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INTERNATIONAL S.F. MARKETS ISSUE

ACE BOOKS, 1120 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10036
Donald A. Wollheim, Editor. Ace needs novels for its SF Specials Series, featuring imaginative works of high quality. The editor stresses the "sense of wonder." Pays advance of \$2000 and up for novels of 60,000 words or more (no upper limit). Queries and submissions for these should go to Terry Carr, editor. Ace is also continually in the market for novels for its regular series: doubles, about 55,000 words, and singles up to 70,000 words. Ace pays \$1250 for each half of a double volume, \$1500 and up for full length novels. Reporting time: 1 week - 2 months.

AVON BOOKS, 959 8TH AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10019
Peter Mayer, Editor-in-Chief. Avon will soon go to a 3-a-month sf schedule, and continues to seek first rate sf and fantasy of all sorts (New Thing or Old). Advances begin at \$1500 and go up, depending on length, quality, author's name. Send sf to George Ernsberger, Editor. Reporting time: 6 weeks.

BALLANTINE BOOKS, 101 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10003
Betty Ballantine, Editor. Ballantine needs full length novels only, to about 120,000 words in length. They pay an advance of \$1500 and up. Reporting time: 6 - 8 weeks.

BANTAM BOOKS, 271 MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10016
Allan Barnard, Editor. Bantam is broadening its sf line, and is actively seeking good sf. Query before submitting.

BELMONT BOOKS, 1116 FIRST AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10021
Gail Wendroff, Editor. Belmont needs short novels of about 30,000 words, as well as full length novels, which it is emphasizing over the shorter. The expanding sf line pays advances of \$500 - \$1000 for short novels, an average of \$1500 for full length novels.

BERKLEY BOOKS, 200 MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10016
Thomas Dardis, Editor. Berkley needs full length novels of 50-70,000 words, but is overstocked on collections and anthologies. They pay an advance of \$1500 and up. Reporting time: 4 weeks.

DELL PUBLISHING CO., 750 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10017
Elaine Landis, Managing Editor. Dell is currently in the market for original novels and reprints of at least 50,000 words, for an expanding line which will go to at least 2 releases a month in 1969. Pay an advance of \$2000 and up for novels. Reporting time: 6 weeks.

DOUBLEDAY & CO., 277 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10017
Lawrence Ashmead, Editor; Marc Haefele & Diane Cleaver, Assoc. Editors. Doubleday needs novels, but is overstocked on anthologies. The editors prefer present day settings, more concerned with social problems than heavy science. This is reflected somewhat in what they buy, but Doubleday buys all types of sf. Advance payment of \$1000-\$1500. Reporting time: 4 weeks.

FABER & FABER, LTD., 24 RUSSELL SQ., LONDON WC 1, ENGLAND
Faber & Faber are interested in sf, and are willing to take manuscripts from all countries.

FAWCETT WORLD LIBRARY (GOLD MEDAL), 67 WEST 44TH STREET, NEW YORK, N. Y., 10036
Knox Burger, Editor. Fawcett buys sf novels and collection occassionally. Pays advance of \$2500.

LESLIE FREWIN, LTD., 15 HAY'S MEYS, MAYFAIR, LONDON W1, ENGLAND
Laurence James, Editor. Just entering the sf field, they are slanted in the direction of fairly well-known authors. However, they are also willing to look at submissions by unpublished writers. Reporting time: 3 - 4 weeks.

VICTOR GOLLANCZ, LTD., 14 HENRIETTA STREET, COVENT GARDEN, LONDON, WC2, ENGLAND
John Bush, Editor. Gollancz is interested in first class sf and fantasy; pays dependent on the quality of the manuscript. Reporting time: 2 weeks.

HARCOURT, BRACE & WORLD, 757 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10022
Dan Wickenden, Editor. This firm publishes sf infrequently. Query before submitting.

HARPER & ROW, 49 EAST 33RD STREET, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10016
Norbert Slepian, Editor. Alma Guinness, Editor for Harper Junior Books. Interested in sf for their young readers' department. Query before submitting. Reporting time: 4 weeks.

HARRIS-WOLFE & CO., 235 NORTH MAIN ST., JACKSONVILLE, ILL., 62650
Mary Lu Shelton, Editor. A new publisher interested in good sf -- 80,000 - 100,000 words; also interested in anthologies. Query before submitting.

JONATHAN CAPE, LTD., 30 BEDFORD SQ., LONDON WC1, ENGLAND

Tom Maschler, Editor. Jonathan Cape are only interested in sf of outstanding literary merit: JGBallard and Kurt Vonnegut, for example. Reporting time: 3 weeks.

LANCER BOOKS, 1560 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10036

Larry T. Shaw, Editor. Lancer publishes novels of any length, and an occasional collection or anthology. Advance of \$1500 and up according to name value, etc. Reporting time: 4 - 8 weeks.

MEREDITH PRESS, 250 PARK AVE., NEW YORK, N.Y., 10017

Theodore M. Purdy, Editor-in-Chief. Meredith is interested in sf for both its adult and junior lists. Juvenile sf should be addressed to Mrs. Gloria Mosesson, Junior Books Editor. Meredith pays advance in accordance with the reputation of the writer. Query before submitting. Reporting time: 2 - 3 weeks.

