

METROFAN BULLETIN #1 is published by Andy Porter at 24 east 82nd street, ny 28
for all interested parties as well as for the 46th mailing of apa F. 19 May 1965

CALL FOR MATERIAL:

THE

METROFAN

After an absence from the New York fannish scene of over 5 years, THE METROFAN, New York's own newszine of current club and fannish activity, is resuming publication!!

METROFAN will contain news of interest to Lunarian, ESFAN, FISTFAN, Fanoclast, City College fen, and to anyone else interested in what's on in the current city fanscape.

It will contain information on fantasy films being shown in the city, what fanzines are published here, what's going on in professional circles, conventions planned and being bid for, and loads more.

IS
RESUMING
PUBLICATION!!!

We need news of what you or your club is doing in the New York area; we need clippings from the paper of interest to the science fiction fan; we need news of your fanzine, if it is being published within the metropolitan area.

The Metrofan will be monthly; subscription rates are not yet fixed. For information, write:

ANDY PORTER
24 EAST 82ND STREET
NEW YORK, NY, 10028

- * * * * Did you know there was recently a radio show discussing fandom, with Ted White and Terry Carr?
- + + + + Did you attend the Lunacon/Eastercon, held this past April 24/25 in midtown New York?
- + + + + Did you know that there is a running series of science fiction films being shown in midtown New York?

COMING SOON

++++ A history of New York Fandom, telling all about the early years when fandom was just starting; the first World SF Convention; the early 1950's and their culmination in the 1956 world convention; reaching up to and including current activities in the metropolitan area.

++++ Listings of science fiction books and paperbacks, months before they are published. An example is below:

ACE BOOKS: July

LO! by Charles Fort (reprint, documentary, 50¢)

THE EXILE OF TIME by Ray Cummings (reprint, novel, 40¢)

WELL OF THE WORLDS by Henry Kuttner (reprint, novel, 40¢)

double book:

ALTER ON ASCONEL by John Brunner (original novel)/ANDROID AVENGER by Ted White (original novel) 40¢

LORD KALVEN OF OTHERWHEN by H. Beam Piper (original novel — the last novel to be completed by the author shortly before his death — 40¢)

Other listings for all publishers will appear as they become known. You will be able to know which books are original novels, which are reissues or reprints, and which will be reissues under other names, as many publishers are doing now.

++++ Listings of currently available fanzines published within the metropolitan area, such as Lighthouse, Sam, Algol, Focal Point, Epilogue, etc.

++++ Science fiction movies being shown in the general area, such as the SF cycles that the New Yorker theatre has had for the past 2 years, and including showings of amateur films produced by New York's thriving underground film groups.

++++ What's On, a catalog of meetings and events taking place every month.

These and many more features will be in the METROFAN; show us your interest by writing in with items for the first revived issue, out soon.

////////////////////

METROFAN BULLETIN #1

Andy Porter

24 east 82nd street

New York, NY, 10028

NEW YORK, NY 10028
EAST 82ND STREET
ANDY PORTER

FIRST CLASS