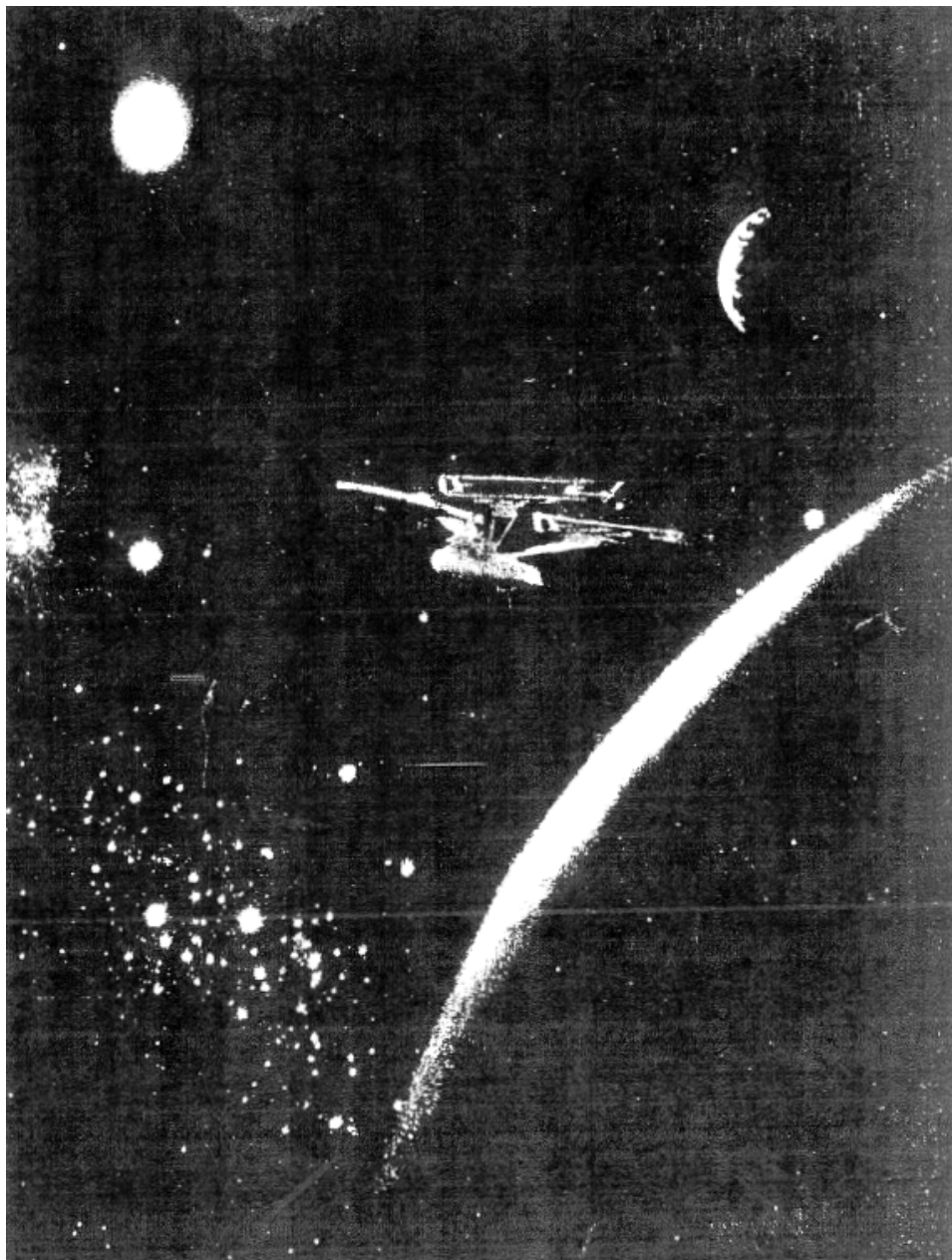


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NOVEMBER, 1984



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Editor's Corner

Sorry the August issue of the Communique was late in getting out. I am now on schedule so future issues will not be late.

Hope everyone enjoyed the August issue. I did that newsletter on a last minute notice. Cindy called from Texas one night and asked me to work out a schedule for the Communique. In doing so, I discovered that an issue needed to be done right away for August! When I worked out the schedule, it was already August!

Since the newsletter comes out quarterly, I have worked out a schedule so it will come out at even times in a year. The months you should expect your Communique are as follows:

FEBRUARY, MAY, AUGUST, and finally NOVEMBER.

Anyone wanting to contribute articles or stories for publication in the Communique should have them to me by the 25th two months before release date. For example: If you want a story in for the February issue, I'll need that story by and no later than the 28th of December. If you want it in the May issue, I'll need it by and no later than the 28th of March. This gives me time to get the newsletter typed up and ready for painting. I have to send a copy down to Fran Booth so she can proofread it before it gets sent out. Plus when bulk mailing items from Newton, I'm supposed to allow ten days for processing.

That's all for now. Until next Lime: Live Long and Prosper!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steven Smith". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

S.L. Smith, Admiral
STARFLEET

LETTERS

Below is the rest of the letter that was in the August issue. The letter contains viewpoints about Mondale and his views on the Space Program.

