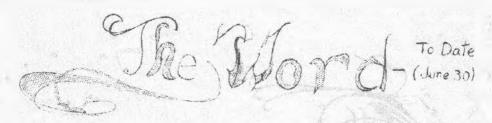


Balletin # 2



Tell, with the acquisition of a Guest of Honor, the Nolacon program setatles down sufficiently for this second bulletin to appear. And at a sufficiently late date, too, you may remark.

To which we reply that we most heartily wish that YOU were arranging this convention. Additionally, or instead---just SOMEONE ELSE.

The Guest of Honor is Fritz Leiber. Besides being author of such acknowledged science fiction classics as Gather, Darkness, and Destiny Times Three, he is Associate Editor of Science Digest. He has informed us that the title of bis talk is to be: "The Jet-Propelled Apocalypse."

In addition to this, Mr. Leiber is on record as intending to write us a skit. We have asked him not to make it too goshwowboyoboy; Bob Tucker informs us that there will be a heavy representation of the Press. And you all know how much they love to photograph bens and other unmaturals things and tell the world that THIS IS SCIENCE FICTION FANDOM. So howsever much be loves to sport-around his Buck Rogers costume with blaster, he has agreed just THIS THE to put it off.

Would you, too, please? If the non-fan publishing field get a raised opinion of the stf-reading field, there will be better reading for all, fewer pot-boilers and more demand for GCCD science fiction. More and better authors will turn to the genre, and everyone will benefit. 10q

Other: things and people that have come in since the first bulletin: Walt Sheldon has been called-up, is now in Korea, or thereabouts. So subtract one Sheldon from expectations. But add one Jack Williamson.One of the oldest science fiction authors in point of continuing authorship, he is still one of the best.

Two cover-pix for the Program-Booklet expected: one by N.C. fanne Fat Davis---she has done pro work, eg for Williamson's The Equalizer, in ASF---and one by Hannes Bok. May they vie with each other.

COOps---this should have been first---THERE WILL BE NO HYDRACON in the forescable future. Not this year, maybe never again. This is from rudith Merril Pobl. Incidentally, she and her husband Fred Pohl will be here too.

If we have our way this will be pretty much of a moviecon. No-IFS owns a 16mm projector with speaker. Under such circumstances we naturally solicit you to one and all bring all your films of a stf, fsy, or reird nature. Help us make it so. And—we know that it is a terrific financial risk, but people keep telling us that everyone leaps to the rescue of a con on the rocks——so we'll probably go ahead with our oldest mbition for OUR con. To have a full-length, grade—A picture each day, a science fiction one, a pure fantasy, and a weird. Negotiations are now roing forward. We will very much appreciate any efforts, pull, abilities, ull, know-how, help, pull, cut rates, etc. that you and you can bring about, because that hall is going to cost us \$225.00. Sorry to talk so poor-mouth, but we are spending money that we don't have yet. And that rent will take about all the money that we DO have now We are going ahead with it but we sure could use the money from the auction

MOW. And what with the following ....

Before the Mycon, Chicon, and Denvention were Moskowitz, Tucker, and Wiggins accused of SLANTING the conventions toward Baseball, because they scheduled games? Did fans write in and say they were coming only if the ACCENT were taken off THIS INTEREST INTHI-JAL TO ORGANIZED FAUTOR? Did Milty Rothman get writeups in fan magaza ines shouting AUX BARRICATES because he had a nuclear physicist as Goffi (who talked on this subject too, of interest to fans ? Did they say that the Philcon was to be over-half devoted to Rocket-Ballistics because Willy Ley was up for a talk on it Lucky--or far-sighted--Ned McKeewn. He Tien't prevue that Atomic Theory movie shown at the Torcon.

Norwescon didn't prevue their session on Dianetics. It was one of the two with the highest attendance. But it did not reveal much practical information. We were asked if we wouldn't "try to do better next year." And so we have But

apparently it was a mistake to say so, for .....

Now we have a dozen or so guys on record that they simply WILL NOT PLAY unless we agree to play it all their way. We can't have even one 1-2-hour seminar or they will stay away; and obviously they are not content to save their convention money, they must ruin the convention by convincing everyone else of their untruths and spoil it for them too. They started out by telling us that we didn't know what we were talking about, and that D was non-referent. This caused us to put the page addendum to the first bulletin. Then they really had a field day: saying that this PROVED we were out to make this the "First Dianeticon" one familie even went so far as to print that the Wolacon was to be over-half devoted to Dianetics.

So, be it categorically stated now that the Nolacon NEVER WAS slated to have more than 2 hours on Dianet-les, or any other subject, except the auction. Maybe the movies will add

up to more.)

