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SFWA SETTLES WITH SOL COHEN OF ULTIMATE PUBLICATIONS: Robert Silverberg, President of
the Science Fiction Writers of
America, the nation-wide organization of SF writers, announced recently that the SFWA
has reached an agreement with Sol Cohen, publisher of Amazing and Fantastic. The sett-
lement, retroactive to August 1st, 1967, entitles each author of a reprinted story to
a \$20 payment for short stories, and \$40 for longer ones over 7500 words. The settle-
ment is made with the understanding that Sol Cohen and Ultimate Publishing own all
rights, and are merely making the payments as a bonus or gratuity. Cohen will pay for
the use of all reprints; when the author of a story cannot be found, he will turn the
payment over to the SFWA, which will then initiate an author search. Reprint fees
will be paid on publication of the issue in which the story appears.

Because of the settlement, the SFWA withdraws all requests that author-members boycott,
not submit to, or in any way not sell to the Ultimate publications.

Cohen is also in the market for new material, and hopes to present a better balance
between reprints and new stories in future issues. Payment is generally 2¢, paying up
to 3¢ a word for better known authors.

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Apology: This issue is regrettably late. As many of you know, I am secretary of the
NYCon 3, the 25th World SF Convention, which will be held in New York August
31st through September 4th. As secretary, plus holding down a full time job, my time
at this point before the convention is severely limited. As a result, SFWeekly is suf-
fering from not enough time to prepare it properly.

Because of this lack of time, I am suspending publication of the SF CRITIC and the
4th Markets issue until after the NYCon, when I will have more time to compile these
special issues. I hope all subscribers will understand my reasons.

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NEWS OF THE NYCON: Program items for the NYCon are lining up rapidly. While not at
liberty to disclose them, SFWA can give a general idea of times of
various events. Registration will take place Thursday evening in the Exhibition Area
of the Mezzanine. Registration Friday morning and for the rest of the convention will
take place in the Rotunda area, just outside the doors of the Grand Ballroom. The
Art Show and Booksellers displays will be set up Thursday in the Ivy Suite and Georgian
Room respectively. The program will open Friday at 11:30 with a Blessing & Invocation;
at noon an Introduction of Notables, and the first session will be at 1 pm. The Program
will end at 4 pm with an auction. The Fashion show, sponsored by Galaxy, will take place
at 7:30 in the Grand Ballroom.

The Program Saturday will open at noon, and end at 4 pm, with convention site voting.
A party sponsored by Lancer Books will take place at 9 pm.

The Program Sunday will open at noon, and end at 5 pm with an Auction. The Costume
Ball, in the Grand Ballroom, will begin at 8:30 pm. The business session will be on
Sunday, at an as yet unspecified time.

The Program Monday will consist entirely of the Banquet, which will be held at 1 pm. Guest of Honor Lester del Rey will speak, and Toastmaster Harlan Ellison will preside. The Convention committee urges you to send for your Banquet tickets now, as all tickets must be sold by noon of the day the convention opens. Tickets are \$5.50, and everyone must include their membership numbers when they order tickets.

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SF JUVENOVELS BEING PUBLISHED THIS FALL: Harcourt, Brace & World: Operation Time Search by Andre Norton (Aug.-\$3.95); Holt, Rinehart & Winston: The Weathermakers by Ben Bova (October 12-\$3.95); Macmillan: The City Of Gold and Lead by John Christopher (October-\$4.25); Men Against Time by Isaac Asimov (October-\$4.50 - fact); Abelard-Schuman: Environments Out There by Isaac Asimov (\$3.75-fact); Houghton Mifflin: The Egyptians (\$3.50-fact); Putnam: The Beyond by Jean & Jeff Sutton (\$3.75); Scribners: The Story of Science In America by Catherine & L.S. de Camp (\$4.95-fact); Walck: The Moon Of Gomrath by Alan Gardner (\$3.75).

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COMING SF: September 4th: The Best From Fantasy & Science Fiction: 13th Series, ed. by Avram Davidson (Ace, 60¢); Orbit 2, ed. by Damon Knight (Berkley, 75¢); The Year's Best Science Fiction, 11th Annual Edition, ed. by Judith Merril (Dell, 75¢); Time Untamed, by Isaac Asimov & others (Belmont, 50¢). September 7th: Night Walk, by Bob Shaw (Banner, 60¢); September 22: Lord of Light, by Roger Zelazny (Doubleday, \$4.95); September 29: Voyagers In Time, ed. by Robert Silverberg (Meredith, \$4.95); September 29: Great Science-Fiction Stories About The Moon, ed. by T.E. Dikty (Frederick Fell, \$4.50); October 6: Ashes, Ashes, by Rene Barjavel (translated by Damon Knight) Doubleday, \$3.95). All listings From Publisher's Weekly.

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New Subscribers: Linda Eyster, Silver Spring, Md; Leo Kelly, NYC; Dean Koontz, Lemoyne, Pa; Steve Lewis, Ann Arbor, Mich; Louis Reich, S. Euclid, Ohio; Edward Smith, Charlotte, NC; Bob Vardeman, Albuquerque, NM; Joan Baker, N. Olmstead, Ohio; Hank Davis, Loyall, Ky; Larry Paschelke, Portland, Ore.; Randy Williams, Liberty, NC.

Must Resubscribe This Issue: F.A. Busby, Doug Lovenstein, Thomas Manmiller, Boyd Raeburn. One Issue Left: Tom Cheung, Sherna Comerford, Nick Grimshawe, Don Hutchison, John R. Isaac, Seth Johnson, Jerry Kaufman, Sanford Meschkow, J.L. Robinson.

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BAY AREA NEWS: Kevin Langdon was married to Sue Krakow of New York on July 30th at 2:50 pm in "Provo Park" in downtown Berkeley, California. Ray Nelson, black-gowned elder of the Church of the Brotherhood of the Way, presided. Attendees included Marie Ellington, 2 police with walkie-talkies, Jerry & Miriam Knight, Bob & Margo Lichtman, Pat Ellington, and Redd Boggs, plus many hippies and onlookers. (thanx, RB!)

Several travelers have left the Bay Area for the far-oof shores of British Honduras. The travelers include Grania Davidson, Jessie Clinton, 10-year-old Tony Clinton, and Avram Davisoh, who is already in British Honduras. Why they were going there wasn't too clear, but SFM wishes them luck, anyway.

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H.G. WELLS: H. G. Wells' autobiography, first published in 1934 and since long out of print, will be reissued in November by Lippincott. The book will follow the original text, covering Wells' s life from youth through his 65th year. The title is Experiment In Autobiography, and the book will sell for \$7.95.

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THIRDLANCON: Join the ThirdlanCon, the 1968 British National SF Convention. Guest of Honor will be Kenneth Bulmer, fan guest of honor whoever wins the TAFF race this year. The program will include panels, auctions, parties, films, and much more. \$1 sent to me or 7/6d to Harry Nadler, 5, South Mesnefield Rd, Lower Kersal, Salford 7, Lancashire, England, will get you a membership and full information.