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## DIRECTORS APPROVE NEW BALLOT

A three-part vote taken by directors approved a ballot with all candidates listed alphabetically. Results came in shortly before Tightbeam was published.

MOVED, That Directorate approve new ballot to be sent with TB if possible; cost to be paid by Treasury.

Voting for: Art Hayes, Elaine Wojciechowski, Mike Zaharakis

Voting against: Ned Brooks

Abstain: Wally Weber

MOVED, That Ballot list all candidates in alphabetical order.

Voting for: Art Hayes, Elaine Wojciechowski, Mike Zaharakis

Voting against: Ned Brooks

Abstain: Wally Weber

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MOVED, That the Constitutional amendment matter be included on ballot (as directors voted earlier).

Voting for: Ned Brooks, Art Hayes, Elaine Wojciechowski, Mike Zaharakis

Voting against: none

Abstain: Wally Weber

Weber did not vote on any of these, and nobody voted for more discussion. As such, all three items passed and a new ballot was sent.

## OBITUARIES

On Sunday, September 14, just ten days after his twenty-first birthday, Spec, 5 R. R. Davenport was killed in an automobile accident when a car veered across the center divide and struck his car. After a year in Vietnam he returned to the States on March of this year and was stationed at Ft. Hood, Texas. The accident occurred near there.

Fandom was the great love of his life. Since going into the service he could not be too active, but was looking forward to returning to civilian life and fanactivity again.

While in high school in Las Vegas, Bob co-edited Astron with Dwain Kaiser. In Long Beach (Westercon, 1965) he won a prize for the bird costume he had for the masquerade ball.

Celia Keller, widow of Dr. Keller, died Nov. 2, in the hospital at Stroudsburg, according to a report received Nov. 21.

# Officers

## President:

Stan Woolston, 12832 Westlake St., Garden Grove, Calif. 92640

## Directorate:

Chairman: Ned Brooks, 713 Paul St., Newport News, Va. 23605  
Elaine Wojciechowski, 4755 N. Keystone Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60630  
J. Arthur Hayes, Box 1030, South Porcupine, Ont., Canada  
Wally Weber, Box 267, 507 Third Ave., Seattle, Wash. 98106  
Mike Zaharakis, 1326 S.E. 14th, Portland, Ore. 97214

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Janie Lamb, Route 1, Box 364, Heiskell, Tenn. 37754

## Editor: TNFF and Tightbeam

Gary H. Labowitz, 1100 Betzwood Dr., Norristown, Pa. 19401

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K. Martin Carlson, 1028 Third Ave. S., Moorhead, Minn. 56560

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~~Neff Amateur Press Alliance: Frank Denton, 14654 8th Ave. S.W., Seattle, Wash. 98166~~

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Renewals: Sandra Deckinger, 25 Manor Dr., Apt. 2J, Newark, N.J. 07106

~~Round Robins: open~~

~~SF Lending Library: Elinor Poland, 13290 N.E. 6th Ave., Apt. 306, North Miami, Fla.~~

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~~Story Contest: Leo P. Kelley, Manager, 500 E. 85th St., N.Y., N.Y. 10028~~

Judge: Edward Ferman, Editor, Magazine of Fantasy and Science Fiction

~~Tape Bureau: Joanne Burger, 55 Blue Bonnet Ct., Lake Jackson, Texas 77566~~

~~Welcome Committee: Art Hayes, Box 1030, South Porcupine, Ont., Canada~~

World SF Poll: Roy Tackett, 915 Green Valley Rd., Albuquerque, N.M. 87107

Writers' Exchange: Alma Hill, 463 Park Dr., Apt. 11, Boston, Mass. 02215

Roster Clerk: Norman Wegemer, 601 Darley Rd., Claymont, Del. 19703

Send renewal for 1970 to:

Janie Lamb, Route 1, Box 364, Heiskell, Tenn. 37754

*\* ask for info on ea. of indiv bureaus in club what ea does + how to join  
of find out if any foreign*

# President's Message

"THE FANDOM OF THE UNEXPECTED"

Perhaps it is suitable that science fiction, the fiction of the unexpected, occasionally has activity in its fandom that is unexpected. The 1970 election fits that category. After one candidate was somehow left off the ballot, an additional page was hastily submitted for members to vote for him if they wished -- but that would have meant everyone would not have his name on one ballot and over six directors might be voted for, contrary to instructions about voting for five directors. A constitutional matter was added, too; this was okayed about mid-year but not placed on the ballot earlier. Directors thought members should have a right to vote for the increase in dues so it was submitted for their vote even though some directors who voted it be put before them did not support it. Directors voted for a new ballot to go out with Tightbeam, so another aspect of fiction is involved in this matter -- suspense. The results of the election will be made known to members later. Those who are candidates will be informed by letter as soon as possible.