But now here we are with a lot of free-and-uncalled-for publicity -- negative publicity. Naturally, it has us worried. These boys are having their good clean fun, but it is we who will have to pay for any fæficit they may produce. No, with the amounts on hand at present it does not seem possible that such could occur, unless we get extravagant but we WANT THOSE MOVIES -- and the rental runs pretty high on some of them ---

unless, as mention, you can fix ....?

Why den't we simply agree to the deletion of the controversial item? Firstly, of course, because it IS controversial, and we have no indication whatever that the AGAIRST boys are in the majority except that they say they are --- that is no indication at all. And secondly, because this is all nonsense. WE CAN'T DELETE IT. The conventions just don't work that way. Even if we WERE SURE that the majority of fandom, or the majority Molacon membership wanted no session, we have no assurance that the convention assembly will be made up of this majority. You who COMD are the convention, and are the ones who are to be pleased. Weither the committee nor any number of aforehand-kibitzers can prevent you from having anything you wish, that's obtainable, or force you to have anything that you don't want.

So please pass the word around, hulf And in view of the above, may we not most earnestly request you to get-after a friend or five to get in their Nolacon dollars? We need 'em --- to make it the most fabulous convention ever. We want to.

Continuing the list of coming attractions, Sam Moskowitz, Authority on the subject, has consented to giving a talk dove tailing with FEE vanso on the his bry of scionce fiction fandom. Sam has furthermore released us

the MS of his monumental work The Immortal Storm. This is the record of science fletten fandem from its beginnings. Its background and aspirations, struggles and triumphs, disillusions and defeats---all are in this masterpiece---undcubatedly the greatest piece of fan-writing produces to date. Half of it is in the hands of Nolacon helpers at this writing:Bob Johnson, Wrs. G.M. Carr, Lionel Imman, and last but not least, Henry W. Burwell Jr. Since all except Mrs. Carr will be at the con, we need not mention the others; she is the secretary of the Nameless Ones of Seattle, M. Volunteers are needed for the further task here. Would any more like to take part of the manuscript and mimeo it up him time for Henry Burwell to assemble it for the conf He wants to do it all alone....

There will be ample supply of British science fiction magazines on sale at the Nolacon, thanks to Ken Slater. Issues of New Worlds: albosince No.7 inclusive, and all since No.1 Science-Fantasy. Several shipments already received.

Melson Bond offers to lend us the film of one of his televised fantasies. We tried to get more. After what he told us, we tried to make it an all-Bond session. Just hope he's not offended at our grabbiness.. he also offered a bunch of originals and manuscripts for the auction.

by the way, has Frank Robinson. Several fine Paul originals in color have arrived.

That Fan Art, and that Fan Entertainment. We know we can always twist your arms at the last minute and have you give something extemporaneous into the microphone. But why not make it better by rehearsing something? Leibers skit will surely be better for it even if it is possible without... why not contact him and volunteer? Carbon to us, too, please log. And how about something specific additional? Don't any others want to entertain to wit?

And that fan ert. Den't all you boys who run offset fanzines want to contribute the originals to our auction? Yes, naturally, you get a cut.

# THESE DRIVING POOL ARRANGEMENTS

This year let us take the bit in our teeth, and try to be DYMANICALLY helpful. It is our profoundest impression from extensive past experience, that the mostest thing that fan-riders do is reneg at the last minute. Therefore, that a given car pool is now supposed to be full-up is utterly meaningless. Any may, the worst that would ever happen would be a refusal So here's the total known listing to date:

Definitely Driving and Desirous of Passengers:

Lynn A. Hickman, 408 West Pell St., Statesville, N.C. Henry W. Burwell Jr., 459 Sterling St., IE, Atlanta, Go.

. Definitely Driving, but Nominally Full: at Last Word:

Hal Stevens, 685 South 9th St., Coos Bay, Oregon.

Probably Driving, but Same:

Fredric Brown, Rox 1394, Taos, New Mexico. Mack Reynolds, Box 1, Arroyo Seco, N. Jek.

Probably Driving: Sam J. Basham Jr. Fred.A. Hatfield 600 Gibson Avenue 7620 Abbott Ave. Lexington 17, Ky. Miami Beach, Fla. Probably Driving --- continued:

David A. MacInnes, Stanley Mullen. 600 Columbia Road, Camp Robinson (ESA) Colorado Springs, Colo. No Longvard Road. Camp Robinson(ESA

Westfield. Massachusetts.

