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and these are

THE RULES OF SAPS

The Spectator Amateur Press Society exists for the purpose of exchanging magazines produced by the members, which are sent to the Official Editor and distributed to the membership in quarterly bundles. Aside from this practically anything goes.

Rules, however, are published as a part of the official organ just to let the members know what the Official Editor is up to. The rules for this quarter are:

- (1) Membership in SAPS is limited to 35 members.
- (2) Each member must, to retain membership, demonstrate continued interest by contributing a minimum of six quarto pages of his/her original unpublished work every six months. Contributions must be legibly reproduced and sent to the Official Editor in an edition of at least 40 copies. Material not distributed as a part of the mailing bundle is not listed as part of the mailing or recognized as activity constituting a contribution. APA X allows this sort of thing, but we don't.
- (3) Membership dues are \$2.50 per year, due 15 days before the deadline date of your last mailing under your current membership.**
- (4) Applicants for membership, when no openings on the membership roster exist (which is most of the time) are placed on a Waiting List for admission, and receive copies of the Official Organ. In order to remain on the Waiting List they must indicate continued interest by acknowledging receipt of the Official Organ within one month of the mailing deadline date. (Time-extensions are granted fans living outside North America.) On being invited to join they must contribute six pages (minimum) of activity, representing the required activity for their first six months of membership, and the normal dues.
- (5) Each year, with the January mailing, ballots are distributed for the election of the Official Editor and for the conduct of the Pillar Poll. The latter is a categorized laureate poll based on the material in the previous year's mailings, and the winner becomes titular President of SAPS.
- (6) The Official Editor makes all rules of SAPS, and handles all official business. All material intended for a mailing must be in his hands by the deadline for that mailing.

next deadline

OCTOBER 15

and quarterly thereafter.

(7) The Official Editor exercises no personal restrictions on the nature of contributions to the mailing. However, since the mailing bundles are sent out under his name, he may reject any item violating the Post Office's prejudices.

(8) In addition to, and notwithstanding, any rule set forth above, or any provision of federal, state, or local constitutions, public law, social realism, or even common fairness, the Official Editor retains the right to deal with any situation which may arise in the operation of SAPS -- and also to tear down and raise up, loose and bind, coin money with his own superscription and image, impose taxes, levy war, issue letters of marque and reprisal, and take any other action needful to maintain the Spectator Amateur Press Society. In brief, he is Evil and his heart is Black.

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The Officers of SAPS, 1960

OFFICIAL EDITOR: *Rich Eney*

PRESIDENT: *SFC Arthur H. Rapp*

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RU&HC: *Mr & Mrs J. Trimble*

And Vice-Presidents as enumerated opposite...

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LEGISLATION OF MORALS:

(1) It is considered immoral to miss a mailing. Eva Firestone, Jack Harness, Bob Leman, Ray Schaffer, and Guy Terwilleger are guilty of the charge of immorality on this specification.

(2) It is considered moral to notify the OE in advance of intent to leave. On this ground Lynn Hickman and Es Adams are declared moral, though missing.

(3) It is considered immoral to tuck notes to the OE inside your bundle of SAPSzines, partly because it'll cost like hell if the Post Office catches you and partly because they won't be found until too late -- packages stack more conveniently if they aren't unwrapped, you see. Recommended procedure for people who want to be notified of the arrival of their mags are advised to drop me a line under separate cover, with a returnaddressed envelope -- or better, postcard -- included. Y'all hear, Don Durward?

(4) It is considered grossly immoral to include items which might have the effect of bugging the Post Office if observed. For further discussion of this point see the end of thish of SPY RAY. Al Lewis is guilty of violation of this point of morals and is denied activity credit for the offending publication and assessed penalty activity of twelve pages for the next mailing. "The OE is evil and his heart is black."

(5) It is immoral to attempt to assassinate the OE, provided you bungle the job. A nice neat execution, on the other hand, is unexceptionable.

The Elite...

Members of the Spectator Amateur Press Society.
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Dropped: Es ADAMS, Lynn HICKMAN; both resigned. "In the midst of life..."



