged "Momma Alligator" were proven to us this morning — the incredible speed of a frightened Joe Ledford was even more evident!

Miami Club 42 has a long history and a solid membership who turned out in numbers to initiate 8 kittens. The Concat was held at Dyke's warehouse in the LeHigh Industrial Park. Snark Wilson congratulated Jim Brock on his efforts for the club. He was also glad to see old friends, including Jim Brock, Sr., Everette Cupit, Fred Grooms, and others too numerous to mention.

On Wednesday morning, we headed up the center of the state and back to the West coast, where we visited with Ted Anderson in St. Petersburg — first at his office, and later at his beautiful home, which is a showplace of excellence in millwork, for which Ted is well known. We

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attended our third Concat of the week at the warehouse of **George Weiss**, and another 6 kittens were led through the onion patch. Again, Snark Wilson met old friends **Tommy LeDuc** and others, and we had a good night. The following morning, Ted, having stuffed us with a huge country breakfast, took us to his parents' home on the shore of the Bay. Located on large grounds which include an Indian mound excavated by the Smithsonian Institute, their home is a **botanical showplace** which includes aviaries and is the site on which one of the early Spanish explorers landed.

After our **sightseeing**, we parted company with Ted and headed for Orlando, where we met the officers of **Club 115** for lunch. Later in the evening, we enjoyed well-attended meeting, featuring a film on Mount St. Helens, presented by the **Weyerhaeuser Company**. Ted Anderson was also present, making it his third Hoo-Hoo outing for the week (Jeannette, Ted's wife, was in Europe). **Jim Hill**, the Orlando Club's Vice President, ran a good meeting, and we enjoyed another fine evening of fellowship.

Friday was a special day for us, as it marked the second meeting of Jacksonville's **Club 52** in our efforts to get the club back on its feet. The meeting was held at **Delta Millwork's** warehouse, and members' wives and friends were invited. A total of 44 were in attendance. Special thanks to **Harry Aroian, Geoff Cocks, Frank Gray, Chuck Browning**, the staff of Delta Millwork, and all others who assisted in making the meeting a success. And additional thanks to **Darryl and Peggy Childress**, who later entertained us in their home.

Dick and Fran Wilson headed back to Atlanta on Saturday morning, leaving behind a lot of new friends, 23 new members, and in the minds of many, a greater appreciation of Hoo-Hoo. The Snark is definitely assured that **Hoo-Hoo is alive and well in Florida!**

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AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE TO ALL CLUB PRESIDENTS & ALL PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE TRADITIONS OF HOO-HOO

At the request of **Rameses Jimmy Jones**, I would like to undertake a project, with your help, to standardize a Hoo-Hoo Induction Ritual. This is not an original thought, and from my travels and observations I have noticed that we have about 10 standardized induction ceremonies in current use.

Our goals, should you agree, would be threefold:

- (1) Standardization
- (2) Simplicity in readability & use.
- (3) Preservation of tradition.

I would safely bet, that all of you have attended concats and witnessed participants in the Degree team,

stumbling over pronunciation of difficult words, embarrassing silences, feverish flipping of pages and general confusion. I think you will agree that this detracts from some of the serious aspects of the ritual. A simplified ritual would alleviate some of these problems.

Your participation would really be appreciated. I would especially like to hear from some of our older members who may have old copies of the ritual.

I already have the current ritual as provided by **Gurdon**, and the modified Streamlined edition adopted in 1950 with appended-Ritual "C" short form of induction.

This can be a really rewarding project. Please help.

Philip A. Cocks L77298
S-9 Jurisdiction 9



Snark Dick Wilson and Phil Cocks, S-9 J-IX, with members of the Jacksonville Club.



Standing ovation for the Snark at the meeting of the Central Florida Club 115

NOMINATIONS

Gentlemen,

The name of the recent S-9 member for J-V has been put forward in nomination for 2nd VP. This will leave that S-9 office open for the final year of the two-year term.

The Toronto Hoo-Hoo Club 53 nominates **Keith Waddell, 84324** to fill that vacancy and to complete that term.

Keith is the immediate past president of the Toronto Club 53. He has been an active member of our executive for many years and a regular attendant at our international conventions.

