

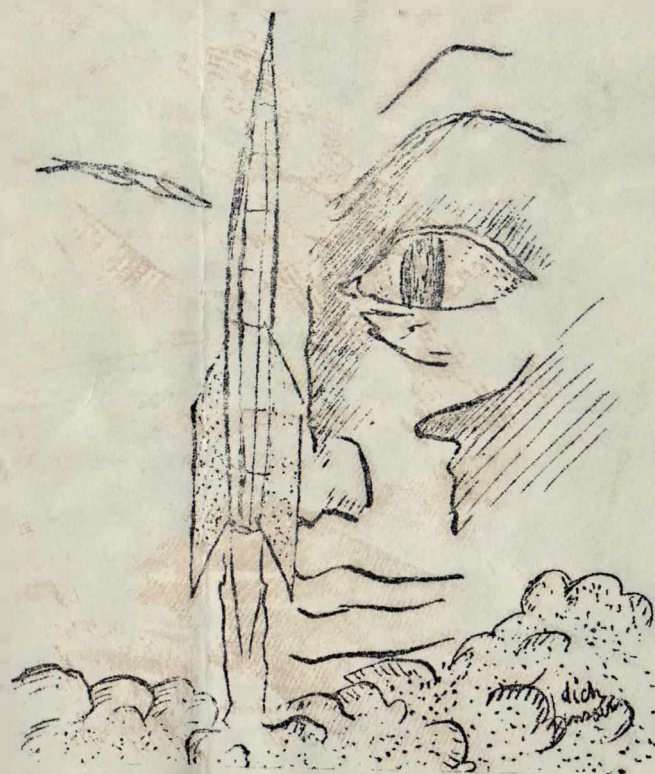
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SPECIAL !! FLASH !!

A new Australian promag was sighted a week ago from Atlas Publications, of Melbourne, who recently reprinted three Hamilton PB's.

This magazine, titled SCIENCE FICTION MONTHLY is the BEST attempt yet at a regular publication, and it is using good quality paper, colored inside illustrations, and full color cover, which, the first time, is a reprint from Gernsback's SCIENCE FICTION PLUS. Most of the stories emanate from this publication also, and are quite high standard.

The size is roughly the same as the 2 recently folded Sydney publications, only 100 pages and selling at 2/-. This price is high, but I think it is better that a mag start at a high price, giving the public fair warning as to the money needed to put a mag out, and if it warrants it later, then the price can be reduced.

This can only happen if the whole of Australian fandom get behind this mag and push as hard as possible.

Also, I hope that the publishers will accept a suggestion or two : Get in contact with the Melbourne fan organization, and obtain help in the selection of stories, as did the two Sydney magazines. I know that you only have a certain supply to draw upon, but the surest way to kill a magazine, and especially a science fiction magazine, is to print poor stories.

Who knows, we even might be able to arrange some for you from America !

A review of the offering in the first issue will be found further on in this issue.

In conclusion, I can only hope that a long time will elapse before this magazine folds, if ever.

Ian J. Crozier.

CHECKLIST OF ANTHOLOGIES

Amendment 3.

AA10	Adventures in Dimension (actually Brit ed of AS3)
AA11	All About the Future
AB22	Best Science Fiction
AB23	Beyond the Barriers of Space and Time
AB24	Book of Strange Stories, A
AB25	Best from Fantasy & Science Fiction, 4th Series
AC7	Category Phoenix (Actually Brit Ed of AY3)
AC8	Come Not Lucifer
AF14	Flying Yorkshireman, The
AF15	Frontiers in Space (Selection of AB10 & AB11)
AG13	Gateway to the Stars
AG14	Garden of Fear, The
AG15	Great Ghost Stories (US PB - NewEra Library No. 22)
AG16	Galaxy of Ghouls, A Great Stories of Fantasy & Imagination (PB ed of AM13)
AM14	Moon Terror, The
AO6	Operation Future
AS33	Star Short Novels
AS34	Star Science Fiction Stories No. 3
AS35	Science Fiction Terror Tales
AS36	Saints Choice, The
AT18	Terror in the Modern Vein
AT19	Twenty Great Ghost Stories (Avon PB 1941 - no authors given)

AUTHOR STORY LISTING

No. 16. Richard Matheson

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One of the more notable contemporary authors.