NEW AMERICAN LIBRARY, 1301 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, NEW YORK, NY 10019

Patrick O'Connor, Editor. NAL publishes only one sf title a month including reissues, but is definitely interested in well-written sf by experienced writers. Query before submitting.

NEW ENGLISH LIBRARY, BOX 276, BARNARD'S INN, HOLBORN, LONDON EC1 ENGLAND

P. A. Haining, Editor. NEL is interested in novels and anthologies by leading writers only. Payment varies; new writers should always submit outlines. Query before submitting. Reporting time: 2 - 4 weeks.

ORBIT, P.O.BOX 338, MILFORD, PENNA., 18337

Damon Knight, Editor. Orbit needs unpublished stories to 30,000 words. Payment of 3-5¢ a word against a share of the royalties from hardcover and paperback editions. Reporting time: 2 weeks.

PAPERBACK LIBRARY, 315 PARK AVE. SOUTH, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10010

Jerry Gross, Editor. PBL is in the market for sf and fantasy novels; still overstocked on anthologies. Advance of \$1000-\$2000. Reporting time: 3 - 4 weeks.

PYRAMID BOOKS, 444 MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10022

Donald R. Bensen, Editor. Pyramid will publish 10 new titles (including reprints) per year. Prefers 1950-type sf. Advance of \$1000-\$1500. Query before submitting. Reporting time: 6 weeks.

RAPP & WHITING, LTD., 76 NEW OXFORD ST., LONDON WC1, ENGLAND

Ronald Whiting, Editor. Current needs include novels of 60,000 words or more. Can read mss. in French, German, Russian & Chinese. Advance of 100 - 500 pounds. Reporting time: 4 weeks.

RUPERT HART-DAVIS LTD., 3 UPPER JAMES ST., GOLDEN SQ., LONDON W1, ENG.

Ajai Mehta, Editor. Interested in novels, for which payment is 100 - 200 pounds. Reporting time: 3 - 4 weeks.

SIMON & SCHUSTER, 630 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10020

Barbara Norville, Editor. S&S publishes 2 or 3 sf novels a year. Pays advance of \$1000-\$1500. Reporting time: 2 - 3 weeks.

WESTMINSTER PRESS, 933 WITHERSPOON BLDG., PHILADELPHIA, PA., 19107
Barbara Bates, Editor Juvenile Trade Books. Westminster currently needs
no sf. Query before submitting. Reporting time: 6 weeks.

AMAZING/FANTASTIC, BOX 7, OAKLAND GARDENS, FLUSHING, N.Y., 11364
Barry Malzberg, Editor. Amazing & Fantastic currently have a large
backlog of material. The editor is interested in seeing all lengths of
stories, to 25,000 words. Query on novels. Reporting time: 1 week.

ANALOG, 420 LEXINGTON AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10017
John Campbell, Editor. Analog is overstocked with novels; pays 5¢ a
word for stories to 7500 words, 3¢ for longer ones, plus a bonus if a
story places 1st or 2nd in the reader's poll. Reporting time: pro, 1
week; unsolicited, 3 - 6 weeks.

FANTASY & SCIENCE FICTION, 347 EAST 53RD ST., NEW YORK, N.Y., 10022
Edward Ferman, Editor. F&SF can use all lengths and types of stories,
especially sf, humorous, and upbeat stories. Pays 2¢ - 3¢ a word. Es-
pecially interested in stories under 7500 words. Reporting time: 2 -
3 weeks.

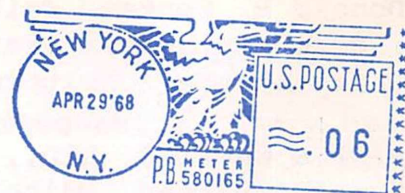
GALAXY/WORLDS OF IF, 421 HUDSON STREET, NEW YORK, N.Y., 10014
Frederik Pohl, Editor. Galaxy and If can use all lengths, all types
of stories. With Galaxy's new monthly schedule, it will be buying 2
times as many words as it has been. Galaxy pays 2¢ - 3¢ a word; If
pays 1¢ - 2¢ a word. Reporting time: 2 - 3 weeks.

KNIGHT & THE ADAM BEDSIDE READER, Jared Rutter, Editor. CAD & ADAM,
Merrill Miller, Editor. 8060 MELROSE AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CAL., 90046
All four magazines are interested in sf to 5000 words. The pay range
is \$100 minimum to \$400 maximum with an average of \$200 for a 3500 to
4000 word story. Sometimes buys second rights from name writers, but
prefer first rights stories.

PLAYBOY, 919 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE, CHICAGO, ILL., 60611
Robie Macauley, Fiction Editor. Playboy actively seeks sf, of any type
as long as it is well written. Minimum payment: \$1000 for short-shorts,
\$2000 regular length. Lead stories receive \$3000. Reporting time: 4
weeks.

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