

Holmdel Science Fiction Discussion Group  
Club Notice - 6/26/81

MEETINGS UPCOMING:

(Unless otherwise stated, all Holmdel meetings are on Wednesdays at noon in room 4H-405.)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>
7/1/81	THE MAN WHO SOLD THE MOON by Robert Heinlein in HO 4A-606 (HP: SOMETHING WICKED THIS WAY COMES by Ray Bradbury)
7/15/81	Game meeting: Alan Gopin and THE CREATURE THAT ATE SHEBOYGAN (HO 4A-406)
7/22/81	DRAGON'S EGG by Robert Forward in 4A-606
8/12/81	THE GODS THEMSELVES by Isaac Asimov in 4A-606

Our library is in HO 4B-510. Mike Lukacs (x4043) is librarian. Debi Bennett (HP 1B-368 x2408) is in charge of South Plainfield activities. Evelyn Leeper (HO 1E-321 x6334) is Club book-buyer. This notice publishes anything (not slanderous or libelous) submitted by club members. Members, feel free to submit.

1. Ah, summer is here. Time for picnics, lemonade, and laying in the sun and reading science fiction. If you have recently laid in the sun and read THE MAN WHO SOLD THE MOON by Robert Heinlein why not come to our meeting on Wednesday, the first of July, and say what you thought of it? That will be in 4A-606. If your taste runs closer to SOMETHING WICKED THIS WAY COMES by Ray Bradbury, why not drop over to South Plainfield, mosey on in, and talk about it.

2. WHEREAS we are reading one of Heinlein's Future History stories, and WHEREAS the hardback copy of THE PAST THROUGH TOMORROW, Heinlein's Future History collection has a Heinlein timeline (teimlein?) of the future but the paperback does not, and WHEREAS this particular illustration has both relevance and value to readers of Heinlein, BE IT HERE RESOLVED that an issue of the club notice announcing the meeting to discuss MAN WHO SOLD THE MOON at Holmdel shall contain on its flip side a copy of said timeline/teimlein and to hell with copyright laws.

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# FUTURE HISTORY of Robert Heinlein from PAST THROUGH TO FUTURE

DATES	STORIES	CHARACTERS	TECHNICAL	DATA	SOCIOLOGICAL	REMARKS
A.D.						
	Life Line	Pinero		Transatlantic rocket flight	THE "CRAZY YEARS"	Considerable technical advance during this period, accompanied by a gradual deterioration of mores, orientation and social institutions, terminating in mass psychoses in the sixth decade, and the Interregnum.
	The Roads Must Roll Blowups Happen	Douglas	Mechanized roads	Antipodes rocket service	Strike of '76 The "FALSE DAWN" First rocket to the Moon	The Interregnum was followed by a period of reconstruction in which the Voorhis financial proposals gave a temporary economic stability and chance for re-orientation. This was ended by the opening of new frontiers and a return to nineteenth-century economy.
	The Man Who Sold the Moon	Martin	Douglas-Martin sun-power screens		Luna City founded Space Precautionary Act Harriman's Lunar Corporations	
	Deiliah & the Space Rigger Space Jockey Requiem	Gaines Blekingsop Harper Ericsson King Lentz Harriman McIntyre Cummings	Commercial rocket travel Helicopters		PERIOD OF IMPERIAL EXPLOITATION Revolution in Little America Interplanetary exploration and exploitation American-Australasian anchluss	
	The Long Watch Gentlemen, Be Seated The Black Pits of Luna— It's Great to Be Back "—We Also Walk Dogs" Searchlight	Winrate Sam Jones Satchel		Bacteriophage The Travel Unit and the Fighting Unit	Rise of religious fanaticism The "New Crusade" Rebellion and independence of Venusian colonists Religious dictatorship in U.S.	Three revolutions ended the short period of interplanetary imperialism: Antarctica, U.S., and Venus. Space travel ceased until 2072.
2000	Order in Space The Green Hills of Earth	Nehemiah Scudder	Interplanetary travel	Commercial -stereoptics		
	Logic of Empire The Menace from Earth	Novak John Lyle Zeb Jones Master Peter Magdalena Mackinnon "Fader" Randall Persephone The "Doctor" Libby McCoey Rhodes Doyle	Interplanetary travel resumed Developments in psychometrics and psychodynamics (Hatus) Growth of submolar mechanics, atomic cont. artificial radioactives, Uranium 235 Static submolar engineering (parastatics)	Booster guns Synthetic foods Weather control Wave mechanics The "Barrier"	THE FIRST HUMAN CIVILIZATION	Little research and only minor technical advances during this period. Extreme puritanism. Certain aspects of psychodynamics and psychometrics, mass psychology and social control developed by the priest class.
	"If This Goes On—"					Re-establishment of civil liberty. Renascence of scientific research. Resumption of space travel. Luna City refounded. Science of social relations, based on the negative basic statements of semantics. Rigor of epistemology. The Covenant.
2100	Coventry	Ford				
	Misfit			Atomic "tailoring," Elements 98-416 Parastatic engineering		Beginning of the consolidation of the Solar System.
	Universe (prologue only)			Rigor of colloids Symbiotic research Longevity		First attempt at interstellar exploration.
	Methusalem's Children					Civil disorder, followed by the end of human adolescence, and beginning of first mature culture.
	Universe Commonsense					

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