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TOTAL: 514

Next Deadline: NOVEMBER 14

Come back, Don Fitch...



## OFFICIAL EDITOR'S REPORT

### Postmailed to the 107th Mailing:

1. Alif 20	Karen Anderson	S,m	2
2. Serenade 4	Richard Bergeron	S,m	8
3. Hurrah For Our Side 1	Redd Boggs	S,m	4
4. Oh Bloody Hell! 10	Dick Eney	S,m	1
5. Oklahoma Institute of Private Opinion	Jack Speer	S,m	1
6. I Can Make You Immortal!	Bill Rotsler	S,m	1

TOTAL LEGAL POSTMLGS: 17

### Illegal Postmailings:

1. Poor Richard's Almanac 17	Rich Brown	S,m	6
2. Getting Off, Please	Avram Davidson	S,p	1
3. Cadenza 8½	Charles Wells	S,m	1

TOTAL PAGES ILLEGAL PMLGS: 8

Pages in mailing: 332

Legal Grand Total: 349

Illegal G.T.: 357

PRA 17 would have been legal if Brown had sent the OE three extra copies instead of only one extra.

ELECTION: The President has not designated a teller for the official election, nor has he returned my phone call of 5 August when I called to ask about this. Therefore, the Teller is Ron Ellick, one of the few reliable FAPAns I can reach quickly by phone to verify willingness to serve who can also publish the results immediately. Deadline is 8 September 1964. Get those ballots in...there's an amendment up for vote. (See the President's Report for the wording of the amendment.)

President:  
Jacobs \_\_\_\_\_  
Evans \_\_\_\_\_

Sec-Treas:  
Eney \_\_\_\_\_  
Hevelin \_\_\_\_\_  
Pavlat \_\_\_\_\_

V. President:  
Caughran \_\_\_\_\_  
Lewis (Alan) \_\_\_\_\_

Official Ed:  
Pelz: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Amendment:  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_  
No \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_



## The Secretary-Treasurer's Report

### The Membership of FAPA as of 1 August, or Who's Who

The month following your name is that in which your current membership expires; numbers following indicate the number of 8½x11" pages, or their equivalent, you must contribute in or before that mailing to be eligible to renew. Credit for material in this mailing has, of course, not been included. Renewal dues are due before the deadline for the next mailing, 7 November 1964. Pending announcement of the new secretary-treasurer, I will continue to receive dues for transfer. With this mailing, dues go back to the old standard, \$3 for North American, FPO/APO addresses, \$2 for Auslanders.

In the listing below, the symbols mean:

- # - a change of address or name
- D - dues are now due and payable.
- \$ - dues are now overdue. Unless paid before 8 Aug, you are out. See Sect. 3.3, 3.5, or 9.1.
- A - activity as indicated must be published before or in the next mailing to be eligible to renew.
- ATM - activity as indicated must be in this mailing, or postmailed before 8 Aug, or you are out. See Sect 3.3, 3.5, or 9.1.
- AMay, AAug, etc. - indicates a new member, who must publish renewal credits in or before the indicated mailing to maintain membership. See Sect 2.4.
- [2] - funds on deposit. Dues due in Aug or Nov have already been deducted.

Remember. It's your membership.