BOOKS Collection.

- C1 BORN OF MAN AND WOMAN (Chamberlain : Phil. 1954 252 p 3)
C of 17s: 2, 33, 34, 22, 28, 23, 15, 7, 35, 40, 27, 13
16, 10, 38, 29, 36.

POCKETBOOKS

- P1 I AM LEGEND (Fawcett 'Gold Medal' 417 : N.Y. 1954 160 25c)
Collection

- P2 THIRD FROM THE SUN (Bantam 1294: N.Y. 1955 180 25c)
C of 13s: 2, 33, 22, 28, 23, 15, 7, 35, 13, 10, 38, 29,
36.

Actually an abridement of C1.

STORIES

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| 1. | Being. nv | If Aug'54 |
| 2. | Born of Man and Woman.s | MF Sum'50, AB9, AC1, C1, P2 |
| 3. | Brother to the Machine.s | If Nov'52 |
| 4. | Clothes Make the Man.s | WB Feb'51 |
| 5. | Curious Child, The.s | Ft Jun'54 |
| 6. | Dance of the Dead.s | AS 34 |
| 7. | Dear Diary.s | C1, P2 |
| 8. | Death Ship.s | FSM Mar'53 |
| 9. | Descent.s | If May'54 |
| 10. | Disappearing Act.s | MF Mar'53, C1, P2 |
| 11. | Disinheritors.s | FSM Jan'53 |

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12.		Doll that Does Anything.s	FU Dec'54	
13.		Dress of White Silk.s	MF Oct'51, AB2, C1, P2	
14.		'Drink my Red Blood ..'s	I Apr'51	
		F----.s <u>see</u> Foodlegger		
15.		Foodlegger	SS Apr'52, 'F---' C1, P2	
16.		Full Circle.s	FU Aug/Sep'53, C1	
17.		I Am Legend.n	P1	
18.		Last Day, The.s	AS Oct/Nov'53	
19.		Lazarus II.s	FSM Jul'53	
20.		Letter to the Editor.s	I Jan'52	
21.		Little Girl Lost.s	AS Oct/Nov'53	
22.		Lover When You're Near Me.nv	GS May'52, AB11, AS8, C1,P2	
23.		Mad House.nv	Ft Jan/Feb'53, C1, P2	
24.		Man Who Made the World,The.s	I Feb'54	
25.		Mother by Protest.nv	Ft Sep/Oct'53	
26.		Mountains of the Mind.n	MS Nov'51	
27.		Return.s	TWS Oct'51, C1	
28.		SRL Ad.s	MF Apr'52, AS4, C1, P2	
29.		Shipshape Home.s	GS Jul'52, AO1, AS24, AT18, C1. P2	
30.		Sorry, Right Number.s	BFF Nov'53	
31.		Test, The.s	MF Nov'54, AB25	
32.		Thing, The.s	MS May'51	
33.		Third from the Sun.s	GS Oct'50, AG1, C1, P2	
34.		Through Channels.s	MF Apr'51, AS35, C1	
35.		To Fit the Crime.s	Ft Nov/Dec'52, C1, P2	
36.		Traveller, The.s	C1, P2	
37.		Waker Dreams, The.s	GS Dec'50, AG1	
38.		Wedding, The.s	BFF Jul'53, C1, P2	
39.		When Day is Dun.s	FU May'54	
40.		Witch War.s	SS Jul'51, AB10, C1	

Next Author :

Horace L. Gold.

BRISBANE NOTES

Recent fourth wedding anniversary celebration of George and Betty Tafe might almost have been a meeting of the BSFG.

After a busy Show week, Betty's last minute inspiration resulted in a very enjoyable small party at the Tafe's flat on the evening of Monday, August 22nd.

