MEWS LETTER

11TH ANNUAL MC NATIONAL REGATTA IS HISTORY — and long will be remembered! The host fleet, #12, of Tsa-La-Gi YC, Tulsa, put on a great show for us at Lake Fort Gibson, Wagoner, Ok. 61 boats on the line for the National was an all-time record — they came from Florida, Georgia, "linois, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas d Wisconsin. Many thanks to our hosts for all the work they put into the event, and to all who participated. Predictions after the '81 Mid-winter in Florida were that John Spargo of Davenport, Ia. Fl. #20, would be a skipper to watch, and so it developed — from his stern, that is, most of the time. From the race results enclosed, you'll note 2nd place winner, David Pritchard, as winner of the 1st race, took the Morency Perpetual Trophy; 3rd place went to Dave Starkey, 4th Happy Fox, 5th John Bates, 6th Eric Hood, 7th Gary Verplank, 8th Bill Freytag, 9th Mac Kilpatrick and 10th Carl Reuterdahl. As he mentioned in Florida, John Spargo again said he considers mast rake crucial, and in the heaviest air had it set at 28'1".

IMCCSRA ANNUAL MEETING was held at Lake Fort Gibson September 19th. To summarize, an increase in compensation for the Executive Secretary was voted (thank you! -Ed.). The Mid-winter Regatta was confirmed for March 4-5-6 at Davis Island YC, Tampa, Fl. Announcement was made of the licensing of Johnson Boat Works to manufacture the boat, after thorough inspection and measurement certifying conformance to one-design specifications. The invitation of Fleet #7, Spring Lake YC, Spring Lake, Mi., to host the '82 National Regatta was accepted with thanks. (Dates to be announced later.) Elections for Board members to fill expiring terms, and the Board's selection of 1982 Commodore are as follows, to take office January 1, 1982:

Commodore: Larry Campbell, 7136 So. Indianapolis, Tulsa, Ok. 74136

Vice Comm.: John Bates, 1816 Ridgewood Ave., Davenport, Ia. 52803

Rear Comm.: Henry F. Tipton, Jr., 4678 Kitty Cove, Memphis, Tn. 38128

Secretary: Dr. Bill Crum, PO Box 566, Bartow, Fl. 33830

Treasurer: David L. Mills, 2405 Quail Creek Dr., Independence, Mo. 64055

Chief Measurer: Dr. David B. Greene, 2837 W. Illinois, Dallas, Tx. 75233

Resident Agent: Frank Keenan, 922 Worchester, Fenton, Mi. 48430

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LCOME TO FLEET #21 - OKLAHOMA CITY - We're delighted to add the fleet to the roster, and to have had the chance to meet the charter members at the Nationals. Sailing from the Oklahoma City Boat Club on Lake Hefner are Eric Hood, Curt Carmichael, Mac Kilpatrick, Jeff Cates and Clyde Peveyra.

FLEET REGATTA NEWS - Lake Lotawana #14 2nd Annual, August 28-30, Orlando Webb Invitational - No results known as yet, but from some who did attend it we've heard participation was excellent, as was the racing, hospitality and fun; but who won?? S'OK, 7 boats to the National!

Spring Lake YC #7, September 12-13 - Two races on Saturday, none Sunday due to 40 MPH+ winds. 1st Gary Verplank, 2nd Paul Eggert, 3rd Happy Fox, 4th Dave Hough, 5th Lynn Walborn, 6th Bob Raube, 7th Jeff Cornetet, 8th Scott Harestad. Seems the racing was extremely close and a 3-way tie resulted for 1st. But hear this: first the tie was broken using the "race horse"?? system, putting Happy in 3rd; then Gary and Paul ran a foot race west to east on the YC porch, 40 MPH winds at their backs-for 1st and 2nd. When the weather is foul, now we know how SPYC salvages the fun! Be sure to plan to attend the '82 National there "where nature smiles for seven miles, from Ferrysburg to Fruitport."

Lake Davenport SC, #20 Polar Bear Regatta, October 3-4. 30 boats sailed 3 races in good moderate winds. Joining Fleet 20 were skippers from E. Troy, Wis., Fenton, Mi., and Lake Lotawana, Mo., Mike Huck, Jr. from Melges and Brian McMurray from Johnson. 1st place went to John Spargo, 2nd John Bates, 3rd Jon Pohlman and 4th Dan Quiram.

CORRECTIONS TO BY-LAWS REVISION MARCH, 1981: Page 13, 1st para. correctly states "maximum" hatten dimensions—; diagram on page 20 should also show "batten dimensions are maximum." ge 11, Sect. 10 of Art. IX, next to last sentence should read——"however, the shrouds and forestay shall not be adjustable while the yacht is underway nor from the skipper." (Ed. apologizes for these omissions.)

