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YOU... who read science-fiction, argue it, love it

To you, whether this Convention is your tenth, or your introduction to
the active science-fiction world, the Convention Committee and your
Convention Chairman extend best wishes.

If you are a reader, you will probably meet your favorite author or editor
here at the Convention. You will meet fellow enthusiasts who share your
love of science-fiction, and renew friendships made at other, earlier con-
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If you are a writer, the Convention gives you the precious opportunity to
meet your public. If an editor or publisher, the chance to meet readers
from all over the United States and many of the other countries of the
world.

We welcome you to this Convention, knowing that whether you are reader
or publisher, artist or author, you will find something here — among the
speakers, the panels, debates, meetings and entertainment — which will
broaden the scope of your science-fiction life. Make friends, participate,
take us seriously or not. We hope you enjoy yourselves, and take part in
many more conventions in the years to come.

Our thanks to members of the Convention Committee, and to all those
others who with their encouragement and help have made the Tenth Con-
nvention a success. We wish particularly to thank Forrest J. Ackerman,
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Dietz, Jr., George Farley, Lloyd Eshbach, E. Everett Evans, Mary Gnaed-
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Leiber, L'ilith Lorraine, The Magazine of Fantasy and Science Fiction,
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Saturday, August 30, 1952

REGISTRATION
11:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M., Burgundy Room, Mezzanine Floor

Afternoon Session
3:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M., Terrace Casino
ADDRESS OF WELCOME ........................................... William L. Hamling
Chairman, Welcoming Committee
INTRODUCTION OF NOTABLES .................................... Melvin Korshak
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INSTALLATION OF CHAIRMAN: JULIAN C. MAY
ADOPTION OF RULES .............................................. Oliver Saari
Chairman, Rules Committee

Evening Session
7:30 P.M. to 10:00 P.M., Terrace Casino
“THINKING IN MEN AND MACHINES” ......................... Joseph A. Winter, M.D.
Author and Lecturer
“FLYING SAUCERS—WHAT ARE THEY?”
Raymond A. Palmer  Willy Ley
Author of “The Coming of the Saucers”  Author of “Rockets, Missiles and Space Travel”
“LIFE ELSEWHERE AND ELSEWHEN” ......................... H. J. Muller, Ph.D.
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9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon, Parlors F and G, Second Floor

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**REGISTRATION**

12:30 P.M. to 1:00 P.M., Monte Carlo Room

**Afternoon Session**

1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M., Terrace Casino

**PANEL OF EDITORS**

*Moderator: Diane Reinsberg*

- Anthony Boucher — *The Magazine of Fantasy and Science Fiction*
- Howard Browne — *Amazing Stories*
- John W. Campbell, Jr. — *Astounding Science Fiction*
- Lester Del Rey — *Space Science Fiction*
- Evelyn Paige Gold — *Galaxy Science Fiction*
- William L. Hamling — *Imagination*
- Samuel Mines — *Thrilling Wonder Stories*
- Raymond A. Palmer — *Other Worlds*
- James Quinn — *If*

The editors will answer questions from the floor.

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*Henry Kane's A Corpse for Christmas*

*William O'Farrell's The Snakes of St. Cyr*

*Brett Halliday's When Dorinda Dances*

*Ellery Queen's Calendar of Crime*

*Josephine Tey's Daughter of Time*

*Dorothy Salisbury Davis' A Town of Masks*

and now —

*Isaac Asimov's Foundation and Empire*
Sunday, August 31, 1952, Continued

BANQUET

7:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m., Terrace Casino

*Toastmaster: Will F. Jenkins
Author of "Space Platform," etc.

**Hugo Gernsback, Guest of Honor**

L. Sprague de Camp
Author of "The Wheels of If," etc.

Clifford Simak
Author of "City," etc.

E. E. Smith, Ph.D.
Author of The "Lensman" Series, etc.

Walter A. Willis
Belfast, N. Ireland

Robert Turner

12:00 Midnight to Dawn, Penthouse Bungalow Suite

"FLYING SAUCERS"—A SCIENCE-FICTION MASQUERADE

*Hosts: The Elves', Gnomes' and Little Men's Science-Fiction, Chowder and Marching Society of Berkeley, California*

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Monday, September 1, 1952

REGISTRATION

9:30 a.m., Monte Carlo Room

*Morning Session*

9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Terrace Casino

"WE—SCIENCE-FICTIONISTS" Harlan Ellison, Bill Venable

"POSTHISTORIC MAN: A Review" Oscar C. Brauner, Ph.D.

PANEL DEBATE:

"FANDOM—IS IT STILL A FORCE IN SCIENCE-FICTION?"

*Moderator: Sam Moskowitz*

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"THE PLACE OF SCIENCE-FICTION IN THE CULTURAL PATTERN" John W. Campbell, Jr.

Author of "Cloak of Aesir," etc.