Present were : Arthur Clarke, feeling free and relaxed after getting the last pages of THE COAST OF CORAL out of the typewriter; Mike Wilson, uninhibited as usual, and using many flash bulbs to record the events of the evening; Don and Dawn Campbell, with whom Arthur and Mike are staying while in Brisbane; Elaine and Jim McLaughlin, who have every excuse for thinking SF fans are nutty but nice to know at times; Reg and Val Urquhart, who were able to arrange for a baby sitter for junior ; and Frank Bryning - there to keep order.

There were refreshments, talk, refreshments, much teasing of Betty and George, refreshments, broadcast over 4KQ by Arthur Clarke interviewed again in IN TOWN TONIGHT. At the receiving end, Arthur took his own comments very well and 4KQ executive Don Campbell, chest stuck out, put on his proud and aggressive if you laughed in the wrong places look.

Then there were refreshments, talk and browsing amongst the libraries of the Group and the Tapes, in which, somehow, the two collections became one. (Sorting job next day for Librarian Betty !)

Wishing Betty and George all the best for the next four years and more - many more - the guests departed at the respectable hour of 10.30 - most of them driven into town by Mike and Arthur in the Chev.

WARREGO

Cover and interiors by Dick JENSSEN

It's The Limit !!

L. Ron Hubbard reached into his cupboard and produced, for us poor doggies, Omar Khayyam's Seven hundred and seventy first jarring sect. To put it bluntly, Dianetics is now a RELIGION ! How wacky can humanity get ?

The Hubbard Association of Scientology International (HASI) has booked the North Melbourne Town Hall for a Congress at Showtime. Price £12 single, £20 if you bring a girl friend. Terms can be arranged ! MSFG is a piker - we ask only ten shillings !

We are to be favoured by lectures from Reverend John Farrel, D. Scn.D.D. (I don't think that this is a University degree !!)

Ministers are being ordained by the CHURCH OF AMERICAN SCIENCE (Peter Z. Ingeman, can you tell me aught of this one, please ?) though even HASI's switch board girl can 'process' and 'Preclear' a fellow who came in.

Oh well, who am I to judge ? Maybe I only THINK I'm sane !! I'll leave it to you, and you can have it all for mine !!

Bob McCubbin

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N.F.F. NEWS

Don Susan has been removed from the Presidency. Janie Lamb is now Treasurer, Eva Firestone is Editor, Stan Woolston is running for President, Orv Mosher for Director.

They are suggest McCubbin for Australian representative, but he wants to know what John Gregor's ideas on the matter.

Want to join NFFT ? Send \$ 1.60 to Janie Lamb Route 1, Heiskell, Tennessee .

Melbourne News

In my seven years association with the Group, this is the happiest report I have ever written.

A. Bertram Chandler was present, and showed us the typescript of his novel, at present titled GLORY SHORE. We quaffed a can of Barclay's to its successful launching.

Frank Bryning was present. He graphically described his introduction to sub-surface swimming, and he promised to be 'Guest of Honor' at the Convention. Thanks a million, Frank, you're a champion fellow !

Race Mathews put in an appearance. He is committing matrimony soon. Best wishes Race and Geraldine, for your future, from the whole Group.

One of our members, who will prefer to remain anonymous, won second prize in a Tattersall lottery - £2000. He doesn't know he's won it yet - he's flying overseas. We congratulate him and hope his luck is infectious.

Both Ian Crozier and Keith McLelland have acquired cars.

Just one fly in the ointment. Jack Keating's stepbrother is very ill. We send him our hopes for a speedy recovery.

