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Subject: syslog-ng is not working (/dev/tty12: permission denied)

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hi

i can't bring syslog-ng to work.

when i start the syslog-ng daemon within the container, /var/log/messages gets filled with the same error message

Feb 6 15:25:32 test1 syslog-ng[5957]: Error opening file for writing; filename='/dev/tty12', error='Permission denied (13)'

root is unable to write to this device node

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$ ls -la /dev/tty12
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crw----- 1 root tty 4, 12 Jun 17 2008 /dev/tty12
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$ echo "test" > /dev/tty12
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-bash: /dev/tty12: Permission denied
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any clue?

thanks! r.

i run gentoo host and containers on kernel 2.6.24-ovz006 and vzctl version 3.0.23

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