DUES DUE BEFORE NEXT MAILING: Brown, Firestone, Johnstone, Lee, Lemman, Norris.

ACTIVITY DUE BEFORE NEXT MAILING: Firestone (6), Harness (5), Lemman (6), Lewis (12), Schaffer (6)

Dues & Required Activity due by 1 October

INVITED TO JOIN:

- Norman WANSBOROUGH, 84 Wyke Rd, Trowbridge, Wilts., ENGLAND
- Bill SARILL, 11 Buena Vista Pk., Cambridge 40, Mass.
- Colin CAMERON, 2561 Ridgeview Drive, San Diego 5, Cal.

Inform me of your intention to join and send your first year's dues by 15 August and six pages of activity before 1 October, and you are IN.

they who wait

Waiting-listers must acknowledge receipt of the SPECTATOR by 1 August.

1. Arv Underman, 5304 Sherbourne Drive, Los Angeles 56, Cal.
2. Doreen Erlenwein, 4116 Watrous Ave., Tampa 9, Fla.
3. Nick Falasca, 13402 Cedar Ave., Cleveland 18, Ohio
4. Vic Ryan, 2160 Sylvan Rd., Springfield, Ill.
5. Wm B Ellern, 7103 Brynhurst Ave., Los Angeles 43, Cal.
6. Hal Shapiro, 2689 Clements, Detroit 38, Mich.
7. Klaus Eylman, RA-Komp 176, Estorff-Kaserne, Block 20, Hamberg-Wandsbeck, / WEST GERMANY
8. Les Gerber, 201 Linden Blvd, Brooklyn 26, NY
9. Mike Deckinger, 85 Locust Ave., Millburn, NJ
- Richard Bergeron, 110 Bank St., New York 14, NY (oop! Add: 10.)
11. Ray C. Higgs, 813 Eastern Ave., Connersville, Indiana
12. Nan Gerding, Box 145, Roseville, Ill.
13. Dave Rike, 750 Sixtieth St., Oakland, Cal.
14. Larry Anderson, 3006 Yearn's Dr., Billings, Montana
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16. Walter Breen, 311 E. 72nd St., New York 21, NY
17. Norm Metcalf, Box 1262, Tyndall AFB, Florida
18. Andy Main Bem, 5668 Gato Ave., Goleta, Cal.
19. Steven L. Muir, PO Box 2342, Terminal Annex Sta., Los Angeles 54, Cal.
20. Dick Schultz, 19159 Helen, Detroit 34, Mich.
21. Ed Meskys, 723A Forty-Fifth St., Brooklyn 20, NY
22. Bob Smith, 1 Timor St., Puckapunyal, Victoria, AUSTRALIA
23. Joan Cleveland, #5 Bayshore Ave., Cape May Court House, NJ
24. Craig Cochran, 467 W. First St., Scottsdale, Ariz.

MONEY MATTERS

Balance Brought forward by Toskey:	\$86.75
Cost of mailing:	\$33.86
WL 00's and MO fee for forwarding treasury:	\$ 1.30
Balance forwarded by Toskey & rec'd by Eney:	\$51.59
Dues from Trimble, Pelz, Hayes, Devore, and Lewis	\$10.00
Contributions for W-L fanzines by Shapiro, Erlenwein, Meskys, & Bergeron	5.25
Advance orders for W-L bundles from Bergeron, Ryan, Metcalf, Dee, Rike, Gerbr	7.00
Just barely got those on one line, by golly! Balance on hand, 15 Jul	\$73.84

Betcha thought I'd forgotten those asterisks, eh? The first one is to advise you to NOTE that dues have gone up \$0.50.



