

My Interest in Science Fiction

Harry Thiel

I came into old time radio as a side to my main love, science fiction. I found out about some fantastic short story recreations in about the 1980's. I am by no means an expert in OTR but I can hold my own when it comes to science fiction. Here is a synopsis of the Science Fiction Presentation I did at the REPS February meeting.

Radio followed where the pulps and comic magazines had trail-blazed. Radio pioneer Hugo Gernsback, considered the father of science fiction was one of the first publishers in 1926 of a magazine exclusively publishing science fiction, aptly named Amazing Stories.

One of radio's first science fiction series was Buck Rogers in the Twenty-fifth Century (1932). Buck came to radio by



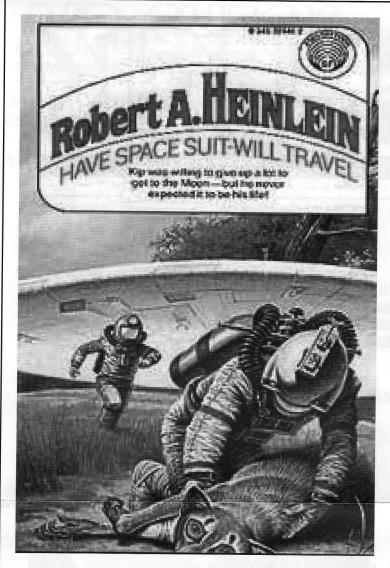
way of pulp to a comic adaptation. Buck played to the juvenile audience. Buck was written by Philip Francis Nowlan. An odd note is Dick Calkins, the newspaper artist for Buck, was a writer for the radio show.

Hugo Gernsback



Flash Gordon was another show from the thirties (1935) that originated elsewhere. Flash, however, started in comics, then pulps, followed by radio. Gale Gordon (Lucy TV star as well as Osgood Conklin of Our Miss Brooks) starred as Flash. This was another show for juveniles. Alex Raymond created Flash and Buster Crabbe played him (as well as Buck Rogers) in the movie serials.

April 7, 2007 Special Meeting, Museum of History and Industry 2 pm (Note Different Location) REPS members do not need to pay the Museum admisson. You may visit the Museum afterward with no fee.



The most famous science fiction produced on radio was Orson Welles' Mercury Theatre production of War of the Worlds, in 1938. This was loosely based on Herbert George Wells' novel (also pulp). Science fiction was largely missing from radio except for science fiction / horror crossovers like The Meteor Man on Lights Out.

The 1940's did not fare much better than the 1930's as far as quantity goes though the quality was better. Suspense, radio's outstanding theater of thrills broadcast Donovan's Brain in 1944, their first two-part episode and first science fiction. Escape did an adaptation of George Stewart's Earth Abides. These are two excellent examples of adult drama.

The first regular science fiction drama, 2000 Plus began broadcasting in 1950. It ran for almost two years. While it was good Dimension X was great. It ran for two years as well. Dimension X plots were based on short stories from Astounding Stories, a digest pulp and were scripted by



George Lefferts and Ernest Kinoy. They also penned some original scripts.

X Minus One came on NBC roughly 4 years (1955) after the demise of Dimension X. The first 15 shows were repeats of it. The other 90+ came from the pages

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A GREAT EVENING WAS HAD BY ALL!!!



On March 10th, 2007 those attending the Pontiac Bay Symphony Orchestra presentation of "The Golden Age of Radio", as announced in the February, 2007 Air Check, were treated to a well orchestrated

(pun intended) and thoroughly entertaining evening. The nearly sold out crowd was treated to a radio show that included a variety of music performed by a refreshing group of mostly young semi-professional musicians along with songs performed by several fine vocalists. Guest conductor Teresa Metzger Howe added her expertise and kept the show flowing.

Of course, too, was the added feature of our own REPS members Larry Albert, Bill Brooks, Anna Denton, Bryan Haigood, Frank Rosín and Dave Selvig who all contributed mightily to the evening's success with some great re-creations and humor, of course.

As the audience filed out there was an abundance of smiles and a "buzz" of their enjoyment of the evening. Sheila Espinoza is the organizer and producer of the Pontiac Bay and she has added another winner to her list of successes.



