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(Coswal's FAPAzine)

SNIX-APPEAL As you can doubtless see, this mag isn't mimeoed nor hectoed. Nor is it printed... It's multigraphed by means of the multilith process; same as my soon-to-appear (it says here) general fanzine, "... FORMERLY ... as announced in FLASH:, last year. (Speaking of "... FORMERLY ..., subscriptions are 3/25¢, and the

first issue will honor the 10th anniversary of Lovecraft's death, so take warning and don't miss it. It is due out in April.)

But now, for what you can expect in this and future issues of SNIX: Of course we'll comment on the preceeding FAPA mailing; there'll be some statistical articles on various prozines; some background info on various items of ours which have seen publication elsewhere; and various material authored by others, as the mood strikes.

SNIX FROM THE WINTER MAILING

FANTASY AMATEUR SNIX A lot of typographical errors here; how come? What are the chances of getting a copy of the

FAPA constitution? Would surely like to know what's what! And is it true that some back issues of FAPAzines are available? If so, where, what and how much? The cover design prompts the thought: The big dipper is the schematic diagram of what chemical formula?

SNIX OF GLOM Now let's have a cover as many times larger than your page size as this is smaller. Enjoyed Weaver Wrong's

Pacificon article--the rejections may have resulted from its wordiness. MICE, MEN & MOON well worth reprinting... CRYING IN THE WIND rather ponderous... #FM Reject: So that's why your letter appeared so stiff and untypical... WELLMAN Letter--oh, well, I've missed many a stfilm in my time... "Browder's \$3"--Now it gifs serialized reviews! But it's interesting enough so far... WESTERN FAMILY Reprint: These missionary efforts surely sound odd to a fan... LOONEY GAG: ho hum....zzzzz... MOP-SNIX Ah, Speer; great speer: The notes on Madole's letters are

very pointed but we could wish you had recorded your replies. Was Jack Murrell a Cosmic Circle-ist, or even another name of Degler's? Crane on INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE. The connection of this with fantasy is fantastic to an extreme, but my objection will probably accomplish nothing. What has been, will be; eh?

SNIX FROM A TALE (oops, TAIL) OF THE 'EVANS Nice card, EEE; vot's dose books in back of U?

ANT ICS? Wot's a "whote ant", Doc? And when did damnation ever interfere with ants? And if ya left, pal, how'dja know how he concluded??? (FAPAns, don't bother about a strainer; this humor's already strained:) PLENUM (Pardon my murdering the shape of the letters, but) A: Ge

yood ohd Ipnnk: (But for the probability that too many FA-PAns could not decipher it, I'd transliterate this entire paragraph.) Incidentally, Milt, what's the "PS" on the cover, indicate? Insides: Is the Prime Press litho outfit a Multigraph? The ROCKET SOCIETIES: -it would seem that the high points of the Winter mailing are Speer's and Rothman's critical exposes---it's always the truth that hurts, eh? SEMANTICS: Then WORLD OF A stands or falls on van Vogt's interpretation of a null-A psychology? THE WORLD OF T: Would Goslin have been a Goose if he had lived? Anyway, how could a machine know what's truth unless it knew more than all mankind combined? Isn't our world null-T now? HORIZON-TAL SNIX No page numbers and an excessive amount of papercreases are all I have again Warner. Gardner's

articles on the pros always seem to be interesting--would surely like to read the other four instalments of this now-concluded series... WHEN WE WERE YOUNG--a post-war FAPAn, such as myself, would prefer more detail; this is just enough to whet the appetite. Grrr!! BOOK REWIEW: What does "Der Schimmelreiter" mean--in English? UP FROM SLAVERY should be published in the NFFan, where every member could read it--it has some ideas much better than any I've seen advocated elsewhere. AD ASTRA et cetera--a little milder than Rothman: more history, less comparison. You should've collaborated... Surely even rambling has its place; at least I found TO SPEAK OF MANY THINGS quite interesting.

FORLO KON-SNIXIONS #5 is a big improvement over #4; and, Ken did, indeed make quite an improvement in the Weinstein SHANGHAIED. The perspective almost gives life to the illustra-

tion for this story. Ken's mags are, at least, different... SNIX AT EIGHT (pages) Foo to Russell! His interest in fantasy is altogether too scholarly and high-brow. Per-

haps that's why he prefers books. I intend to complete my prozine collection before I delve much into the book field because I can trust the mags to give me stf, whereas too much of the book material is borderline and doubtful. I believe I have my prozine collection about 2/3 completed now, as I've quite definitely passed the 900 mark. SNIX IN MOONSHINE Len evidently caught his cover-girl off balance.

The use of green mimeo ink is greatly appreciated

but the typing and non-corrections--ouch: "It makes the peas taste funny." Umm--Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup--is that what she raised Donn on? THE FAN AT HOME--quite good; especially the background. I found ONE FAN'S OUTLOOK interesting, despite its subject-matter--could it be Stan's style, or his "common-man" outlook? I don't know... THE LEAF has nice rhythm and rhyme, and was very easy to read. The solution to WAITING, it seems to me, would be that he didn't die until the coffin was closed, and then it formed a soul-proof enclosure imprisoning him. The dream was just a dream--not temporary escape. OK, so you didn't expect me to take you seriously; I'm not! SNIX-POSE / PHILLY CONFERENCE Kennedy, how do you do it? Shorthand, notes, or a phenomenal memory?

Got one shock, though; is Rickey Slavin actually a GIRL?? Isn't it about time, Joe, for a John W. Campbell interview? Ahh!! (Or is he difficult to land?)