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| 1. Anderson, Karen - 3, Las Palomas, Orinda, Cal 94563                             | Feb 8       |
| 2. #Ballard, Wrai - 4230 University Way NE, #201, Seattle, Washington 98105        | Feb 8       |
| 3. Bennett, Ron - 17 Newcastle Rd, Penny Lane, Liverpool 15, England               | [1] Aug 0   |
| 4. Bergeron, Richard - 333 E. 69 St, NYC, NY 10021                                 | Feb 0       |
| 5. Boggs, Redd - PO Box 57242, Los Angeles, Cal 90057                              | Aug 0       |
| 6. #Bradley, Marion - C/o Walter Breen, below.                                     | Nov 0D      |
| 7. #Breen, Walter - PO Box 277, Berkeley, Cal 94701                                | Feb 0       |
| 8. #Brown, Rich - 268 E Fourth, Apt 4C, NYC, NY 10009                              | Nov 0D      |
| 9. Busby, FM & Elinor - 2852 14th Ave W, Seattle, Wash. 98119                      | [1] May 8   |
| 10. #Calkins, Gregg - c/o Burbee, 7628 S.Pioneer,Whittier,Cal                      | [1] Feb 8   |
| 11. Carr, Terry - 41 Pierrepont St, Brooklyn, NY 11201                             | [1] Nov 8DA |
| 12. Caughran, Jim - 414 Lawrence St, Ann Arbor, Mich 48104                         | [3] May 8   |
| 13. Chauvenet, Russell - 11 Sussex Rd, Silver Spring, Md                           | [1] Aug 0   |
| 14. #Clarke, Norm & Georgina - 9 Bancroft St, Aylmer East, Prov. of Quebec, Canada | [1] Aug 0   |
| 15. Coulson, Robert & Juanita - RR 3, Wabash, Ind 46992                            | Aug 0       |
| 16. Cox, Ed & Anne - 14933½ Dickens St, Sherman Oaks, Cal                          | Aug 0       |
| 17. Deckinger, Mike - Apt. 10-K, 25 Manor Dr, Newark, NJ 07106                     | Aug 0       |
| 18. #Dees, Sylvia - Apt.307, 262 S.Rampart Blvd, Los Angeles, Calif 90057          | May 8       |
| 19. Devore, Howard - 4705 Weddel St, Dearborn Hts, Mich 48125                      | Feb 8ANov   |
| 20. Donaho, Bill - Box 1284, Berkeley, Calif 94701                                 | Nov 8DA     |
| 21. Ellern, Jane - 975 N. Oakland Ave, Pasadena, Cal 91104                         | May 8       |
| 22. Ellik, Ron - 1825 Greenfield, Los Angeles, Cal 90025                           | Nov 7DA     |
| 23. Ellington, Dick & Pat - 1941 Oregon, Berkeley, Cal 94703                       | Feb 8       |
| 24. Eney, Dick - 417 Ft. Hunt Rd, Alexandria, Va 22307                             | May 8       |



