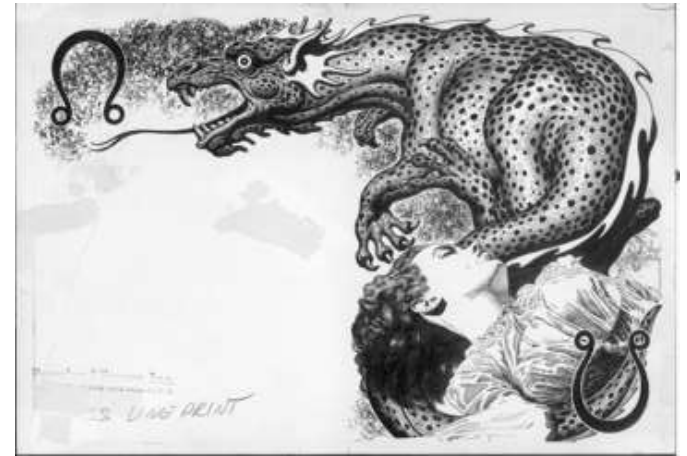


Unconventional Fantasy, Volume 6
The Virgil Finlay Centennial Exhibition
2014 World Fantasy Convention



Virgil
Finlay



Introduction

Virgil Finlay is one of the most famous of pulp fantasy artists, and at this convention we are celebrating the 100th anniversary of his birth. He was the most popular artist of his time and created thousands of illustrations, primarily for the pulps. In this catalog, we'll show you what the fuss is about.

The special exhibit is drawn from the collections of private individuals who have generously allowed their pieces to be shared with all of us. Here we have images of horror, of fantasy and science fiction, and of ethereal beauty. The exhibit will be arranged chronologically, so you can see the evolution of Finlay's style. This catalog is alphabetical, so you can more easily see if any of your favorite titles or stories are represented.

Virgil Finlay's work can take your breath away. It's classic and elegant, and in our opinion he drew the most beautiful female figures in SF illustration. What you see here represents only a part of the exhibit; we believe this is going to be the largest number of original Virgil Finlay pieces ever to be shown together.

We hope you will enjoy this catalog, but don't miss the opportunity to see the entire exhibit, up close and personal.

--Joe Siclari & Edie Stern



The 31 Sex Types
Astrology Magazine

From the collection of
Robert Wiener

Anthem
By Ayn Rand
Famous Fantastic Mysteries
June 1953



From the collection of
Robert Wiener

Ark of Fire

By J. Hawkins

Famous Fantastic Mysteries

March 1943

From the collection of
Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



...As Others See Us
By R.J. Jones
Fantastic Adventures
May 1951

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



Astrological Drawing
Title Unknown

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Robert Wiener



Beacon to Elsewhere
By James H. Schmitz
Amazing Stories
April 1953

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Robert Wiener



Between Worlds
By Garret Smith
Fantastic Novels
July 1949

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Robert Wiener





The Big Time

By Fritz Leiber

Possibly intended for the

cover of *Galaxy*

March 1958

From the collection of

Robert Wiener



By the Worlds Forgotten
Intended for *Astonishing Stories*
Unpublished
1942

From the collection of
George Hagenauer

Captain Ahab of Space
Galaxy
September 1957

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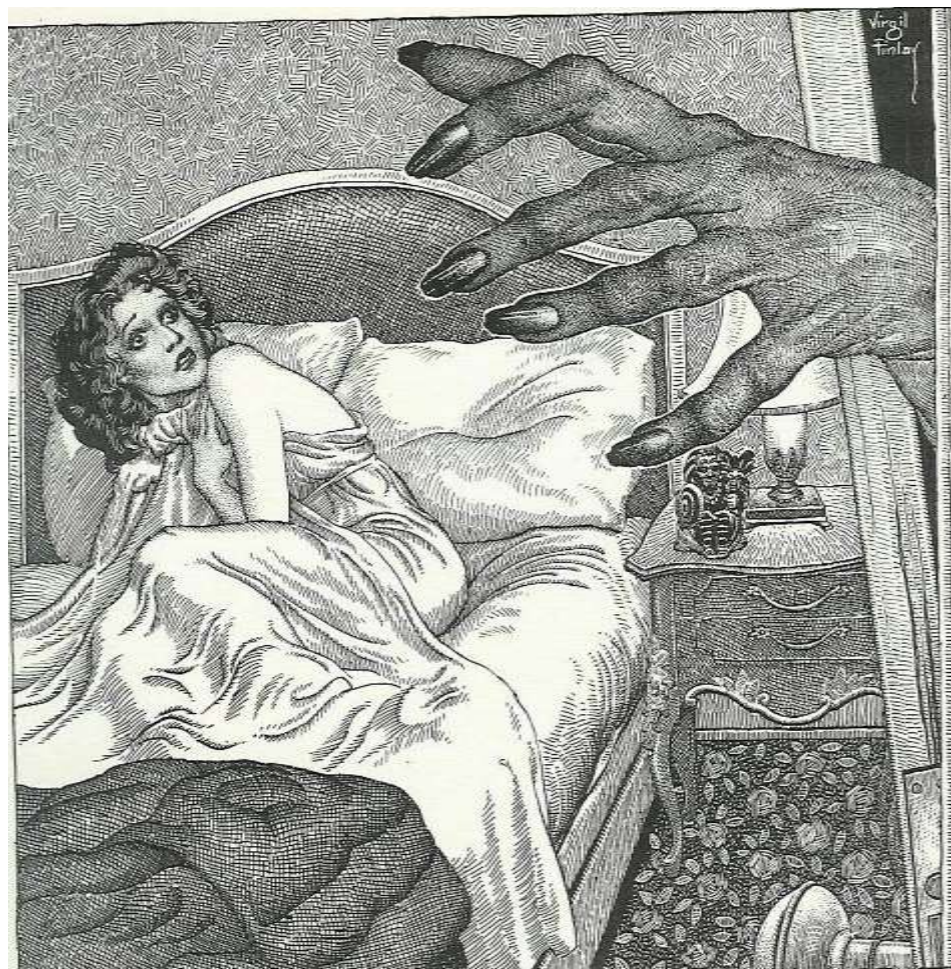
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Fantastic
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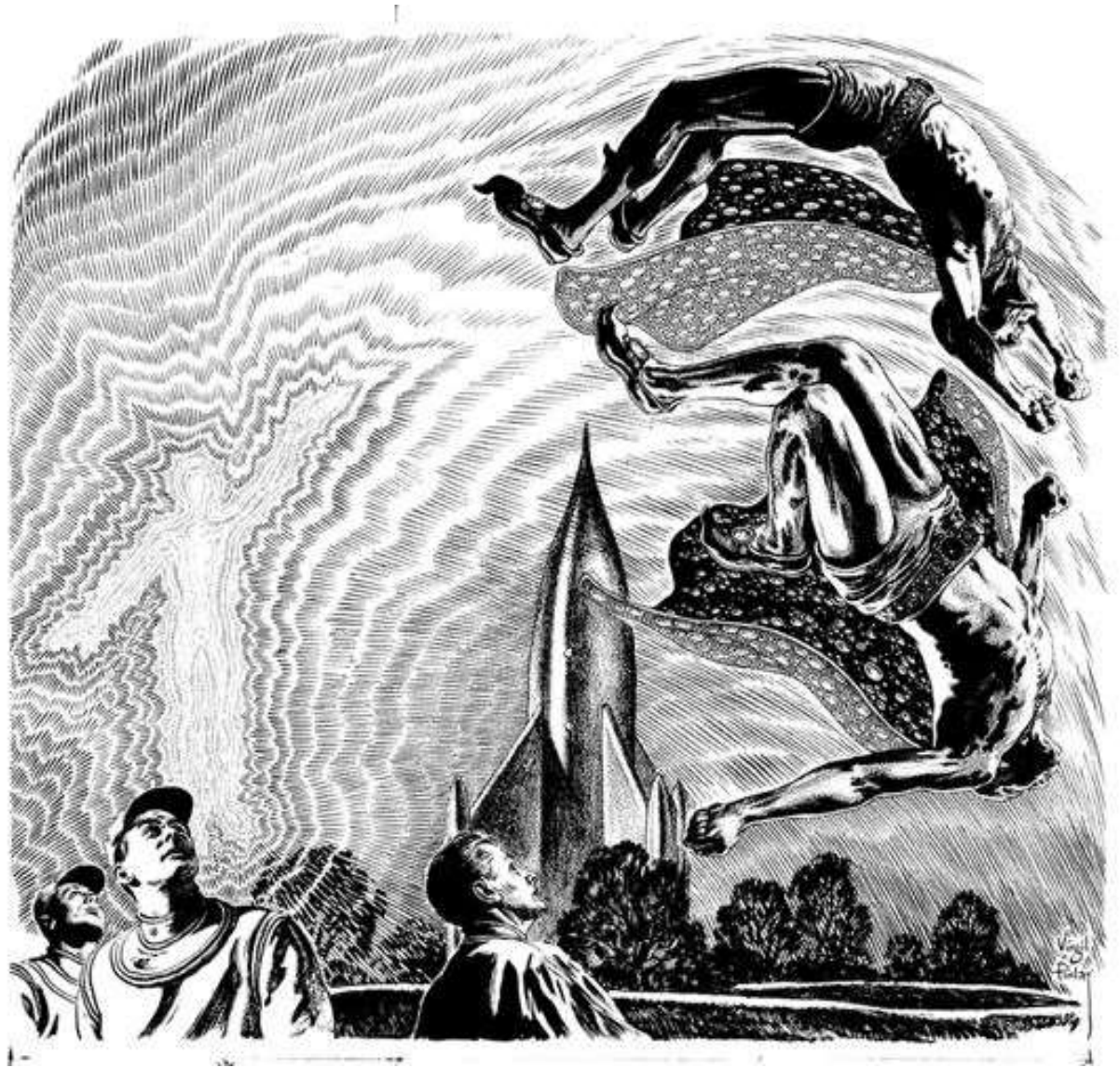
Citadel of Fear
by Francis Stevens
Famous Fantastic Mysteries
February 1942