It is imperative that all clubs be certain that in nominating a member for international office that he be one that will devote time and energy to that office and contribute towards the strengthening and continued success of Hoo-Hoo. Keith Waddell is just such a man.

Fraternally Yours,

Bill Bader, L-75318
Rameses 69
Director, Toronto Club 53

Mr. Billy Tarpley
1202 Stone Street
Gurdon, Arkansas 71743

Dear Billy:

San Joaquin Valley Hoo-Hoo Club No. 31 proudly nominates **Bernard B. Barber, Jr. L-48864**, for the office of International Secretary/Treasurer.

Bernie has been a very loyal, dedicated member of Hoo-Hoo for many years, and has served Hoo-Hoo International as Secretary/Treasurer in a very capable manner since the move from Norwood to Gurdon.

It is the opinion of our club that he should be retained in the position he presently holds.

Sincerely and fraternally,
San Joaquin Valley Hoo-Hoo Club 31

Chuck Wills 81781
Vicegerent Snark

HOO-HOO ANNUAL CONVENTION
SEPTEMBER 9 - 12

Detroit Hoo-Hoo Club 28 takes great pleasure in placing the name of **Gordon Graham, L70604** in nomination for the office of Supreme Nine to represent Jurisdiction II in the International Order of Hoo-Hoo.

Gordon has served the Detroit Club for many years. He has held each elective office, served on the Board of Directors for several years, culminating with his present job as Secretary-Treasurer. He has held this post for the past ten years consecutively.

He has been Assistant Secretary-Treasurer of Hoo-Hoo International for several years.

Gordon and his wife June, have attended 14 consecutive International Conventions as well as some of the Mid-Year Board Meetings.

There is no more dedicated Hoo-Hoo member than Gordon and the Detroit Club endorses this nomination enthusiastically!

Jim Niner 83688
President
Detroit Hoo-Hoo Club 28

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1ST V.P. NOMINATION

We, the members of Tacoma Olympia Hoo-Hoo Club 89 place the name of Albert J. Meier 71555, in nomination for International First Vice President.

Al has been a member of Hoo-Hoo since October 4, 1960. He is past president of Tacoma-Olympia 89 and presently serves as International Second Vice President.

It is unknown how many members Al has sponsored into Hoo-Hoo but we do know it's been numerous. Al is truly dedicated to Hoo-Hoo — he lives it day by day and tomorrow after tomorrow.

He has done an outstanding job representing Jurisdiction III. He has been the leader in activating the Mt. St. Helen's Club in Chehalis, Washington. He presided along with Kevin Kelly at their first Concat and has guided them well in their first year of Hoo-Hoo.

Al has been most active in the International Board, attending all functions and adding great wisdom to the welfare of the Club.

Yes, he will be in attendance for the Washington D.C. 92nd Annual Convention. He will participate and be a great asset to this convention.

Brother Meier has the welfare of the Lumber Industry and Hoo-Hoo in his heart.

In good faith, we the members of the Tacoma-Olympia Hoo-Hoo Club 89, proudly nominate Gentleman Hoo-Hoo Al Meier as International First Vice President. He will serve in dignity and honor for the Fraternity of Hoo-Hoo.

TACOMA-OLYMPIA Hoo-Hoo Club 89
Erick Bleich 84192 — President

ATTENTION!!!

All Club Officers

INTERNATIONAL CHANGE IN DUES STRUCTURE

The International dues for membership in Hoo-Hoo effective September 9, 1984 are as follows:

REGULAR RENEWALS U.S. \$16.99

REINSTATEMENT (any member who is unpaid for one year or more) U.S. \$16.99
Plus Reinstatement Fee 5.00
TOTAL U.S. \$21.99

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TOTAL U.S. \$26.99

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AL KERPER L-44255

Hoo-Hoo everywhere were saddened at the news of the death of Al Kerper. Here at headquarters we have received letters that would serve as fine tributes to the memory of Al. The following is a letter written by Jimmy Jones, Rameses 72:

It is another sad time in Jurisdiction VI. We have lost another great guy in the Hoo-Hoo ranks. Al Kerper, really Mr. Hoo-Hoo in J-VI, has passed away. I returned from a visit to the Honolulu club last night to hear this from my son Dave. Dave has worked very close with Al the last few years on the Redwood Grove committee. Al had been the chairman as long as we have had a Redwood Grove. Roy Dunbar was another long time member of the committee and he is also gone, with Jack Cheshire, Vaughn Justus, and now Al. J-VI has lost some of its very best leadership.