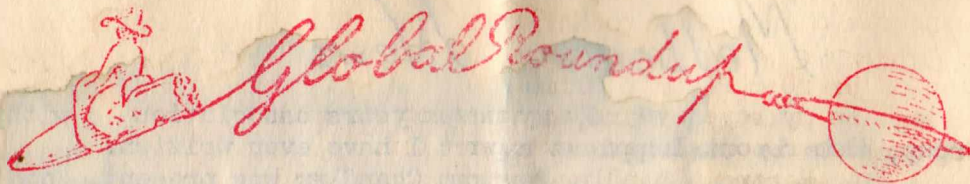
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CORRECTION

I have been asked by Roger Dard, of Perth, to correct a possible misinterpretation which could be put on a par in RANDOM NOTES in the last issue.

I would point out that Roger is NOT the President of the W. A. Science Fantasy Society, that gentleman being Ralph Harding.



Announcements from British publishers to cover the Autumn period are as follows : THE RETURN OF THE KING by J. R. R. Tolkien, the third in the 'Rings' series, from Allan & Unwin at 21/- ; THE BODY SNATCHERS by Jack Finney, from Eyre & Spottiswoode in September at 10/6; COSTIGANS NEEDLE by Jerry Sohl, from Grayson & Grayson in September at 10/6; FIRST LENS MEN by E. E. Smith from T. V. Boardman in September at 9/6; GALAXY SCIENCE FICTION OMNIBUS edited by H. L. Gold, from Grayson & Grayson in September at 12/6; LOOKING FORWARD edited by Milton Lesser from Cassell in September, at 15/-; MEN, MARTIANS AND MACHINES, a collection of shorts by Eric Frank Russell from Dennis Dobson in November at 9/6; THE RED PLANET by Charles Chilton, a sequel to JOURNEY INTO SPACE from Herbert Jenkins in November at 9/6; SATELLITE IN SPACE by Prof. A. M. Low, from Herbert Jenkins in November at 9/6; SPLIT IMAGE by Reed de Rouen from Wingate at 9/6 in September; STORIES FOR TOMORROW edited by William Sloane from Eyre & Spottiswoode at 15/-; SWORD OF RHIANNON by Leigh Brackett from T. V. Boardman in October at 9/6 ; YEARS BEST SCIENCE FICTION NOVELS edited by Bleiler & Dikty from T. V. Boardman at 10/6 ; THE INHABITED UNIVERSE by Kenneth W. Gatlund from Wingate at 25/-; MEN BEHIND THE SPACE ROCKETS by Heinz Gattmann from Weidenfeld & Nicholson at 16/-; THE MOON by H. P. Wilkins and Patrick Moore from Faber & Faber at 63/-; THE ROBOT ERA , by P. E. Cleator from Allan Unwin at 5/-; TRUTH ABOUT SAUCERS by Aime Michel from Robert Hale at 16/-; a cheap edition of THE EXPLORATION OF SPACE by Arthur C. Clarke from Temple Press at 8/6 ; a German translation of FAHRENHEIT 451 by Ray Bradbury, in July at 19/-; BIG BALL OF WAX by Shephard Mead from T. V. Boardman

in October 10/6.

Recent American publications included NOT THIS AUGUST, a novel by C. M. Kornbluth from Doubleday at \$ 2.95; REPRIEVE FROM PARADISE by H. Chandler Elliot from Gnome Press , at \$ 3.00; THE FITTEST by J. T. McIntosh, from Doubleday at \$2.95; POINT ULTIMATE by Jerry Sohl from Rinehart at \$ 2.50; the latest Ace Double books ONE IN 300 by McIntosh and THE TRANSPPOSED MAN by Dwight Swain, and DOME AROUND AMERICA by Williamson and THE PARADOX MEN (Flight into Yesterday) by Harness, both at 35c.

Thorpe & Porter, British publishers, are to issue a one shot of SCIENCE FICTION STORIES, the American magazine published by Columbia Publications.

Galaxy Novel 25 is THE LAST SPACESHIP.

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Book Reviews

ANGELS & SPACESHIPS by Fredric Brown, review copy from publishers, Victor Gollancz, London, by courtesy of Wyatt & Watts. Available from McGills at 13/3.

This collection contains 16 stories, 8 long repr -
ints, interlarded with 8 little jewels of short stories, not prev -
iously published. They alone are worth the money.