BOAT FOR SALE: MC #43, needs some work. \$800. Dr. Harold Walgren, 644 Lakeside, Hinsdale, Illinois 60521. Phone 312 323-2789.

Send News Items to-Ruth F Smith Exec Sec'y IMCCSRA, Box 88, Flowery Branch, Georgia 30542

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Plac	e Skipper	No.	Home Town	Fleet	lst	2nd	3rd	4th	.5th	6th.	Roints	
\bigcup_1	John Spargo	601	Bettendorf, Ia.	20	-7	1	1	1	1	3	6	
2		520	Gainesville, Ga.	_	1	5	2	3	2	13	12.75	
3		627	Dallas, Tx.	5	2	3	3	-6	5	6	19	
4		500	Grand Rapids, Mi.	7	6	2	8	2	7	-9-	25	
5		620	Davenport, Ia.	20	5	9	5	9	3	12-	31	
6	Eric Hood	637	Oklahoma City, Ok.	21	12	4	9	7	4	14	36	
7	Gary Verplank	707	Spring Lake, Mi.	7	3	35	7	11	8	1	41.75	
8	Bill Freytag	680	Fontana, Wi.	_	4	12	10	17	10	7	43	
9	Mac Kilpatrick	610	Edmond, Ok.	21	11	11	4	22	11	11	48	
10		700	Spring Lake, Mi.	7	17	15	11	16	16	4	62	
11		594	Davenport, Ia.	20	10	13	15	4	21	8	62	
12		621	Stratford, Tx.	20	30	10	12	13	-33	5	70	
13		657	Gainesville, Ga.	3	21	±7	21	5	6	21	74	
14		300	Zenda, Wi.		35	14	16	12	20	19	81	
15		321	Tulsa, Ok.	12	20	16	19	DNF	12	18	85	
16	•	513	Memphis, Tn.	13	16	41	24	18	9	24	91	
17		297	Fenton, Mi.	6	9	18	14	25	29	35	95	
18		503	Dallas, Tx.	5	BNS-		6	10	17	2	96	
19		524	Gainesville, Ga.	3	18	8	26	41-	18	29	99	
20		388	Fenton, Mi.	6	14	7	13	36	-44-	30	100	
21		583	Atlanta, Ga.	3	25	24	25	15	-46-	15	104 104	
21		288	Atlanta, Ga.	3	8	6	29	24	- 59 -	37		
23		660	Tulsa, Ok.	12	19	27	20	-BNF-		17	108 116	
24 25		532 626	Broken Arrow, Ok.	12	13 27	37 25	18 - 28 -	14 26	- 39 -	22 16	117	
16			Tulsa, Ok.	4	26	20	35	19	19	-44-	119	
27		514 548	Bartow, Fl.	12	22	-36	32	28	26	20	128	
28		611	Muskogee, Ok. Oklahoma City, Ok.	21	24	- 39	30	29	28	28	139	
29		367	E. Troy, Wi.	15	29	42	17	30	22	-BNS	140	
30	0	544	Dallas, Tx.	5	34	34	27	DNF	13	34	142	
31		337	Tulsa, Ok.	12	15	-43	37	34	41	25	152	
32		640	Tulsa, Ok.	12	31	45	33	-54	24	23	156	
33		656	Flowery Branch, Ga.	3	35	28	38	21	35	-BNS-		
34		XO1	White Bear Lake. Mn.	_	-BNS	22	DNS	8	DNS	10	160	
35		470	Lake Lotawana, Mo.	14	-50	21	36	38	30	42	167	
36		294	Tulsa, Ok.	12	36	30	31	-48	37	35	169	
37		XO1	White Bear Lake, Mn.	_	23	BNS-		DNS	14	DNS	171	
38		595	Pryor, Ok.	12	43	46-	44	23	32	36	178	
38	9	655	Garland, Tx.	5	-53	49	50	31	15	33	178	
40		530	Tulsa, Ok.	12	33	40	34	33	45	-BNS	185	
40	T Dave Tillema	641	Lake Lotawana, Mo.	14	52	33	-54-	42	31	27	185	
42	Kenny Sedick	47	Fenton, Mi.	6	40	54	23	20	-BHF	DNS	190	
43	T Candace Coates	227	Kansas City, Mo.	14	54	56-	46	39	27	26	192	
43	T Tom Steyer	650	Omaha, Ne.	16	45	50	39	27	52-	31	192	
45	Arthur Finn	528	Tulsa, Ok.	12	37	47-	45	37	34	40	193	
46	Curt Carmichael	608	Oklahoma City, Ok.	21	49-	26	48	40	36	45	195	
47	Gene Sublett	607	Marietta, Ga.	3	28	19	58	43	48	BHS	196	
48		226	Broken Arrow, Ok.	12	38	38	40	51	38	BNS-		
49		553	Tulsa, Ok.	12	39	58-	53	35	43	38	208	
50		217	Dallas, Tx.	5	42	44	42	44	42	47-	214	
51		382	Flint, Mi.	6	46	32	43	56-	49	48	218	
12		495	Lake Lotawana, Mo.	14	47	29	49	49	53-	49	223	
53		612	Independence, Mo.	14	55	55	-55	32	46	?	?	
54		622	Tulsa, Ok.	12	44	23	DNS	DNS	BNS-	- DNS	238	
55		508	Matherville, Il.	20	56	31	57	52	57-	46	242	
56	Bob Shipley	570	Tulsa, Ok.	12	41	51	BNS	45	58	50	245	
57		141	Haughton, La.	1	51	52	47	53	-54-	43	246	
58	9	498	Lake Lotawana, Mo.	14	57-	53	56	46	39	DNS	247	
58	T Harold Perkins	450	Fenton Mi		50		50	.0			- 11	

