

TIE A STRING AROUND YOUR FINGER!

The next meeting of the Council of the High Cascades, Friends of Darkover will be held on April 19th, at the Council House, Portland. (Bryce Walden's house. 761-3768 for more info.)

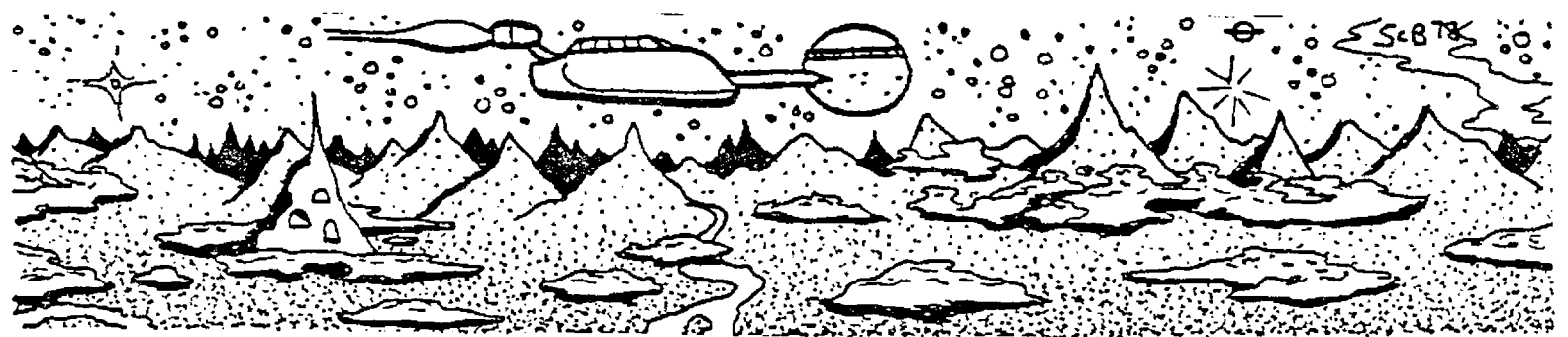
And don't forget the PorSFIS meetings! March 31st, April 14th and 28th, May 12th, etc. 2:00, Room E, Multnomah Public Library, downtown. Do come to the meetings. And if you want to keep getting the newsletter, don't forget--the new year starts on April 1. Are you paid up for '79? This is what you've been cramming those piggybanks for!

ELECTION RESULTS!!!!

I know you've been awaiting this news with bated breath. (You have been bating your breath, haven't you?) Marc Wells is surrendering the Presidency to the Velvet Touch (yours truly, Sue Renhard). He will be Vice President this year, giving Debbie Cross a well-earned rest. (Ho, ho, ho!) John Andrews was unanimously re-elected Treasurer. Roger Wells handed the Secretary's quill to John Loventz. We eagerly anticipate the new year. Onward and upward!

PLEASE FEED THE NEWSLETTER

Keep those cards and letters coming, folks! (You can, if you rub them the right way!) Send news to 2835 SE Division, Portland, OR 97202, or call 231-9677. (Steve and Sue have a recorder hooked up, so call anytime!)



...and then there was the water-covered planet named Aquariux. Ed Foster's ship shot through the atmosphere and splashed into the sea. Yes, then there was that giant squid, disturbed by the swirling water as the Gamma Ray changed from spaceship to underwater exploration vehicle. But at least the poor creature was spared Ed's parting words of advice as he rushed on, leaving a wake: "Don't sleep in the sub's way, darling."

Coné Calendar//////// May 25-27 -- V-CON -- GoH: Jack Vance -- Toastmaster: Frank Herbert -- Registration: 38.00 -- Gage Towers, U of Brit. Columbia, Vancouver BC -- Room Rates: \$12 single, \$21 double -- Write: V-Con 7, PO Box 43701, Bentall Station, Vancouver BC, Canada V7X 1A6.

//////// June 29-July 2 -- WESTERCON 32 -- GoH: Richard Lupoff -- Fan GoH: Bruce Pelz -- Sheraton Palace, San Francisco CA -- Write: WesterCon 32, 195 Alhambra St., #9, San Francisco CA 94123.

//////// July 13-15 -- DARKOVER Grand Council Meeting -- GoH: Marion Zimmer Bradley -- Registration: \$10 till Jul 1, \$15 thereafter -- La Guardia Sheraton, Queens NY -- Write: Armida Council, PO Box 355, Brooklyn NY 11219.

////////September 29-October 1 -- MOSCON -- GoH: Verna Smith, Alex Schomburg -- Registration: \$6 till Sept 9, \$10 thereafter -- Best Western University Inn, Moscow ID -- Write: Beth Finkbiner, PO Box 9141, Moscow ID 83843.

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//////// August 29-September 1, 1980 -- this is the 38th World Science Fiction Convention; start planning now -- GoH: Damon Knight, Kate Wilhelm -- Registration: \$20.00 till Jul 1 79 -- Sheraton-Boston Hotel, Boston MA -- Write: Noreascon 2, PO Box 46, MIT Branch Post Office, Cambridge MA 02139.

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