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HONOR * Candidates for Election * HONOR
ROLL * for Direstorate;-- for Vice President: * ROLL
* Sandy Madet. Walter Coslet *
* Rick Sneary K. Martin Carlson. *
* Telis Streiff *

---- EDITORIAL ----

Its not too early to be thinking about candidates for Election.... The cover pic may surprise you this time. Jack Sloan, Canada, is now the official artist for K-M-T and chooses his own matterial and gets all the praise and abuse. I know that he will have some nice pics for us. Thanks for your kind offer, Jack. This is what he says about #3 cover pic..."... Egyptian in theme it should intrigue you if nothing else. The large figure is that of Sekhmet, or Mut as she is known in human form. The consort of Amon, she was one of the chief goddesses of Imperial Egypt. The letters are for the most part adaptions of authentic hieroglyphs. Hope you like it all...." Well, I have plenty to do now. I asked for it and now I have it. Do you suppose the fen like the K-M-T? Or what makes business so good in trading and selling promags. Books have picked up too.

Recently, it has been my good fortune to corresponde with an old time collector, Thyrl Ladd, 33 Cuyler Ave, Albany 2 N.Y. He has many books that I would be proud to own, in his library. He is my own age and also began with the Old Argosy and Amazing. He writes very interesting letters and certainly has the names of the books right at hand (some of them I have never heard off). Here is what he says about one of my favorite authors, ".....One of my friends is an author whose books are familiar, I know, to you - - Ray Cummings, whom I visited, last July. He has a daughter, Betty, who is an author in her own right, but who writes Detective fiction. Mr Cummings told me, last summer, that he estimates that he has written perhaps a thousand stories, and that he cannot remember, himself, the titles or dates of appearance, of any of them. He lacks a complete collect-ion of his own published books, due, it seems, to the fact he gave them to admiring readers who lacked them, and who visited him. He gave me some valued autographs, and I have yet to spend a more char- ming afternoon..... *****

***** Andy Lyon , 200 Williamsboro Str, Oxford, N. Carolina WANTS.
WANTS-- complete years or sets of Famous Fantastic Mysteries.

***** Doug Harding wants ASTOUNDINGS Nov '34; WILD TALES, Jan '29
WANTS Nov '32; Mar '33. *****

***** Conrad B. Peterzen, 2012-6th Ave, Hibbing, Minnesota would like
WANTS ** to get ASTOUNDINGS -all before 1940; Jan, Feb, Mar, Aug, Sep,
Oct, Dec 1940; Aug, 1941; Jul, 1943. T.W.S.-1940, Apr, May, Jun. *1941, Jan,
Mar, Aug, Oct, Dec. * 1943-Apr. STARTLING-1939-Sep* 1940-Mar, May, Nov
1941--Jan, Jul, Sep, Nov 1943--Mar, May, Win.
F.A.--1939--Sep; 1940--Mar, Apr, May, Aug, Oct, Nov, Dec.; 1942--Aug
1943--May, Jun, Aug.; F.N.-Jul, Sep, Nov '40; Jan, Apr '41.
F.F.M.--Nov, Dec, '39; Mar, May, Jun, Aug, Dec, Feb '40; Feb, Apr, Jun, Oct '41
Dec '41; Apr, Nov, Dec '42. PLANET--Voll, Nos 5 & 7.

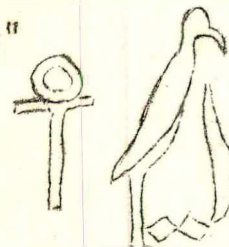
FAN HISTORY of Jack Sloan, Canada

Except for the accidental reading of a book review in the columns of the now defunct Can-S.S.S., I might very likely never have been introduced to fantasy fandom. The book, "The World of Tomorrow" excited my curiosity so, that I applied to the editor for further information, and was referred through Don Wollheim to Akerman, and J.M. Rosenblum of Leeds. It was Rosenblum who prompted me to drop a line to one "Les Croutch" and for some time, Les was my only fan contact over here. Later, on Les' recommendation, I contacted Beak Taylor & Can-Fan (then 8-Ball) and more recently followed his urging and joined the N.F.F.F. Only during the past year or so has my contact with fandom broadened from a couple of correspondents. For at least two years previous though, I had been in the odd position of standing on the "outside" and observing fan life through one fanzine and two correspondents, while taking no part in it myself. I wonder if any of you have had a more unique meeting with fandom than through an unknown correspondent on the other side of the Atlantic; and because of your interest in a book review.