Mr. Mondale, I think, is deluding the public by concealing his dislike for space-related projects by attacking those he perceives as the most costly and the least-popular. Adolf Hitler used a similar strategy, as did Joseph Stalin; they managed to wipe out people they considered as undesirable by first attacking those that they considered as the most dangerous and undesirable -- the Nazis first victims in 1933 were their political foes such as the communists and socialists. Walter Mondale will get his way to cancel the space program by first cancelling all funds that are allocated for space-weapons research. He will eventually delete space shuttle funding by arguing that the shuttle is a military-related tool. I wouldn't be surprised if he were to eradicate all N.A.S.A. programs, regardless of their strategic value. This is what perturbs me so much.

I'm a political independent who only votes whenever there is a candidate who is sincerely interested in space exploration and the commercialization of space. As you can infer, I don't vote very often.

However, this year may be an exception.

Yours truly,
Lou Henken

CLASSIFIED'S

Have something to sell! Or maybe you would like to correspond with other Starfleet members? This new section is just for you! Starfleet members will not be charged for placing ads. Do try to keep them around 50 words or less for purpose of space.

AMERICAN FAN: (Female, mid-40's) Would like to correspond with Trekkers in other countries. Interests include attending cons, reading zines, and pen palling. Louise Kordus, 535 S. 68th St., Milwaukee, Wis. 53214

FOR SALE: Star Trek, S.F. Posters, zines, studio publicity etc. Send SASE for price list. Same address as above.

The U.S.S. COLUMBIA NCC-621 is putting out an officers handbook on the fictional alter egos of the ships officers. This handbook contains these alter ego's fictional background, medical section on these characters racial backgrounds, a quadrant map of quadrant 4 south, a present Stardate calender, address of ships members, etc.

Comes in a folder with color choice, is over 50 pages long, and the fiction is well thought out and interesting. Cost is \$6.00 and includes postage in the US. (Overseas please send \$1.00 extra for postage.) Folder colors: Gold, Blue, Red, Green, White, & Black. Printed per-order.

LANDING PARTY PROCEDURES:

This is a report done by the Alien Environment Instructor of the USS COLUMBIA. She was a meteorologist in the USAF and has used her knowledge to make this report scientifically accurate as possible. Ten pages in length, comes in a clear folder. For price information, send SASE to Lt. Cmdr. Lee Lowrey Jr. 2557 Rocky Ridge Ln., Birmingham, AL. 35216. Printed per-order.

STARFLEET HQ
FINANCIAL STATEMENT JULY 1984

	DEBITS	CREDITS	TOTALS
Balance brought forward June			\$587.25+
Membership fees collected		\$1222.50	
112 at \$10.00	\$1120.00		
6 at \$15.00	\$ 90.00		
1 at \$ 7.50	\$ 7.50		
1 at \$ 5.00	\$ 5.00		
Sales		4.00	
Donations		.00	
Total credits		<u>\$1226.50</u>	1226.50+
Printing	\$382,76		
300 memo pads	-\$217.33		
1000 membership flyers			
500 renewal notices			
150 yellow cards			
150 white cards			
100 notices of receipt	-\$100.86		
200 Handbook Supps.	-\$64.57		
Postage		193.62	
101 membership packs. mailed			
404 20¢ stamps			
Bulk mail permit in Newton, IA (Communique headquarters)		80.00	
Bank service charges		46.86	
300 preprinted checks			
90 " " deposit slips			
2 "For deposit only" stamps			
P.O. BOX 1470 rental 6 months		22.50	
Returned checks	<u>20.00</u>		
(Shannon Taylor)	-\$10.00		
(Sherene J. Adams)	-\$10.00		
Total debits	\$745.74		\$745.74-
Closing balance July			\$1068.01+

FLEET AWARDS

Below is the results of the Recruitment Drive held From May 26 – August 31, 1984. Many thanks to all members who helped in the Drive! Your the ones who help make this club a success!

REGIONAL STANDINGS:

Region Seven came in first with 77 recruitments.

Region One finished in second place with 68.

Region Fourteen earned third place with 48.

Region Ten had 47, Region Twelve had 47, Region Four had 27, Region Three had 24, Region Six had 20, Region Seventeen had 13, Region Two had 11, Region Five had 6, Region Thirteen had 5, Region Nine had 3, Region Eleven had 1, and Region Eight, Sixteen, Eighteen and Nineteen had 0.

(Total Recruitments: 391)

INDIVIDUAL STANDINGS:

J. Supranovich came in first with 34 recruitments.

J. Genser finished second with 29.

L. Neighbors earned third place hath 14.

P. Dupuy and F. Medcalf each had 7; M. Helm, J. Maddox and T. Murray had 6 each; F. Booth and G. Enos each had 5; S. Durda, I. Hightower, L. Schmidt and S. Smith each had 4; C. Brown, R. Fiedler, R. Haynes, L. Mascheschi, and C. Munkholm had 3 each; N. Cook, F. Costello, D. Courtney, S. Lee, V. Maul, D. Ryan, G. Young and M. Zick had 2 each.