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The Collision Course
By Robert Silverberg
Amazing Stories
July 1959

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Robert Wiener



The Conditioned Captain
By Fletcher Pratt
Startling Stories
May 1953

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



A Coward Named Mayhem

By Milton Lesser writing as

C.H. Thames

Amazing Stories

January 1958

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Murray and Mary Ellen Moore





Crime Clean up in Center City

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Fantastic Adventures
April 1942

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Daemon

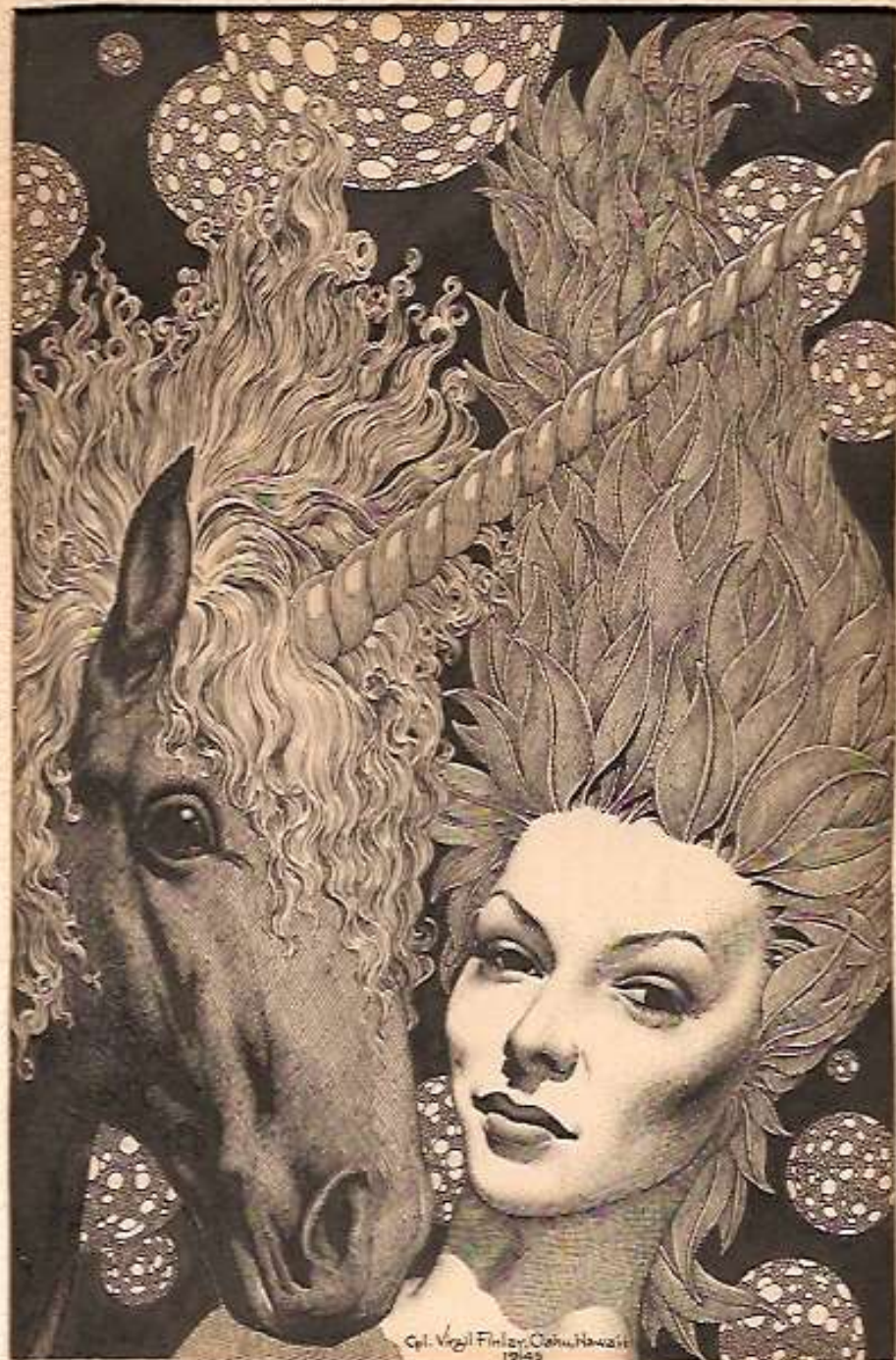
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Famous Fantastic Mysteries

October 1946

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Robert and Phyllis Weinberg





Darkness and Dawn

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton

Day After Doomsday
By Poul Anderson
Galaxy
1961

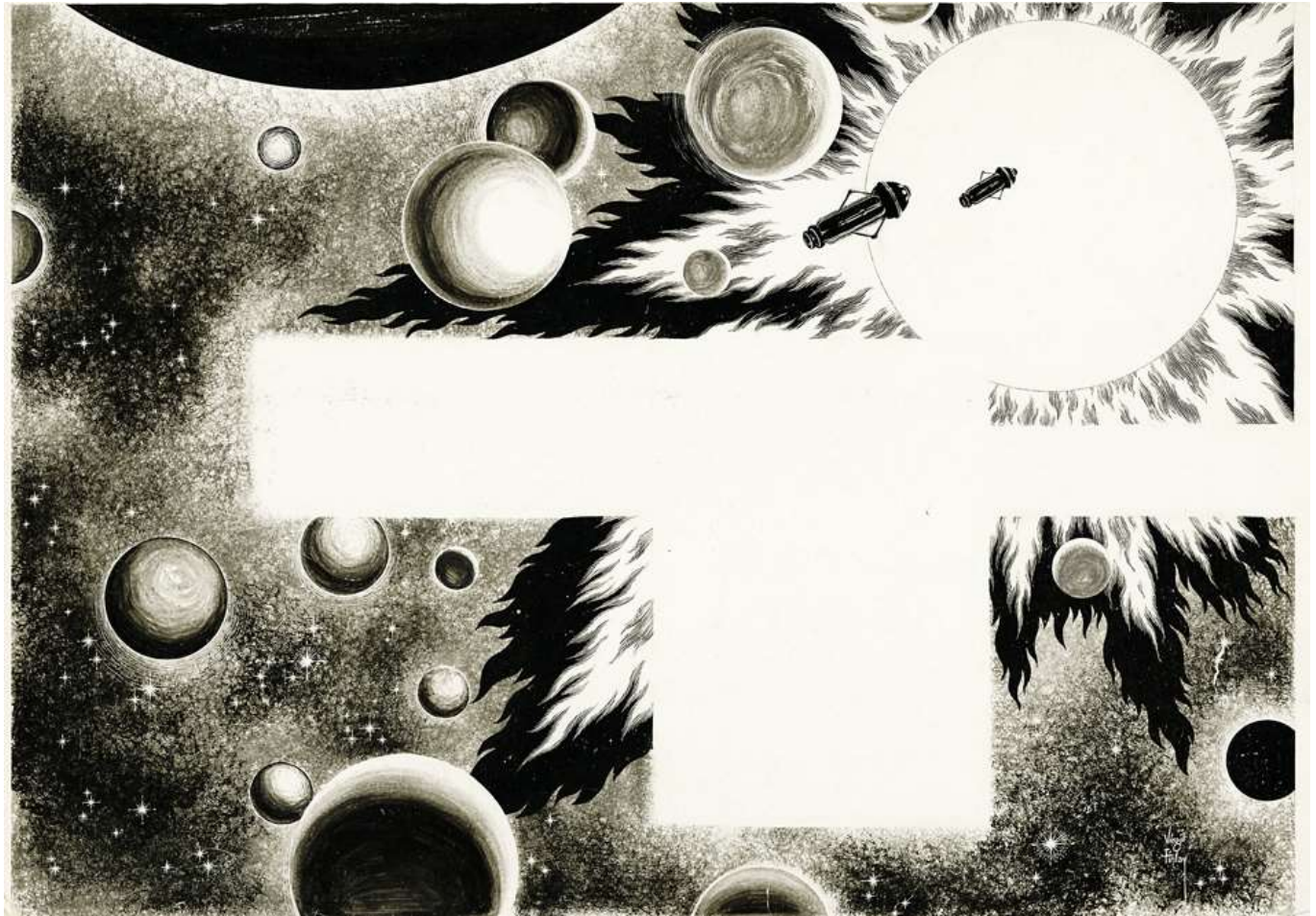
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Dig Me No Graves
By Robert E. Howard
Weird Tales
February 1937