At 18, I this year completed my high school courses for Matric, and am currently studying Commercial Art at Toronto's Central Technical School. Outside of Art my interests are; reading, favourite authors, Dumas, Hugo, Poe, Merritt and Lovecraft, in something of that order; most of the classical music-Wagner, Moussorgsky, Stravinsky and Gilbert & Sullivan. (the last perhaps not too "classical"), and some popular music. With sports, I prefer rugby and Hockey as an observer, Baseball and Swimming, as a participant.

In pulp mags I'm content to collect Astounding, Unknown and F.F.M. Controversially, I prefer Amazing to either T.W.S or Startling,--if only for laughs. A part from magazines, I also collect fantasy books and to a certain extent, records. Little else of interest to add except perhaps to note that I was born in Canada; parents British, and veer to the right in whatever political outlook I may have. Sloan

WANTS Steve Weber, 105 Oak Str. Weehawken, N.J. needs these books
*BOOKS** "Unknown" (dates not known, nor is the author) containing all installments of story "Divide and Rule" Reasonably, please, as I don't operate any branches of the U.S. Mint.
Anonymous---"The Life and Adventures of Peter Wilkins"
Kelly, James Paul-----"Prince Izon"
Rousseau, V. -----"The Messiah of the Cylinder"
Seryinsour, Ella - - - - -"The Perfect World"
Stevenson, Burton E. - - - - -"A King in Babylon"
Webster, J. Provand - - - - -"The Oracle of Baal"



SELL F. Lee Baldwin, Box 187, Grangeville, Idaho HAS excerpts;
The Robot God-Cummings 10¢ ; Song without Words-S. Quinn 10¢
The Believers-M. Lord 5¢ ; I Killed Hitler-nalp M. Farley 5¢
It all came True in the Woods-M. Wellman 5¢; Drifting Atoms- 5¢
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By What Mystic Moorings-F. Owen 5¢; The Phantom Piston-C. Jacobi 5¢
The Ghost of a Chance-A.B. Almy 5¢; Altimer's Amulet-A. Derleth 5¢
The Death Track- H. Greene 3¢; A Dreamer of Dreams-Ray Spears 3¢
How a War Starts- Wm Anderson-2¢; My Ship- John Edmonds 2¢
The Man Who was Forgotten- H. Davis 5¢; Ages--Robert Carso 3¢
The Ice King --F St. Mars 3¢; Indian Sign --Victory Shaw 3¢
WANT All back number of Argosy.

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Doug. Harding, 563 Sherbrooke Str. Winnipeg, Man, Canada -----
WANTS -ASTOUNDING 1942-May, Jul, Aug, Nov, Dec; 1943-Jan, Feb, Apr, May,
Jun, Dec---UNKNOWN--Feb43 Apr43 Jun43 Aug43--W.T.--'23, '24, '25 and
Jan 1933; ASTOUNDING--Nov, 1934.

WANT--BOOKS ;

The Ape ,the Idiot & other People --W.C.Morrow
Maker of Moons -- R.W.Chambers
Stray Leaves From Strange--L.Hearn Literature
Some Chinese Ghosts --L. Hearn
One of Cleopatra's Nights "
Dawn of Flame --S. Weinbaum
French Mystery Stories--Lock & Key Library
Presenting Moon.Shine --John Collier
The Bell in the Fog --G. Atherton
Black Spirits & White --R.A.Cram
Wind in the Rosebush --M.E.W.Freeman
Others who Returned --H.N.Wakefield.
The Killing Bottle --L.P.Hartley
Wind that Tramps the World --T.Owen
Tales of Mystery and Horror - " "