November 1 was date the stories in the 1969 Neffer Short Story contest were turned over to the Judge, Mr. Edward Ferman. Mr. Ferman is deserving of our thanks for taking over the job of Judge when asked by Leo P. Kelley, the Manager of the contest. In fact, both of these men, and Mr. Fred Pohl should be thanked. Fred Pohl served as Judge for years, and would have served this year except he felt the Judge should be an acting Editor -- something Mr. Ferman most assuredly is, with the Magazine of Fantasy and Science Fiction.

The beginning of any year will coincide with a new burst of enthusiasm and new ideas in our club. Part of this is, of course, because of the people newly elected to office. But this time of year has a way of stimulating a fan, and some who were inactive for a while discover a renewed interest in one phase of fandom or another. Why don't you?

Last TNFF I sent in the information that we have a new head of the Correspondence Bureau -- but as the issue had to be ten pages to go first class, and as an election issue speed was felt to be essential, it was left over for this issue.

Looking back over 1969, it can be seen how the lack of a steady TNFF has caused complications. The missing June TNFF was to notify members of the election, and I believe it reported on the Directorate decision to submit a raise in dues to TNFF on same ballot as the annual election. As usual, getting out copy for the official organ was a regular job of the President, and to help in the future a letter to new officers is in the writing stage now. Directors can originate changes and I will suggest some. From experience I know that it pays to think through suggestions, stick to the essential points, and be careful to present something that can be put into effect "as is."

Anyway, I am hopeful for the new year. If you wish to help in the new year you might write me -- I assume I will be a successful candidate. Of course I'll cooperate with other officers, but everyone else too.

In 1970, if you are a Bureau chief, send me at least a brief statement of plans or news. This is to inform membership so write it with this in mind. I hope new list of officers and bureau people has few resignations but now is a good time to tell me if you're eager to help. I can tell what a job would need but need your interests and other essentials.

Stan Woolston

# Directorate Report

## Summary of Year's Activity

As the club organ, TNFF, has not carried the Directorate reports throughout the year, because it has not appeared, mainly, I present here a summary of motions passed by the Directorate through the month of October. As I, as Directorate Chairman, am presenting this report without consulting the Directorate as a whole, no discussion of issues will be given.

Presented by the Chairman and passed in Jan.

Standing Rules of Procedure.

- The Chm will issue all formal ballots, two copies to directors.
- The Chm will issue any requested ballot in the next What Neffer that appears after receipt of the request.
- The Chm will send out What Neffer at least once a month.
- The Chm may count as an abstention any ballot not voted within two weeks of issue, but a late vote will be counted for historical purposes; and will be effective if the action voted on has not yet been taken.
- If the Chm becomes incapacitated, the Standby Chm will take over, either on notice from the Chm or when a month has passed without the appearance of What Neffer from the Chm.
- The Standby Chm will be elected by plurality vote.

Presented by the Chairman and passed in March

MOVED, That \$35 be appropriated to the Sec-Treasurer for expenses of the office.

MOVED, That the Story contest rules, prizes, and form be approved as set forth on the sample enclosed.

Presented by the Chairman and passed in April

MOVED, That the NFFF pay for a full page ad in the St. Louiscon 3rd Progress Report, a full page ad in the Program Book, and a  $\frac{1}{4}$  page ad in the Program Booklet for the Story Contest.

Presented by Director Mike Zaharakis and passed in May

MOVED (for the second time - first was Jan. 26th), by Mike Zaharakis (as reworded by Dir. Chm.), that the Directorate cause to be printed in the next convenient issue of TNFF the following ballots to amend the NFFF Constitution -

TO AMEND Article I, section 1 of the NFFF Constitution to provide for "annual dues of \$2.00 per member per annum, with partial year rates to be adjusted proportionally by the Secretary-Treasurer."

The following notice is to be printed with the ballot: "The NFFF Directorate presents these Constitutional amendments to the membership on the understanding that they will be binding if approved by  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the members who vote, as provided by the Constitution."

