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FUTURE ISSUES: Our announcement that the JDM BIBLIOPHILE No. 22 was the final issue turned out to be a bit premature. No, we will not be publishing it, but Professor Edgar Hirshberg of the Department of English, University of South Florida, volunteered to take over the magazine. So this will be our last issue of the JDMB Bulletin, as Ed plans to publish the EIBLIOPHILE twice a year (Spring and Fall). His first issue (No. 23) is to come out this Fall. The price is \$1.50 per copy, or \$3.00 per year.)

June and I will be writing a regular column for it and will be listed as founding editors or contributing editors. So, send your money, news, reviews, letters, articles etc. to:

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Those of you who have money-credit with us will get either a refund or we will forward the appropriate amount to Ed, depending on how much it is. If there is an "X" on your mailing label this time, it really means that you must renew with the new publisher. And, needless to say, JDMB will no longer be a FAPazine, so FAPA members who are interested should be guided accordingly.

Ed and his friends have great plans for JDMB and they will need your help to keep it going. Not only subscriptions, but material for publication, including artwork for covers. We hope that those of you who contributed in the past will continue to do so in the future, and that those of you who have been thinking about it will also do so.

We would also appreciate it if all of you on the mailing list would continue to keep in touch with us, if only to send us your change of address should you move. It is possible that, at some time in the future, we will publish something that might interest you, so keep us up-to-date on where you are. We don't want to lose touch with all of our friends.

Of course, we'll be "seeing you" in JDMB with our column and, we hope, with your articles or letters, but we will miss getting all the cards and letters so please do keep in touch. We don't have the time to carry on a proper personal correspondence with all of you, but we will send you anything we publish that might interest you as long as we have your current address,

SEEK & SWAP DEPT.

- BILL CRIDER, 4206 Ninth Street, Brownwood, TX 76801 has a copy of YOU KILL ME (aka YOU LIVE ONCE), Popular Library Eagle edition, for sale--or did in September 1977. Suggest you write first to see if it is still available, and enclose SASE.
- DAVID H. DOERRER, 4626 Baywood Circle, Pensacola, FL 32504 needs copies of JDM Bibliophile Nos. 1-21, JDMB Bulletin No. 1, and the JDM MASTER CHECKLIST.
- TOM EMMANS, P.O. Box 3332, Eugene, OR 97403 needs copies of JDM BIBLIOPHILE Nos. 1-10, 13, 14, 17 & 18, and JDMBB No. 1.

ADDITIONS & CORRECTIONS TO THE JDM MASTER CHECKLIST

156. "The Big Blue" (orig. title "Blue Water Fury") was reprinted in the Hilton Bed-side Book, Vol. 7 (Hilton, Chicago) 1968.
157. "Terminal Cases" (A "meditation" featuring McGee and Meyer), NEW YORK MAGAZINE Oct. 3, 1977.
158. "Ring my Love with Diamonds" (4-part newspaper serial) Scene section of San Francisco Examiner (Part 1: June 7, 1977; other 3 parts presumably published that same week--we don't have copies of all 4 parts. It included a readers' contest to find the solution before the last 500 words were published). Also in Sarasota Herald-Tribune (June 12 & 19, July 2 & 9, 1977).
159. Article (on Writing), SARASOTA SCENE MAGAZINE, 1976 Annual.
160. Letter to the Editor: Writers Guild of America (West) Magazine, May 1975
161. "His Creator Watches McGee Come to Life" (Letter to Knox Burger) *ALOFT, Jan-Mar 1970 (Reprinted in JDM BIBLIOPHILE No. 13, Jan 1970). *Published for National Airlines passengers.
162. "John D. MacDonald vs. Doc Savage" Bronze Shadows, Feb 1966 (See JDM BIBLIOPHILE No. 5, Feb 1967)
163. "Man In A Trap" reprinted in STORIES THAT GO BUMP IN THE NIGHT, edited by Alfred Hitchcock, Random House 1977 (The Acknowledgments section of this anthology incorrectly credits "The Bearded Lady" to JDM, but the copyright info reveals that it was by Kenneth Millar aka Ross Macdonald. Either the editor or the typesetter goofed.)
164. "There Hangs Death", reprinted in STORIES TO BE READ WITH THE DOOR LOCKED, edited by Alfred Hitchcock, Random House 1975.
165. "The Homesick Buick", reprinted in MASTERPIECES OF MYSTERY & DETECTION, edited by Rosamund Morris, Hart Publishing Co., 1965.
166. CONDOMINIUM, paperback edition by Fawcett, 1978.
167. "The Corpse Rides At Dawn", reprinted in WESTERNS OF THE 40'S, edited by Damon Knight. Bobbs-Merrill, 1977.