Many years ago Al was concat in Spokane, Washington. We could tell some great stories of what went on the whole day of the concat. The annual January concat of the Shasta Cascade Club in Redding was a yearly highlight of Al's life.

Because of his health in the last few years, Al and Fran had to move from Redding to the Sacramento area to be near their daughter. I am sure the Great Black Cat has a special place for Al Kerper in Hoo-Hoo Heaven.

We in J-VI as well as many other people in Hoo-Hoo Land will miss Al Kerper.

Fraternally,

Jimmy Jones, Rameses 72

Obituaries

CECILIA JONES HANSEN

CHICO — Cecilia Jones Hansen, a Napa High School graduate, died Wednesday, June 27, of injuries sustained in an auto accident in Willows, California. She was 26.

Mrs. Hansen was born in Vallejo, Oct. 5, 1957, to James and Betty Jones. As a young woman she was very active in Napa 4-H programs. She worked with horses as a project and was awarded a state championship for her efforts. She graduated from Napa High in 1975, and in 1980 graduated from California State University, Chico.

She married Thomas A. Hansen in Napa, in July of 1981.

Mrs. Hansen was an employee of the Diamond W Saddleshop, and maintained her own stables and riding school, called "Honey Run Farms."

She is survived by her husband, Thomas A. Hansen of Chico; her parents, James and Betty Jones of Napa; a brother, David Jones of Benicia; and two nieces.

Funeral services were held at Treadway & Wigger Funeral Chapel. Entombment followed at Tulocay Garden Mausoleum. Services in Chico were held at the Hall-Van Hook Funeral Chapel.

AUGUST (GUS) LUSARDI L-31835

Gus Lusardi, a life member of Hoo-Hoo and a member of San Diego Hoo-Hoo Club 3, died Saturday, June 2nd. Born January 15, 1891, he was 93 years old. He was a member of San Diego Club 3.

He was born in San Diego County to one of the county's pioneer families. He began his career as a salesman with the Benson Lumber Company. He was co-owner of Cal Mex Lumber from 1951 to his retirement in 1976. Surviving is a sister.

THEODORE A. REED 33957

The Willamette Valley Hoo-Hoo Club announced the death of Theodore A. Reed 33957 of Eugene, OR at the age of 92.

JULIUS SEIDEL

The following obituary is a reprint from the Red Cedar Shingle & Hamdsplit Shake Bureau newsletter:

Our industry is most fortunate to have a cadre of supporters and boosters in practically every section of the nation — men and women, unpaid, who can be counted on to actively support any opportunity to improve the status of cedar shakes and shingles or to oppose situations which threaten that status. We lost one such "cedar champion" in the passing, May 18th after a long illness, of Julius Seidel of Southwest Wholesale, St. Louis, Missouri. He always stood ready to support our industry products, and was responsible for much of the renaissance of cedar roofing in the greater St. Louis area during the past 20 years. Mr. Seidel's lumber lineage is indicated by the fact his father served as Snark of the Universe of the International Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo in 1915-17. His son, Jay, is carrying on the business.

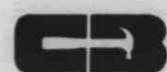
CHARLES DIPRIZIO SR.

MIDDLETON — Charles DiPrizio Sr., 88, died at his home Sunday.

Born in Mirabella, Italy, son of Constantino and Maria (Recuper) DiPrizio, he had been a resident of Middleton for 64 years.

He was the founder of Charles DiPrizio & Sons Lumber Company of Middleton. He was vice president and honorary director of the Farmington National and Savings Bank, Farmington, and one of the oldest deputy wardens in Strafford County.