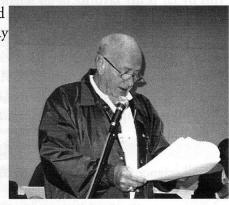
The association of Pontiac Bay Symphony and REPS is expected to be a continued beneficial to both organizations. Hopefully many patrons will be supportive of both organizations. A limited edition of Pontiac Bay is planned to be included in our Showcase in June. So, be on the lookout for more information on up-and-coming events.

Thank you, Paul Secord, President

Hal Stone

Walker Edmiston

We are saddened to report that our friend Hal Stone passed away February 21, after complications from his valve transplant surgery. Hal was a great friend to REPS and to the Old Time Radio community at large. Hal is best known as Jughead



from the Archie Andrews radio series.

We were greatly looking forward to Hal's appearance at the 2007 REPS convention and will certainly cherish the memories of the great times we had with Hal. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his wife Dorothy.



Another good friend to REPS, Walker Edmiston, also recently passed away on February 16th. REPS had the pleasure of

having Walker Edmiston at the 2006 June Convention. Walker was a great talent and we had so many requests to have Walker return in 2007. We were certainly anticipating a return visit with Walker. We will miss him. He was such a humble man. "Look at this great talent" Walker said on a number of occasions referring to the other guests at the 2006 Convention, quickly adding "I am a nobody".

We disagree!
Walker was a
great talent and
entertained us with
his great impressions.
Our thoughts and
prayers go out to his
daughter Erin .



Showcase 2006 photos, David Van Meter

CD 1531 SHADOW

- 1 2-3-1946 SUN Murder With Music
- 2 2-10-1946 SUN The Living Head

CD 1532 SHADOW

- 1 10-25-1946 FRI Mystery Of Deadman's Deep
- 2 11-8-1946 FRI The Wailiong Corpse SOME X TALK

CD 1533 WHISTLER

- 1 2-14-1943 SUN Legacy Of Death
- 2 2-21-1943 SUN Fool's Gold

CD 1534 WHISTLER

- 1 3-28-1943 SUN The Penalty
- 2 5-2-1943 SUN The Killer

CD 1535 WHISTLER

- 1 11-21-1943 SUN Patients For The Doctor
- 2 12-19-1943 SUN Death Demands A Payment

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- 1 12-3-1947 WED Professor And The Fox
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- 1 12-17-1947 WED Murder In Haste
- 2 12-24-1947 WED Decision

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- 1 12-31-1947 WED The First Year
- 2 1-7-1948 WED Comeback

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- 1 1-14-1948 WED Silent Partner
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CD 1540 WHISTLER

- 1 1-28-1948 WED Night Final
- 2 2-4-1948 WED Undertow

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- 1 2-11-1948 WED Rosalind
- 2 2-18-1948 WED Quiet Suicide

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- 1 2-25-1948 WED Meeting On Tenth Street
- 2 3-3-1948 WED Boiling Point

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- 2 3-17-1948 WED Human Catalyst

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- 1 4-7-1948 WED What Makes A Murderer
- 2 4-14-1948 WED Till Death Do Us Part

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- 1 4-21-1948 WED The Silent City
- 2 4-28-1948 WED Tough Guy

CD 1547 WHISTLER

1 5-12-1948 WED Chain Reaction

2 6-2-1948 WED Stranger In The House

CD 1548 WHISTLER

- 1 6-16-1948 WED Concerto Of Death
- 2 6-30-1948 WED Small Town Girl

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- 1 7-21-1948 WED Farewell Party
- 2 7-28-1948 WED Lady From The Sea

CD 1550 WHISTLER

- 1 8-4-1948 WED A Question Of Murder
- 2 9-1-1948 WED Payment in Full

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- 1 9-29-1948 WED Conspiracy
- 2 10-3-1948 SUN The Big Gamble

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1 2-17-1947 MON Man Against The Mountain 511

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2 3-10-1947 MON The Stirring Blood SLIGHT DISTORTION 514

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CD 1580 SHADOW

1 3-21-1946 THU Mind Over Matter

2 4-7-1946 SUN The Ghost Wore A Silver Slipper

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1 4-14-1946 SUN The Unburied Dead