(Our thanks to Tom Emmans, Walter & Jean Shine, and Chuck Toole for the above A & C.)

NEWS & PREVIEWS

CONDO ON TAPE: Books on Tape (P.O. Box 71405, Atlantic Richfield Station, Los Angeles, CA 90071) has added CONDOMINIUM to its cassette list.

CONDO REFERENCE: A technical pamphlet on hurricanes, called "September, Remember" (1977) by Leonard Pardue, former employee (25 years) of the National Hurricane Center (Coral Gables, Florida), includes CONDOMINIUM in its list of Suggested Further Reading.

CONDO SUIT: According to an article in the New York Times last year, JDM has filed suit to block construction of a seven-story condominium complex next to his home. The suit contends that the building permit and the zoning approval are invalid.

McGEE #17: In November, 1977, John advised us that he was "within spitting distance of finishing THE DEADLY COPPER SEA, the long-delayed #17. The title was devised ten minutes ago, so you are the first to know". So look for COPPER (instead of Ginger). It could be available from Lippincott before this issue of JDMBB is distributed.

JDM DOWN UNDER: John and Dorothy MacDonald visited their son and his family in New Zealand in March and April of this year.

JDM S-F: Martin Greenberg is editing a collection of John's science-fiction stories for Fawcett. This will make available stories long out of print, and will include an article by John, and a bibliography of his work provided by June and me. Watch for it later this year or early next year at your paperback store.

A BOOK ON JDM: Professor Edgar Hirshberg, besides taking over the publishing of JDMB, has been working on a book about John. (They are old friends, by the way.) It will be a Twayne book.

BOUCHERCON NEWS: From all reports, Bouchercon 8 in New York last fall was a great success, thanks to the efforts of Chris Steinbrunner and Otto Penzler and those who aided them.

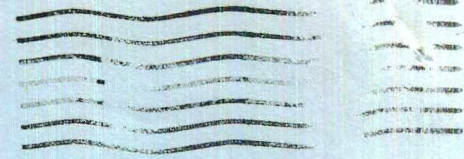
Bouchercon 9 will be in Chicago in October of this year.

(See Notice on page 4.)

Noreen and Larry Shaw are bidding for Bouchercon 10 for the Los Angeles area in 1979, and we understand that there may be two bids for Bouchercon 11 for 1980! In New York, Peter Blau and Jon Lellenberg, of Washington's RED CIRCLE (BSI Scion) have put in an advance bid for Washington in 1980. Ed Hirshberg is thinking of bidding for Tampa for 1980 also.

When the first Bouchercon was held in 1969, we had no idea whether or not they would continue, and now there is some competition for the right, the privilege (and the hard work) to organize and produce them. A very healthy sign indeed, and the rotation plan (to provide for having one in a different section of the country each year so that they should be more available to everyone) seems to be working.

As Tony would say, we raise our glasses to all of the Bouchercon Committees, past, present and future!



BOUCHERCON 9

THE NINTH ANNUAL ANTHONY BOUCHER MEMORIAL MYSTERY CONVENTION

October 6-7-8, 1978 Bismark Hotel Chicgo, Illinois

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Send your membership fee to: John Nieminski
2948 Western
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The Bouchercon 9 Committee, stalwart members of Chicago's famous Hugo's Companions, a scion society of The Baker Street Irregulars, who gave us Bouchercon 6, a most enjoyable affair, are working hard to bring us another great convention. They need your help and support NOW.

(Remember, the Bouchercons are for everyone and anyone interested in detective, mystery, crime and suspense fiction, and that includes readers, fans, buffs, collectors, dealers, writers, editors, publishers, agents, artists--everybody! Join in the fun by joining now!)



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