Presented by the Chairman and passed in June

MOVED, That the NFFF will pay for the publication of the revised edition of the Franson-Viggiano Title Change Book by the Publication Bureau.

Presented by Director Mike Zaharakis and passed in September

MOVED, by Mike Zaharakis, That the Directorate recognize the Fanzine Clearing House as the Seth Johnson Memorial Clearing House and that it be declared an official activity of the National Fantasy Fan Federation.

Presented by Director Mike Zaharakis, altered by the Chairman and further altered by Director Art Hayes and passed in October

MOVED, As an alternate by Art Hayes to an alternate by Ned Brooks, That Michel Barnes, as current manager of the Fanzine Clearing House, be granted \$5 for initial expenses; and that advertising costs, to a maximum of \$25, will be refunded to the manager of the Clearing House upon presentation of a copy of the advertising matter in question.

Voting for: Ned Brooks, Elaine Wojciechowski, Mike Zaharakis

Voting against: none

Abstain: Art Hayes, Wally Weber

Ned Brooks, Jr.

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## Overseas News

Beryl Mercer, current secretary of BSFA, has reported that Audrey Walton will assume the duties in April. Beryl's son, John, was involved in an accident and has been in the hospital for some time. We send our best wishes to Beryl and hope she'll be actively fanning again soon.

Beryl Mercer's address is:

10 Lower Church Lane, St. Michael's, Bristol BS2 8BA, England

Audrey Walton's address is:

25 Yewdale Crescent, Coventry, Warwickshire, England

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## Birthday Card Project Report

December Birthdays

1 Charles Lopiccolo, Mike Riley, James Toren	19 Vera Heminger, Harry Warner, Jr. Joe Zalabek
3 Richard Smith	21 Irwin Koch
4 Roberto Fuentes	23 George Heap
7 Miller Hahn	25 Edgar Welch, Ernest Williams
15 Rick Grassell, John Guidry	27 J. Arthur Vaughn
16 Richard Blackburn	28 Robert Rozman
17 Tom McGrew	29 Eric Boyd
	31 Linda Carpenter

Cards sent in Jan.	25
" " " Feb.	27
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" " " Apr.	20
" " " May	24
" " " Jun.	11
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" " " Oct.	17
" " " Nov.	27
" " " Dec.	21

Total cards sent for year: 286

We had 142 stamps on January 1st, 1969  
We got 260 stamps from friends  
We used 286 stamps this year  
We got 115 stamps left

# Treasurer's Report

Balance from June, 1969.....	\$ 1032.59
Dues collected, counting World Con.....	220.50
Proceeds from Bok Folio (Meskys).....	<u>25.00</u>
TOTAL	1278.09

Disbursements:

TNFF.....	\$ 108.00
TB.....	40.00
FCH (Barnes).....	5.00
St. Louiscon.....	<u>15.00</u>
TOTAL	168.00

BALANCE      1110.09

NEW MEMBERS:

Gail R. Barton  
31 Rangeview Dr.  
Lakewood, Colo. 80215

BD: 2-13-44..inst art, writing, colls.  
Will write for pubs or do art, or  
corres..inst fandom 3 months..likes  
fanzines..attended St. Louiscon..inst  
stf 9 years..reads Analog, If, Galaxy..  
likes Hal Clement, Vance, Norton and  
others. Sponsor: Raybin

Elizabeth N. Stinson  
326 YWCA, 217 W. Jones St.  
Raleigh, N. C. 27603

BD: 8-31..inst colls..will do clerical  
work, has typer..inst stf 17 years..  
likes Heinlein..ERB. Sponsor:Raybin

Frank Wyatt  
P. O. Box 2349  
Greensboro, N. C. 27402

BD: 7-4-43..would like to be active..  
occ: engineer..inst stf 18 years..reads  
all stf mags..likes Heinlein, Asimov,  
Clarke, E.E.Smith, Zelazny.

Robert Weinberg  
127 Clark St.  
Hillside, N.J. 07205

BD: 8-29-16..math inst (college)..inst  
writing, corres, colls..will corres or  
write for pubs, has typer..has written  
material for fanzines..member ESFA..inst  
fanzines, attended cons..likes Howard,  
Russell, Van Vogt, Dickson. Sponsor:  
Deckinger

David Lewton  
735 E. Kessler Blvd.  
Indianapolis, Ind. 46220

BD: 9-3-54..student..inst writing, art,  
corres, colls, especially original art..  
will write or do corres, has typer..inst  
stf fandom 1 year..inst fanzines..inst  
stf 3 years..reads all stf mags...likes  
all stf authors.