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David Ritter



Doctor
By Murray Leinster
Galaxy
February 1961

From the collection of
Joe Siclari and Edie Stern

The Door

By Eric Frank Russell
Universe Science Fiction
March 1954

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



Dwellers in the Mirage
By A. Merritt
Fantastic Novels
April 1941

From the collection of
George Hagenauer



Earth's Last Citadel
By Henry Kuttner & C.L. Moore
Fantastic Novels
July 1950



From the collections of
Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton, and
Robert and Phyllis Weinberg



The Elixir of Hate

By George Allan England
Famous Fantastic Mysteries
October 1942

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Robert Wiener

Genesis

By H. Beam Piper

Future

September 1951

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



The Globe of Memories
By Seabury Quinn
Weird Tales
February 1937

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Robert and Phyllis Weinberg





The Golden City

By Ralph Milne Farley

Famous Fantastic Mysteries

December 1942

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Steven Spilger

The Golden Helix
By Theodore Sturgeon
Thrilling Wonder Stories
Summer 1954

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



The Hairy Ones Shall Dance

By Manly Wade Wellman
writing as Hans T. Field
Weird Tales
February 1938

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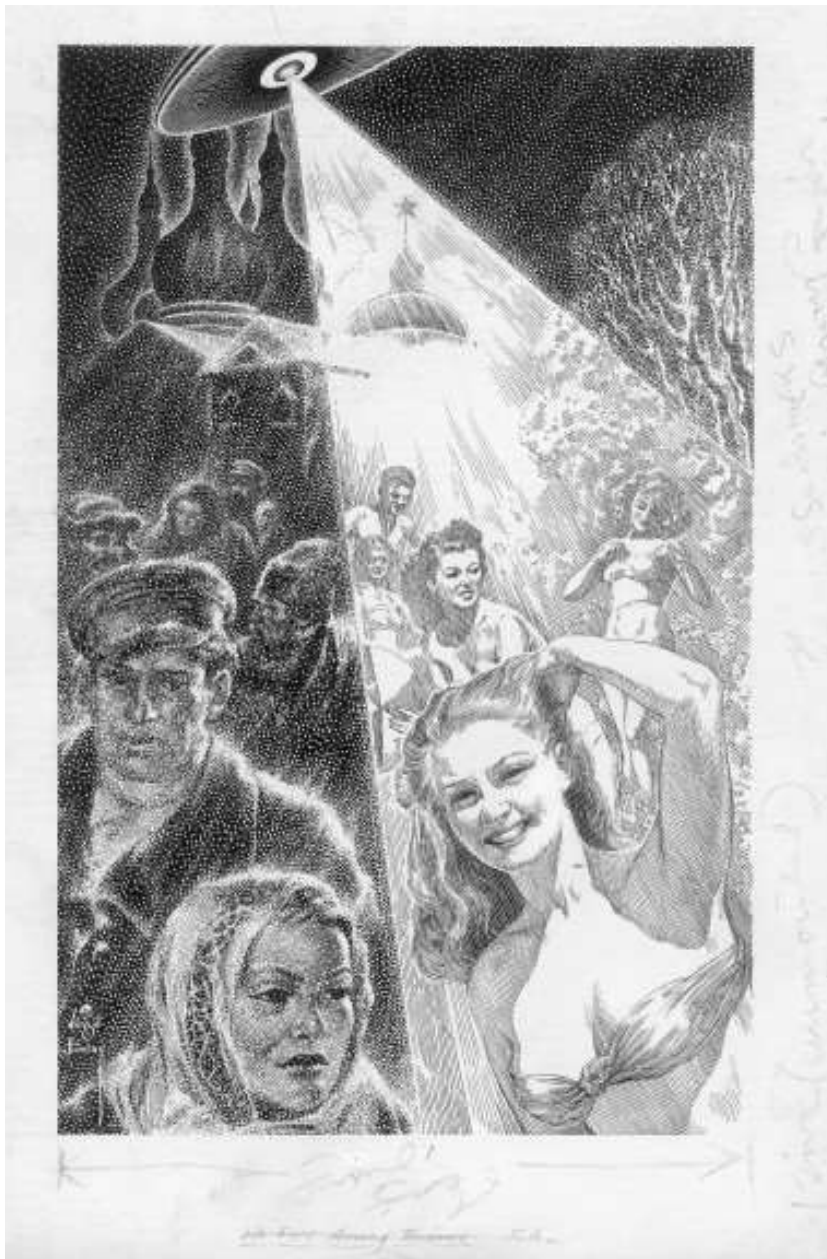
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Weird Tales
September 1952
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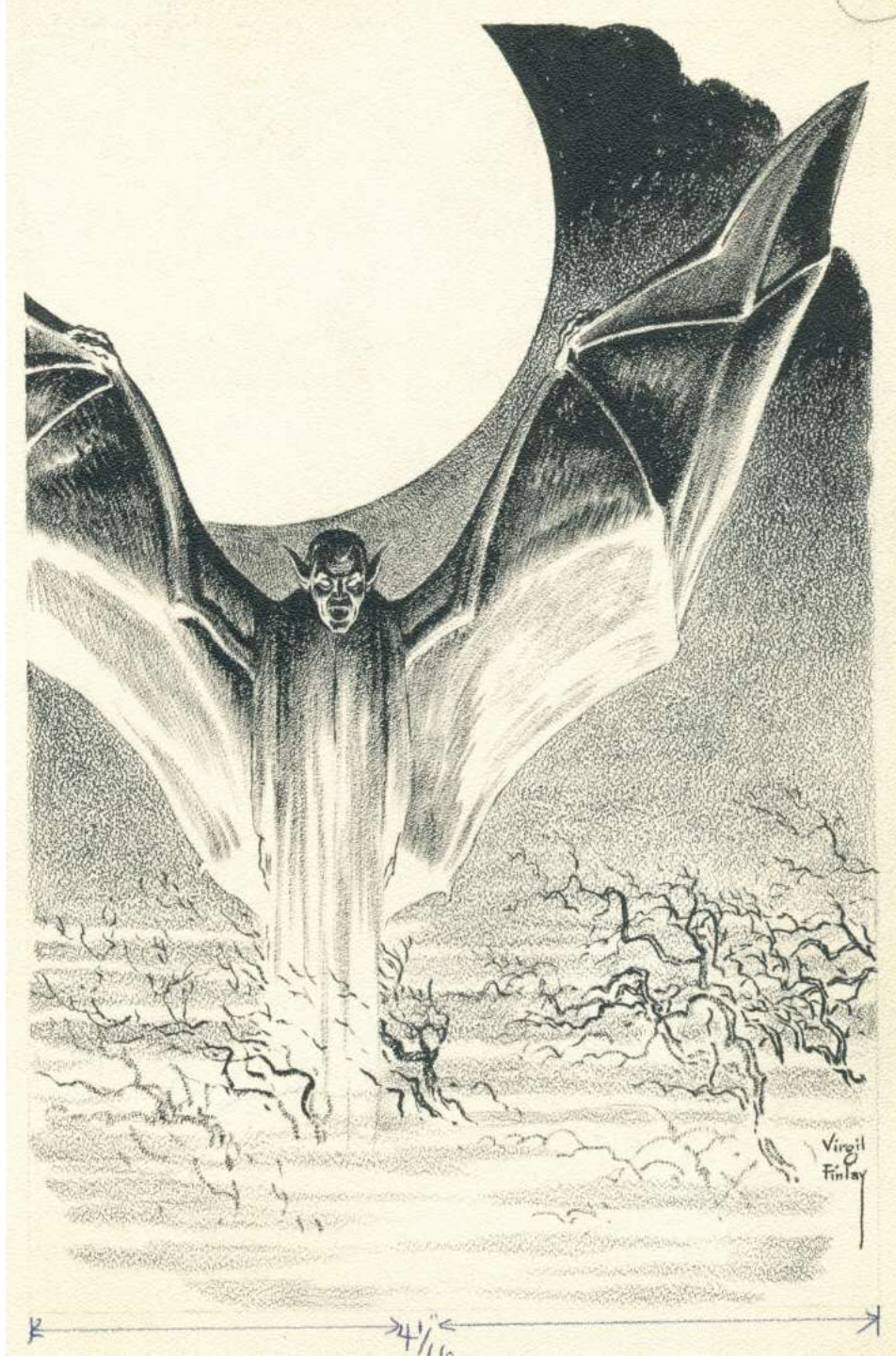
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Fantastic Adventures
March 1952