Survivors include his wife, Louise (Barletta) DiPrizio; six sons, Constantino (Gus) DiPrizio, John H. DiPrizio, Alvino C. DiPrizio, Charles (Sonny) DiPrizio, Jr., Anthony V. DiPrizio, all of Middleton, and Prisco N. DiPrizio of Farmington; two daughters, Mrs. Nicholas (Evelyn) Lunongo of Middleton and Mrs. Emanuel (Eleanor) LaCarruba of Water Mill, Long Island, N.Y.; 17 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren, several cousins.



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BRIEFS

NEW EXECUTIVE SECRETARY FOR HHI

Effective June 22, 1984, Billy W. Tarpley, a native of Gurdon, became the new executive secretary for Hoo-Hoo International.

Tarpley, 25, was born and raised in Gurdon. He was graduated from Gurdon High School in 1977 and later earned a B.A. in journalism from Henderson State University in Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

Tarpley has spent the past 3 years in Little Rock, Arkansas as the Public Information Director for the Arkansas State Senate. While attending college, he worked as an announcer and Public Service Director for KVRC/KDEL-FM in Arkadelphia and was employed as a staff writer for the Arkadelphia Daily Siftings Herald newspaper.

He is married to the former Sally Ann Ray of Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

... A NOTE FROM HQ

Greetings from Gurdon!
Just a note to tell you I look forward to meeting you in Washington, D.C. in September. I realize I am following in the footsteps of a very capable and talented man, and I am excited at the challenge of continuing in the same fine tradition. Many of you have called to offer your help and support, and I thank you deeply. Thanks to Betty, I am learning the ropes as quickly as possible.

I know that we can all work together to continue to help Hoo-Hoo International grow and expand.

1925 Name Tag-Badge Donated To Museum

The museum committee wishes to thank Mr. John M. Lingaas of Mehama, Oklahoma, who donated a name tag-badge from the 34th Hoo-Hoo annual held in Spokane, Washington, September 14-16, 1925, to be placed in the Hoo-Hoo museum in Gurdon.

The badge bears the name of Lingaas' father, Jens Lingaas, who at that time was general manager of Portland Manufacturing Company in Portland, Oregon. Don Andrews 54337 of Green Peter Hoo-Hoo Club 226 forwarded the badge to the museum along with a note saying that Lingaas found his father's badge while sorting through memorabilia, and wanted it to be part of Hoo-Hoo history. MANY THANKS!

SOUTHERN MILL TOUR

The Mid-America Lumbermen's Association recently sponsored their Fifth Annual Southern Mill Tour.

Laurin and Maxene Champ and Tom and Barbara Nabholz hosted the tour of 42 participants. The group visited the Hoo-Hoo International office, museum and monument in Gurdon, Arkansas.

Lunch was served in the City Hall hosted by the International Paper Company. Guests of the group included Mr. and Mrs. Russell McClain 88090, and Mr. Louis Cabe L-54333.

The tour consisted of visiting International Paper Company's complex at Gurdon, Weyerhaeuser's Gypsum Board Plant at Brier, Arkansas, and their Plywood and Sawmill Complex and Post and Pole Mill at DeQueen. The group also toured Dickey Clay Company in Texarkana, Sykes Flooring in Warren, Arkansas, and Potlatch Corporation Sawmill and Millwork Plant in Warren.



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Fraternally,

Manny Litvin 60272
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A THANK YOU NOTE FROM CLIFF

When I got out of the hospital and finally returned home, I received cards from my Hoo-Hoo friends from no less than 29 states of the U.S., and I received telephone calls from 5 states, Australia and Canada. There is no way I can answer each card I received, so I am asking you to write a "thank you" note from me to all my friends in Hoo-Hoo land.

It is plain to see that Hoo-Hoo builds lasting friendships! Some of those men I had not heard from for at least three years, but they all came through when they were needed!