"EDITORS: MYTH AND REALITY" Hans Stefan Santesson

Editor, Unicorn Mystery Book Club

10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Parlor F

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Afternoon Session
1:30 P.M. to 5:00 P.M., Terrace Casino

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August Derleth......................................................... Arkham House
Lloyd Eshbach............................................................. Fantasy Press
Martin Greenberg...................................................... Gnome Press
Melvin Korshak........................................................... Shasta Publishers
David A. Kyle............................................................ Bourgey & Curl, Inc.
James A. Williams...................................................... Prime Press

The publishers will answer questions from the floor.

"WHAT EVERY YOUNG SPACEMAN
SHOULD KNOW"......................................................... Robert Bloch
Author of "The Opener of the Way," etc.

PSEUDO SCIENCE PANEL

"HOW TO BE AN EXPERT WITHOUT
ACTUALLY KNOWING ANYTHING"......................... John H. Pomeroy, Ph.D.

"THE MATHEMATICAL BASIS
OF TIME TRAVEL".................................................... Irvin Heyne

"LUNAR GEOLOGY OF THE
LITTLE MEN'S MINING DISTRICT"......................... Lester Cole

REPORT ON REGISTRATION........................................ Frances Hamling

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Evening Session
7:30 P.M. to 12:00 Midnight, Terrace Casino

THE REVOLTING FAN REPORTER................................. Bob Tucker
Author of "The Long, Loud Silence," etc.

SONGS OF THE SPACEWAYS................................. Ted Sturgeon and his Guitar
Author of "Without Sorcery," etc.
Published:

#943 THE GREEN HILLS OF EARTH  
by Robert A. Heinlein

#847 THE MAN WHO SOLD THE MOON (Abridged)  
by Robert A. Heinlein

#882 THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW  
(Sixth Column)  
by Robert A. Heinlein

#914 MISSION: INTERPLANETARY  
(The Voyage of the Space Beagle) by A. E. van Vogt

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by Edmond Hamilton

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Evening Session, Continued

ASTEROID
A Science-Fiction Ballet in One Act
Choreography by Guy Bassett
Music by Julian May and Bob Johnson
Costumes by Perdita Nelson
Special effects by C. Jean Bassett

SYNOPSIS
A Spaceman lands on a small planet, and during his exploration discovers a Blue Girl hiding among the rocks. Her mind speaks to him of the depth and purity of space, and they fall in love. Suddenly an Orange Girl appears, sensuous and exciting. Her mind tells the Spaceman of the florid pleasures awaiting him if he chooses her, but after a moment's indecision, he elects to remain with the Blue Girl. Orange Girl vanishes, only to return with the instruments of her revenge, the Bems. They are creatures of her mind, and reflect her jealous fury as they leap on Spaceman and kill him. Orange Girl and the Bems retreat with the body, leaving Blue Girl with only the spaceship, which she caresses as all that is left of her lover.

SPACEMAN ............................................ Francis Carvelli
BLUE GIRL ........................................... Donna Lee Comstock
ORANGE GIRL .......................................................... Karel Borja

BEMS
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Joan Galloway
Marcie Morrow
Peter King
Marguerite Guernot
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Alice Thomas
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PRESTON PILE ........................................... Philip Castora
THE MULE ........................................... Bill Venable
DUFFY WINEGLASS ........................................... Bea Venable

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Bill Zufall
Harlan Ellison

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The starry-eyed young fan's voice rose to a squeak, exultant at being the first to spot the vessel.

Heads turned, and the group assembled on the edge of the TUCKOTEL Landing Field stared in the direction of the pointing finger.

Rapidly the speck grew in size, until it could be clearly discerned as a jetcopter. It swept overhead, the scream of tortured air giving way to the thunderous drumming of its jets as it slowed and banked in for a landing.

The Venerable Tucker (Robert the Resurrected I) turned to his companion: "I wonder if they really are . . . ?" His voice finished on a questioning note.

"Pretty certain, this time," replied Admiral Riddle. Obviously he spoke to re-assure himself as well as Tucker.

The door hatch in the side of the 'copter swung down, forming a ramp to the ground. Three human-oid figures stepped out.

"It is . . . It is . . . !" The younger fans broke and ran towards the 'copter. The older fans, more used to miracles, followed slowly. "That's a Solar credit you owe me," Mines was heard to remark to Bixby, tears in his eyes, "I've won at last!"

One of the three who had alighted from the jet ran forward to meet the youthful fans. The two others stood looking at the banner floating over the tower of the TUCKOTEL. "NEW MEXICON '72" it read. "Twenty years, Joyce, but we finally made it," said Ken Slater.

Seriously, folks, in 1950 we were saying "See U in '52," but as Ken is still in uniform, we're only with you in spirit. We wish you all a very happy Convention, and hope to get some vicarious pleasure from reading the reports.

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September 19, has plenty inside to in-
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will find Ted Sturgeon’s famous “Kill-
dozer!” and Ray Bradbury’s great story,
“The Homecoming” in this issue.

Mary Gnaedinger, Editor
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