

# DIPODY

#2, in which Alan Shaw keeps up his Fabulous, Fannish practice of changing the names of all his fanzines with "Dipody," for the curious, is pronounced as if it had a doc-dah after it, and means diameter. It's rich, it's brown, it's

the second issue. Published 15 April 1966 for distribution at the Luna/EasterCon 1966; Doom Duplicator Service.

The main reason I'm putting this thing out is that I'm trying to cadge material for my Very Own Fansine, The Sangreal Rubloon. I want you to write me an interesting piece of fiction, fan or faan, or an article, or a review of something, or do an illo (on ditto master, please). If you are totally inept but wd like a copy anyway, pay me fifteen cents. My address is 20-35 Seagirt Blvd., Far Rockaway, NY 11691. Partial contents of nextish (tentative): me, rich brown, Fred Phillips (who will be represented either by an article or by his blood in the fluid); illos by Porter, Ross Co., & Jack Gaughan.

Another stupid scheme I've got going is the Trans-Atlantic Fan Correspondence Foundation, TAFCF. At the moment we have in stock letters from French fans who want to correspond with you-all out theah. Sorry, you must be able to write passably in French, as none of these French fans speak English. Write me something about yourself, your age, interests, etc., & I'll find you a pen-pal.

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WORLDS OF TOMORROW, promising young neo-prozine, is now on a quarterly schedule. Issue #20 will be dated August, #21 October, &c. In a note to Wot's thirty-seven subscribers (of whom I am two, \*sigh\*), the publisher stated that the August issue will have a "very provocative article by RCW Ettinger on the freezing process with added comments by Fred Pohl, Victor Borge ( ( ! ! ) ) and Long John Nebel." I suggest they freeze a Dean Drive and see if they can revive it by making it a one-shot clear, and then ship the whole mess over to Campbell. :: What, you may ask, has happened in NY since you were here last? Those who were in the NY area for the Open ESFA meeting last month, - - - - -

- ff have a seat; those who want to know how Claude is feeling go talk to Wollheim or something. Now. Since last month: CoproPublication #3 special How Does
- ff Dave Van Arnan has taken a bath, so Girls, Watch Out! "Sheila Elkin Porter" Sound issue
- ff Yessir, he's really come out of his shell at last.
- ff Andy Porter has celebrated his 20th birthday: "I am no longer a teenager; Goah!" Wow.
- ff I have become a Lunarian, a Fanoclast, and an archbishop (of Queens) in the True Faith of the Sacred Cat. You may address me as Your Disgrace...
- ff Mike McInerney, rich brown, and ~~his~~ Cindy Heap have, as you shd know by now, moved to 250 W. 16 St., fifth floor. If each of us steps on one cockroach...
- ff There has been an apa F mailing, alternately called the 70th, 91st, April Fool, and Mouthwash Mailing. Contributors: Andy Porter, Dave Van Arnan, me, Fred Phillips, Cindy Heap, Dan Goodman. Where's the Amateur Effer, Andy?

And that's been Startling Newsgaggle of New York Fandom for this month.

Queens phone book, p. 300; "Degler C O 35-48 80 Jackson Heights...TW 9-8757". Do you suppose - could it be - nah, it's been fifteen years - but maybe - hm?

And this is Alan Shaw, racking his brain to think up some way to fill up the rest of this page, reminding you;

- a) to vote Niekas for the Hugo,
- b) that once in every week you shd put Dwaino down the drain, or Whatever, as we say in Self-Assured Fandom, and
- c) Never to slam the door.

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