

.....: For me to drop the character
 "The time has come .." of Librarian and appear before
: you as the man (?). Since the
 conception of the Library I
 have struggled against adverse circumstances, blow after
 blow has rocked me, unemployment, illness and many other
 misfortunes, the latest of which - I need not give det-
 ails - has finally broken up my existence. I am almost
 on the verge of a nervous breakdown, and I look to
 the members to return, in what measure they can, the
 thirty odd hours per week I have lavished upon them
 during the last three years. Primarily, I need your
 co-operation in having all items borrowed returned to
 me by August 1st. I need someone to take over the
 Library temporarily until I am on my feet again. I
 need money and request that those interested in the
 items I have for sale respond quickly. To those who
 have the power; can you get me a decent job, anywhere ?
 The closing down will affect only the Library, no
 items will be loaned after the production of this Book-
 list, until the temporary Librarian takes over. The
 other Departments will not be affected, and will conti-
 nue as usual. Please, have all affairs settled by the
 first of August.

Ron. Holmes.

.....: We don't like to do this, but we feel
 :: BLACKLIST. :: that it is for the communal good.

THOMAS. T. L. MacDonald, 4, Lismore
 Road, Carlisle. He offered to print the directory, acc-
 epted the lists and material, and has failed us even to
 the non-return of lists.

J. FRANK. White. 139, Everton Road,
 Manchester 13. Who arranged a book swap, and on the
 receipt of our first item refused to answer letters.

Who wrote for E.R.E. As sundries? We lost your letter.
 :: CORRESPONDENCE. :: Many letters have not been ans-
 wered during the last month, we beg your forgiveness

used by ... parian, Pon. ... 67 Lakeside Rd
Gatesacre, Liverpool. BRITISH FANTASY LIBRARY.

Additions to the Library.

BOOKS.

Campbell. W.J.	Mightiest Machine.	Burroughs.
Capek. K.	War with the Newts.	Tarzan at the
Lagard. I.R.	Cleopatra.	Earth's Core.
Smith. E.E.	Triplanetary.	
Anthology.	Imperial Overture.	
Non-Fiction.		
Haynes. W.	This Chemical Age.	
Ratcliff. J.D.	Science Year Book of 1943.	

BOOK CLUB.

Berleth. A.	Something Near.
Owen. W.	"More things in heaven."
Tain. J.	Forbidden Garden.
Anthology.	Lakeside Book of Ghost Stories.

MAGAZINES.

Amazing.	48.	Jan, Feb.
Planct.	47.	Winter. 48. Spring.
Scientific American.	45.	Apr, Jul, Aug, Oct.
	46.	Jan, Feb, Mar, May, Jun, Jul.
	47.	Feb. Jun.

Statement for C.I.D. Dec. 31st. 1947.

STATISTICS.

	Receipts.	Payments.
	£	£
Donation.	5.0.	News Circul. 4. 8.7.
Members Subs.	7.15.6.	Postage. 1.19.9.
From Library.	18.2.	Stationary. 16.10.
Surplus 1946.	7.1.	Advertising 4.0.
		News for Lib. 8.6.
		Cash in hand. 1. 8.1.
	<u>29. 5. 9.</u>	<u>29. 5. 9.</u>

FINALLY. We want a volunteer to step forward and take over temporarily, in London if possible. If you have a spare copy of BOOKLIST No. 4, please send it to Nigel. Have all affairs settled by August 1st. Many membership forms have not been returned, please make sure that you have sent yours.

FOR SALE.

More items from the Librarian's private collection, do not send cash with order, but on receipt of items, no answer will indicate inability to supply. All prices are quoted post free, a discount of 2/- in the £ will be allowed on orders over 10/-, please indicate if damaged (but complete in text) copies are acceptable at a reduction of 5d.

NEW BOOKS. With dust wrapper and have been read once.

The following Pocket books (U.S.) at 3/6d

Challorans Luck (and others)	S.V. Benet.	each.
Mr. Adam.	Pat. Frank.	
Lady into Fox & Man at the Zoo.	D. Garnett.	
Lost Horizon.	J. Hilton.	
Deadly Pavilion.	H. Lawrence.	
Phantom of the Opera.	G. Leroux.	
lurking Bear (and others)	Lovecraft.	
Weird Shadow over Innsmouth.	"	
Rebirth.	F.C. McClaron.	
Burn Witch, Burn.	Herritt.	
Creep Shadow, Creep.	"	
Dwellers in the Mirage.	"	
Ship of Ishtar.	"	
Metal Monster.	"	
Race in the Abyss.	"	
To Walk the Night.	W. Sloan.	
Microbe Hunters.	P. De. Kruif.	
Avon Host Reader.		
Out of this world. (Anth.)		
Pocket book of War Rumour.		
" " " Science Fiction.		
Haunted Hotel. (and 25 other host stories.)		

