

# THE ALLIANCE AMATEUR

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TOTAL: 300

\* - Illegible. Credit will be allowed this time, but the members are fined an additional six pages, due next mailing.

m: mimeo                      S:Standard size (8½x11)  
 d: ditto                      L:Legal length (8½x14)  
 o: offset  
 p: letterpress

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| 40.Zingaro 6 | Mark Irwin   | m;S | 21 |
| 41.M'Alice I | Stephen Patt | m,S | 2  |

Total in mailing: 394  
 Grand Total: 417  
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## NEXT DEADLINE: 15 JUNE

# Ye Survivors

DUES PAYABLE BEFORE  
MAILING NUMBER:

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| 1. Lon Atkins, 2605 Fantasia, Apt. H, Huntsville, Ala 35804             | 31 |
| 2. Len Bailes, Box 14, Rieber Hall, UCLA, Los Angeles, Cal 90024        | *  |
| 3. Stephen Barr, Box 305, Nocona, Texas 76255                           | 30 |
| 4. Nate Bucklin, P.O. Box 4, Dockton, Washington 98018                  | 30 |
| 5. K. Martin Carlson, 1028 Third Ave South, Moorhead, Minn 56560        | 31 |
| 8. Fred Gottschalk, 521 West Fee Hall, Mich. State Univ, East Lansing   | 30 |
| 6. Tom Dupree, 809 Adkins Blvd, Jackson, Miss. 39211                    | 31 |
| 7. Barry Gold, 330 S. Berendo, Los Angeles, Calif 90005                 | *  |
| 9. Art Hayes, P.O. Box 189, Matachewan, Ontario, Canada                 | 30 |
| 10. Mark Irwin, 1747 Elmwood Drive, Highland Park, Illinois 60035       | 30 |
| 11. Dwain Kaiser, 1397 North Second Ave, Upland, Calif                  | 29 |
| 12. John Kusske, Jr., 522 Ninth Ave W., Alexandria, Minn 56308          | 29 |
| 13. Dr. Askold Ladonko, Apartado 911, Caracas, Venezuela                | 31 |
| 14. Fred Lerner, 98-B The Boulevard, East Paterson, New Jersey 07407    | *  |
| 15. Hank Luttrell, R.13, 2936 Barrett Station Rd, Kirkwood, Mo 63122    | 32 |
| 16. Pat McDonnell, Jr., 932 Furnald Hall, Columbia Univ, NYC 10027      | 29 |
| 17. Duncan McFarland, 1242 Grace Ave, Cincinnati, Ohio 45208            | *  |
| 18. Alan Mann, 249-B South Nevada Dr, Grand Forks AFB, N. Dakota 58202  | 30 |
| 19. Rich Mann, 249-B South Nevada Dr, Grand Forks AFB, N. Dakota 58202  | ** |
| 20. Ed Meskys, Physics Dept, Belknap College, Center Harbor, N.H. 03226 | *  |
| 21. Donald L. Miller, 12315 Judson Rd, Wheaton, Maryland 20906          | *  |
| 22. Carol Murray, 2217 30th Ave South, Seattle, Washington 98144        | 31 |
| 23. David K. Patrick, Wesleyan Univ, Box 261, Middletown, Conn.         | 31 |
| 24. Fred Patten, 1825 Greenfield, Los Angeles, Calif 90025              | 31 |
| 25. Bruce Pelz, Box 100, 308 Westwood Plaza, Los Angeles, Cal 90024     | 31 |
| (Boxes of NIEKAS to: 1231-J Twelfth St, Santa Monica, Cal 90404)        |    |
| 26. Felice Rolfe, 1360 Emerson St, Palo Alto, Calif 94301               | 29 |
| 27. Jim Sanders, Edgewood Rd, Skyline Lake, Wanaque, N.J.               | *  |
| 28. Judi Sephton, 2486 Elm Place, Bronx, N.Y. 10458                     | 31 |
| 29. Greg Shaw, 2545 Lexington Way, San Bruno, Calif 94066               | *  |
| 30. Creath Thorne, RR 4, Savannah, Missouri 64485                       | ** |
| 31. Michael Ward, Box 387, 3 Ames St, Cambridge, Mass. 02139            | 30 |
| 32. Stan Woolston, 12832 Westlake Ave, Garden Grove, Calif 92640        | 29 |

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Lost since last mailing: GM Carr, resigned; Johnny Chambers, Don D'Amassa, Stephen Patt, Sam Russell, Al Scott, Roy Tackett, and Gregg Wolford, activity.

NOTE VERY WELL INDEED: We are switching over to a few SAPS-type rules, one of which is that dues are payable before the final mailing of your membership. If your dues are not paid by that deadline, you will get your last mailing (assuming your activity requirements are met) but you will also be dropped. The mailing number next to your name is now your deadline for N'APA dues. Those marked with (\*) have Mlg. 28 as their last mailing, and would be caught in the switchover, so they have until 1 May to get their \$1 dues in. Those marked (\*\*) have last mailing (#27) as their final mailing, but due to the foul-up caused by my predecessor forgetting the ALLIANCE AMATEUR in several bundles, I am giving these people until 15 April to pay their dues. Those listed as (29) have until next deadline. No leniency this time, either: get them in!!

The following have credit: Art Hayes \$1; Mark Irwin \$2; Don Miller \$1; David Patrick \$1; Jim Sanders \$2 (and ex-member Chambers \$2.) Miller and Sanders can pay their dues by sending a pocsarcd asking to have them deducted from their credit.