25.	Evans, Bill - Box 86, Mt. Rainier, Md 20822	Feb 4
26.	Graham, Peter - 635 E. Fifth, Apt.8, NYC, NY 10009	Aug 8\$ATM
27.	Grennell, Dean A - Rt 2, Box 441, Germantown, Wisconsin 53022	[1] Aug 8ATM
28.	Hansen, Charles - 701 S. Grant St, Denver Colo. 80209	[1] May 8
29.	Harness, Jack - 3056½ Leeward, Los Angeles, Cal 90005	[1] Nov 6A
30.	Hevelin, James - Galway, New York	Nov 8DA
31.	Hoffman, Lee - 54 E. 7th (Basement), NYC, NY 10003	[1] Aug 8ATM
32.	Jacobs, Lee - Box 4351, Van Nuys, Calif 91416	[1] Aug 7½ATM
33.	Janke, Curtis D - 1612 S. 7th St, Sheboygan, Wis 53081	[1] Nov 2DA
34.	#Johnstone, Ted - 5852 Arbor Vitae, Los Angeles, Cal 90045	Nov 7DA
35.	Kemp, Earl - 4925 N. Washtenaw, Chicago, Ill. 40625	Feb 8
36.	Knight, Miriam - 1522 Russell, Berkeley, Calif 94703	May 8
37.	Leman, Bob - 257 Santa Fe Dr, Bethel Pk, Penn.	Aug 8ATM
38.	#Lewis, Alan J. - 15739 Mulholland Pl, Los Angeles, Calif 90024	Nov 2DA
39.	Lewis, Albert - 1825 Greenfield, Los Angeles, Cal 90025	Feb 8ANov
40.	Lichtman, Bob - 6137 S. Croft, Los Angeles, Cal 90056	Aug 0
41.	Locke, George W. - 86 Chelsea Gardens, Chelsea Bridge Rd, London SW 1, England	[1.25] Feb 8ANov
42.	Lyons, P. Howard - Box 561 Adelaide PO, Toronto, Ontario, Canada	Nov 8DA
43.	McPhail, Dan - 1806 Dearborn, Lawton, Oklahoma	Feb 2
44.	#Main, Andy - c/o Ivie, 31 W 76 St, NYC, NY 10023	Aug 0
45.	Martinez, Sam - PO Box 3581, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74114	Aug 8ATM
46.	Metcalf, Norm - PO Box 336, Berkeley, Calif 94701	[1] May 8
47.	Moffatt, Len - 5612½ E Gage Ave, Bell Gardens Cal 90202	Feb 8ANov
48.	#Morse, Bill - PO Box 1321, Ottawa B, Ontario, Canada	[1] Aug 8ATM
49.	Moskowitz, Sam - 361 Roseville Ave, Newark 7, NJ	Nov 8DA
50.	#Pavlat, Bob - 2710 47th Pl, College Park, Md 20741	Nov 8DA
51.	Pelz, Bruce - Box 100, 308 Westwood Plaza, Los Angeles, Calif 90024	May 8
52.	Perdue, Elmer - 2125 Baxter St, Los Angeles, Cal 90039	[7] Feb 8
53.	Raeburn, Boyd - 189 Maxome Ave, Willowdale, Ont, Canada	[1] Feb 7
54.	Rapp, SFC & Mrs. Arthur H, RA 36 886 035 - 1st USA Msl Command, HQ Co, APC 221, New York, NY 09221	Aug 8\$ATM
55.	Rotsler, William - Suite 207, 971 N. La Cienega Blvd, Los Angeles, Calif 90069	[1] Feb 0
56.	Schultz, Dick - 12159 Helen, Detroit, Mich 48234	[3] Feb 8ANov
57.	Silverberg, Bob - 5020 Goodridge Ave, NYC, NY 10071	[1] Aug 0
58.	Sneary, Rick - 2262 Santa Ana St, South Gate, Cal 90280	Nov 8AD
59.	Speer, Jack - 2034 Kiva, Santa Fe, New Mex	Nov 0D
60.	Trimble, John & Bjo - 5571 Belgrave Ave, Garden Grove, Calif 92641	Aug 0
61.	Tucker, Bob - Box 473, Heyworth, Illinois 61745	Nov 0D
62.	Warner, Harry - 423 Summit Ave, Hagerstown, Md, 21740	May 8
63.	#Wells, Charles - M1, 815 Demerius, Durham, NC 27701	Feb 8ANov
64.	Wesson, Helen - 340 Washington St, Glen Ridge, NJ 07028	[2] Feb 8
65.	White, Ted - 332 49th St, Brooklyn, NY 11220	[1] Feb 8
66.	Wilson, Art - c/o CAT, Kaitak Airport, Kowloon, Hong Kong	[1] Aug 0

Yes, 66 members.

Added since last time: Breen [FANAC, SAPTERRANEAN]. Under Sect. 9.1, a majority of the members voted for the reinstatement of Walter Breen on the waiting list. As his position had already been passed, he was eligible to join immediately, provided he had proper credentials. The petition was signed by Boggs, Lichtman, Trimble(s), Bergeron, Knight, Lewis (Alan J.), Brown, Moffatt, Sneary, Caughran, Silverberg, Carr, Anderson, Lewis



(Albert), Deckinger, Clarke(s), Hoffman, Wells, Bennett, Bradley, Johnstone, Warner, Locke, Tucker, White, Hevelin, Schultz, Rapp, Chauvenet, Main, Coulson(s), Grennell, Ellington(s), Metcalf, Hansen, Dees, Perdue, Morse, Wilson, Evans, Devore, Ellern.