Roger Bryant, Jr.  
647 Thoreau Ave.  
Akron, Ohio 44306

BD: 8-24-49..chem-Eng. student..inst colls  
..will write or corres, has typer..inst  
fanzines..never attended a con..inst stf  
10 yrs..prefers wide variety of stories..  
likes all authors of stf.

Murlin H. Dye  
3014 E. T. Station  
Commerce, Texas 75428

BD: 3-18-33..college teacher..inst corres,  
colls..no time to be active now..inst in  
fanzines..inst stf 20 yrs..likes hard stf  
likes Biggle, Heinlein, Asimov, Knight,  
Ellison.

Helen A. Thilenius  
P. O. Box 3467  
Maplewood, Mo. 63142

BD: 10-3-11..clerk-typist..inst writing..  
cannot be active now..has typer, taper..  
reads most stf mags. Sponsor: Raybin

Ray Dalton  
Box 863 Carson Newman College  
Jefferson City, Tenn. 37760

BD: 3-2-48..student..inst colls, writing  
corres..will write for pubs or corres..  
has typer, taper..inst stf 10 yrs..reads  
all stf he can get..likes most writers.

Tom Stockslager  
2612 Hillview Ave.  
Dayton, Ohio 45419

BD: 12-28-51..student..inst writing,  
corres..will be active, corres preferred  
..inst fanzines..has been active for  
about 6 months..read stf 11 yrs..likes  
all mags and authors. Sponsor: Raybin

PFC Eric Ives, 2449183  
3rd 175 NM Guns Btry (SP)  
FPO, San Francisco, Calif. 96602

Sponsor: Meskys

Paul Long  
1626 S.E. 12th  
Portland, Ore. 97215

Sponsor: Zaharakis

Steve Johnson  
1018 N.W. 31st St.  
Corvallis, Ore. 97330

Sponsor: Zaharakis

Duane Snider  
6232 S.E. 18th  
Portland, Ore. 97202

Sponsor: Zaharakis

Society of Strangers  
c/o Zaharakis  
1326 S.E. 14th  
Portland, Ore. 97214

Sponsor: Zaharakis

REINSTATEMENTS:

Darrell C. Richardson, 899 Stonewall St., Memphis, Tenn. 38107  
Steven Lawrence Goldstein, 12058 Milton St., Wheaton, Md. 20902  
David K. Patrick, Apt. 2Q, 100 Lane Crest Ave., New Rochelle, N.Y. 10805

Dean Sweatman  
762 Grove Ave.  
Harahan, La. 70123

BD: 8-7-49..inst writing, pub, colls..will  
do clerical work or corres..has typer,  
mimeo, taper..member NOSFA..inst stf 10  
yrs. Sponsor: Ann Wilson

Cortney Skinner  
34 Shepard St.  
Cambridge, Mass. 02138

BD: 7-25-50..art student..inst colls..will  
do illustration..has typer..inst fanzines..  
inst stf several yrs..reads Analog, If,  
Galaxy..likes Leiber, Norton, Heinlein,  
Vance. Sponsor: Raybin

Donald Lundry  
R D 1, Old York Estates  
Hightown, N.J. 03520

BD: 8-6-36..inst colls..has typer..inst  
fandom 6 yrs..inst fanzines..inst stf 20  
yrs..likes Sturgeon, Heinlein. Sponsor:  
Raybin

Sharon L. Nears  
8622 Chapin St.  
Norfolk, Va. 23503

BD: 8-17-52..inst art, colls..will do art  
for club..inst in fanzines..inst stf since  
she could read..prefers stories about  
telepaths, robots..likes Asimov, Norton,  
Bradbury. Sponsor: Ann Wilson

RENEWALS:

For 1970:

Stan Woolston, E. Cooke,  
Frank Hiller, Norman Grenzke, Jr.  
R.P. Brown, Bill Linden

For 1974:

Eva Firestone

# Tape Bureau Report

The Tape Bureau is alive and healthy still. The newsletter, Replay, is sent to almost 100 people. If you would like to receive it, just drop me a line. We still have members who are interested in tape recording stories for the blind, but that project is not well organized yet.