Special thanks to the Lethbridge Association of Star Trek Fans (Alberta, Canada) who alto recruited 2.

SHIP STANDINGS:

USS JAMESTOWN finished second with 21.
USS POTEKIN earned third place with 5.

The USS CORVUS, the USS HALSEY, the USS KRIEGER, the USS LAFAYETTE, the USS LAGRANGE and the USS NOKOMIS each recruited 3. The USS EQUULUS, the USS ACHERNAR, the USS DEFIANCE, the USS K'HOTAN, the USS SARATOGA and the USS SIRIUS each had 1.

NEWS AND RUMORS ON STAR TREK IV

Special thanks to Jason Gensor for this latest news bit on Star Trek IV. Harve Bennett has been assigned as Producer for ST IV.

Leonard Nimoy has been assigned as Director again. They are both working on a story line. The Movie is currently in Pre-Production with a June 1986 expected release date!



Below is an interview that Capt. Larry Marcheschi had with Vice President Cindy Fieser when she visited Iowa recently. Cindy visited with the crew of the USS LAFAYETTE during one of their meetings. The interview took place on 8407.31.

Larry Marcheschi: Hello!

Cindy Fieser: Hi!

LM: How was your trip?

CF: I flew in and I was fifteen minutes late..Schedules!..The airlines don't know how to tell time, I guess..(Laughs)

LM: Why did you come to town?

CF: My parents live here..Vacationing..I've got three weeks. I have a class reunion to go to next week. I'm a graduate of U.T. and we are having our ten-year class reunion of '74.

LM: Where do you work and what do you do?

CF: Western Union..San Antonio, Texas. Well, my official title is Clerk Operator, but I do a bunch of everything..I answer the phone, type on a teletype, wait on customers..and I count a lot of money..and it's because when someone goes on vacation, I take over their job. I'm the vacation relief..so I can do everything in the office..so that's kind of nice. I get a nice variety.

LM: How long have you been with Western Union?

CF: In December, it will be five years.

LM: How old are you?

CF: 27

LM: 27..with a BIRTHDAY in October.

CF: The 18th.

LM: How long have you been involved with Star Trek?

CF: Well, I guess since high school. I used to get out of school at three..and I'd come home and Star Trek would be on from four to five and I'd sit down in front of the television set and watch Star Trek. Then I'd switch over to cable Channel 9 and guess what! Star Trek was on from five to six. So it was great! Two hours every day! I guess that's what got me hooked in the beginning..I started collecting pictures..with the intention of making a scrapbook..never did make the scrapbook, but I've still got the pictures.

LM: Do you have a favorite Star Trek episode?

CF: I think it would be "The Paradise Syndrome" that's the one with Miramanee..and Kirk loses his memory.

LM: Your favorite Star Trek character?

CF: Probably Spock. I can relate to his logic..and coldness, I guess.

LM: How about a favorite ST memory..that ST was the cause of this memory?

CF: I would say..that probabally Space Trek III..it was a great convention. It was one I was at earlier this year in St. Louis. George Takei was there, and DeForest Kelley and James Doohan. And Harve Bennett was there..it was a great convention. I got together with a bunch of STARFLEET people. The weekend ended all too soon. There were some really nice dealers' rooms..I spent all my money. It was great fun.

LM: Has there been any other conventions?

CF: Well, there've been..two in San Antonio, I've been to. Then the one in St. Louis and there was one in Dallas and one in Houston..and that's it.

LM: And Space Trek III was the best?

CF: Space Trek III was the best convention..had a great attendance.. I hear there were two thousand people each day..and I was there Saturday and Sunday.

LM: Our very own Jan Driggs was there and I had talked to her about it and she says she had not known about the meeting for STARFLEET.

CF: Well there was a bulletin board..or a chalk-board..in the lobby where you could write down messages and we tried to advertise by word-of-mouth..and it was posted on the board.

LM: What is the function of STARFLEET and how does it work?

CF: Well..you would send..if you wish to become a member..we charge \$10 a year and you have to renew annually, and it's \$15 for overseas..and with that you're entitled to a membership package which includes..a memo pad..bumper sticker..Federation Seal..handbook..certificate..and a I.D. card. Then you're also supposeto be entitled to four COMMUNIQUEs..however, that's another story (Laugh)..I'll tell that later on..(laugh)

LM: Why were you chosen, or did you choose..or did

somebody choose you as Vice-President?

CF: Well, one day..Fran Booth, who is now our President, got in contact with Eric Stillwell because Eric had..well..the Chief of Operations..whose name is, or was, I should say, George Raney, was a resident of San Antonio. When he became Chief of Operations, he moved to Oregon, and we both knew George. George got into some medical problems and Eric called Fran to tell her about George's injury, so they were talking and Eric made some comment that he had, or was, stepping down from the Presidency. This was in November (1983)..and we were shocked..absolutely shocked! He said that not only was he stepping down, but so was Holly Wells-Booth, who was then Vice President. He needed someone to carry on..in the name of STARFLEET, like a President. Fran was at that time already Commander of the Antares and was considering stepping in, but she knew it was going to be a big job..at our next meeting, she discussed it with the crew of the Antares..and we discussed it back and forth and we really didn't want to make a commitment one way or the other..cause we knew what it would entail.