Activity for Dual Memberships: [Only for those who have started a membership year since the new Sect. 2.5]:

Clarke: Norm 21, Georgina 11½

Cox: Ed 23, Anne 1

Rapp: Art 0, Nancy 0

Coulson: Buck 6, Juanita 14

Ellington: Dick 43, Pat 1

Trimble: Bjo 12, John 7

A strict interpretation of Sect. 2.5 would mean that unless Anne Cox has 7 pages, John Trimble 1, and Buck Coulson 2 pages in this mailing, they would be unable to continue the dual membership. As a rule of thumb, I am assuming that a 3/4 requirement should be enough to satisfy the spirit of the rule: 6 pages from a member of a dual membership will be enough to continue the membership. This is subject to complaints from all and sundry.

The Waiting List, as of 1 Aug 1964, or Who Wants to Be Who.

1. Berman, Ruth - 5620 Edgewater Blvd, Minneapolis, Minn 55417 [2]
2. Benford, Greg - Apt. 141, Seahorse Inn, 526 Grand Ave, Del Mar, Cal
3. Baxter, John M - PO980439, King St PO, Sidney, NSW, Australia
4. Meskys, Ed - c/o Metcalf
5. Demmon, Calvin W. - 1002 E 66 St, Inglewood, Calif
6. Harrell, Phil - 2632 Vincent Ave, Norfolk, Va 23509
7. Lupoff, Pat & Dick - 210 E 73rd St, NYC, NY 10021 [.75]
8. Buckmaster, Daphne - 70, Highbury Hill, London N5, England
9. Hannifen, Owen - 3056½ Leeward, Los Angeles, Calif 90005
10. Klemm, Helmut - 2716 14th St, Columbus, Nebraska 68601
11. Tapscott, Bangs - 214 E Miller St, Seattle, Wash 98102
12. Patten, Fred - 5156 Chesley Ave, Los Angeles, Calif 90043
13. Kaye, Lenny - 418 Hobart Rd, No. Brunswick, NJ 08092
14. Sanders, Joe - 1101 Indian Hill, Claremont, Calif
15. Fitch, Don - 3908 Frijo, Covina, Calif 91722 [1]
16. S Tackett, Roy - 915 Green Valley Rd NW, Albuquerque, New Mex 87107
17. Anderson, Don - 141 Shady Creek Rd, Rochester, NY 14623
18. Simpson, DFC Donald P, RA 12 722 950 - Instr Co C, USASESCS, Ft. Gordon, Ga 30905
19. S Woolston, Stan - 12832 Westlake St, Garden Grove, Calif
20. Stiles, Steve - 1809 Second Ave, NYC, NY 10028
21. Locke, Dave - PO Box 335, Indian Lake, NY [omitted in error mlg 107]
22. Eklund, A/3c Gordon S - GMR #3, Box 5994, Travis AFB, Calif
23. Cheslin, Ken M.P. - 18 New Farm Rd, Stourbridge, Worcs, England [3]
24. Scithers, George - USA R&D Group, APO 757, NY, NY 09757
25. #Davidson, Avram - 2017 Berkeley Way, Berkeley, Cal 94703
26. Deindorfer, Gary - 40 Atterbury Ave, Trenton, NJ 08618
28. #Armistead, Tom - 6803 Chamberlin Ave, Edwards, Calif 93523
27. Pelz, Dian - Box 100, 308 Westwood Plaza, Los Angeles, Cal 90024
29. Rogers, Alva - 5243 Rahlves Dr, Castro Valley, Calif
30. Crilly, Lawrence - 951 Anna Street - Elizabeth, NJ 07201
31. Keil, David - 38 Slocum Crescent, Forest Hills, NY 11375
32. Chalker, Jack - 5111 Liberty Heights Ave, Baltimore, Md 21207
33. Lindsay, Ethel - Courage House, 6 Langley Ave, Surbiton, Surrey, Eng
34. Willis, Walter A - 170 Upper Newtownards Rd, Belfast 4, N. Ireland
35. Williams, Paul - 163 Brighton St, Belmont, Mass 02178
36. Hulan, David G - Apt. 21, 17417 Vanowen St, Van Nuys, Calif 91406
37. Carey, Kris - 1016 Second St, Wasco, Calif
38. #White, Jon - 90 Riverside Drive, NYC, NY 10024
39. Hickey, Rosemary - 2020 Mohawk, Chicago, Illinois 60614