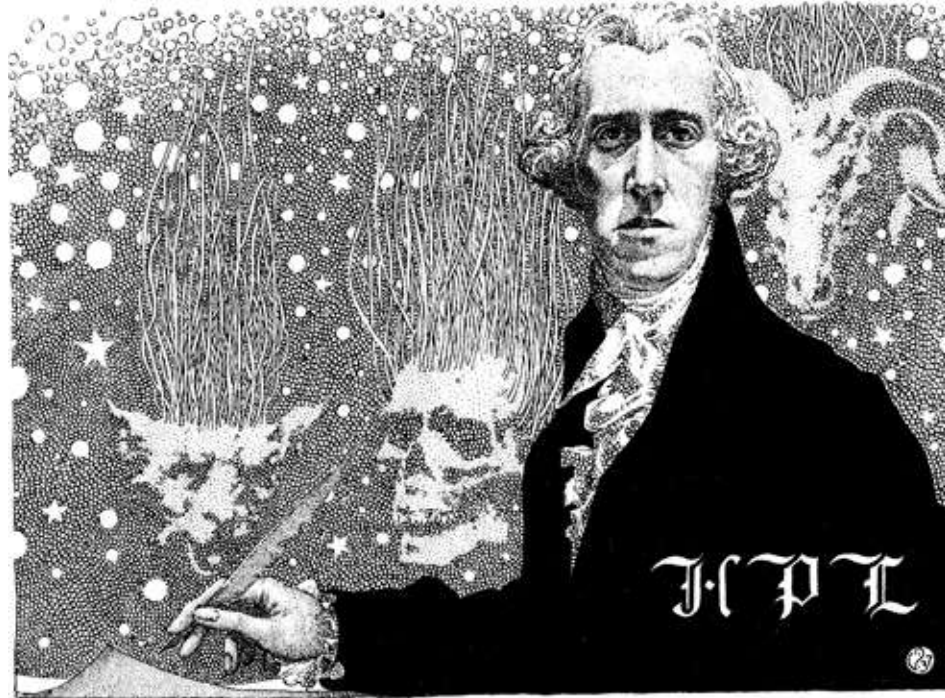
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He That Hath Wings
By Edmond Hamilton
Fantastic
July 1963

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Amateur Correspondent #1
ed. Corwin F. Stickney
May 1937
Portrait originally
commissioned by Willis
Conover for his fanzine,
Science Fantasy
Correspondent

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Robert and Phyllis Weinberg



Into the Infinite

By Austin Hall

Famous Fantastic Mysteries

March 1942

From the collection of
Robert Wiener

Island in the Sky
By Manly Wade Wellman
Fantastic Story
September 1953

From the collection of
Robert Wiener



The Lamia In the Penthouse
By Thorp McCluskey
Weird Tales
May 1952

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Robert and Phyllis Weinberg





The Lamia in the Penthouse

By Thorp McCluskey

Weird Tales

May 1952

From the collection of
David Ritter

The Last Vial

By Sam McClatchie, M.D.
Amazing Stories
December 1960

From the collection of
George Hagenauer



The Long Remembered Thunder
By Keith Laumer
Worlds of Tomorrow
April 1963

From the collection of
Mark Hickman





Loot of the Vampire

By Thorp McClusky

Weird Tales

June 1936

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Maker of Shadows (part 5)

By J. Mann

Argosy

January 1940

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The Mandarin's Ear

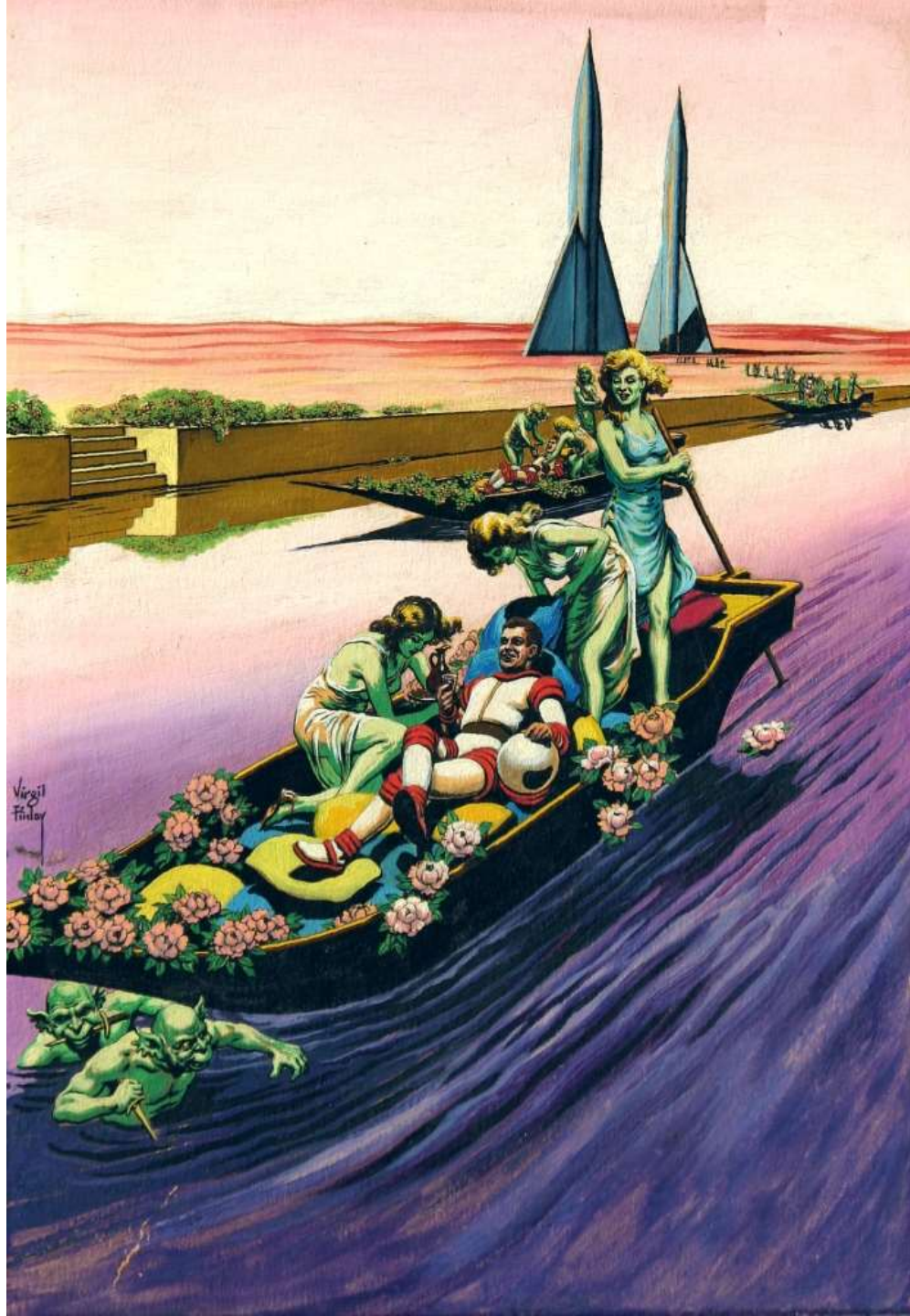
By F. Owen
Weird Tales
August 1937

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



The Martian Canal
Fantastic Universe
October 1957

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The Memory of Mars
By Raymond Jones
Amazing Stories
December 1961

From the collection of
Steven Spilger

The Metal Monster
by A. Merritt
Famous Fantastic Mysteries
August 1941

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Robert and Phyllis Weinberg



Midsummer Night's Dream
Illustration 5
By William Shakespeare
1935

From the collection of
George Hagenauer



Minimum Man
By Andrew Marvell
Famous Fantastic Mysteries
August 1947

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More Stately Mansions
By Robert F. Young
Startling Stories
Winter 1955