I think we thought about it for two weeks..and then we had another meeting and we decided that with a team effort from all of us..that we could do it. It was at that time when she was thinking about campaigning..and she had me in mind for Vice-President and Kay Clancey in mind for Chief of Operations..if we were going to win this election. Well we contacted Eric back..and told him that we would be interested in carrying on, because he made it sound like he approached quite a few people and no one was interested. So we said o.k.-if you need someone, we don't want STARFLEET to go down the drain. We will take it over..if you need somebody

Continued next issue!



Just a quick note from us at CREATION CONVENTIONS, INC. We at CREATION feel there is a need for greater fan involvement in our shows, and we would like to invite your-club and all it's members to participate in our conventions. CREATION has been producing conventions nationwide for many years now, and we cover most major cities in the U.S..

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FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPER AND CHARITY AUCTION: Tickets are pre-registered only. Deadline is Jan. 20th, 1985. Menu will be Roast Round of Beef, Baked Potato, Tossed Salad, Broccoli and Dessert. The auction that follows is for charity and is open to anyone attending the con. A list of auction items will be sent with the second progress report.

ART SHOW AND AUCTION: All artwork must be fully matted. There is a 10% commission on sales. For art show rules and further information send a SASE to Terri Sylvester, 8503 Church Lane, Randallstown, Maryland. 21133.

COSTUME CALL: Will be held Saturday night. Categories are ST, SF, Fantasy. Also awards for most humorous, most original and Best Show. All weapons must be sheathed.

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HOTEL: Marriott's Hunt Valley Inn is located in Cockeysville, Maryland (15 miles north of Baltimore). Rooms are \$58.00. A major shopping mall is across the road. Hotel cards will be sent with first progress report, or you may call the hotel direct. 301-666-7000. (DO NOT USE TOLL-FREE NUMBER.) Mention you are with ClipperCon for the con rate.

PROGRAM BOOK: Ads must be copy ready and in by December 20th, 1984. Rates are: full page - \$50.00, half page - \$30.00, quarter page - \$20, business card \$10., patron ads - \$1.00 a line.

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FLEET REPORT

This will be used to keep everyone up to date on the status of the entire Fleet. If you have any special projects going on, or have accomplish some thing important, let every one know here.

Admiral Ilene M. Hightower writes in with a Newsletter entitled "POTEMKIN DISPATCH" in regards to their Year in Review.

They have gained many new members. adopted a con-

stitution, established a board of directors. The ship is only 20 months old.

Crew of POTEMKIN was involved in WQED pledge telethon. They had a Flagship celebration. Have been to CREATION and MULTIMEDIA cons. Plus 1st annual family picnic, 1st annual awards banquet, monthly meetings, and visited the Space Center, Parkway Mall, and helped with the Premier of Star Trek III at the Chatham Cinema on May 31., and at the Cinema West.

Picture of POTEMKIN crew below.



U.S.S. SOL NCC-1733:

The U.S.S. SOL had a booth at the fair held in Fairbanks, Alaska. It was a success and Capt. Trina Anderson feels other Starships may be interested in this activity.

The fair's theme was "Silver Salute to Statehood" in reference to Alaska's 25th year of statehood admission. Their fair booth's theme was "USS SOL Celebrates Alaska's 325th Statehood Anniversary" as ST's year is 2284.

An 8-hour VHS tape filled with 11 ST episodes played continuously. The episodes which seemed to attract and hold the most viewer attention were "Day of the Dove" and "Piece of the Action."

they STARFLEET applications were available. 15 new members signed up during the 6 days of the fair. Those who signed up at the fair received a free copy of the novelization of "The Search for Spock." Also had petition drive urging one of the local TV stations to carry ST. The drive produced over 4,000 signatures. Representatives from 2 local TV stations stopped by and expressed interest in seeing the results of the drive.

If you have any thoughts of holding a ST fair booth, do it! It was fun and took minimal preparation. The main aspect was the planning what to do and how to do it.

The woman manning the booth in the picture below is the First Officer, Cmdr. Robyn Russell.



U.S.S. TAURUS NCC-605:

Located in West Warwick, RI. Recently sent in their newsletter titled, "The Bull." The newsletter is packed full of information.

As of Stardate 8409 all moorings cleared. The USS TAURUS has finally been taken out of "Space Dock." For first activities they plan on beaming down a landing party to the Marriott Copley Place for the Boston Creation Convention. George Takei is the Star Trek guest. Hope they'll send in a report on the activities held at this convention for all to share.

Ship Projects: Capt. Daniel E. Ciora is currently writing the USS TAURUS OFFICER'S MANUAL. Plus other Officers in the ship are busy at work. Sable P. Deignan is working on the Officers of the Taurus, which will be little bio's on each Officer. Plus Library Computer has been set up to answer questions other crewmembers may have about ST. Plus, Capt. Ciora is running "Enterprise Simulations" in which you are given command of the USS ENTERPRISE and the crew that served under Capt. Kirk. You are put on a mission in which your decision could be life or death.