Sincerely,

Cliff Cunningham L-71880

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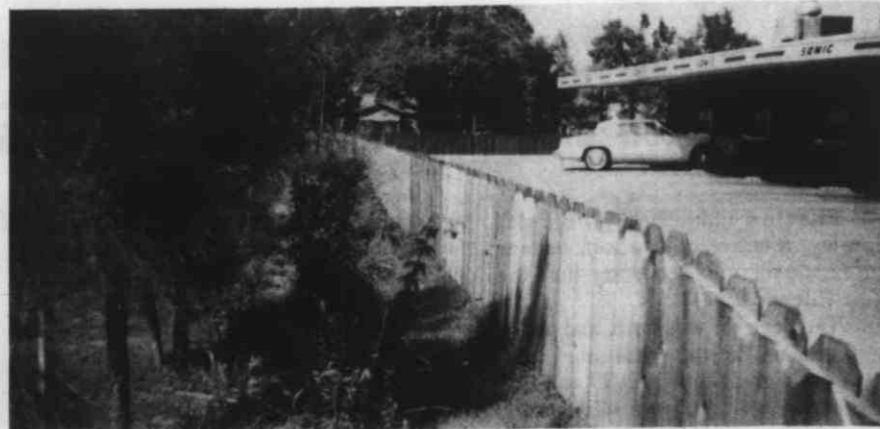
Talent will not; nothing is more common than unsuccessful men with talent.

Genius will not; unrewarded genius is almost a proverb.

Education will not; the world is full of educated derelicts.

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HOO-HOO MUSEUM AND HEADQUARTERS GETS FACELIFT

"Isn't it looking great!" "It's really becoming a showplace!" "It sure does improve the looks of Main Street!" These are just a few of the complimentary remarks heard around Gurdon about our headquarters/museum building here.

The museum recently had some work done outside to improve its

looks and lend the proper aire of respect a building such as this deserves. The museum committee agreed to hire Don Stone Builders of Gurdon to erect a fence around our property, construct a small shelter with step rails at the front door and paint the trim on the building.

Several more improvements to the building and grounds are in the planning mode at present and, eventually, it will become even MORE of a showplace than it is now.

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NOTICE TO ALL CLUB SECRETARIES

A new booklet, produced by the Advertising & Publicity Committee, is now available. The booklet is called "An Introduction to Hoo-Hoo, The Fraternal Order of Lumbermen," and was designed to replace the outdated "From Whence Came Hoo-Hoo." This booklet is invaluable for prospective members, guest speakers, media and all interested parties. Members may even learn from it. All clubs should have a supply on hand. A charge of 60 cents per copy will be made and all proceeds will go to our museum, therefore, make checks payable to Hoo-Hoo Museum Fund. Send orders and checks to:

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EDITOR'S NOTE: A big thanks and a tip-of-the-hat to the Advertising and Publicity committee for a job well done!

FURMAN LUMBER LAUNCHES STURDI-WOOD DEALER SUPPORT PROGRAM WITH END-USER EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

Retail lumber dealers throughout the Western United States are getting support for sales of Sturdi-Wood oriented strand board through an end-user educational campaign developed and recently launched by Furman Lumber, Inc., Boston, Mass., leading national wholesale lumber and lumber product distributor, according to Rich Viola, Furman marketing director.

Anchoring the campaign are product specialists from Furman and manufacturer Pelican Mills, Ltd., who are covering seven Western markets, including Phoenix, Denver, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Reno and Portland. These specialists, operating out of Furman's Portland, Ore., office, are educating builders, architects and retail sales people on the uses and benefits of Sturdi-Wood through seminars and building site visits.

Backing up these product specialists is a direct mail piece being sent to more than 11,000 contractors

and architects in the same Western markets. Besides outlining Sturdi-Wood's benefits, Viola said, a major one being its APA Span Rating in six thicknesses, the mailer offers a postage-paid reply card with which recipients can request a Sturdi-Wood sample, additional information, or the location of nearby seminars.

Sturdi-Wood is an APA performance rated oriented strand board manufactured from all white poplar with strands in the solid interior layer oriented perpendicular to those in the two exterior layers, which are smooth and void free. Furman is making it available in sanded and tongue-and-groove sheets ranging in size from 4'-by-4' to 8'-by-24', in six APA Span Rated thicknesses from 1/4" to 1 1/4".

A new generation of plywood substitute, according to Viola, Sturdi-Wood's three-layer, perpendicular orientation gives it added strength, stiffness and dimensional stability. Panels, he said, which are made with a non-Urea glue, are knot, void and patch free. In addition, he said, Sturdi-Wood's one grade, which cuts, nails and drills easily, replaces several plywood grades.

