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## SFPA FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance before mlg 229 sent out	\$290.36
Postage for mlg 229	- 86.31
Dues received (Hlavaty, Brooks)	<u>+ 30.00</u>
Balance before mailing 230 sent out	\$234.05

### PRIORITY MAIL DUES

I've done a little recalculating. As noted last time, priority postage rates went up in July, and are now zoned. A two-pound priority mail package from Seattle to nearly anywhere else in the US is now \$5.75. That nearly doubles the differential from book rate to 3.87 per mailing. However we've now had two three-pound mailings in a row, which suggests that we should plan on a couple of those a year — at three pounds the the differential from book rate is 6.29 per mailing. As a result, the dues surcharge for priority mail is going to be \$28 per year, rather than 25. Sorry for the last minute change, just before many of you have dues due.

### MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

- ➔ When you **overnight your zines**, please remember to sign the little "no signature required" box. There isn't always someone home to sign for them.
- ➔ Note that the "**SE**" in the OE's address is **vital**: there is a 165th Avenue Northeast in Bellevue, too, and confusion is worth two days at the post office.
- ➔ Note that the OO doesn't get printed until Saturday afternoon of deadline weekend. The mailing doesn't go to the post office until Sunday afternoon or Monday morning. As long as your zine gets to me by Saturday's mail delivery you're guaranteed to make the mailing. In other words, no matter which Thursday is the statutory deadline, the **effective deadline** is the following Saturday.
- ➔ As usual, I will put the table of contents from the mailing and contact information for me up on the **web**. See <http://alumni.caltech.edu/~copeland/sfpa>, for the time being until Steve Hughes and I can get our act together to take the show on the road. (And see the lengthy comment to Gary Brown in my zine this mailing about how we go about taking the show on the road.)
- ↪ We have another **100% mailing**. Huzzah! Third in a row! Plus, we've broken two pounds again. We may not be large, but we're healthy. (And at a couple of ounces over two pounds, I'm including another quotes installment, ahead of my planned schedule.)
- ➔ However, the mailing will be going out **Tuesday** morning rather than Monday morning because George Wells zine was a day late getting out due to a screw-up at the copy shop.

## SFPA ROSTER AND WAITING LIST NEWS

As usual, copies of *The Southerner* will go to **Robert Lichtman**, PO Box 30, Glen Ellen CA 95442, and **Arnie Katz**, 330 S Decatur, #152, Las Vega NV 89102.

We have yet another short contribution from our new quasi-waitlister, **Bobby George Poulette**. (This is getting to be a regular shot-across-the-bow.)

**George Wells** health problems have abated, but **Liz** has been in the hospital, as detailed in her zine.

Last time I noted that "Former member **Trinlay Khadro** has been downsized and is madly doing art-to-order in the interim. Contact her at [trin@dias.net](mailto:trin@dias.net) if you're interested." I goofed: her actual e-mail address is [trin63@dias.net](mailto:trin63@dias.net).

## THE RULES OF SFPA

1. The membership limit is 30; we will reinstitute a waiting list when we reach that point. Copy requirement is two more than the current roster count.
2. Minimum activity is 6 pages of original and personal writing and/or artwork in every two consecutive mailings.
3. Dues are \$15 per year, or **\$43** per year to receive the mailings by Priority Mail. (Currently Dengrove, Hughes, Larson, Lillian, Strickland, and Wells are receiving their mailings by priority mail.) Dues are payable by the deadline of the mailing listed by each member's name. Failure to pay dues on time can result in the OE holding the mailing until dues are paid.
4. 'Sawley, in fact, declared at the wedding that "Sercomb was mated to a bullfrog in a sou'wester",'
5. It costs \$5 to join the waiting list and an additional \$3 annually to remain on the list. Waiting listers must respond to the OO at least once every other mailing. Mailings are available to waiting listers and other interested parties for \$5 each on a first-come, first-serve basis.
6. Cohabiting couples can share a membership slot. Each member must meet minac and each has a vote. But they share one mailing and just one set of dues is required.
7. As expounded in SFPA's constitution, the contents of each zine are the responsibility of the contributor, not the Official Editor, who doesn't actually exercise any editorial control, but only acts as a distribution agent.
8. Always read *The Southerner* or you may not know what changes the OE is making, or you won't be able to get a leg up on *next year's* Rule 4 contest.

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**Members gained:** None

**Members lost:** None

**COA:** None

**Pages owed:** LCopeland (4), Feller (2), Robe (2).

**Dues owed:** Gelb, Hughes, Lillian, Markstein, Metcalf, Reinhardt, Robe.

**Dues overdue:** None.

The deadline for SFPA 231 is:

**Thursday 30 January 2003**

(with institutionalized slop to the following Saturday)

Send **24** copies of your zine to

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