BOOKS FOR SALE ON TRADE by Doug. Harding

Uncanny Stories -illus- --May Sinclair
The Intercessor & Other Tales --" "
Best Ghost Stories -- A.P. Reeves
The Fruit Stoners D/W --Blackwood
Uncle Silas -Pocketbook- --S. Le Fance
The Purple Sapphire -- John Taine
Thrills (Detective Tales) --illus
Slayer of Souls (1st. ed.) --R.W.Chambers
World's Great Mystery stories -- Will Cuppy
Vathek -- Wm. Beckford
Day of the Brown Herd D/W --H. Tucker
After World's Collide --Palmer and Wylie
The Oldest God --S.McAenna
Frankenstein D/W
Thuvia, maid of Mars --E.R.Burroughs
Synthetic Men of Mars --" " " (Eng.Ed.)
Tales of Mystery
The Three Impsters (1st ed) --A. Machen
F.P.I. Tales to Reply -- Curt Siodmark
Tales of Chinatown--Sax Rohmer
Day the World Ended -- " "

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Dec.14, 21 and 28, 1935; NEED the six 1937 Argosy having George Cha-
llis' serial "THE SMOKING LAND" Dont know the exact dates.
Also Jun8, 1940 Argosy. Has first part of Zagat's SUNRISE TOMORROW.
NEED any issues of Argosy All-story before 1926 having stories by
Max Brand, John Frederick.

Doug Harding says "write a letter stating your wants." These
are really something to write about. COMPLETE YEARS.

Weird Tales for sale or trade;--May26-Feb, April, Oct '27; Jul, Aug
and Oct '29; Jan mar Jul Aug Sep N v, Dec '30.; mar35, Aug, Sept '36
Jan'38; Sep'39; mar'40; Jul 41 ***Complete Years***, 1935, 1936, 1937,
1938, 1939, 1940, 1941 --All in real good to mint condition.
F.F.M., Sep, Oct'39; Nov'39; Dec'39 Jan'40, Feb'40, Feb'41 F.N. Jan'41

*****SPECIAL WANTS***** D. G. Richardson, 606 Wallace, Louisville
* * * * * (7) Ky.

Blue Book -- 1932-Sept--1934 Mar -- MODERN
Mechanics and Invention--1928 Nov. Dec. --1929- Feb ..
Triple X Magazine --1929-Nov,Dec.--1930-Jan.Feb
New Story--1913-Nov --1914-May. The Scrap Book 1909- Apr-Jun-Sep.
People's Favorite--1918-Feb,10,25--Mar.10,25 --Apr.10,25-May,10
All-Story --1912-Jan,May,Jun,Aug,Oct,Dec.--1913-Jan,Jun,Jul-1914, Feb
Super Science --1940-May,Sept,--1941-Mar,May
Astonishing-- Any Issue. Science-Fiction -- Future--Future-combine
with STF, and Science-Fiction quarterly, NEED ALL ISSUES.

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SANDY KADET, South Shore View Hotel, 7100 Shore Drive, Chicago 49
He WANTS the following;--

Super Science '40 --May, Nov ;; '41 Jan,Mar,May,Aug,Nov.
1942--February . F.N. all except Jan'41 F.F.M. all before '41
STARTLINGS '39--Mar,; CAPT. FUTURE--'40 -Winter Also F.F.M. '41 Feb
Apr, Jun, 1942-Feb, Jul, and all ish up to Sep'43 Also need F.F.M.
for Dec.'43

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E, Vernon Smith, Jr., 62 Delevan St., New Brunswick, N.J. will
trade some of these newer ones that you may have missed.;
F.A. Oct'45-Dec'45 Feb'46 --T.W.S.-Wint'46 Fall'44 Startling Win'45
F.F.M. Dec'45 Feb'46

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H.H.Behrens 1527 Lunt Ave, Chicago, 26, Ill would like to get
WANTS ., AMAZING 1938- Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jul, Sep --Aug '39 Dec'40
1943 Jul, Oct, Dec --Jul'44 UNKNOWN (S&S) 1940-Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, Jun,
Jul, Aug, Sep, Oct, Dec, --1941-Apr, Jun, Aug.--1943 Aug.

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Harold Cheney, Jr., 584, E. Monroe Str, Little Falls, N.Y.
WANTS pre-1938 Weird Tales. Those at reasonable prices, Please.