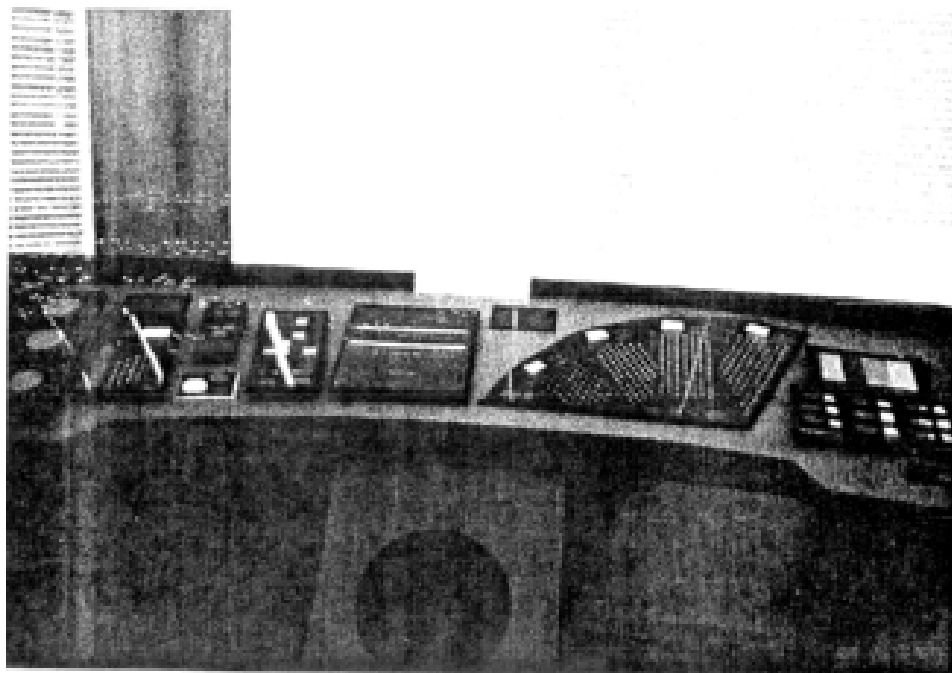
Lt. Manny DeCosta is examining Star Trek Role Game.

U.S.S. KESTRAL NCC-1766:

The crew of the USS KESTRAL have been very busy for quite some time. Under the direction of Admiral Elizabeth Rose, the KESTRAL has been working on a Video Project and have built a full scale Helm Console. The working title of the Video Film is: "Unfinished Business."

The project is proceeding on schedule and on budget. Expenditures of \$135 have been made for construction of the Bridge Helm and Navigation Console. The completed sets are expected to cost \$300. On the next page you'll find a couple of pictures of their console.

Plus the KESTRAL has another business, "Future Enterprises." They have many items for sale. Items include pens, stationery, buttons, cards, stickers, and vinyl portfolios. All the best to the KESTRAL and their project! And many Commendations!!!!



U.S.S. VICTORY NCC-1398:

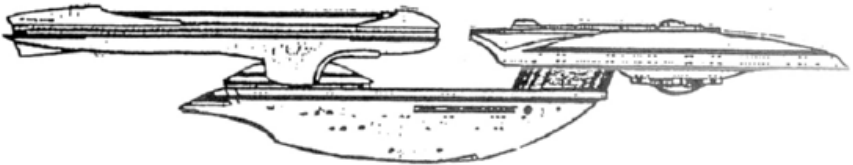
Re-organization going well. Issued first ship's newsletter on 8408.13. Commander Mark Schmadeke is working on ship patch and stationery for their vessel. Lt. Commander Rick Howard is helping Mark with membership cards. Also planning shuttle program for their out-of-town members.

U.S.S. EQUULUS NCC-603:

Captain Gorman was given command of the USS EQUULUS several months ago, and since then has published an issue of the chapter's newsletter. Crew members are drawn from all areas of Alberta, and there is even a member from Victoria, Australia. Many of the crew are actively involved with L.A.S.T.F. (Lethbridge Association of Star Trek Fans), based in southern Alberta.

U.S.S. EXETER NCC-1706:

This ship has now been changed to USS EXETER NX-1706 due to a re-fit to Trans Warp Drive. So far it's the only ship in the Fleet that has taken this jump. The EXETER is now commanded by Rick Hunter. Please disregard the number NX-2001 in the Handbook Supplement. The crew of the EXETER felt that people might confuse it with the EXCELSIOR with that type of number. The EXETER is still a Heavy Cruiser, not a Battlecruiser like the EXCELSIOR. Hopefully the NX-1706 number will be placed in a future Handbook Supplement. Below is the design the crew came up with for their re-fitted ship.



U.S.S. BROWNING/NCC-1959

Captain Person reports that his crew is beginning a recruitment drive as soon as school opens. Also checking on the Sixth Fleet's logo made into patches.

U.S.S. CZAR'AK/NCC-1798

Captain Dover reports that they are starting recruitment drive:also planning a STARFLEET BATTLES Tournament.

U.S.S. FLOYD/NCC-1960

Capt. Hitt reports that they are having a car wash in September for fund raising. Also plan to have an information booth at Mall for Halloween safety tips.