The matter of Jack Harness! Harness advises me that he sent me an issue of SAP ROLLER for this mailing. Since the postcard on which he told me this was dated 11 July, and it's been taking at least a week for stuff to get here from the West Coast by surface mail, one gathers that he's been cutting the deadline too close. However, as the Fan Hill people mentioned parenthetically in another message that "Jack had his fanzine out too!" I exert my OEditorial powers and waive Harness' lactivity for this mailing, with a warning not to pull this sort of thing again -- the PO is too notorious for sloth for any fan to make a mistake like this. Other sluggards must not consider this a precedent for mercy, because anybody else would get ruthlessly slung out. But I've been at swords' points with Harness so long that I'm obliged to lean over backward not to deal him any low blows like throwing him out of an organization when there's a half-decent excuse to keep him in.

and now for the performance of The 2nd March

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It is noted that the performers are all of a high standard of ability and it is hoped that the audience will enjoy the performance. The programme is well planned and it is hoped that the audience will find it most interesting. The performers are all of a high standard of ability and it is hoped that the audience will enjoy the performance.

and now, for one performance only... *The 52nd Mailing!!*

ITEM	CREDIT	Others' Credit
1. SPECTATOR (O'neey) #52, S,	5	
2. MHO*DJEE (Hayes) #5, S,	8	
3. SPELOBEM (Pelz) #8, S,	37	(Harness 1)
4. SPY RAY OF SAPS (Eney) OpCrifanac CLXXIII, S,	22	
5. DIE ZEITSCHRIFT FUR VOLLS'TANDIGEN UNSINN (KKAnderson)nd,S	13	
6. ROSCOE WILL SAVE (Johnstone) Fornchy Pub #6, S,	8	
7. HERE THERE BE SAPS (Lichtman) #5, S,	42	(Bjo 1, Eney 1)
8. SAFARI (Kemp) #6, S,	19	
9. KRAML (O'Meara) M52, S,	7	
9a. (insert) PSYCHO (Bloch /Hitchcock's frank, /) nd, 6x9	4	
10. OUTSIDERS (Ballard) #40, S,	16	(Nanshare 1)
11. SCIENCE FICTION STORIES FOR PEOPLE WHO HATE SCIENCE FICTION* (Toskey) X, S,	23	*enuf to kill it?
12. POOR RICHARD'S ALMANAC (Brown) #8, S,	78	
13. STF BROADCASTS AGAIN! (Rapp & others) nd, S,	37	
14. BOG (Pfeiffer) #14, S,	2	
15. CREDO (Meskys) M52, S,	2	(Berry 2)
16. RAGNAROK (T&M Carr) #6, S,	38	
17. FLABBERGASTING (Toskey) #15, S,	12	
18. 'PORQUE! (Erlenwein) #6, S,	15	
19. BUMP (Durward) #3, S,	8	
20. A LETTER TO SAPS (Shapiro) nd, S,	3	
21. POT POURRI (Berry) #12, 4to,	36	
22. SPACEWARP (Rapp) #67, S,	30	
23. YESTERDAY THE FUTURE (Cowwal) #2, S,	2	
24. " " " #3, S,	2	
25. FANTOCCINI (Norris) #25, S,	9	
26. COLLECTOR (DeVore) #22, S,	5	
27. (b/w) COITUS (Lewis) nd, S,	6	
28. BUMP (Durward) #4, S,	12	
29. FENDENIZEN (E. Busby) #17, S,	18	
30. MEST (Johnstone) #3, S,	30	
31. MAINE-IAC (Ed Cox) #22, S,	10	(Jacobs 4)
32. IGNATZ (Nanshare) #25, S, Section I*	10	*note display of
33. " " " Section II	12	Roscoe's power
34. EGOTAPE (Jacobs) #1, S & tape,	1	
35. WARHOON (Bergeron) #8, S,	18	
36. COLLODION (Lee) #2, S,	12	
37. RETRO (FMBusby) #17, S,	16	(Coslet 1, Terwillegger 1)
38. PILLAR POLL (Jacobs) 1960, S,	4	
TOTAL	592	

It will be noted that I'm returning to the practice of allowing credit for SAPS members contributions to other members' fanzines. However, anybody who wants credit for this had better let me know, to be on the safe side; the last week before deadline brings such a lot of mags I can't be sure of noting all contributors other than the editor.