2 4-21-1946 SUN Gorilla Man

CD 1582 SHADOW

1 5-5-1946 SUN White Witchman Of Lawaiki

2 5-19-1946 SUN The Touch Of Death

CD 1583 SHADOW

1 5-26-1946 SUN They Kill With A Silver Hatchet

2 6-2-1946 SUN Death In A Minor Key

CD 1584 SHADOW

1 10-13-1946 SUN Valley Of Living Terror

2 10-20-1946 SUN Blood Money

CD 1585 WHISTLER

1 10-15-1944 SUN The Tale Of The Deadman

2 10-30-1944 MON The Beloved Fraud

CD 1586 WHISTLER

1 2-19-1945 MON The Dead Man Laughs

2 2-26-1945 MON Gateway To Danger

CD 1587 WHISTLER

1 3-18-1946 MON The Master Touch

2 8-19-1946 MON Broken Chain

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1 10-7-1946 MON A Present For Ricky FIRST HALF SCRATCHY

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CD 1589 WHISTLER

1 10-21-1946 MON Masquerade

2 11-25-1946 MON Two Year Plan

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1 12-23-1946 MON Next Year Is Mine FRANK LOVEJOY

2 12-30-1946 MON Murder On Rourke Island

CD 1591 WHISTLER

1 1-6-1947 MON Dear Roger

2 7-7-1947 MON The Two Lives Of Colby Fletcher

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1 10-10-1948 SUN Whirlpool

2 10-17-1948 SUN Package For Emily

CD 1593 WHISTLER

1 10-24-1948 SUN Search For An Unknown

2 10-31-1948 SUN Letter From Yesterday

CD 1594 SUSPENSE (FORECAST)

1 7-22-1940 MON The Lodger 1/2 HOUR AUDITION

2 1-11-1959 SUN Night On Red Mountain

CD 1595 SUSPENSE

1 6-22-1944 THU The Ten Grand LUCILLE BALL

2 6-29-1944 THU The Walls Came Tumblind Down KEENAN WYNN

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1 2-14-1948 SAT The Lodger 1 HR 286

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1 2-21-1948 SAT Beyond Reason 1 HR 287

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1 8-12-1948 THU Beware The Quiet Man

2 8-19-1948 THU Crisis

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1 9-9-1948 THU The Big Shot

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1 9-23-1948 THU Celebraton

9-30-1948 THU The Man Who Wanted To Be Edward G Robinson

CD 1610 SUSPENSE

1 10-7-1948 THU Nightcry

2 10-14-1948 THU A Little Piece Of Rope

CD 1611 SUSPENSE

1 10-21-1948 THU Give Me Liberty

2 1-6-1949 THU To Find Help

CD 1612 SUSPENSE

1 11-4-1948 THU Death Sentence JOHN GARFIELD

2 11-11-1948 THU Muddy Track ANN BLYTHE, EDMUND O

CD 1613 SUSPENSE

1 11-18-1948 THU Sorry Wrong Number AGNES MOORHEAD

2 11-25-1948 THU The Screaming Woman MARGRET O BRIEN

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1 12-2-1948 THU The Hands Of Mr. Otermole VINCENT PRICE

2 12-9-1948 THU The Sisters ROSALIND RUSSEL.

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1 12-16-1948 THU No Escape

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2 2-24-1949 THU Where There's A Will

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1 3-3-1949 THU Lovebirds

2 3-10-1949 THU Three O' Clock

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CD 1622 SUSPENSE

1 3-8-1945 THU Love's Lovely Counterfeit

2 5-19-1949 THU Consequence

CD 1623 SUSPENSE

1 6-9-1949 THU The Lunch Kit JOHN LUND

2 6-16-1949 THU The Trap AGNES MOOREHEAD

CD 1624 SUSPENSE

1 5-12-1949 THU The Light Switch CLAIRE TREVOR

2 5-26-1949 THU The Night Reveals FREDRICH MARCH

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2 9-15-1949 THU Last Confession DOROTHY MC GUIRE

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1 6-23-1949 THU Ghost Hunt RALPH EDWARDS

2 6-30-1949 THU The Day I Died JOSEPH COTTON

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1 3-17-1949 THU Murder Through The Looking Glass

2 3-24-1949 THU Dead Ernest

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CD 1629 LUX PRESENTS HOLLYWOOD

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1 1-6-1941 MON Vivacious Lady ALICE FAYE, DON AMECHE

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2 7-7-1948 WED Fatal Appointment

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1 8-18-1948 WED Brite Future

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REPS Showcase XV June 22-23 2007

Coast Bellelvue Hotel, 625 116th Avenue NE, Bellevue WA 98004 425-455-9444 or 800-663-1144 www.coasthotels.com

Room rates are \$109 before taxes for the REPS Showcase, convention rate, single or double. Reservations *must be made* 10 days prior to June 22, 2007 for this rate. Two level suites are available at a different rate.