Best of R.P.L.	Lovecraft.	5/-
Best of James.	H.R. James.	5/-
They Found Atlantis.	Wheatly.	2/6
Liners of Time.	Learn.	3/-
Croquet Player.	Wells.	3/-
Sam Small rises Again.	E. Knight.	1/-
Three Time Plays.	Priestly.	1/-
Tales of the Supernatural.	(Anth).	1/-
Miracle Boy.	L. Goulding.	9d.

Personality of man.	G. Tyrrell. (Penguin).	1/-
Principio de guerra.	Burroughs.	1/6
La Tempo-Masino etc	Wells.	1/6

All the following non-fiction (still new) at 2/6 each.

Surgeons Symphony.	G. Sava.	each.
Biological Time.	Lecomte Du Nouv.	
Benefits of War.	A.H. Low.	
Kaiser wakes the Doctor.	De. Kruijff.	
T.V.A.	J. Huxley.	
On Living in a Revolution.	"	
Man the Master.	G. Herd.	
Industrial Art Explained.	J. Cloac.	
Experiment with Time.	J.W. Dunne.	
Serial Universe.	"	
The Wealth of the Sea.	T.S. Douglass	
Man and his Past.	O.C.S. Crawford.	
Tyranny of Words.	S. Chase.	
This Changing World.	J.R. Brunwell.	
Living Machinery.	A.V. Hill.	

Religion of the open mind.	A.G. White.	1/-
Clearer thinking.	A.E. Mander.	1/-
Kingship.	A.M. Pocart.	1/-
Magic and Religion.	J.C. Frazer.	1/6
Origin of Species.	C. Darwin.	1/6
Men of the Dawn.	D. Davidson.	1/6.

SECOND HAND BOOKS. All in good condition.

Winsor Castle.	F. Ainsworth.	1/-
Chessmen of Mars.	Burroughs.	1/-
" " "	"	2/-
Brewton.	S. Butler.	2/-
World's Desire. (Illustrated)	Fagard & Lang.	3/6
Marie.	"	2/-
Book of Miracles.	Ben ect.	2/-
Garnaki the Ghost Finder.	W.F. Hodgson.	2/6
Green Man of Wilsons.	F. Pragnell.	2/-
50 true Stories.		2/6
Detecton, Mystery, Horror.		5/-
Anthology of some 100 stories. Some by Stoker, Jan, Conan, Wells, Mare, Conrad, Jacobus, Roman etc.		

Romance of the Insect World.	E.N. Badenoch.	2/-
Manual of Astronomy.	J. Drew.	2/-
Physiography.	Luxly & Gregory.	2/-
Philosophy for our times.	Joad.	2/-
Life in the Primeval World.	M. Munier.	2/-
Other worlds than ours.	R. Proctor.	2/-
Myths & Marvels of Astronomy.	"	2/-
Heath Robinson. (dozens of Sketches and etc).		2/-
Demonology and Witchcraft.	W. Scott.	2/-
Astronomy Simplified.	J.A. Rollwon.	2/-
Evolution of Sex.	Geddes & Thompson.	2/-

Spiritualism.	J.A. Hill.	1/-
Introducing Plastics.	F.W. Kellway.	1/-
Fireside Science.	E.R. Lancaster.	1/-
Primitive Man.	M. Hoernes.	1/-
Huntress Inn of Blackwater.	F. Boulton.	3/-

The following are collectors items.

Astounding, July 1937. Autographed by Johnson.		2/6
Collected and bound together, Merritts FACE and THREE LINES, an Autobiography and poem.		2/6
Collected and bound together, Argosy serial Synthetic Men of Mars by Burroughs.		2/6
Collected and bound together, Argosy serial Ship of Ishtar, by Merritt.		3/6
Dell books of Tarzan, War of the Worlds and Mandrake the Magician.	each.	1/6
Strange as it seems scrapbooks. (all 3)	each.	1/-
Science of Life, by H.G. Wells. Original edition - parts 1 - 7 and 8, 10, 11, and 31.	ea.	8d
MODERN WONDER. rare magazine. 40 issues. the lot,		4/-
Parts of serials of Burroughs, Lost on Venus, Seven worlds to conquer, Swordsmen of Mars, Tarzan and the Elephant men.	the lot.	2/6
Portfolios of hundreds of cartoons of Tarzan.	2/-.	Buck Rodgers. 2/-
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Brick Bradford.		1/-.
Things to Come		1/-.
An assorted lot at 1/- which includes Norwegian Cartoon Wallace Smith Portfolio.		5/-
Tuckers Yearbook for 38 and 39 plus 39 checklist.		1/6
Stranger than fiction.		6d.
Spaceways. No.1. (original edition).		1/-

The following Magazines have no, or damaged, covers and are complete in text.