40. Foyster, John M - PO Box 57, Drouin, Victoria, Australia
41. Irwin, Mark - 1747 Elmwood Dr, Highland Park, Illinois 60035
42. Russell, Samuel D - 1351 Tremaine Ave, Los Angeles, Calif 90019
43. Perry, Thomas - 4018 Laurel Ave, Omaha 11, Nebraska
44. Katz, Arnold - 08 Patton Blvd, New Hyde Park, NY 11043 [.25]
45. Blackbeard, Bill - 192 Mountain View, Los Angeles, Cal 90057
46. Van Arnam, Dave - 1730 Harrison, Apt. 353, Bronx, NY 10453
47. Pilati, Joe - 111 South Highland Ave, Pearl River, NY 10965 [.50]
48. Bailes, Len - 1729 Lansdale Dr, Charlotte, N. Carolina 28205
49. #Mann, Richard - c/o Maj. Edw O. Mann, 46th Bomb Sqdn, Grand Forks  
AFB, North Dakota. [After 25 Sept: Bryan Hall,  
Michigan State Univ, East Lansing, Mich.]
50. Blüm, Burkhard - c/o Bogner, Melibocus Str 20, 6000 F-Niederrad,  
W. Germany
51. #Evers, Earl - (Pvt.), US 51 533 159, P. Co., 2nd Trng Rgt, Fort  
Dix, New Jersey 08460
52. Brandon, Carl - Sällskapsvägen 7, Stockholm 48, Sweden [SHIBARAKI]

#### Elections:

For once we have candidates in the plural for all but OE. The official slate is:

President: Bill Evans  
Lee Jacobs

Vice-President: Jim Caughran  
Alan J. Lewis

Secretary-Treasurer: Dick Eney  
James Hevelin  
Bob Pavlat

Official Editor: Bruce Pelz

That full treasury must have attracted them....

<u>Finances:</u>	Balance, 1 May 1964		\$312.83
	Surplus stock	3.64	
	Dues and wl fees	<u>44.00</u>	
			47.64
			<u>\$360.47</u>
	Postage, remailing/surplus stock	.93	
	Postage, mailing 107	15.82	
	Postage, FA to wl	4.34	
	FA 107	3.55	
	Jiffy bags?	6.80	
	Misc OE exp [phone call, Seattle]	2.75	
	Membership refund	2.00	
	S-T Expenses	<u>1.00</u>	
			37.19
			<u>\$323.28</u>

We're still rich.....

- - - Bill Evans

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## THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Since the last time around, in order of receipt:

(1) A letter from Redd Boggs dated the 10th of June to the effect that more than the required signatures to bypass the Breen blackball were on hand, and that Evans had been notified by certified mail. Accordingly, I therefore

(2) decided that since FAPA did want Breen as a member and decidedly so, it was only fitting that he be admitted as of the mailing he would have ordinarily been admitted, namely the 107th. This, I realized, would give us 66 members temporarily, but it was not without precedent since mailing 82 provided a very similar case and it would also be unjust to ask George Locke to wait an additional mailing once he had been notified he was "in", so I saw no great harm in the action. In so ruling I notified Busby, Evans, Boggs, and -- somewhat to my chagrin -- Eney as FAPA OE. In reply I got

(3) a kind reply from Boggs notifying me that he "held no personal animosity for the 14 blackballers" and would "try not to be too harsh on them" while at the same time reminding me that Pelz, not Eney, was FAPA OE. I blushed.