U.S.S. NOKOMIS/NCC-1858

Capt. Munkholm reports that they are having a garage sale, raising funds for their 1986 Con. As a gesture of good faith, they sent a pregnant tribble to Sub-Commander Kralax. Assisting HALSEY in Trek Fest. Their shuttle Capt., Dave Petterson.

U.S.S. ORION/NCC-1852

Capt. Murray reports that the problem of their year-book has been solved and will be out shortly.

U.S.S. RANGER/NCC-777

This is a new ship to the Sixth Fleet;Destroyer Class. Just completed construction. First mission to assist the HALSEY in their Car Wash.

U.S.S. HALSEY/NCC-1942

On STARDATE 8A09.02 a mayday distress call was received aboard the HALSEY. The location of this urgent call for help was the planet Earth, specifically from the HQ of the Jerry Lewis Telethon for M.D.A. The crew responded in true Star Trek spirit. Members manned the phones until wee hours of the night, with local news and TV personalaties, Susan McGowan, Tom Maxwell, and Mark Ovenden. Susan and Admiral Jungers were a hit right off. Labor day the crew again responded with help at the MDA JC's Carnival, providing Klingon and Federation Officers and inlisted personnel for the Dunk Tank in which Kralax has his yearly bath so later in the afternoon John Dunnicliff could stand to get up close for an interview.

That's all the ship reports we have for this time. If you'd like to have your ship reported, and I know you do, maybe all chapters should start sending me a copy of their monthly reports. That way I'll be sure to include all ship's in upcoming newsletters. Most of these reports were from newsletter exchanges that the USS EXETER is engaged in. Send your reports to:

THE CHIEF OF COMMUNICATIONS
ADMIRAL STEVE SMITH
P.O. BOX 843
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(Halsey participates in MDA Telethon: Left to right - - Kralax (L. Larsen), Cybthia Husen, Shar Whitehorn, Mark Ovarton, Tam Maxwell, Susan McGowan,(KSFY), Dennis Whitehorn, Frank Jungers, Juann Jungers, & Joshua Walton.)

Missing in Action

The following people are missing. We have no address at all on them; just their name. If you know where these people are, please let Cindy Fieser know.

EDDIE ROLNICK

MICHAEL ROGERS

KATHIE CONNELLY

NANCY BERTELSON

JIM BISHOP

JOEY JABOR



Capt. Kirk

Four episodes of "Star Trek" which the BBC deems unsuitable for British children shall not go on the air, where the other episodes have gone before. The BBC received complaints about "Miri," an episode in which the Enterprise crew, led by William Shatner as Captain Kirk, saves the surviving inhabitants of a planet where everyone dies at puberty. Also banned are "The Empath," "Whom the-Gods Destroy" and "Plato's Stepchildren." □□□

Donald Szymanski writes in about the time he managed to meet Leonard Nimoy in person. This should have been in the letter's section, but we goofed.

How I met Leonard Nimoy in person by going to Boston, Mass., to see "Vincent" his one man play. It took me six and a half hours from Metro Park, New Jersey, to S. Station, Boston, and I traveled by train.

I saw "Vincent" at the Wilbur Theatre, 246 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass. The date was October 6, 1979.

I met Leonard Nimoy after the play at the back stage door and got two photographs which were autographed by him in person. I also gave him a copy of a photograph taken of him at a Star Trek Convention on or about September, 1977, and I'm not sure of the date.

I had enjoyed meeting Leonard Nimoy very much and would like to meet him again, and see "Vincent" once again. So I did see "Vincent" again in Philadelphia, Pa., at the Walnut Theatre on April 26, 1980. This time I did not meet Leonard Nimoy in person. I did enjoy seeing him on stage again very much. His performance was, as always, excellent.



Just a little more news about the Uniform section from the August issue.

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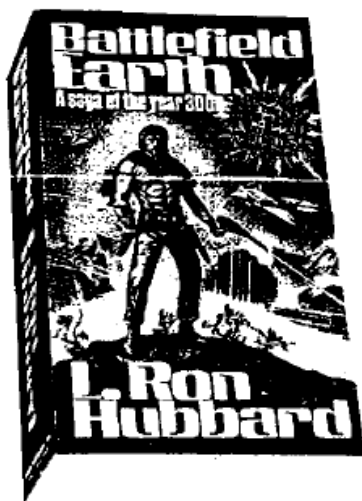
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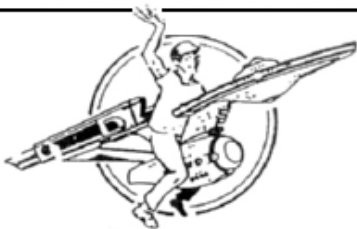
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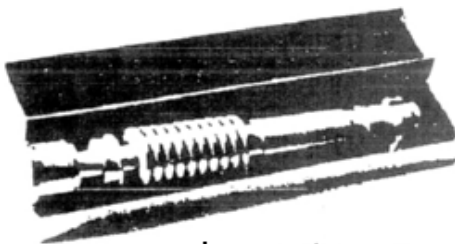
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This in from the I.D.I.C. Newsletter dated March, 1984. Some very interesting articles were included in the newsletter. Hope to hear some more from them.