The Tape Bureau Library has tapes from Baycon, St. Louiscon, lots of Regionals, and assorted other fannish gatherings. And old radio shows, such as X-1, The Shadow, and others. We have almost all of the Star Trek shows on tape, and several other TV programs as well. A couple of the members collect soundtracks from sf movies, and were kind enough to let me copy them, so we have quite a selection of them too. Harry S. Weatherby has formed a group who tape radio shows, some old classics and some new programs, and he hopes to have these shows actually played on the radio. They are quite interesting and entertaining. I have just published the catalog of the Tape Bureau Library. If you would like to see a copy, just drop me a line. A 6¢ stamp would be appreciated, to help pay the postage.

The people listed below have expressed an interest in exchanging tape recorded correspondence. If you are also interested in such things, you might contact one of them. I would suggest an exchange of letters first, since some tape recorders are not compatible with others. An 'S' after the address means that a 3" reel and 3 3/4 ips speed should be usable. A 'C' means that a cassette is needed.

- Bee Bowman, 1223 Crofton Ave., Waynesboro, Va. 22980, S
- ← Ned Brooks, 713 Paul St., Newport News, Va. 23605, S,C
- ← Donald Cowan, 1605 8th Ave. SW, Decatur, Ala. 35601, S
- ← Frank Denton, 14654 8th Ave. SW, Seattle, Wash. 98166, S
- \* Michael R. Farkash, 10400 Amestoy, Granada Hills, Calif. 91344, S
- Thomas Goyett, 2010 15th St., Bay City, Mich. 48706, S,C
- Mick A. Grassell, 14432 Polk, Taylor, Mich. 48180, C
- Michael Grenadier, Box 865, Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt. C
- Miller Hahn, 912½ E. Washington St., New Castle, Pa. 16101, S,C
- Mrs. Dorothy Jones, 6106 Euclid Ave., Bakersfield, Calif. 92208, S
- Ed Krieg, 510 North Chapel Gate Lane, Baltimore, Md. 21229, C
- George E. Levey, P. O. Box 1131, Boca Raton, Fla. 33432, S
- Kevin Maul, 7688 Marine Dr., So. Glens Falls, N.Y. 12801, S
- ← Phil Muldowney, 7, The Elms, Stoke, Plymouth, Devon, England, S
- Mike O'Brien, 676 LeMoyné Ave. Ext. 1, Washington, Pa. 15301, S
- ← Frank C. Olbris, 284 N. Farms Rd., Florence, Mass. 01060, S
- Hector R. Pessina, Casilla 3869, C. Central, Buenos Aires, Argentina, C
- Larry St. Cyr, Jr., 30 Frederick St., No. Adams, Mass. 01247, S
- Joseph Schamburger, 1836 Longview Court, Teaneck, N.J. 07666, S
- Stuart Stinson, Box 7, Acme, Mich. 49610, S,C
- Bob Stahl, Box 114, Bridge City, Texas 77611, S
- Lisa Tuttle, 6 Pine Forest Circle, Houston, Texas 77027, S
- ← Jeff Yates, 25 Fernwood, San Anselmo, Calif. 94960, C
- Joe Zalabak, 5300 Ashley, Detroit, Mich. 48236, S

If you would like to correspond (by tape recording) with someone in England, Gerald Taylor, 21 Butts Mount, Leeds, LS12 1PL, Yorkshire, England is the head of the BSFA Taperespondence section and he has said he'll put you in touch with someone in England if you write to him. Gerald is sending the library the Hobbit serial that was played on the British radio.

If any of this sounds interesting, we would love to have you join the bureau. To join, just write me, Joanne Burger, 55 Blue Bonnet Ct., Lake Jackson, Texas 77566. An expression of interest is all that is required.

Joanne Burger



# NFFF History

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A one page letter to the membership by Paul Harold Rehorst comments on the National Party campaign. Election returns were not in at the time of writing. He says "To the presidential victor must go the wholehearted support of the backers of the losing side."

S.F.Theatre by G.M.Carr: A 3½ page article about five stories: Dead Reckoning, The Case of Dr. Pliny, Dead Storage, The Strange People of Pecos, and A Genuine Mammoth. Very well written.

Publisher of this issue of TNFF was Gary H. Labowitz and he has a ½ page notice that he needs help on a proposed publication "Fantasy Pseudonum" for N3F.

President's Message: Brings up the "Pro and Con" on the so-called FEUDS going on by letters, to various officials and members. New Director Ralph Holland checked into the legal aspects and brought out rulings of 'Out of Order' in many cases. Walter Coslet is President.'