The long ones are : PLACET IS A CRAZY PLACE (planet of a Binary system); ETAION SHRDLU (a sentient linotype); ARMA-GEDDON (Satan hates holy water); THE HAT TRICK (an extraterrestrial shows cff); LETTER TO A PHOENIX (Humanity indestructible); THE ANGELIC ANGLEWORM (a heavenly linotype slips a letter) and THE YEHUDI PRINCIPLE (catches you nodding).

For those who like the detailed, but wacky yarn, this collection is a must.

Bob McCubbin.



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FANZINE REVIEWS

GUNG HO ! No. 3 A little bit of foolishness emanating from Larry Anderson, 2716 Smoky Lane, Billings, Montana. No Charge. Editorial, and letters from John Brunner, Ron Ellik and George Wetzel, contains many odd puns, but little solid thought. Included was a single sheet, containing 'Grey Kobold' and the 'Whimsy Report', containing odd snippets of news. Well produced.

Roger McHugh

HARK 4. from Randy Brown, 6619 Anita St. Dallas 14. Texas. 10 c. a copy.

This issue is mimeoed, a change from spirit duplicating, and so far Randy has not learned the art of cutting stencils. A clean cut stencil means a neat, legible mag.

Illos have good ideas, but the execution ! Maybe the stenciller should be executed instead. I wonder if Noah McLeod is married - and if so, was his bride a virgin ? The letter column is rather exhausting to read - the layout is confusing. All in all, however, the H(ark) Bomb is improving.

Bob McCubbin

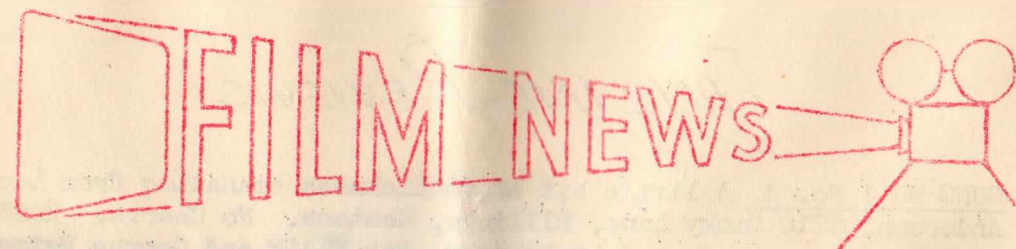
INSIDE (plus Science Fiction Advertiser) May 1955 from Ron Smith, USA via John Gregor, 73 Esplanade, Cairns, Queensland. (Sub. 10/6)

This is a well presented photolith job containing thought provoking articles on SF writing by Will Freeman Mark Clifton and Jon Hartt, a special feature of mixed artwork, a story (? Fahrenheit 451) by Harl Ellison, and reviews.

An excellent mag, but WHY put the table of contents on the back cover - outside ? After all, after the dinner, one no longer needs the menu !

Bob McCubbin

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Next production from Sabre Productions (their first was THIS ISLAND EARTH) will be IN THE DEPTHS OF SPACE directed by Joseph Newman and story by Ed. O'Callaghan. It will be before the cameras early next year.

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A new SF cartoon, DESTINATION MAGOO, a UPA production dedicated to Science Fiction, is before the cameras.

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For the record fans, RCA Victor in USA have released EXPLORING THE UNKNOWN, an album featuring the Voices of Walter Schumann. The score is an original by Leith Stevens, and is framed around a Science Fiction script written by Pip van Ronkle seen recently on SCIENCE FICTION THEATRE, a TV show. It is narrated by Paul Frees.

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A packaged Science Fiction programme is now doing the rounds in the States, Columbia's IT CAME FROM BENEATH THE SEA and CREATURE WITH THE ATOM BRAIN.

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THE BODY SNATCHERS, Jack Finney's excellent story, has started its Australian run. Watch for it - it's worth seeing.

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Next issue we start a series of articles by
FORREST J. ACKERMAN.