## HOTEL ARKANGEMENTS

eft-over from the first Builletin: Yes, the Monteleone Hotel is reserving is a block of rooms. 22 of them, in fact. All air-conditioned. For pricos see first bulletin.

#### THE ALLEGED HEAT

It aim't. Some people demand the air conditioning as if their lives wuddent be worth much if they didn't get it. Air conditioning is nice, If your house in Middle West, East, or South doesn't have it, you are used by now to what you will find here. Temperature hasn't reached 100° yet, this surmer. If it does, it will be the accord time in the lives of your Arrangement Committee, we hope that this is true by you but doubt that it is.

#### NEW ORLEAMS RESTAURANTS

re justly famous for THEIR SPECIALTHES --- not their ability to cook anything you can name better than you have even tasted it before. To eat with maximum enjoyment at Antoine's, Galatoire's, La Louisiane, Armand's, or other such locales of Haut Cuisine, ask for the specialties, unless you know exactly what you want + that it is in their line. You will usually find that the base is some form of sea-food. But it is the cookery, and particularly the sauces, that make it all that it is Unless you dislike seafood as much as Lovecraft, the base will be no contraindication. Pompano-Papillette, for instance, will taste like nothing you have ever tasted before, and will be a thing apart, to stand or fall on its own merits cather than of any of its ingredients, so skilful a blending is it. ( And it IS DAM'S GOOD, If you order a stack inone of these restaurants, you'll ret a good stack no doubt, but it won't be what made New Orleans cookery famous. You will be able to get the like in many other cities.

TOT THAT WE WOULD KNOW TOO FUCH ABOUT IT BUT WE DON'T THERE ANY BURLEYOUS FOUSE IN NEW OFLEANS. THEY HAVE A FARD THE OPERATING THE PARIS OF the AMERICAS --- PRACTICALLY EVERY BAR IN THE FRENCH QUARTER TAS BUHLEYCUE, Just across Canal St. from the St. Charles Hotel. A block.

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#### NOLLACON MEMBERSHULP

#### Since Last Bulletin

Lost: 22. Richard Fugett, Mail returned from 3762 Alta Mesa Dr., No. Hollywood, California.

Omitted, last bulletin: 73. Joseph G. Dittrich, 52 Poplar St., Trenton 9 New Jersey.

## Toved:

- 10. Wm. J. Griffith, Route 2, Box 249, Aurora, Oregon.
- 15. Aima Sinclare, care Stan Woolston, now-weathaur, Congratulations.
- 53. Pvt. Emile E. Greenleuf Jr., US 54044443, Co.F, 85th Infantry Regiment, 10th Infantry Division, Fort Riley, Kansas.
  59. Ceorge C.Smith, 38-09 35th Ave., Jackson Heights, New York, W.Y.
  30. Mrs. George O. Smith, same.

32. Sidney Pat Mailloux, 5518 Wingate, New Orleans, La.
33. George W. Earley, 4807 Nontgomery Lane, Bethesda 14, Maryland.
98. Lyell Crane, BM/LRFC, London WC-1, England
130. John H. Trapp, 1500-B Elm St., Amarillo, Texas.
125. Edward L. Bryan-Turner, care Yell. C.A., Little Rock, Arkancas.

## Additions Since Last Eulletin:

## Lost Col. George M. Rayhin, somewhere in Fort Sill, Okla.

130. James V. Taurasi, 137-03 32nd Ave., Flushing, New York. 131. Sam Humphreys, 1404 Washington St., Eugene, Oregon.

132. Gladys Humphreys, same.

133. Louis N. Crimmins, 2339 D'Abadie St., New Orleans, La.

134. J.P. Guinon, PO Fox 214, Little Rock, Arkansas.
135. Poul Anderson, 3423 Aldrich Ave.N. Minneapolis 12, Minnesota.
136. Pat Davis, RFD 1, Seven Springs, F.C.
137. Boris Weinstein, 418 Prespect St., Shreveport, La.
138. Sgt. Arthur A. McCourt, ER 38731648, care Mrs. E. H. Barnes, 520
West 8th Ave., Fine Bluff, Arkansas.
139. Cpl. George F. Raybin, see above.
140. Harold Friedrichs. 3033 Canal St. New Colons. La.

140. Harold Friedrichs, 3933 Canal St., New Orleans, La.

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141. John T. Brown Jr., 51-3 Horse Ave., Skokie, Illinois.
142. Hal Annas, Box 181, Suffolk, Virginia.
143. Addie Huddleston, 1820 Logan St., Cincinnati 10, Chio.
144. Nan Redcorn, 127 Kentucky Ave., South Clinton, Tennessee.
145. Joe Martino, RD 5, Warren, Chio.
146. Henry W. Burwell Jr., 459 Sterling St.NE, Atlanta, Ga.
147. Bruce Ronald, 2015 South E St., Richmond, Indiana.
148. Charles J. Roubique, 5304 Wickfield Dr., New Orleans, La.
149. Paul D. Cox, 3401 6th Ave., Columbus, Ga.
150. Erle M. Korsbak. 5525 Flackstone. Chicago. Ill.

