

It's been a great month for us at FaVE, full of surprise visits, meeting new people and working on what we feel is the most fun issue yet! Now that the new TV season is well under way, you've lost no time writing in about the people you find exciting, and the editors of FaVE are hard at work right now getting the lowdown on them for you!

I opened a letter just a few weeks ago from Patti Renwick, of Rialto, California, which said: "I just couldn't believe my eyes when I was reading my new issue of FaVE and right there, in the RaVES section was a letter I had written to you! Now I know that you do really read all your mail!"

We can't tell you often enough how important your letters are in determining what goes into our magazine each month! As a perfect example, we would never have gotten our story on page 3, "He was there when I needed him . . . " if a girl from Memphis hadn't sent us a newspaper clipping about Bobby's visit to Vicki Burkett during her stay in the hospital!

You see, Bobby Sherman just isn't the kind of guy who would do a wonderful thing like visiting a sick fan for publicity reasons, making sure everyone found out about it! He did what his heart told him to, and it was just by accident that a small item in a local newspaper was brought to our atten-

Bobby will be as surprised as you when he sees the story in our pages, and this, plus the happiness he brought to Vicki, is the reason we felt the story should be told!

Another feature in this issue that was a pleasure to bring to you has to be "My Very Favorite Pet!" starting on page 30! Everyone is so crazy about pets that we could easily have done the whole book on just that! Since some of the stars went into the past and talked 'about pets they had years ago,' there are many cases where we couldn't get photos of them together. That's why some of the pictures accompanying their stories show them with different animals! We knew you'd like to see them anyway, and they're all so darling you can't help falling in love with them!

One of the surprise visits I mentioned was when Jack Wild popped in a week ago, just before returning to England. Our photographer Kenny Lieu had done a shooting on Jack's TV taping the day before, and Jack was so

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the latest on your faves from Hollywood where it's all happen-

ing! If there are any special fax

you'd like me to wheedle out of

the stars you luv, by all means WRITE! Laudy Powell, Editor,

couldn't wait for them to be mailed to him!

As always, Jack was in constant motion, jumping up every two seconds to look at the posters we have all over the walls, or doing a quick dance step as he thumbed through some magazines. He looked very groovy in his purple tie-dyed t-shirt, blue jeans and a very wide black/white snakeskin belt.

Jack had seen the Osmonds perform, and he was enthusing about how much talent the youngest, Jimmy, has -quite a compliment when you consider what a great singer and dancer Jack is! He told me a bit about his film "Flight of the Doves," which he'd just finished: "I've got four disguises in it," he made a face, "one as a girl! That was embarrassing!"

When I asked Jack what was happening when he got back home, he said, "The first thing is a new album I'll be recording. Arthur will be making one too! He's just formed a new group called 'The English Measles!' " According to his proud brother, Arthur has really been busy-in addition to the group, he's working on a TV series that will run 10 weeks in England, and his new single, "Lady of the Blue Lagoon" is doing very well too.

Jack's main regret was that he didn't have as much time for his visit as he wanted to. He loves being back with his family because they are very close, but he promised that he'll be back for a longer stay soon!

Another visitor was David Cassidy, who came by for a few minutes before leaving on a short vacation. While the "Partridges" took three weeks off from shooting, he was off with a friend to the Grand Canyon. "I really need the rest," he admitted, although he looked just great.

David did get to open a gift a fan had sent him-a beautiful handmade candle and holder. "It's just what I like!" he grinned, turning it around to look at it. Then he placed it carefully

A RECENT VISIT to the "Partridge" set at the Columbia Ranch found David Cassidy relaxing between takes and going over his monthly column!

