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Dan:

Jim Bell was given this by Kris Aaland here at Livermore. Aaland got it from Mr. Sv. Berge when he (Aaland) was in Norway this year. He is not sure what prompted Sv. Berge's investigation into Lawrence's history - but Aaland can get in touch with him any time you might wish to. He lives in Kris's home town, Ulefoss.

Kris Aaland's extension out here is 8077

Bea Robinson  
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## NOTES FOR FILE:

Telephone Call to Kris Aaland - x-8077, Livermore - July 31, 1969

Mr. Aaland was in Norway visiting with his former grammar school principal, Sv. Berge (now retired) when he learned that his former teacher had been interested in the Lawrence family background. He had a letter sent to him from Jens Aarke written in Norwegian from Svartdal, dated September 1, 1959 which he gave to Mr. Aaland to translate for his information. Mr. Aaland does not know if Mr. Aakre is still living or exactly who he is but he can get that information from Mr. Berge.

Mr. Aaland has the original letter in Norwegian - it is written in colloquial terms and was rather difficult to translate. It is his own translation.

Lavrantson is the name for Lawrence in Norwegian. The ending -son is truly a Norwegian form.

He feels the letter is quite authentic and believes anyone could write to Mr. Berge if they wish.

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