The I.D.I.C. is currently trying to put together a fanzine. They had a deadline of May 1st for entries into their publication. Hopefully one will be put out soon.

STARSHIP REPORTS FROM I.D.I.C.:

U.S.S. DESTINY:

All of IDIC HQ's Klingon mercenaries, Orion pirates, Denebian slime devils and other assorted nasty creatures are on their way to Hawaii to help Communication's Officer Oshiro with Destination Point # 4.

Chief Medical Officer Luaralee Braun is not missing. There was merely a mix up on the sub-space channels. She also denies any knowledge of the whereabouts of the EXCALIBUR'S Science Officer, Fred Lorensen. And I haven't seen him in the DESTINY Sick Bay or any where else on the ship.

There are however some rumors that Captain Hutchison may have changed quarters again. Will she please write, confirming or denying these rumors.
End Report - Lt. Comm. Tracy Ann Murray, Sociologist, USS DESTINY.

U.S.S. EXCALIBUR:

The EXCALIBUR will be finishing up it's current "Shore Leave" with the next issue of "The Chronicles of Merlyn." Thereafter we have been assigned to routine patrol duty in the Sagittarian Sector (But when is any Starfleet assignment routine - more details later.)

For the future missions of the USS EXCALIBUR as it transverse the Universe by subscribing to "The Chronicles of Merlyn." For further details contact Lt. Diana Jenkins, Communications Officer, 505 North Mellow, Little Rock, Arkansas. 72205.

The EXCALIBUR'S newest crewmember is Joe Gill (not to be confused with John Gill formerly of Starfleet Academy).

U.S.S. UNICORN - To: Tracy Murray, Starfleet Command
IDIC Division.

From: Chief Engineer Raymond, USS

UNICORN NCC-1981.

Chairman Murray,

The following is an extract of our ship's log. Since I am second-in-rank, I am obliged to send this to inform other ships of the dangers we are encountering in this sector of space.

Captain's Log, Stardate 8312.24

The crew's mood is festive as we enter the holiday season. But yet they are anxious as we have picked up some strange sub-space signals in the vicinity of the planet Halkan, where the USS ENTERPRISE encountered an unusually violent, and unpredictable Ion storm some 16 years ago. Even though this area is highly traveled since the establishment of a port on Halkan, the signals are irregular, and resemble no known registry beacons currently in use.

Captain's Log: Stardate 8312.25.

Christmas Day has arrived, and the crew is celebrating. The ship is running on a skeleton crew consisting of myself, Navigator Wicket, First Officer Vice, Chief Engineer Raymond, and Doctor Moyers. Computer Technicians are on stand-by alert. Communications Officer Butler reports that as we near the planet Halkan, the sub-space signals are becoming stronger. We shall investigate tomorrow...

Captain's Log: Stardate 8312.26.

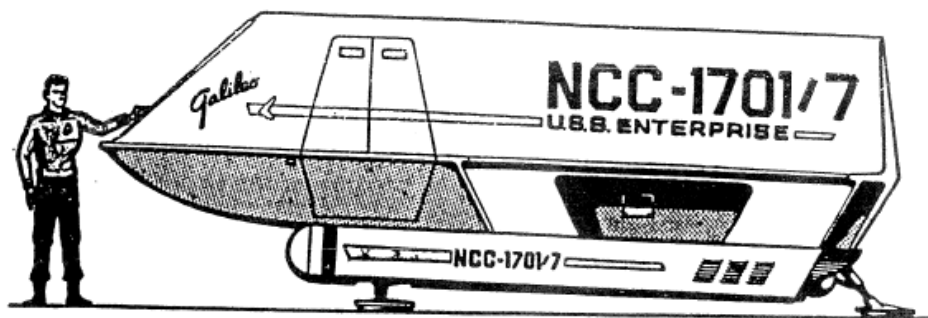
After recovering from a staggering Christmas party, the UNICORN is now on full alert as we enter section 12. Science Officer Dotson reports that sensors are picking up a strange "warbling" effect dead ahead. As we near the effect, Communications Officer Butler reports that the point of origin of the strange signals is the heart of the effect. First Officer Vice is manning the emergency bridge along with Computer Tech. Ch'Nook, and Computer Tech. Thimo Maru. Engineering is running perfectly, as is Sick Bay. Red Alert has been signalled. We are entering the effect.



Any one following the DC Comics will note that the story above is close to being the same as what DC has come up with.

In their follow up to Star Trek III, The Search for Spock, DC brings back the Mirror, Mirror series. Kirk # 2 decides it's time to wreck destruction on A our universe. He creates a situation using the force pull of two other ship's in their universe to 'pop' into ours. Once here, he starts on a blood thirst hunt for Kirk # 1.

The action involved in the Comic would make one "Heck" of a Fourth Movie! Plus what a way to get our ENTERPRISE back! Harve says himself that the ENTERPRISE will re-appear in Star Trek IV. Is this what he has in mind? Only Harve and Leonard know for sure.