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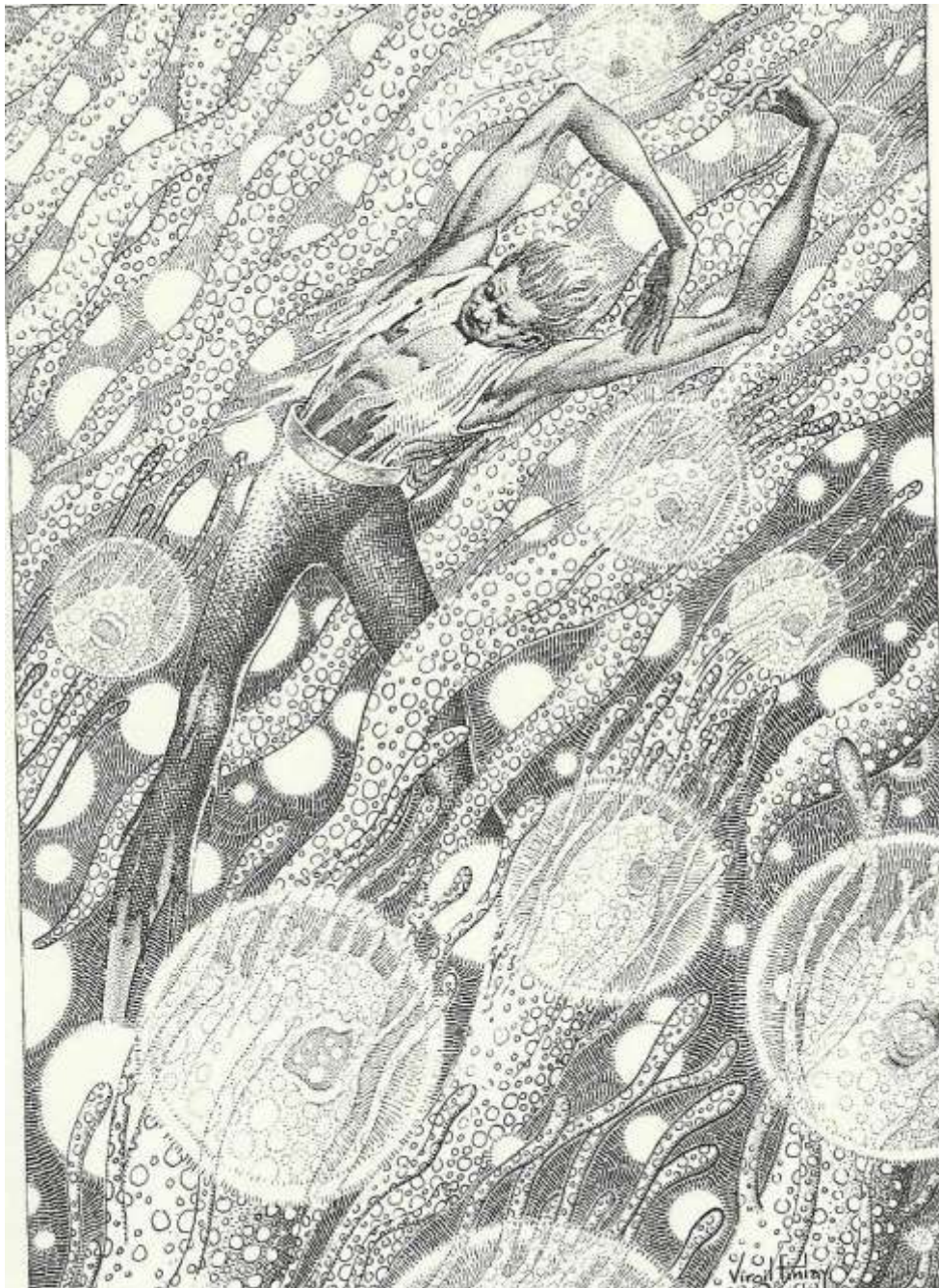
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Depiction of War

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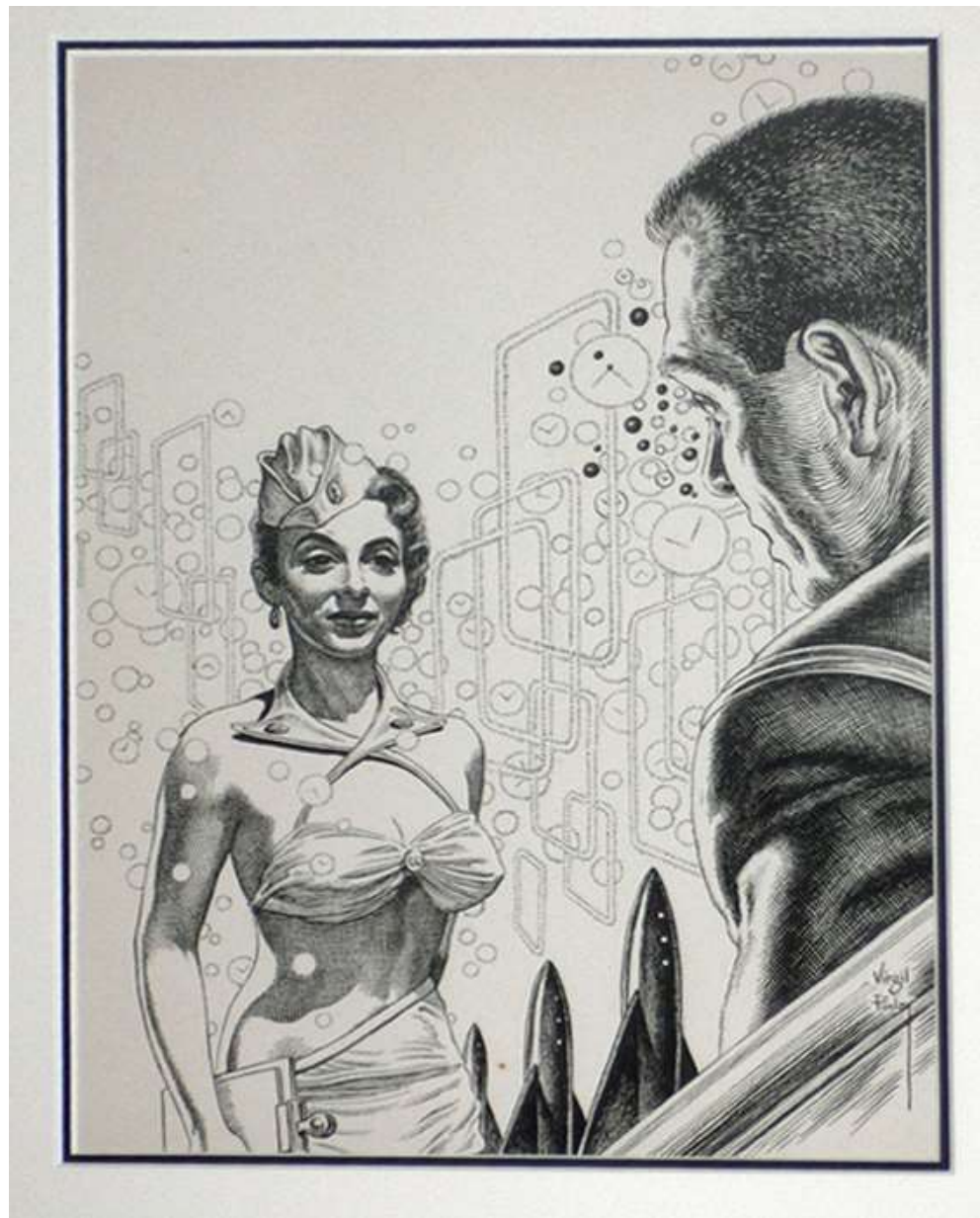
The People of the Pit
by A. Merritt
Fantastic Novels
January 1941

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Robert and Phyllis Weinberg



Planet of Heavenly Joy
By Hubert Pritchard
Fantastic Universe
October 1959

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Potential Zero

By S.J. Burne writing as John
Bloodstone

Science Stories
December 1953

From the collection of
Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



The Purple Sapphire
By John Taine
Famous Fantastic Mysteries
August 1948

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Pygmalion's Spectacles
By Stanley Weinbaum
Fantastic Story Magazine
April 1955



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Rope

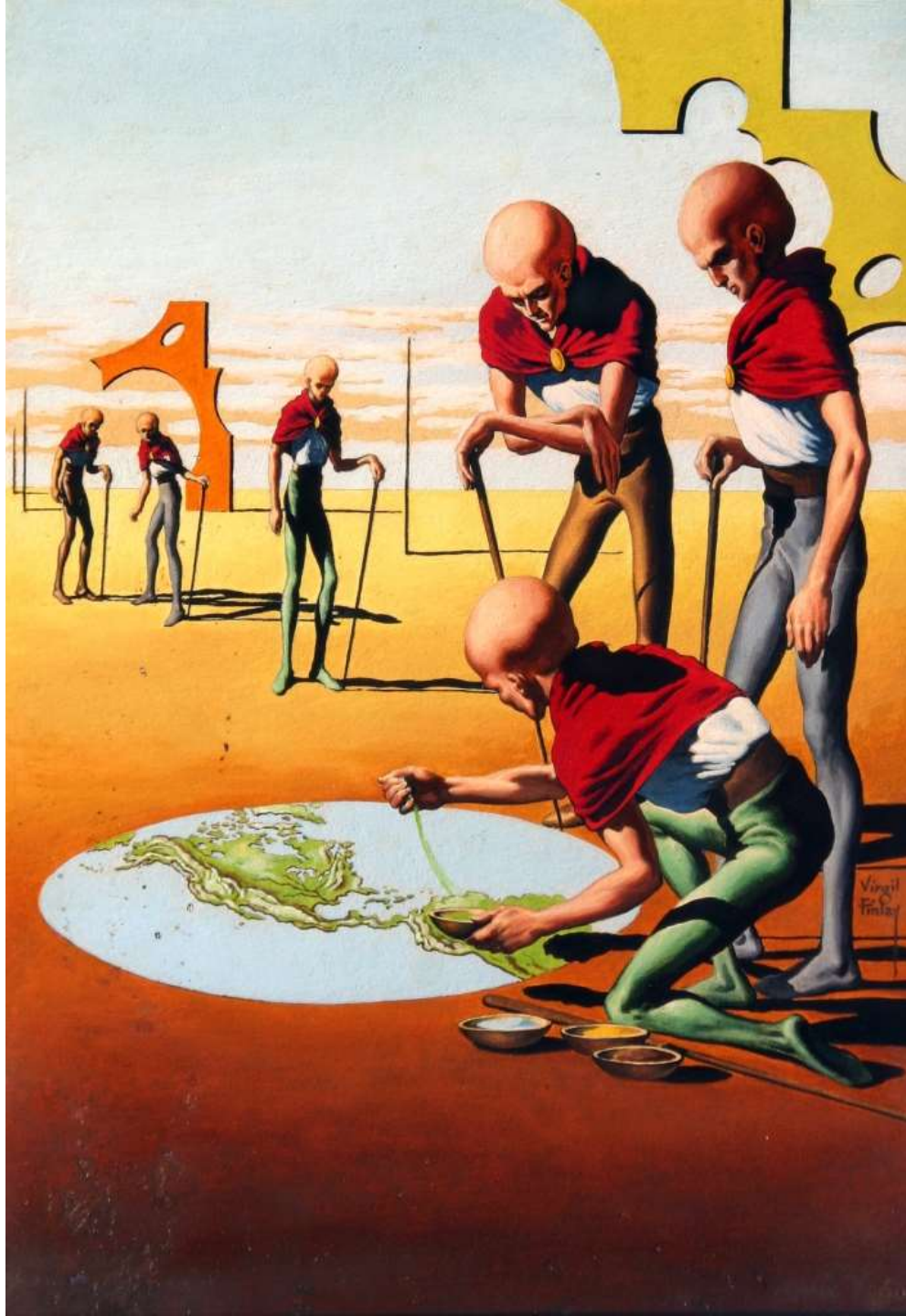
By James Rosenquest
Fantastic Universe
February 1960