"Our dealer support campaign," Viola concluded, "will significantly benefit retail sales of Sturdi-Wood, which is a relatively new and high quality, competitively priced plywood substitute."

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WELCOME NEWCATS



Since publication of the "New Kittens" page in May, 239 novices have walked through the onion fields and emerged enlightened and enthusiastic in the Inner Courts. They have been assigned numbers, registered in the Headquarters Register and mailed the standard kit of information that goes to all new members. Welcome!

Hampton Road Club 154 Suffolk, VA Concat 3872 - February 9, 1984	Jeffrey Bruce Caison 90780 Linwood Lee Edwards 90781 Glen E. Green 90782 William C. Lamar 90783 Michael K. Mulford 90784 Robert Joseph Palencar 90785 Robert Minor Willis II 90786	Bob L. Dynes 90807 Guy Donald Pyselam 90808 Robert (Bob) Andrew Seldon 90809	Tony B. James 90833 James Dean Jeffus 90834 James Henry Kenemer 90835 Don Morris Nicholas 90836 Dalton Eugene (Gend) Sanders 90837 Donald E. Umphress 90838 William David Wamboldt 90839 Greg S. Wheeler 90840
Atlanta Club 1 Atlanta, GA Concat 3877 - February 20, 1984	Edward Burke Addison III 90810 Allen Albert Hanahan 90811 Gary Estes Harris 90812 Edward Merritt Huber 90813 Gerald Bradford Moran 90814 William John O'Neill 90815	Portland Club 47 Portland, OR Concat 3879 - March 26, 1984	Richard Noel Baxter 90841 Terry L. Hancock 90842 Richard James (Jim) Lang 90843 Daniel Verner Miller 90844 Gary Donald Speck 90845 James Lee Vannoy 90846
Humboldt Hoo-Hoo Club 63 Eureka, CA Concat 3873 - January 26, 1984	DeVere L. Ferrin 90787 David J. Goetz 90788 H. James Holmes 90789 Gregory M. Smith 90790 Eugene Karl Waldsmith 90791	Western Massachusetts Windsor Locks, Conn Special Concat - November 15, 1983	Central Florida Club 115 Orlando, Florida Concat 3880 - March 1, 1984
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Sioux Valley Club 118 Sioux Falls, S.D. Concat 3875 - February 14, 1984	Stephen Charles Bolin 90796 Patrick S. Hines 90797 Timothy Max Hoffman 90798 Garry K. Hosum 90799 Dennis L. Pastian 90800 Randall Dee Pooley 90801 Curtis Lee Schuh 90802 Frank C. Steele 90803 David A. Thayer 90804 R. Kevin Throckmorton 90805 Rick Arthur Zakrzewski 90806	Houston Club 23 Houston, TX Special Concat - March 22, 1984	Willamette Valley Club 33 Eugene, OR Concat 3884 - March 29, 1984
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Tacoma, WA
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Steve T. Mills 90882
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Eugene, OR
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Dale Joseph Penney	90948
Ron J. Salvatore	90949
Richard Edwin Stoneman	90950

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Robert L. Shimon	90958
Harold W. Smart	90959
Stan A. Torstenson	90960
Louis Robert Suchomel	90961

Seattle Club 34
Seattle, WA
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Brian C. Roswell	90968

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Damascus, MD
Concat 3890 - November 16, 1983

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Wayne Stevenson Mitchell	90974
Terrence Patrick Moore	90975
Thomas Waters Parry III	90976
S. David Radulski	90977
Mark S. Sellw	90978

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Duncan B.C., Canada
Concat 3891 - March 15, 1984

Robert Wayne Beecroft	90979
Paul Arnold Beltgens	90980
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Bend, OR
Concat 3892 - April 5, 1984

Charles L. Burgess	90986
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Donnie W. Goode	90988
Kevin Bert Huff	90989
Frank B. Regier	90990
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Willis E. Stafford	90993
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Manchester, N.H.
Concat 3893 - March 19, 1984

John Collins	90996
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Roger Allen Keniston	90998
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Miami, FL
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