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Edwin Rothouse, 6421 N. Sudenham St, Philadelphia, 26, Penna.
WANTS books by Haggard "Red Eve"--"The Yellow God"--"Ghost Kings"
"Lady of Blosshorne". Needs these for his collection.
SELL --Haggard Books "People of the Mist"--"Heart of the World"
"She and Allan"--"Virgin of the Sun"--"Montezuma's Daughter"--"Heu-Heis
and "Witch's Head". * * * * *

Roy Paetzke, Lidgerwood, N.D. (Route#4) has a special wants,
Who has AMAZING BRAVER STORIES ? Mar-Jun-and Sept'45 - - - - -
He has a list for TRADE only;- AMAZING May'40-Aug'42-Feb'46-May'46
ASTONISHING-Dec'42 -Apr'43-- ASTOUNDING -Oct'42--Jun'45--MARVEL Nov'40
Capt. Future--Win'43 -Win'44; T.W.S. Mar'40-Dec'42; and some books----
THE RETURN OF FU MANCHU --THE INSIDIOUS Dr. FU MANCHU--Sax Rohmer.

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Vernon D. Hodges Box 28, Denair, Calif. WANTS these to fill
out his collection,; F.F.M.-Nov'39, Dec'39, April'40, Aug'40, Aug'41,
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THE IRON HEEL - - - - -		- - - - -	\$1.50
BEFORE ADAM	London (1st edition)	- - - - -	\$1.50
THE WORLD GOES CRASH --	Adams - - - - -	- - - - -	\$1.50
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Adams, S.H. & White, S.E. - - - - -The Mystery
Addison, James, B. - - - - -The Lunarian Professor.
Aunsworth, W.H. - - - - -Windsor Castle (Eng. Pub, 1854)
Allan, Marcel - - - - -The Lord of Terror
Anct, Claude - - - - -The End of a World.
Anonymous - - - - -Adventure in the Moon; A Voyage to Cacklo-
Aston, B.C. - - -The Eye of the God, ; ; ; ; ; Crops (Eng 1932) gollina
Anstey, F. - - -The Brass Bottle (1900); Time Cheques-Tourmalin's
Arnold, E.L. - - - - -Lepidus, the Centurion.
Asbury, Herbert - - -The Devil of Poi Ling; Not at Night.
Asquith, Lady Cynthia --Black Cap; Shudders; When Graveyards Yawn; The
Aubrey, F.--The Devil Tree of El Dorado; King of the Dead; ; (Ghost Book.
" " -- Queen of Atlantis.
Babcock, Geo - - - - -Legendary Islands; Yezad.
Ball, Frank, P. - - - - -My Wondrous Dream
Baring, Gould - - -Strange Survival; Werewolves; Curious myths; Book Ghost
Bechdolt, Jack - - -The Torch; Lost Vikings; A Tale of Year 3010.
Begouch, May - - - - -Bison of Clay.
Bell, Neil - - - - -Lord of Life.
Belloc, Hilaire - - - - -The man who made Gold.
Benoit, Pierre - - - - -Atlantida.
Bennet, Chas, A. - - - - -Thyra.
Birkmair, Eliz. G. - - - - -Roscidon's Paradise (1892)
Blackwood, Algernon--(any book except the Willows)
Bradshaw, Wm. R. -----The Goddess of Atoatabar (1892)
Brown, Alice--The Wind between the Worlds; Kingdom in the Sky; Ghost Tale
Bruce, Muriel - - - - -Mukara.
Chambers, R.W. - - -(any birds except "Slayer of Souls" & "Police")
Claudy, C.H. (any of his)
Cole, Cyrus - - - - -The Aurophone (1890)
Cox, Eric - - - - -Out of the Silence.

(he has a long list, from A to Z) more in #4 K-M-T

Conrad Peterzen 2012-6th Ave East, Hibbing, Minnesota. WANTS.
WANTS Weird Tales; All before 1937 except Jan '34, Nov '36
WANT-1937. Oct, Nov, Dec--*1938-Jan, Nov*1939-Feb, Sep, Nov, Dec* 1940 all
except Jul-- all of 1941. Unknown & Unk Worlds; All except Mar, Apr, May,
Jun, Jul, Aug, Dec '39--Sep, Jul '40--Dec '41--Feb, Jun, Aug, Oct '43.
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