		Price each.	
Amazing Quarterly.	1930.	Winter.	2/6
"	31.	Spring.	2/6.
"	30.	Apr. Dec.	1/6.
"	32.	May. Jul.	1/2.
"	33.	Jan.	1/2.
"	35.	Aug.	1/-
"	38.	Nov.	10d
"	41.	Jun. Jul.	1/-
Astounding.	37.	May.	1/6
Fant. Ads.	39.	May. (1st issue.)	10d
Marvel S.S.	38.	Nov.	1/-
Sci. Fic.	39.	Jun.	10d
Super Sci.	40.	Julv.	1/-
Tales of Wonder.	Nos.	4 & 6.	1/-
Weird Tales.	46.	Sep, Nov.	1/-
"	47.	Mar. Jul.	10d
"	48.	Mar.	10d
Wonder Stories.	33.	Feb, May.	1/2
"	35.	Jan.	1/-
"	39.	Jun.	1/-
Capt. Future.	40.	Spring.	1/6
Odd Items.			

Science Wonder Quarterly.	Winter.	30.	4/-
"	Spring.	32.	3/-

Both above bound with stiff covers.

American Short Stories. (inc. Diamond Lens)		6d
Atom bomb.	M. Jameson.	6d
Immortals.	R.M. Farley.	6d

English Reprints. (for export.)

Amazing Stories.	7 Fearless Engineers Edn.	1/-
Fant. Ads.	No. 1.	6d
Fantasy. (T.B.).	No. 3.	9d
New Worlds.	No. 1.	1/8
Outlands.	One and only.	1/6
Science Fiction.	Dec. 39.	9d
Tales of Wonder.	Nos. 2 & 10.	1/4
Unknown.	46. Sum, Wint.	48. Spr. 6d
	47. Spring, Sum.	6d

Astounding Stories.	40.	Apr, Jun, Jul,	1/-
		Aug, Nov, Dec,	1/-
(R.E.)	45.	Jan, Jul, Sep, Nov.	8/-
	46.	Jan, Mar, May,	
		Jul, Sep, Dec.	2/-
	47.	Jan, Apr, Jun.	
		Aug, Oct.	2/-

American Editions.

Avon Fantasy Reader.	Nos.	1 & 2.	2/6
Astonishing.	42.	Mar.	2/4
Marvel S.S.	48.	Aug. (No. 1.)	2/-
	39.	Apr. Aug.	1/8
Sic. Pic.	39.	Aug.	1/-
Startling.	39.	Mar, May, Dec.	1/6
	47.	Nov. 48. Jan.	1/6
Weird.	47.	Nov.	1/6
Amazing.	30.	Nov. 31. Feb, Mar.	3/-
	32.	Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr.	2/6
		Jun, Sep, Oct, Dec.	2/6
	33.	Mar, May, Jun.	2/6
	34.	May, Oct, Nov.	2/6
	35.	Jan, Apr, Jun, Jul.	2/-
	37.	Dec. 38. Apr, Aug,	
	38.	Oct, Dec.	1/8
	39.	Apr, May, Jul.	1/8
	47.	Dec.	1/8
Astounding.	31.	Sep. 32. Mar, Jun.	3/8
	36.	Jan, Nov, Dec.	3/-
	37.	Feb, Mar, Apr, Jul.	3/-
	38.	May, Jul, Sep,	
		Oct, Dec.	2/6
	39.	Jan, Apr, May,	
		Jun, Aug, Sep.	2/6
	47.	Mar. 48. Jun.	2/-
Wonder Stories.	32.	Sep, Nov.	3/-
	33.	Apr, Jun, Aug, Oct.	2/6
	34.	Jan, Feb, Mar, Aug.	
		Oct, Nov, Dec.	2/6
	35.	Aug, Sep, Oct.	2/6
	36.	Aug. 37. Feb,	2/6
	37.	Jun, Oct, Dec.	2/6

Wonder Stories.	38. Jun, Aug, Oct, Dec.	2/3
	39. Feb.	2/3
	47. Dec.	1/8
Wonder Quarterly.	32. Winter.	4/6
Science Wonder.	30. March.	3/6

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Goodby for now, friends, I hope I shall be back soon. Ron.

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