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MAGAZINE *Reviews*

AMERICAN SCIENCE FICTION MAGAZINE.

This issue features - for some inexplicable reason - THE IRRATIONALS by Milton Lesser. An ingenious device enables you to dial your own neurosis.

An old short from Nelson Bond is THE MAN WHO WALKED THROUGH GLASS. Remember it? The last item is a re- re- reprint of THE PEDESTRIAN by Ray Bradbury.

Tony Santos

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FATE August 1955

From McGills at 1/6. This mag contains much on psychic research, clairvoyancy, immortality, and pre-vision. To those who are interested in mysticism, this is the magazine for you.

Roger McHugh

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ASTOUNDING SCIENCE FICTION August 1955 BRE.

A return to the corresponding US covers this issue with Van Dongen's scene from "Sense From Thought Divide" by Mark Clifton - a continuation of his and Alex Apostolides "What Thin Partitions". This was rated your reviewer's best in the Feb. '54 issue with the comment 'Q.M. store is in need of poltergeisten'. Now they have been supplied.

"A Fine Fix" by R. C. Noll is fair. Eric Frank Russell has an amusing thought in "Diabologic!"

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This is the art of being logical enough to drive your captors insane. "The Test Stand" by Lee Correy concerns a man and a rocket - immobile but deadly. Good.

The conclusion of H. Beam Piper's "Time Crime" is well up to par. "Hold that Helium" by Sylvia Jenkins, is an article that shows even Willy Ley can err.

The size of this issue has changed down to the US size, and Atlas shows no thoughts for those who bind the magazine.

Tony Santos

NEW WORLDS 37.

Cover by Quinn in his usual excellent fashion illustrates BOARDING PARTY by James White, a good yarn about contact with ET's. I enjoyed it. WORLD DESTROYER by E. R. James has a telepath saving the world. Not bad.

Alan Guthrie's NO PLACE FOR ME says that man won't leave the earth. I hope he is wrong. PARADISE II by Robert Sheckley is a grim idea on stopping a war. Another Sheckley gem.

Ted Tubb's PEACE is quite good, while in BUTCH by Poul Anderson, the women got the ET's to talk. Fair.

Two articles wind up the issue, and interior illos by Quinn, Hunter, Woodward and Hutchings are mostly good, but Hunter lacks a little polish.

Another fairly good issue, but the yarn by Sheckley was far the best.

Jack Keating.

GALAXY SCIENCE FICTION BRE 27

The Emsh cover shows a lass in the embrace of an animated Mechanno set. THE TUNNEL UNDER THE WORLD by Frederik Pohl is an alarming tale of a town which stopped at night. Evelyn E. Smith's THE VILBAR PARTY shows that if you are an alien, it pays to look cute.

PERFECT CONTROL by Richard Stockham ,

tells of a crew of six who have been in space for 75 years - it points a moral if you look for it. WHEN YOU'RE SMILING is a gruesome little bit of Sturgeon. Robert Sheckley's SQUIRREL CAGE is an amusing tale. How do you go about exterminating invisible pests.

A good issue.

Tony Santos

AMERICAN SCIENCE FICTION MAGAZINE.

This issue features GIFT OF THE GODS by Raymond F. Jones. The main characters are the usual high minded scientist opposed by the hard headed militarist. For once however, the scientist loses out and we are not sure that this is a bad thing.

To pad out the last few pages, the editor has used CUBE SINISTER by Arthur G. Stangland. This is without doubt the worst SF short Malian Press has used. However, the Jones story alone is well worth the money.

Tony Santos

AUTHENTIC SCIENCE FICTION MAGAZINE 58.

Cover by John Stewart is another of the Transport of the Future. Looks like a big top, and highly impracticable.

THE BIG HOP by J. T. McIntosh concludes with the crew getting to their destination and being met by the people they left behind. Just fair. Jonathan Burke's DESIRABLE RESIDENCE - the apartment house got jealous of its twin building. Not bad. TIME AND TIMOTHY by R. W. Balderston - He wrote the story from Louis XIV to his people in 1954. Fair.

