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THIRD SF MARKETS ISSUE

BOOKS:

Ace Books, 1120 Avenue of the Americas, NY 10036. Donald A. Wollheim, Editor. Ace needs novels for its new quality paperback series, stressing imaginative works of high quality. The editor stresses the "sense of wonder". Pays advance of \$2000 up. Queries and submissions for these should go to Terry Carr, editor. Ace is also continually in the market for novels for its regular series: doubles, about 55,000 words, and singles up to 70,000 words. Pays \$1250 for each half of a double volume, \$1500 and up for full-length novels. Reporting time: 1 week-2 months.

Avon Books, 959 8th Avenue, NY 10017. Peter Layer, Editor-in-chief. Avon is actively seeking sf novels, and is now publishing two a month. It is interested in series novels. Avon pays advance of \$1000-2500. Reporting time: 3-5 weeks.

Ballantine Books, 101 Fifth Avenue, NY 10003. Betty Ballantine, Editor. Ballantine needs full length novels only, to about 120,000 words in length. Pays advance, \$1500-2000. Reporting time: 6-8 weeks.

Banner Books, 959 8th Avenue, NY 10017. Evan Lee Hayman, Editor. Banner, a new line owned by Hearst, is actively seeking sf novels, both adventure and intellectual. Banner pays an advance of \$1500 against 4% royalty on the first 150,000 copies sold. Reporting time: 3 weeks.

Bantam Books, 271 Madison Avenue, NY 10016. Allan Barnard, Editor. Bantam is broadening its sf line, and is more actively seeking sf. Query before submitting.

Belmont Books, 1116 First Avenue, NY 10021. Gail Wendroff, Editor. Belmont needs short novels of about 30,000 words, as well as full length novels. Pays advance of \$1000. Reporting time: 4 weeks.

Berkley Books, 15 East 26th Street, NY 10010. Thomas Dardis, Editor. Berkley needs full length novels between 50-70,000 words, but is overstocked on collections and anthologies. Pays advance of \$1500 up. Reporting time: 4 weeks.

Chilton, 100 East 42nd Street, NY 10017. John Marion, Editor. Chilton, under its new editor, John Marion, has shown little interest in publishing sf, and is not a current market.

Doubleday & Co., 277 Park Ave., NY 10017. Lawrence Ashmead, Editor. Doubleday needs novels, but is overstocked on anthologies. The editor has a preference for present-day, settings, more concerned with social problems than heavy science. This is reflected somewhat in what he buys, but Doubleday buys all types. Pays advance of \$4-1500. Reporting time: 3 weeks.

Fawcett (Gold Medal), 67 West 44th St., NY 10036. Knox Burger, Editor. Fawcett buys sf novels and collections occasionally. Pays advance of \$2500.

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Harcourt, Brace & World, 757 Third Avenue, NY 10022. Dan Wickenden, Editor. HB&W publishes sf infrequently.

Harper & Row, 49 East 33rd St., NY 10016. Alma Gennis, Editor. Harper & Row is actively interested in sf for its young reader's dept. Reporting time: 2 weeks.

Lancer Books, 185 Madison Avenue, NY 10016. Larry Shaw, Editor. Lancer publishes novels of any length. Pays advance of \$1500. Reporting time: 4-8 weeks.

New American Library (Signet), 1301 Ave. of the Americas, NY 10019. NAL has shown little interest in sf lately, but is definitely interested in well-written sf. Query before submitting.

Orbit (Hardcover: Putnam; paperback: Berkley), Box 338 Milford, Pa., 18337. Damon Knight, Editor. Orbit is seeking unpublished stories to 30,000 words. Payment of 3-5¢ a word, as advance against a share of the royalties from the hardcover and paperback editions. Reporting time: Usually within a week.

Paperback Library, 260 Park Ave. South, NY 10010. Jerry Gross, Editor. Pb Library is in the market for longer sf, novels of 85-90,000 words. They are still overstocked on anthologies. Pays advance of \$1-2000. Reporting time: 3-4 weeks.

Pyramid Books, 444 Madison Avenue, NY 10017. Donald R. Bensen, Editor. Pyramid is still drawing from its backlog of reprint and reissue material & will not be active until later this year.

Simon & Schuster, 630 Fifth Avenue, NY 10017. Barbara Norville, Editor. S&S publishes 2 or 3 novels a year. Pays advance of \$1-1500. Reporting time: 2-3 weeks.

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MAGAZINES:

Analog, 420 Lexington Ave., NY 10017. John Campbell, Editor. Analog chronically needs short stories, but is overstocked on novels. Pays 5¢ a word for stories to 7500 words, 3¢ for longer ones, plus a bonus if the story places 1st or 2nd in the readers poll. Reporting time: professional, 1 week. Unpublished writers, 3-6 weeks.

Fantasy & Science Fiction, 347 East 53 St., NY 10022. Edward Ferman, Editor. F&SF needs all lengths of stories, can use all types, but those which combine action with a literary atmosphere work best. Pays 2-3¢ a word.

* Galaxy Magazine, 421 Hudson St., NY 10014. Frederik Pohl, Editor. Galaxy needs stories of all lengths, stressing quality over quantity. Payment of 3¢ a word. *reporting 3-4 wks*

* Worlds Of If, 421 Hudson St., NY 10014. Frederik Pohl, Editor. Worlds of Tomorrow combines with If effective with the August issue. Payment of 1¢ a word. If is primarily interested in short pieces. *reporting 3-4 wks*

Worlds Of Tomorrow. Ceasing publication in August; see above.

Knight & The Adam Bedside Reader, edited by Jared Rutter; Cad & Adam, edited by RF Locke; all from 8060 Melrose Ave., LA, Cal. All are interested in sf to 5000 words. Pay \$125-200. Previous publication alright.

Playboy, 919 North Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill., 60611. Robie MaCauley, fiction Editor. Playboy is actively seeking sf, of any type as long as it is well-written. Minimum payment: \$2000. Lead stories receive \$3000. Reporting time: 4 weeks.

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