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The Sandpainters
Fantastic Universe
April 1957

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**Save Your Confederate
Money**

By Fredric Brown
Fantastic Universe
November 1959

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Seal of the Damned
By August Derleth
Fantastic Universe
July 1957

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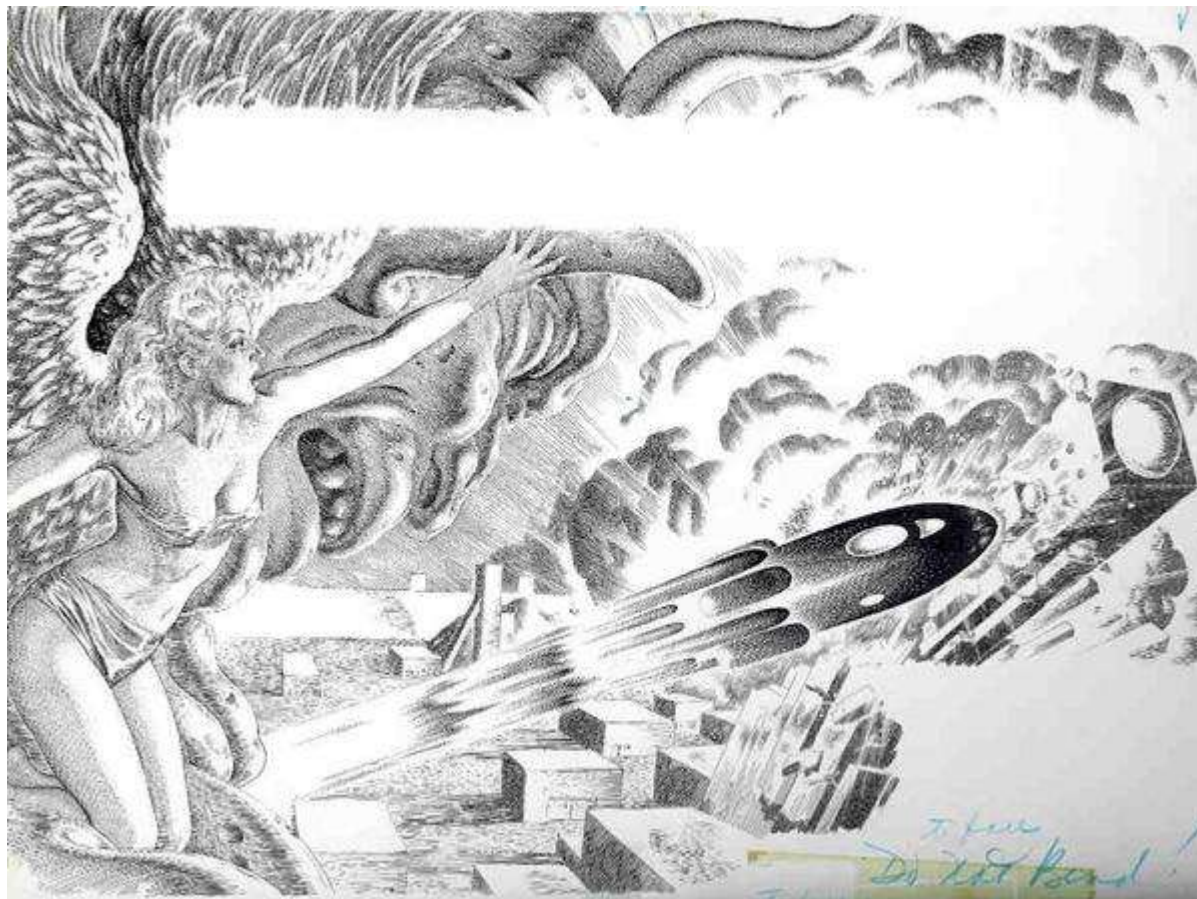
The Secret of Gallows Hill
By Paul Fairman
Fantastic Adventures
January 1952

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Shadow Over Mars
Fantastic Story Quarterly
March 1953

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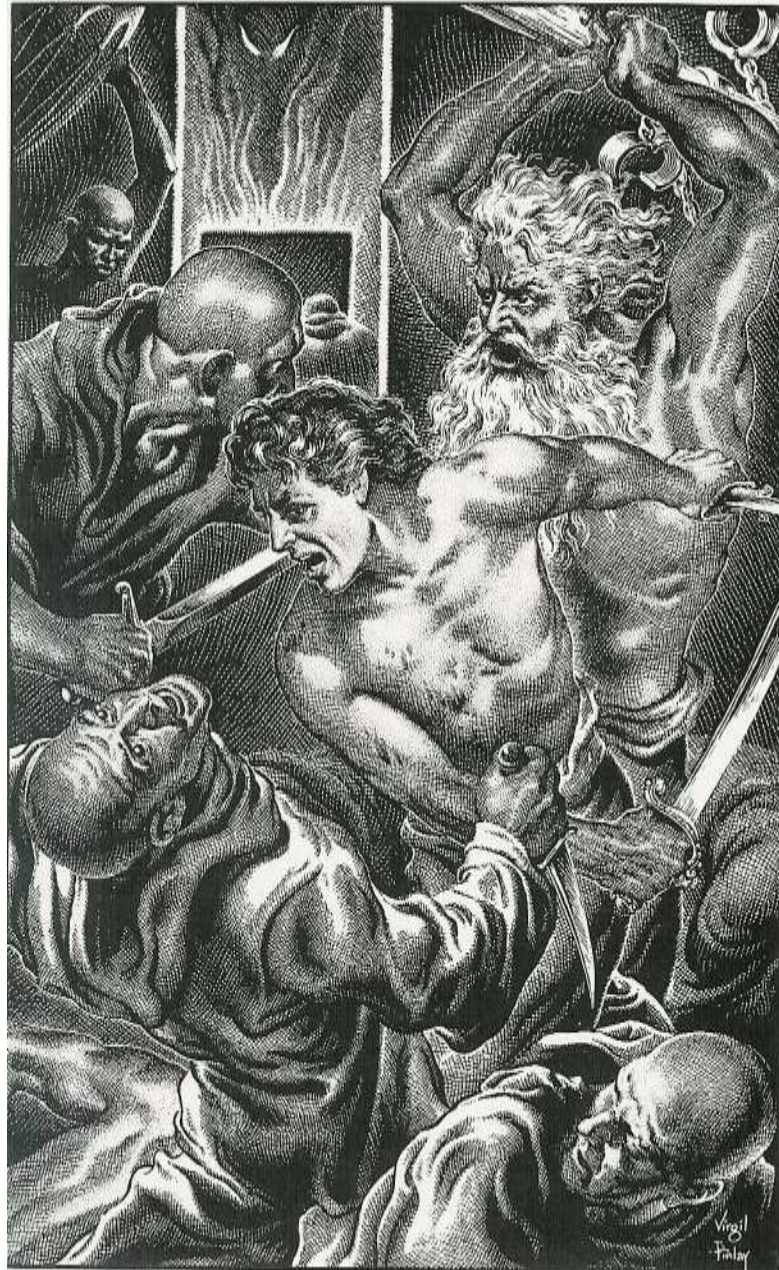




