

Organ: Written by Robert Lewis Stevenson. Contents: Minutes of the 2,756th Fanoclast meeting (July 3, 1964).

TONIGHT'S  
THE NIGHT  
TO GO TO THE  
MOVIES



The third of July Fanoclast meeting opened with explosions, as some idiots outside the magnificent meeting hall of the Fanoclast Cnes were celebrating some obscure holiday, or something. When all were assembled, Oscar Hammerstein, a nobody, fulfilled the duties of the last day in office by reading the minutes. Walt Willis sent a note saying that he wouldn't be able to make the meeting, but "Maybe next time!". Although nobody present could detect a pun in this message Mr. Willis was fined .10 for our pun fund because everybody knows about Willis and puns.

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"My father was a printer, and I'm reverting to hot lead."

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Somebody also mentioned that a Les Nirenberg would be attending the meeting, but was mercifully ignored. Oscar announced there would be no old or new business brought up because everything's been pretty much the same for the last five years and shows signs of being even moreso in the next five. This business being concluded, Hammerstein was voted out of office, and yhos elected.

Avram Davidson, guest speaker for the evening, read us a speech on the future of s.f. in Mexico and was corrected on several points by Ted White, editor of F&SF. Later Ted read the grateful membership his latest jazz reviews, concluding with the words "O.K. gang, remember: get Eney!" The membership agreed wholeheartedly, even though most of us don't know who this "Eney" person is.

Leslie Gerber brought a girl friend to the meeting and showed the membership his latest trick.

Steve Stiles told the membership the same jokes he had told during the last meeting. Getting no response, the cunning Stiles was forced to make up some new ones which he vowed to tell again at the next meeting.

Dave Van Arnam, most ill-tempered of the membership, drank beer.

Rich Brown (or "rich brown") announced he was quitting fandom to mixed reaction. Later Mr. brown announced that he was publishing a new fanzine entitled "Fanac".

Bob Stewart showed up and amazed everyone by putting his head behind his foot.

Joe Pilati was present and collected interliniations.

John Boardman told the membership all about World War I.

Bill Bunghole was deplored for his habit of spreading vicious gossip, and it was also mentioned that Bunghole was an ex-jailbird. Later there was a fistfight, and then the usual orgy.