The following ex-Waiting-listers are invited to membership:

1. Dennis Guthrie, MIT Parapsychological Research Group, P.O. Box 4,  
MIT Branch Post Office, Cambridge, Mass. 02139
2. Wally Weber, Box 632, Huntsville, Alabama 35804
3. Bob Whalen, 77 Kendall Drive, Ringwood, New Jersey 07456
4. Rick Norwood, 111 Upperline, Franklin, Louisiana 70538
5. Jim Schumacher, 418 Kenoak Drive, Pomona, Calif 91766

The above invitees must acknowledge the AA and accept the invitation by 1 May if they don't want to be dropped in favor of anyone else who writes in to get on the list. Having done that, they must then get at least a 6-page zine (and, in the case of Norwood and Schumacher, \$1 dues) in by next deadline (15 June). More SAPS rules, but they do make things a lot easier to handle.

In addition to the above five, the first 3 who write in will get Instant Invitations to membership.

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## Treasury

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|---|-------|----------|
| Old Balance, 2 January 1966:                                      |       | \$104.10 |
| Expenses of Mailing 27:   | 2.35  | 101.75   |
| Postage:  | 14.30 | 187.45   |
| Jet-packs:  | 4.95  | 82.50    |
| Miscellaneous expenses:   | .80   | 81.70    |
| Dues: Atkins, Dupree, Murray, Patrick, Pelz, Sephton,<br>Luttrell | 7.00  | 88.70    |
| New Balance, 16 March 1966:                                       |       | \$88.70  |

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## Resolutions, Etc.

Voting on the 2 Sanders Resolutions were: Gold, Pelz, Bailes, Patten, Carr, Rolfe, Carlson, Sanders, Wolford, Kusske, McDonnell, Ward, Dupree, Irwin, Meskys, Hayes, Sephton, Woolston, Patrick, Luttrell, Atkins, Miller, and Kaiser (23 total).

Amendment #1, to change the name to PAFF was defeated 18 to 5.

Amendment #2, to delete the clause allowing the NFFF Directorate to amend the N'APA By-Laws on petition of the OE or 4 members of the Alliance, was passed, 13 to 10.

The NFFF Directorate has voted a change in the Preamble of the N'APA By-Laws, as requested by the previous OE. This change adds the following to the Preamble: "This Preamble may not be altered without the consent of the NSF Directorate." As this change was made during the same quarter that the membership disallowed the right of the Directorate to change the By-Laws, it is arguable that the change is not legal, but as OE I am officially accepting the legality of this change, and the By-Laws will be written adding that statement to the Preamble from here on in.

Several other Amendments have been suggested. Several of them are merely frivolous, others will take more deliberation. Therefore, I am going to adopt a Rule from (surprise!) FAPA, and declare that no amendment or resolution shall be voted on until after the gist of it has been pub-

lished in a previous ALLIANCE AMATEUR and the membership has been given a quarter's worth of time to discuss the matter. For example, amendments suggested now would come up for vote in the September mailing, so that the members could read the comments in the June mailing on the amendments. Dig?

To begin with, Art Hayes suggests "That the phrase 'AFTER ONE MAILING'S PRIOR NOTICE' be inserted between the words 'Bylaws' and 'may' of Section Seven of the N'APA Bylaws."

The result would be to have Section Seven read:

"Any article of the Bylaws, after one mailing's prior notice, may be altered by a majority vote of those members voting on an amendment."

Another suggestion has been to require that the affirmative votes on an amendment must be at least a certain percentage of the membership, to prevent a minority from changing the Bylaws through the apathy of the majority. As I cannot find the letter suggesting this, it will be up to whoever thought it up to come up with a formal wording by next mailing.

A few other changes are being made as the "new broom" OE settles into the job: I intend to ignore the deadline of the 10th of the mailing month, as I do not usually need 5 days to get out a mailing, and the number of people who get stuff in between the 10th and the 15th usually represents a substantial percent of the membership. Therefore: All material in my hands by the 15th of the mailing month will be credited and will go in the mailing. Anything that shows up the 16th or later (even if it takes me a couple days to get the mailing out) will not be credited, and will not go in the mailing. So you last-minute types had best still think of the 10th as a deadline to shoot for.

The last mailing should have had the Egoboo Poll with it, but the outgoing (i.e., he's friendly) OE forgot it. Your present OE wishes to apologize for his predecessor's regretful lapse of memory which has deprived the membership of this well-loved tradition.

That taken care of, I'm declaring officially that the Egoboo Poll is down the tubes for this year, too. The response to the Polls of the last several years indicate that it is a farce and a waste of paper and time to try holding them in N'APA. If my successor wants to reinstate them, that's his business.

NOW AS FOR POSTMAILINGS: I am totally unable to figure out how other OE's have credited pm's to their perpetrators. The Bylaws don't mention them at all. THEREFORE: Postmailings will henceforth NOT count for page credit against your 6-pages-every-other-mailing requirement. (I will except any received in the next week or so, as they would have gone out prior to this ruling being circulated.) Be Ye Warned.

THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE OWE DUES AND PAGES IN MAILING 29:

|              |                  |   |           |    |         |    |
|--------------|------------------|---|-----------|----|---------|----|
| Dues: Kaiser | Activity: Atkins | 2 | Ladonko   | 6  | Sephton | 6! |
| (\$1) Kusske | Bailes           | 4 | Lerner    | 8! | Shaw    | 6  |
| McDonnell    | Barr             | 2 | McDonnell | 6  |         |    |
| Eolfe        | Carlson          | 6 | McFarland | 6  |         |    |
| Woolston     | Dupree           | 4 | R.Mann    | 3  |         |    |
|              | Gold             | 6 | Pelz      | 3  |         |    |
|              | Gottschalk       | 6 | Sanders   | 6  |         |    |
|              | Kusske           | 4 |           |    |         |    |