Shield Against Death

By J.T. McIntosh
Fantastic Universe
May 1957

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Robert Wiener



Ship of Ishtar

Illustration 1
by A. Merritt
1949

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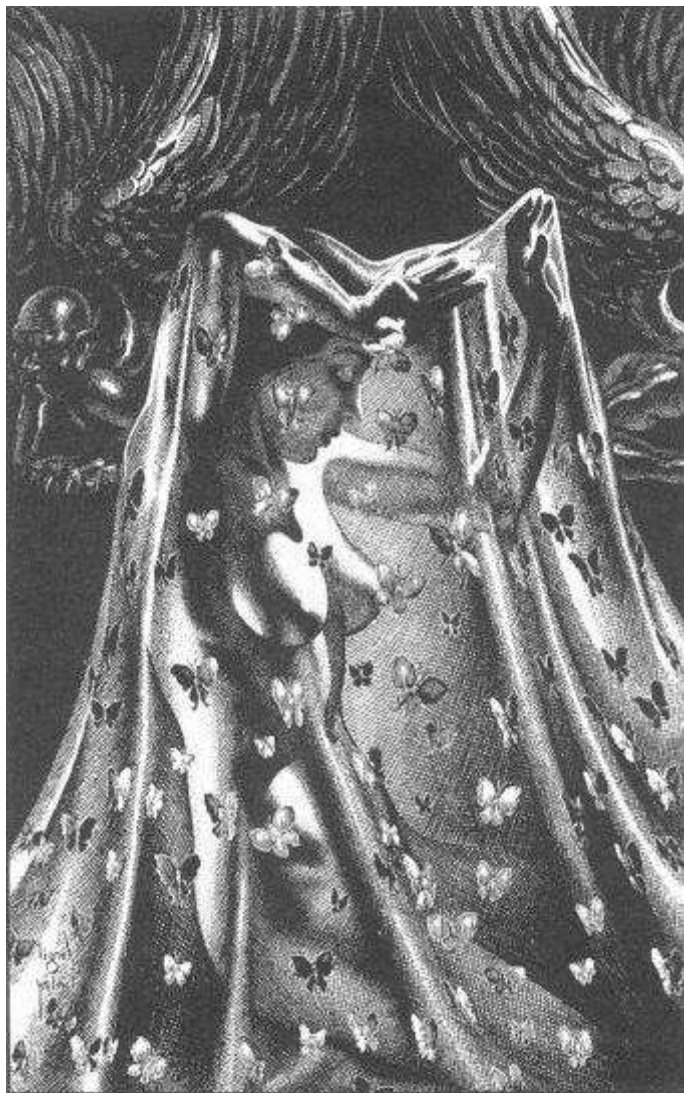
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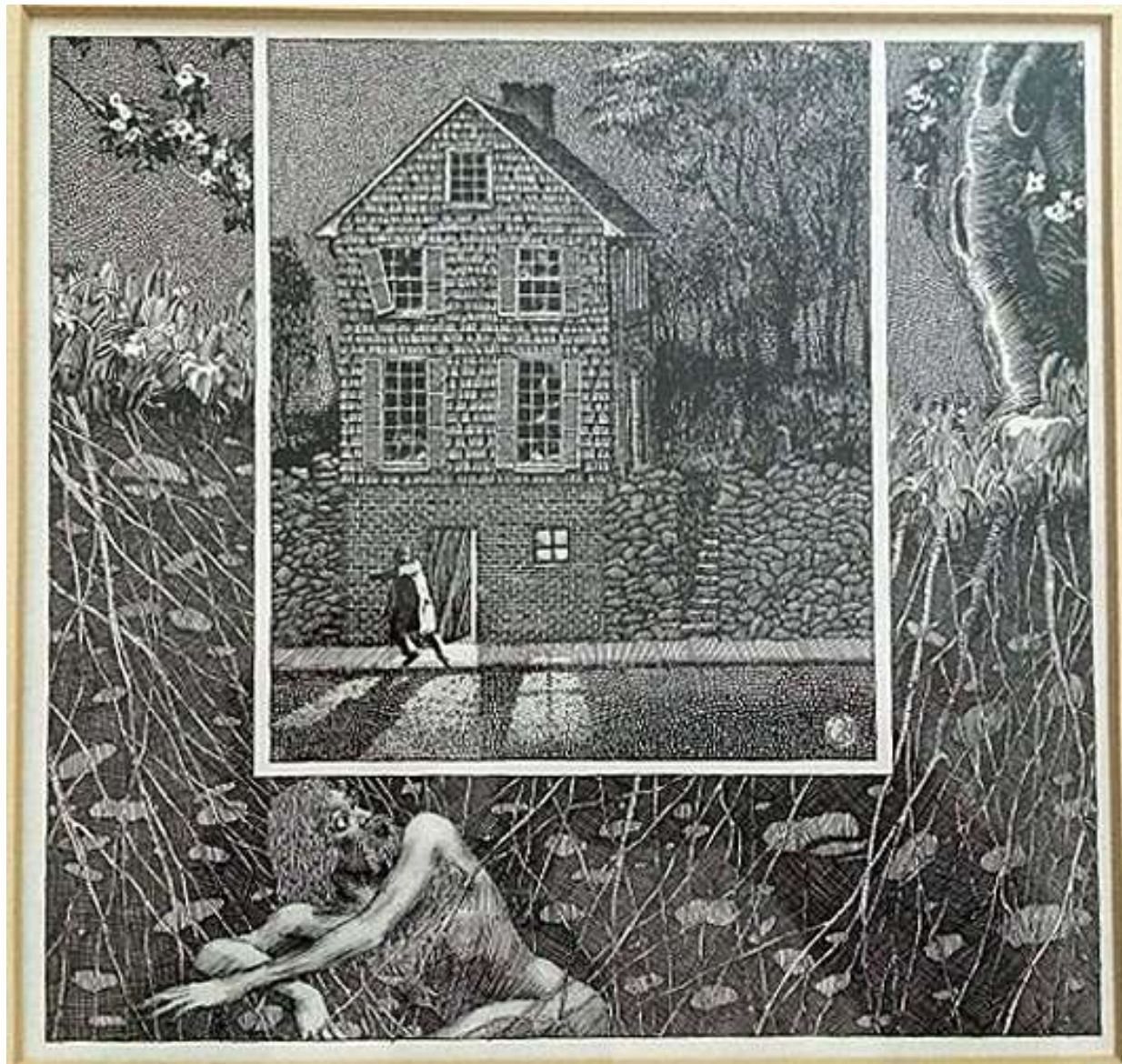


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The Shunned House

By H.P. Lovecraft

Weird Tales

October 1937

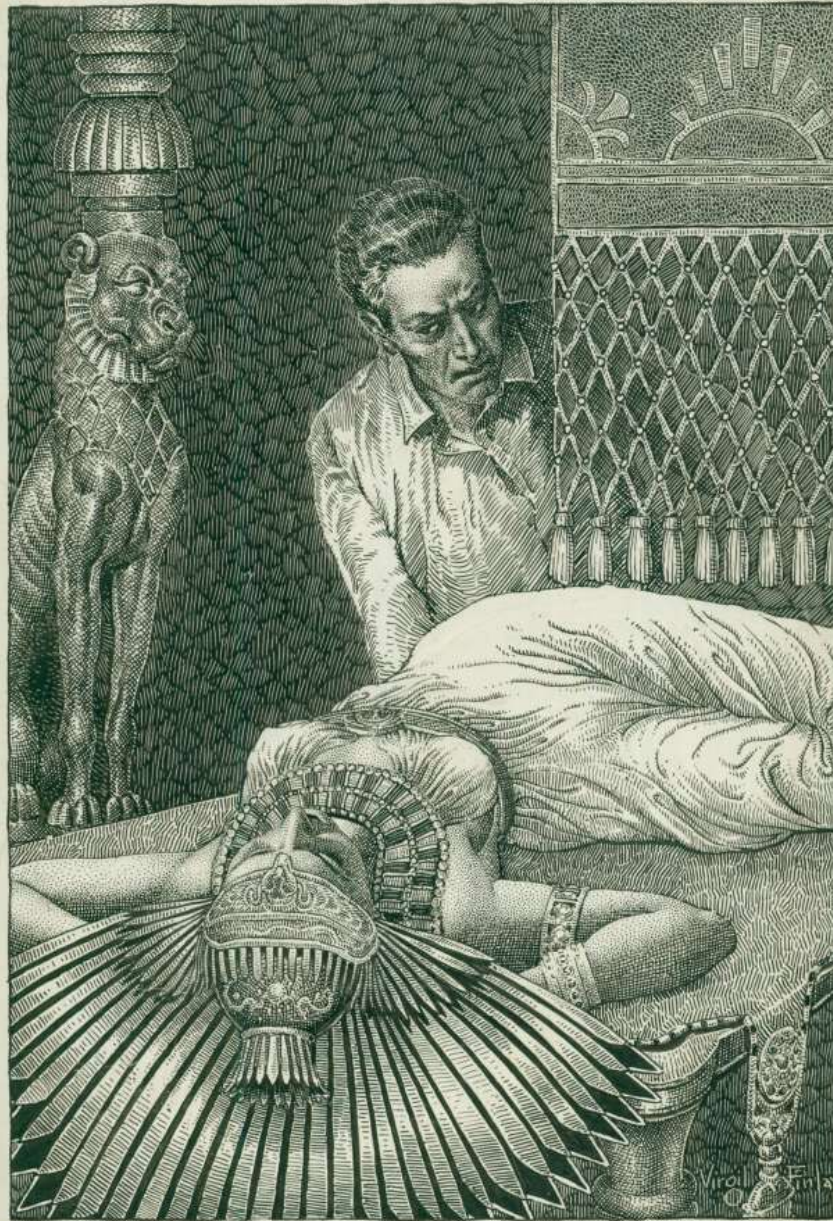
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Arkham House, 1944