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STARFLEET: WHAT IS THE ACADEMY?

by S'TATALAYEA
USS KESTRAL

Historically speaking, our many glimpses into the twenty-third century have provided us with detailed information on many subjects. The one question which has never been fully answered is 'What is the Academy?' In Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan, we are able to briefly glimpse one of the many aspects of Academy training for 'Command Personnel' – the Kobiashi Maru simulation.

Let us consider what else we know of the Academy.

A quick glance through the personnel records of all Academy graduates reveals that an important (if not the most important) study at the Starfleet Academy is diplomacy. Since each Captain, indeed an entire ship's complement, may be called upon to act as Federation Ambassador at any moment, it is certainly understandable why the Fleet would emphasize this course of study.

In addition, cadets are trained in most forms of weaponry and Terran and off-world forms of hand-to-hand combat – knowledge which has saved the lives of many an officer.

It probably would be best to point out at this time that however much to the contrary it looks, Starfleet is not the military arm of the Federation. Rather the Fleet embodies the powers of the United Nations (back to which it can ultimately trace its roots) and the tasks of men of the like of Columbus, Cartier, and Cook. In fact Kirk said it all at the opening of every episode, "To explore strange new worlds...!" In its overall effect, the Fleet tends to be Sergeant Preston; he's simply traded in his Mountie Scarlets for bell bottom pants and a tunic with a turtleneck (take a close look at the uniforms – they really look a lot alike!), and his "Mush Huskies," for "Ahead Warp Factor One!"

Academy graduates are not always 'command personnel'. It would appear that 'command' is a specialization much as law or bio-chemistry are today. In fact, from examination of crew records, we can safely go so far as to say that 'command' itself can be broken down into areas of specialization as the study of law can similarly be broken down into family law, corporate law, international law, criminal law, etc.

These divisions within 'command' would appear to base themselves on the type of command the cadet ultimately hopes to achieve. Admiral Kirk specialized in Starship Command - but only after he had spent nearly two years in diplomacy training (interplanetary relationships according to one source) and had participated in the Axanar Peace Mission. Captain Spock, on the other hand, opted for general command study and indeed, spent a total of eight years at the Academy, five of which were passed doing post-graduate work in computer sciences and Alien culture - avoiding all things command. _

The most obvious general assumption would seem to be that the Academies (yes Academies - there are five of them scattered throughout the galaxy) are similar to 20th century military colleges like West Point, offering cadets the training in obedience and diplomacy that are the hallmarks of every good officer. In addition to these 'military courses' the Fleet offers its cadets a series of electives in almost anything from 3 dimensional graphics to algorithm probability module programming to warp engine design, maintenance and repair to modern medical treatment of common alien skin problems.

All-in-all, the Academy must be an accredited center of learning that trains its cadets in all things military, but which emphasizes individuality and personal study. If it did not, every graduate would be either a J.T. Kirk or a Harcourt Fenton Mudd.

Special thanks to the KESTRAL for this interesting article. Have a nice upcoming Holiday and remember, "We are all human; born alike in the same species - No one is perfect, Nobody. But keep on trying.

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Roddenberry First Writer Nominated For H'wood Star

By WILL TUSHER

Gene Roddenberry, creator of "Star Trek," the tv series that found a second life as a trilogy of theatrical features, is the first writer nominated for a sidewalk star in the 24-year history of the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

His name, the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce has confirmed, was submitted last January but will not be considered by the selection committee until late January 1985.

Chamber president Bill Welsh said the year's delay between submission and consideration is because of the vast number of applications for stars and the fact that the

selection committee meets only a "couple of times" a year.

Meanwhile, the number of sidewalk stars has risen to 1790 — the last conferred on Eva Gabor — without recognition for a writer.

When the WGA made an issue of the oversight (*Daily Variety*, Sept. 19), Welsh contended that no writer's name had ever been submitted. He said yesterday that he "couldn't recall" that Roddenberry's name had been offered. Roddenberry is a hyphenate writer-producer.

The Writers Guild has yet to make its own recommendations for

sidewalk stars, but it is working on the matter.

Stephen Lord, a board member who blew the whistle on the asserted slight, has been appointed chairman of a subcommittee that will suggest WGA-sponsored honorees and explore methods of funding the \$3000 processing fee required by the Chamber for each star on the Walk of Fame.

His panel, including Frank Tarloff and Allen Rivkin, has come up with three candidates who would be posthumously honored with stars. Formal approval was tabled until the next board meeting.

Dear Friends,

At last -- the dream is coming true!

When I submitted Gene's name in nomination for a Star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame almost a year ago, I was told that there would be a long wait. Therefore, I vowed that I would personally put up the \$3000 needed if his Star were approved before I had a chance to collect from his fans. Now it seems a virtual certainty that Gene will be receiving his well-deserved Star some time in 1985.

We're all aware that without Gene Roddenberry there would have been No STAR TREK, No Mr. Spock, No Captain Kirk, No U.S.S. Enterprise. His mind created the spark that ignited life in our beloved program and its characters.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SHOW YOUR APPRECIATION! Let's get behind Gene's own Star Trek!

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