- 11	18	Dick Prokup	503	Dallas, Tx.	5	DNS-	- DNS	6	10	17	2	96	
	19	Bill Gilmer	524	Gainesville, Ga.	3	18	8	26	41-	18	29	99	
	20	Frank Keenan	388	Fenton, Mi.	6	14	7	13	36	-44-	30	100	
	21T	John Clonts	583	Atlanta, Ga.	3	25	24	25	15	-46-	15	104	
	21T	Bob Kwasha	288	Atlanta, Ga.	3	8	6	29	24	-59-	37	104	
	23	Chuck Blue	660	Tulsa, Ok.	12	19	27	20	-BNF-	25	17	108	
	24	John Taylor	532	Broken Arrow, Ok.	12	13	37	18	14	-39-	22	116	
	25	Burdette Blue	626	Tulsa, Ok.	12	27	25	-28-	26	23	16	117	
	16	Bill Crum	514	Bartow, Fl.	4	26	20	35	19	19	-44-	119	
-	27	Doug Hamman	548	Muskogee, Ok.	12	22	-36	32	28	26	20	128	
	28	Jeff Cates	611	Oklahoma City, Ok.	21	24	-39	30	29	28	28	139	
	29	George Donn	367	E. Troy, Wi.	15	29	42	17	30	22	-DNS	140	
	30	Dave Greene	544	Dallas, Tx.	5	34	34	27	DNF	13	34	142	
	31	Andy Everett	337	Tulsa, Ok.	12	15	-43	37	34	41	25	152	
	32	Larry Campbell	640	Tulsa, Ok.	12	31	45	33	-54	24	23	156	
	33	Pete Smith	656	Flowery Branch, Ga.	3	35	28	38	21	35	-BNS-	157	
	34	Skip Johnson	XO1	White Bear Lake. Mn.	_	-BNS	. 22	DNS	8	DNS	10	160	
	35	Ron DeWitte	470	Lake Lotawana, Mo.	14	-50	21	36	38	30	42	167	
	36	Jim Liston	294	Tulsa, Ok.	12	36	30	31	-48	37	35	169	
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	60	Hal Kalousek		Fenton, Mi.	6	58-	٠.	41	47	50	DNF	247	
	61	Paul McGuire	455	Lake Lotawana, Mo.	14	48		52	55	56-	51	254	
	62	Henry Tipton	585	Tulsa, Ok.	12	59-	59	51	50	55	41	256	
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61 boats sailed the Olympic course, 6 races. #1 & 2 on Friday, winds varied from light to occasionally heavy, sharpening the fleet for Saturday, when winds picked up to steady medium conditions for 3 races. Sunday morning for #6, winds were consistently heavy, occasionally gusting to 20. The Race Committee held off the start till winds faded to 10-14 and with 2-3' waves, a very exciting race was sailed with the lead changing several times till Gary Verplank pulled it out. However, there wasn't much doubt after four firsts and a third, John Spargo was No. 1 (he threw out a 7th place!). In fact, a couple of times he about disappeared over the horizon! David Pritchard, who does much of his sailing in San Diego, gave John a run for the money, and took 2nd. David also took home the Morency Memorial Perpetual Trophy as winner of the first race. 3rd place went to Dave Starkey of Dallas, formerly of Spring Lake, Mi., 4th to Happy Fox and 5th to John Bates of Davenport, Iowa. In all, 13 states were represented: Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas and Wisconsin. This llth MC National Regatta was the largest to date with 6l boats on the line!