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David Ritter

The Sleep of Ages
By Stuart Martin
Famous Fantastic Mysteries
December 1940

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



Sleep of the Ages

Son of Satan
By Arlton Eadie
Weird Tales
April 1936

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Star Born
By Andre Norton
World Publishing Company 1957

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Robert Wiener



The Starkendon Quest
By G. Collins
Famous Fantastic Mysteries
October 1949

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton



The Stars My Brothers
By Edmond Hamilton
Amazing Stories
May 1962

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Strange Compulsion
(aka *The Captain's Daughter*)
By Philip Jose Farmer
Science Fiction Plus
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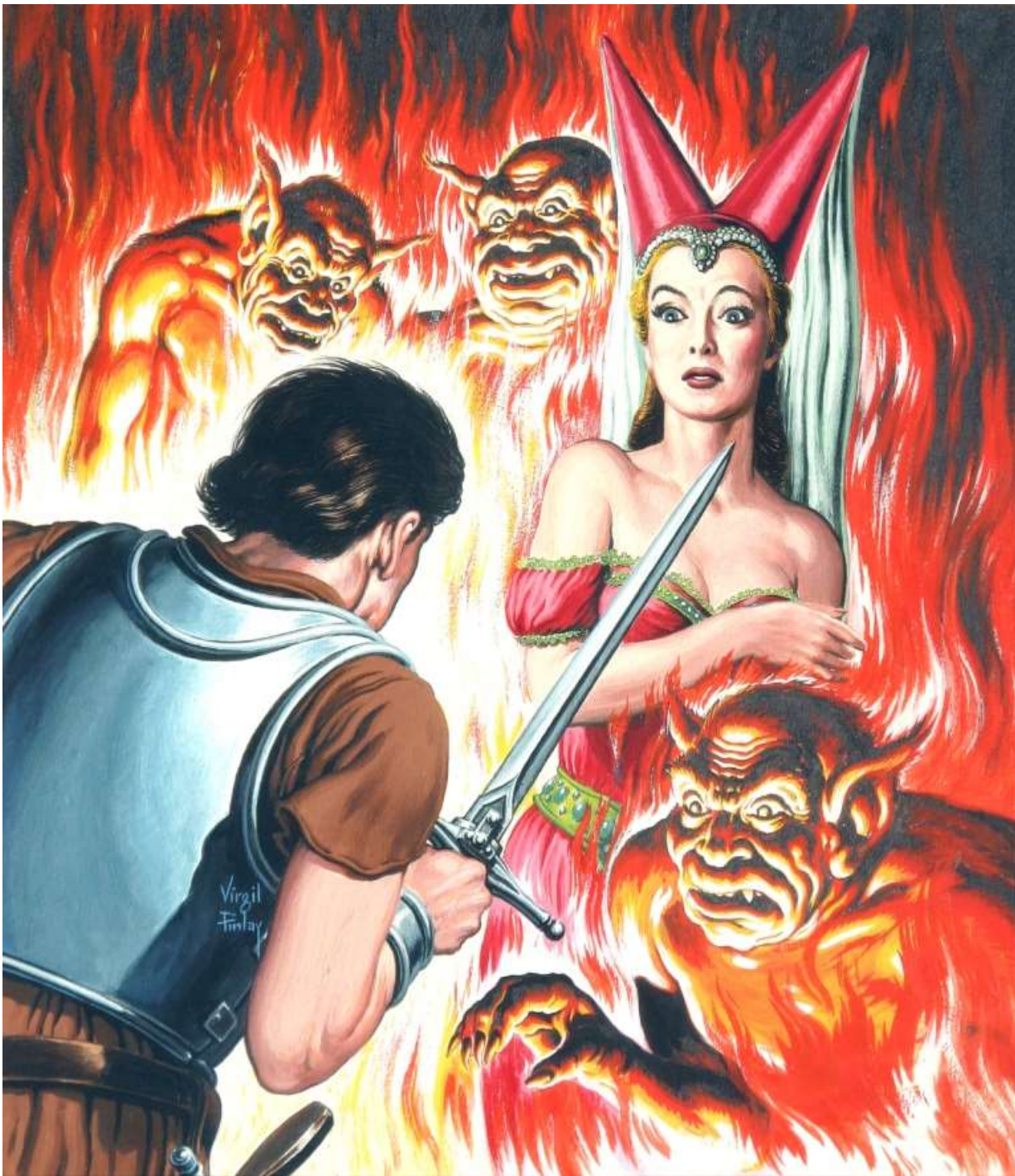


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Swords & Sorcery

Edited by L. Sprague de Camp
Pyramid 1963

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Robert and Phyllis Weinberg



Transhuman
By Murray Leinster
Science Fiction Plus
December 1953

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Joe Siclari and Edie Stern



The Voyage of the Neutrality
By B. Wallis
Weird Tales
November 1937

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What's In a Name
By B. Livingston
Fantastic Adventures
February 1944

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton

Winter of the Llangs

By C.C. MacApp

Worlds of If

October 1967

From the collection of
Robert Wiener



Within the Venusian Atmosphere
The Complete Book of Space Travel
By Albro Tilton Gaul
1956

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Doug Ellis and Deb Fulton





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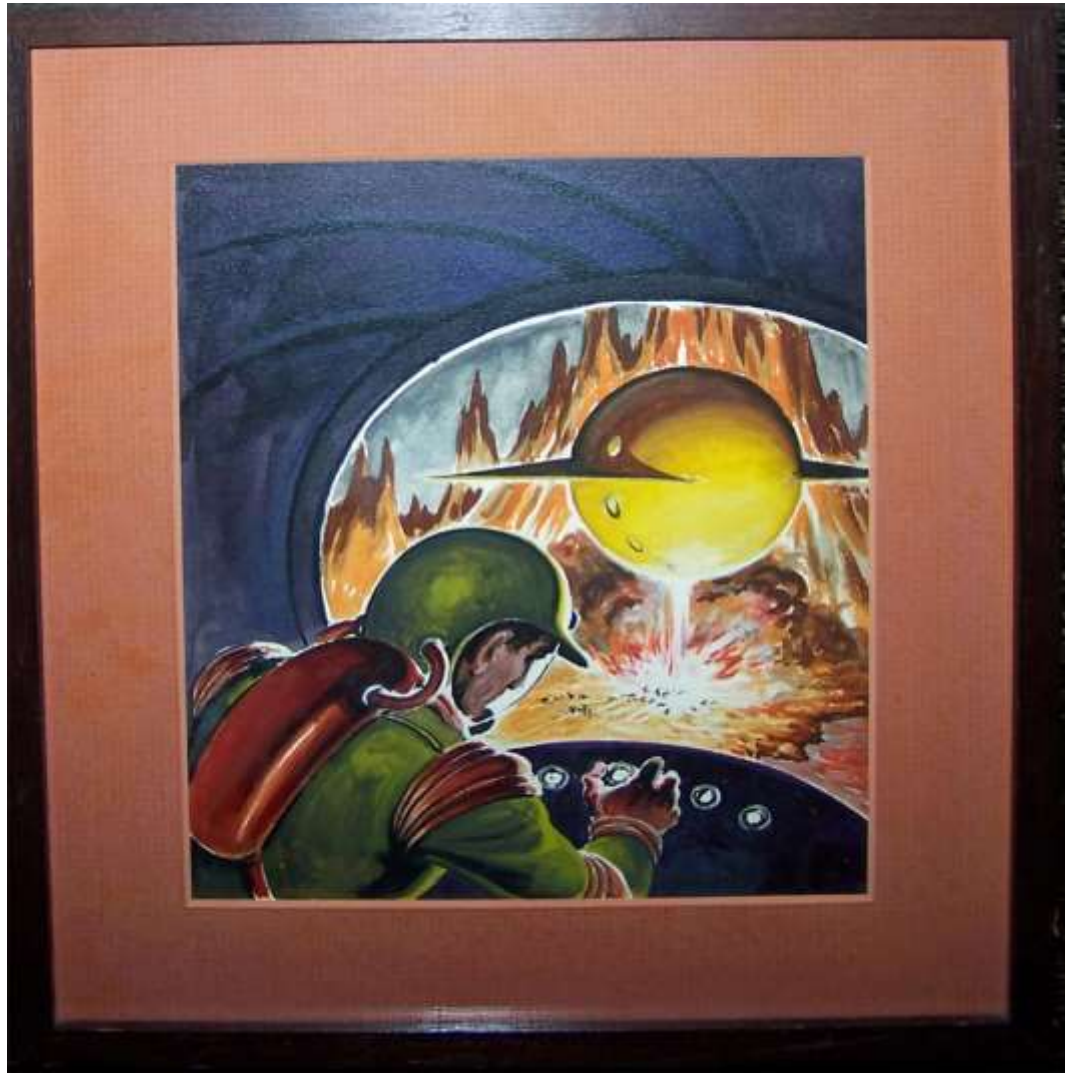
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