FROM THE WINTER MAILING

Speer, I've often wondered why your right "pyramid" SUS PRO'SNIX never matches your left one. Cover: Is that supposed to symbolize Carnell? Speer's Fapazine reviews are always interesting, but for that matter, most all his writings are. SCRAPBOOK: Don't be misled, Jack; philatelists DO put a high value on errors such as inverted centers, but the colors being merely off-register does not increase the value greatly if any. I haven't been able to secure a copy of the recruiting poster, THE SKY WAS THE LIMIT, yet, but I do have a copy of the one reading THE WORLD OF TOMORROW / TODAY-WITH THE U.S. ARMY which shows a giant ship with over 100 lighted windows. The moon may be its destination, but no craters are visible. CATCHING UP WITH CAMPBELL is just about the best feature in FAPA, and I would like to see more mag reviews, How about it; or have you all graduated from the prozines??? As to SLAVES OF THE LAMP's solution of ruthless publicity of high-level policy and actions; it wouldn't be a bad principle to apply to the NFFF. It might have prevented some of the trouble it had in '46. Philcon CAR-It would help, Jack, if you'd label your characters a bit more TOON: definitely -- reference numbers, for instance, And a bit of explanation now and then, would help a lot of newcomers -- for instance, AA:94, and "Whirling Dervish" mean nothing to me, and some others are doubtful.

Which concludes my review of the Winter mailing. Good thing it was a skimpy one, late as it was, or this issue of SNIX might have missed the Spring mailing. I did want to have something in the Winter packet, but the fact is, I didn't even find out who the O-E was until just a few days ago, and even then, I didn't know his address. But such is life...

WHO WOULDN'T?

"I will pay cash for old numbers of Weird Tales in perfect condition. \$1. for any number dated between March, 1923 and February, 1924, inclusive. \$.75 for any between October, 1924, ... and December, 1925. \$.50 for ... 1926; ... 1927. Please communicate with the editor if you have any of these issues that you would like to part with at these prices." (Reprinted from April, 1934 THE FANTASY FAN.)

Weren't those the good old days, though? I've just lately come to the place in my collecting activities where I'm putting forth some effort to obtain the non-stf fantasy mags, as I've fairly well rounded out my collection of the straight stf zines. Seeing the trouble some fairly old-time collectors are having at now trying to complete their Weirds; I haven't too much hope for myself--but then, I never expected, six months ago, to complete my collection of Amazing, including the annual and quarterlies. As of now, I need only the Nov. 30, Dec. 36, and Aug. 37 monthlies, and the covers of the Jan. 27, and Spring 31 issues to reach completion--with the exception of various pro-ZD back covers and similar trivia. Oh yes, I need the Jan. 27 contents page, too...

But if any of you want to get rid of pre-41 fantasy mags (Weird, Strange, Unknown, etc.) at fair prices, or trade, just let me know ...

SNIX OF 1946

Below, and on the following pages, you will find a complete authorindex of the fiction in the 1946 stf prozines. A few words of explanation are needed, however. WEIRD TALES has not been included, but only for the reason that I do not have all six of their 1946 issues in my collection. I have substituted in its place, the British NEW WORLDS. I would like to have included also, the other 1946 British prozines, of which I understand included FANTASY, FUTURISTIC STORIES, NEW FRON-TIERS, OUTLANDS, STRANGE ADVENTURES, STRANGE TALES, UNKNOWN, and even AMAZING STORIES and ASTOUNDING SCIENCE-FICTION. Unfortunately however, they are not available at present, so each of these items mentioned will have to be included in a supplement, if at all.

I have also included in the following index, the stories that are disguised as articles in the Ziff-Davis mags, and, specially marked, all poetry. Likewise, I have included the Winter 1946 edition of STARTLING STORIES, even though its exact classification is Dec., 1945.

SUMMARY

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A total of 52 stf and fantasy prozines were published in the USA, bearing 1946 year-dates (this includes WEIRD TALES) and the total news stand price of these was \$11.20.

The number of authors (with no regard paid to pen names) in the following index, is 130, and the fiction produced by them amounts to 264 items, of which 3 are poems. The most prolific authors are: Richard S. Shaver with 10, of which 2 are collaborations; Ross Rocklynne and Lercy Yerxa with 8 each; and the following five, who each produced 7: Ray Bradbury (counting 2 collaborations), Chester S. Geier, Edmond Hamilton, Murray Leinster, and Berkeley Livingston. And the authors' names distribute themselves alphabetically as follows:

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And so, at last, we've come to the final page of our

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first issue. And it's been quite an experience, no kidding. The introduction to the Multigraph, given last fall by a representative of the company, had grown rather hazy: but more than that, he left many things unexplained, to be discovered by trial and error. But don't they all? Well, suffice it to say that the machine is a lot more work and gets one dirtier than a mimeograph; but the job it does, of printing dry on slick paper, is doubtless worth it. And I haven't learned it all, by any means, yet-so you'll have to bear with me as regards pale copies, faint spots, and all the rest. But seriously, how do you like it? Would that it were as fool-proof as a mimeograph!

'TATOR Enclosed in the FAPA mailing with this issue is a copy of my Spectator Amateur Press Society publication, 'TATOR. The main reason for its presence is advertising--in hopes of getting a few outside subscriptions. Ok, so that's a thin hint--whatcha gonna do about it? My address can be found at the bottom of this page...

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And wary phagocytes Have occupied the scientist Through many weary nights;

The germs of hydrophobia And anthrax culture, too, Have sprung in strict seclusion In seas of agar goo. By John Silence All hail the steadfast heroes Whom these tests have not bored, Who found that pen and pyrex Are mightier than the sword.

Here's to those science heroes, As gallant as can be--The million martyred guinea pigs Who died to make men free! * *

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