TRESPASSERS WILL BE PROSECUTED by R. Presslie - he didn't keep his promise to the android. Fair.

Ted Tubb's ETHICAL ASSASSIN points a moral to make sure the assassin you hire isn't a cop. Good.

TRAVELLER'S TALE by Aubry Burl - She

received a visit from Munchausen with a kite. Fair.

The usual too many articles round off a fair to middling issue. I hope Tubb sticks to shorts - they're good.

Jack Keating.

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With this new Australian magazine, Atlas have improved on the paperbacks which they released recently. The magazine is well produced and bound, and is printed on good quality, smooth paper. It is in all respects, a quality production.

The only criticism to be made concerns the size and price - 2/- for 98 pages as against 2/- for 128 pages in FANTASY & SCIENCE FICTION. Still, we may see bigger issues later, and your reviewer for one would prefer to pay 2/- for a good magazine rather than have it cheaper and fold after a few issues.

The Schomberg cover and most of the contents are from Gernsback's SCIENCE FICTION PLUS, with the balance coming from FANTASY & SCIENCE FICTION.

THE DIMENSIONAL TERROR by Harry Walton deals with the dangers of Klein bottles. Richard Tooker's THE ULTIMATE CITY has future mankind committing suicide from sheer boredom. THE INCIDENT IN SPACE by Lawrence E. Larkey, the blind must lead the blind.

John Scott Campbell's VIDOLA, is as confusing and involved as the title implies. THE DESRICK ON YANDRO is one of Manly Wade Wellman's 'John' fantasies. No more need be said.

Charles A. Stern's MERCURY BILL AND THE AMOROUS HUNK has a meteor falling in love with a space ship. POSTSCRIPT is a moody little piece by Eric Frank Russell. Milton Lesser in A AS IN ANDROID gives us a new method of invasion. Bring on the dancing girls! WORLDS WITHIN WORLDS by Roger Dee. Big fleas have lesser fleas etc.

To Sum up : a good issue - some of the stories

would not have been chosen by your reviewer - but then, he isn't the editor of the magazine.

Recommended.

Tony Santos

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GALAXY SCIENCE FICTION BRE 28.

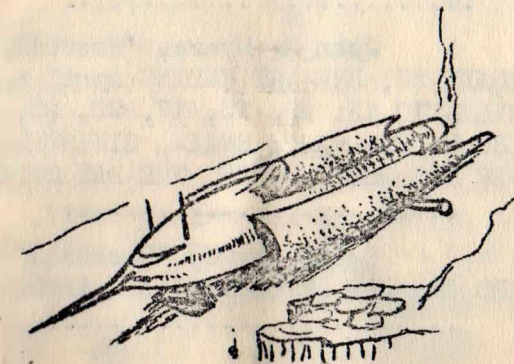
An amusing cover by Ensh. Evelyn E. Smith's HELPFULLY YOURS is a moderately funny tale of conflict between different planet customs. THE CAVE OF NIGHT by James E Gunn is interesting and shows one way to obtain an appropriation for space travel from the government.

DEAD MAN'S PLANET by William Morrison has moral to point. J. T. McIntosh gives us OPEN HOUSE in which he tells of Greek gifts. PYTHIAS by Frederik Pohl is the story of a man whose moral code compels him to murder his closest friend. Watch for the three word kicker at the end.

Bascom Jones Jnr. must have found Horace Gold's BLIND SOFT to have his short published. RICH LIVING by Michael Cathal has a new idea. The Fountain of Youth would be nice to find - but what if it was your only source of water?

Tony Santos

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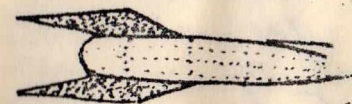
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Next issue we are privileged to
present an article on science fiction written by Keith Dunstan ,
a noted Brisbane columnist. Here is an outsiders views on SF, fan-
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