(4) A carbon came from Evans to Breen inviting Walter to membership as of the 107th mailing as per my directive. This got me

(5) a letter from Pelz saying "I am informed that you have instructed the S-T to admit Walter Breen to FAPA, as a result of the passage of Redd Boggs' petition. I object, on the grounds that this admission cannot come about until there is a vacancy on the roster." There was more. I replied:

(6) my Presidential ruling still stood. If he wished to dispute it he should take the matter up with the Veep. I have not heard of the matter since, so I don't know whether he asked for a ruling or not. As far as I know, Breen became a member of FAPA as of the 107th mailing.

And, just for spice to this all:

(7) A letter from Speer came regarding his poll about Breen, to the effect that Al Lewis wanted to withdraw his signature, and that Metcalf had written him (Speer) saying that Breen paid him, Metcalf, \$25 to fill out the Boggs petition, money that Breen had owed Metcalf "for years." Speer wondered if the Metcalf letter was a joke or if I had actually heard from him.

(8) I said that I hadn't.

(9) Then on July 17th I received a letter dated the 7th of June but postmarked 16th of July from Norm Metcalf, to the effect that he didn't wish his signature counted because of the \$25 etc. etc. etc. Apparently the letter to which Speer had reference.

Well, all of this is, as I said, spice, since Boggs had more than enough signatures, and a few withdrawals wouldn't hurt the total any. Since then I have heard not a word from anyone about anything.

Except Buz. Buz said that there was an amendment pending before the FAPA this time, and that I should state it in my message, and thus I shall:



PRESIDENT's report (2)

"Proposed that Section 3.1, sentence 2, of the FAPA Constitution be amended to read as follows: 'Renewal credentials consisting of contributions in the form of verse, drawings, fiction or non-fiction, or at least one issue of a fantasy amateur publication (fanzine) of which the member has been the editor or publisher, in a real sense. Renewal credentials must total at least 8 8½x11" pages or equivalent in page area.' Signers are: Alan J. Lewis, Rich Brown, Richard Bergeron, and FM & E Busby.

At least I can't complain about nothing happening this quarter.

- - - Gregg Calkins.

VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT

A ruling was requested on Miriam Knight's credit for POSTMORTEM 1, on the grounds of (1) prior distribution, and (2) "work of the member." (1) does not apply in FAPA in this case, according to the final perenthetical sentence of Section 3.1. Regarding (2), Miri says she "helped co-edit" Choate's article except for the final page, and that she was likewise in on the publishing, although to a lesser degree than would have been the case if she had been in a less immediate state of expectancy. Ruling: she gets the credit -- and congr,tulations there, Miri.

Walter Breen's admission as a 66th member was protested on the grounds that the wording of the Boggs petition did not set aside the 65-member limit. President Gregg Calkins ruled that the violation of this limit had numerous precedents. I headed off a request for a VP ruling by pointing out that Walter was eligible for participation in a dual-membership in any case. This appears to have been a mistake; since no amount of illegal procedure can establish a legitimate precedent, I should not have overlooked the opportunity to clarify this point, even though it seemed empty of content in the present case. However, the word is that Walter is taking advantage of the situation to assume a separate membership, so by my reluctance to nitpick or appear sour-grapeish, I have added to the body of illegal precedent rather than setting a halt to it as I would have preferred to do. So be ye warned, future Veeps: call 'em close to your vest and to the Constitution as She Is Wrote, and shun easy solutions based on "reasonable assumptions" and the natural wish to avoid unnecessary redtape-and-wranglings; they don't pay off.

I don't suppose this past year could be called a Banner Year for the Vice-Presidency, but thank you for giving us a try at the office, anyhow. Our major chore seemed to be that of refraining from making rulings, rather than making them. Hmm--maybe it was a pretty good year, at that.

So thank you for your very kind attention.

- - - Buz

FROM: Bill Evans  
PO Box 86  
Mt. Rainier, Maryland

TO: -----

FIRST CLASS MAIL

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