Treasurer's report: Only \$14.90 remained in the treasury and many bills had not been paid as there was not enough cash on hand. This was due to the freezing of the monies by Don Susan, ex-Pres. and no action by Marion Mallinger, ex-Treas., who was ordered by the Directorate to return the treasury monies to the present Treasurer, Janie Lamb. The ill-feelings swept through the N3F and caused many to drop out of the club. Due to the action of Stan Woolston, Eva Firestone, Janie Lamb and many others the club survived and the members rallied to build it up again. N3F has gone through other 'trials' but this was the worst one.

Manuscript Bureau: by Ray Schaffer, Jr. Asks for artwork and stories to be sent to him soon for the M-B Contest. Lists names and authors of stories that have been submitted to various fanzines so far this year.

Ideas Committee Report: This committee has been taken over by Jim Caughran. He asks for more volunteers to work on this committee.

To Whom It May Concern: Three pages by Orville W. Mosher commenting on the various disagreements among the officials and members.

News From the Directorate: Gary Labowitz suggested Ralph Holland for his successor and all Directors voted YES. Voted on "Directorate with all authority," five YES votes. Routine matters were taken up.

News Nuggets: by Forry Ackerman. Ballantine is after Marion Zimmer Bradley to hurry up and finish her original Sci-Fi Novel, Seven from the Stars. British and French editions of Chad Oliver's Shadows in the Sun have been sold and Italy is dickering. Forrest Ackerman was retained as a Sci-Fiction expert in a plagiarism suit between Movie and TV interests. Case was settled out of court, but Forry was paid for his services anyway. Donovan's Brain by Curt Siodmak will be serialized soon in the Swedish S.F. prozine, Hapna.

Copy of Legislation: A legal document sent to Marion Mallinger Oct. 31, 1955. Stan Woolston as Chairman of the Directorate and with their approval has signed this document which orders Marion Mallinger to return all N3F money to Janie Lamb. It is certified by Stan and signed by a Notary Public, Henry R. Cornecl, in Garden Grove, Calif.

Officials of the National Fantasy Fan Federation

President.....Walter Coslet

Directors.....Stan Woolston, Chairman

K. Martin Carlson

Ralph M. Holland

Orville Mosher

Ray Schaffer, Jr.

Editor.....Eva Firestone

Publisher.....Gary H. Labowitz

K. Martin Carlson, Historian

N. F. F. F. TRADER

Ad space is free to NFFF members. Get your ad in early for the next issue.  
K. Martin Carlson, 1028 Third Ave. S., Moorhead, Minn. 56560

I NEED SF ARTISTS and authors for my new offset fanzine ANOMALY; I'm especially interested in new talent in the field. I'm also interested in money-- 75¢ will bring you #1 which has work by ARCHIE GOODWIN, REED CRANDALL, and HARLAN ELLISON, introduces the great new fan artist BOB KLINE, and contains the usual fannish stuff. ALSO I need some sourful person to run off my stencils for a N'APA zine. I'll pay if you'll crank (and I may even throw in gratitude for your hel p.  
JAN STEVEN STRNAD, 2540 Aloma, Wichita, Kansas, 67211.

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HAL SCHUSTER, 12021 Berry St., Silver Spring, Maryland. 20902

N3F HOBBY BUREAU. Bureau members get a bi-monthly Bureau zine in which members write up Hobbies. RICHARD BURIS, 16737 Knollwood Dr., Granada Hills, Calif.

USED BOOKS. We buy and sell them. Hard covers, paper backs and magazines. DAKOTA BOOK EXCHANGE, 5 S. 8th St., Fargo, N. D.

WANTED: All titles by L. P. Davies, except THE PAPER DOLLS and WHO IS LEWIS PINDER?. Hardbound or paperback. MRS. STANLEY CARLIN, 47 Park Street, Melrose, Mass. 02176

WANTED: Pre-1968 issues of tape bureau publications. I can offer selections from a list of prozines in trade, and will even pay cash if necessary. STUART STINSON, Acme, Mich. 49610

FROM: Gary H. Labowitz  
1100 Betzwood Dr.  
Norristown, Pa. 19401

FIRST CLASS

FOR SALE. Back issues of AMAZING and FANTASTIC (1946-1953). Also other pulps and books. Free list will be sent to you on request. Do it NOW. LIANE CARLIN, 47 Park St., Melrose, Mass. 02176

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