- 150, Erle M., Korshak, 5525 Flackstone, Chicago, Ill. 151. Stanley C. Skirvin, 389 King Ave., Columbus 1, Ohio.
  152. William F. Moore, 416 N. Beech St. Little Rock, Art.
  153. Capt. Kenneth F. Slater, 13 Cp. RFC, BAOR 15, care GPO, England.

154. C.L. Murray, Box 394. Jal, New Mexico. 155. Ken Baale, 115 East Mosholu Pkwy., Bronx 67, N.Y. 156. Sgt. Van H. Splawn, RA 17229538, Post Finance Office, Fort Benning, Georgia.

157. David A. MacInnes,

158. Pamela MacInnes, Camp Robinson, BSA, Forth Longyard Road,

159. Goldberg Soda MacInnes, Westfield, Massachusetts. 160. Nip MacInnes

161. Stanley E. Crouch, Holly Circle, Sterling, Va. 162. Bill Berger, 912 East 140th St., Cleveland 10, Ohio. 163. Chad Cliver, 1706 Nueces, Austin, Texas.

164. M. Martin Carlson, 1028 3rd Avenue South, Moorhead, Minnesota, 165. Margaret E. Morris, PO Box 247, Henderson, Tennessee. 166. Evan H. Appelman, 195 Laurel Ave., Highland Park, Illinois. 167. Judith Merril Poul, 386 West Front St., Red Bank, New Jersey.

168. Fred Pohl, 386 West Front St., Red Bank, New Jersey.

169. Mrs. Philip Gerding, Box 484, Roseville, Illinois.

170. Suzamme Montgomery, see 87.

172. Arlene McMeal, same.

173. Raymond A. Falmer, 1144 Ashland Ave., Evanston, Illinois

174. Emrys Evans, Box 277, Mountain Home, Idaho.

175. Jan Macauley, 57 East Park Lane, Atlanta, Georgia.

176. Jack M. O'Brien, USS Hank (DD-702) care Fleet Pestoffice, N.Y., N.Y.

177. Sam J. Basham Jr., 500 Gibson Avenue, Lexington 17, Kentucky.

178. A. Everett Vinne, care John Magle, 182 State St., Springfield, Mass.

179. Marion Bloch, see 88. 13C. Paul L. Work, 2517 South Garnet St., Philadelphia 45, Penna. 131. Robert W. Chambers, 990 North 10th St., Coos Bay, Oregon.

182. Ellen B. Basham, see 177 183. Rog Phillips Graham, Box 272, Laguna Beach, California. 184. Mari Wolf Graham, same.

185. Frank M. Robinson, Beverly Shores, Indiana.
186. John S. Davis, 931 East Favajo Road, Tucson, Arizona.
187. Bill Venable, 610 Park Place, Pittsburgh 9, Penna.
188. Zoe Rucsell, 3616 Beckham Dr., Shrevepert, La.
189. Ralph Russell, same.

190. Fred A. Hatrield, 7620 Abbott Avenue, Miami Beach 41, Florida.
191. Ray E. Beam Jr., 1863 North Harding, Indianapolis, Indiana.
192. Les Cole, 614 Norvell St., El Cerrito 8, California.

93. Es Cole, same.

194. Hark Reinsberg, 1263 Pratt Plvd., Chicago 26, Illinois. 195. George Wetzel, 3108 Woodland Ave., Baltimore 15, Md. 196. John C. Cuvillier, 5357 Chestnut St., New Orleans, La.

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#### LAST THOTS

ob Tucker wants to get in on the fan-history act. The aforementioned talks + commendium will probably be mainly serious. If Tucker's is, it ill be asteunding --- in fact it will be super-science. He started off with mention of one hour, but has been encouraged by HBM. It's an hour and a half, now. This tour-de-force is to be accompanied by slides, yet.

ob Farnham, 104 Mountain View Dr., Dalton, Ga. offers accommodations for 2 cans traveling thru. Free. George Wetzel 195, also wants visitors: in Ballimore, traveling thru.

and in conclusion if you hate Dianetics so much, the way to get it deleted from the program is by mation from the floor...HERE. There is always a fan-business session....fortjust that sort of thing.