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You are invite to:

THE FANTASY VETERANS ASSOCIATION'S

FOURTH ANNUAL FANVET CONVENTION

To be held on SUNDAY, APRIL 25th, 1954

at: WERDERMANN'S HALL, 3rd Avenue, at East 16th Street, New York City, NY.

Doors open at 12 Noon, program starts at 1 PM (Eastern Daylight Time).

THE FEATURE SPEAKER WILL BE

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Also expected down are: Howard Browne and Paul Fairman of Amazing Stories; Mrs. H. L. Gold of Galaxy Science Fiction; Sam Mines of Thrilling Wonder Stories; Jules Saltman of Orbit Science Fiction; Robert P. Mills of Fantasy & Science Fiction; Robert W. Lowndes of Future Science Fiction; Harry Harrison of Science Fiction Adventures; Donald A. Wollhoim of Ice Pocket Books; Dr. Thomas S. Gardner; John Victor Peterson; Leo Margulies of Fantastic Universe; Oscar J. Friend former editor of Thrilling Wonder Stories, and many, many other editors, authors, artists, fans and readers of Science-fiction.

The Convention is sponsored by The Fantasy Veterans Association, who, as usual, hope to obtain enough money to be able to send books and magazines (plus any other service they can) to the fans and readers of science-fiction in the U.S. Armed Forces stationed overseas, for the year 1954-55. To obtain this money, a GIANT AUCTION will be held at this Convention. Most of the publishers and editors of science/fantasy magazines are donating original covers and interior illustrations for this AUCTION.

Come on down, enjoy yourself among friends, meet the editors, the authors, the artists, the fans and the readers of science-fiction. Bid at the auction, get that illustration you want for your den, that cover you've been after, and other numerous "Collector's Items". Know that the money you spend at this auction will not go "into anyone's pocket", but will be used to keep that fan or reader long way from home, reading his favorite literature.

We expect to see you there: Ray Van Houten, chairman; Frank R. Prieto, Jr., James V. Taurasi, Lester Mayer, Jr., and William Blackbeard: Fourth Annual Fanvet Convention Committee.

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