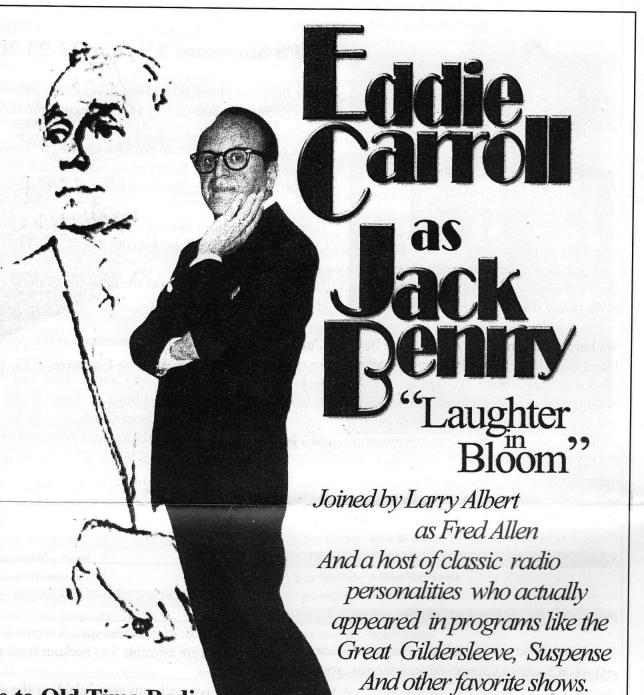
There is a convention discount for flying to Seattle on Alaska Airlines. Check inquire at repsclub@aol.com or call 206-542-6231 for details.

There is ample free parking at the hotel for all those attending the Showcase.

Our honored guests that have committed at this point for Showcase are:

- 1. Eddie Carroll 2. Chuck McCann 3. Dick Van Patten 4. Dick Beals
- 5. Gil Stratton Jr. 6. Donald Buka 7. Frank Bresee 8. Rosemary Rice
- 9. Gloria McMillan 10. Kathryn Crosby 11. Esther McVey
- 12. Tommy Cook along with our local personalities.

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Checks Payable to REPS	_Number	Exp Date
Friday and Saturday (Before May 15) \$110 per person	Number of people	Total
Friday and Saturday (After May 15) \$118 per person	Number of people	Total
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Saturday includes a banquet dinner. Please indicate the nu	umber of people for the var	rious choices.
Prime RibSalmon GrilledStuffe	d Boneless Chicken	Vegetarian Lasagna
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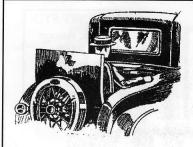


REPS Salute to Old Time Radio

Bellevue Coast Hotel June 22nd and 23rd

Details At www.repsonline.org

Carroll's vivid portrayal of Benny's reality and humanity has placed him in the same company as Hollbrook's "Mark Twain"...Whitmore's "Will Rogers"...and Robert Morse in "TRU"



Rumble Seat

Franz

The REPS Showcase XV will be held this June. At one time it seemed a long way off. Now it is getting closer and closer faster than we can imagine.

Many of our regular guests will be back again and we have some people that have agreed to attend for their first time. We are doing some recreations that we have not attempted to do before that will be exciting.

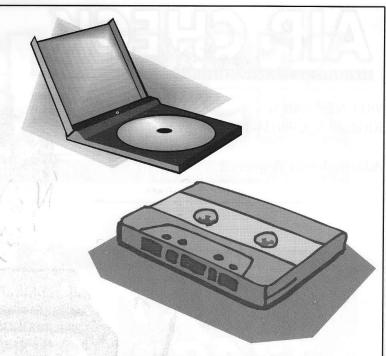
We have smaller meeting rooms at the Bellevue Coast Hotel than the Seattle Center but overall we make up for this in convenience. We have everything in the same building, guest rooms, meeting rooms, restaurant, grill and bar, free parking, and an easy to get to location. Although there is no shuttle to the airport there is a guest shuttle to all the things in Bellevue such as Bel Square, and other restaurants.

We are still working on the clearance to do some Pinocchio Disney melodies in a recreation of the Lux version of Pinocchio. If that works out we will be doing it. Although none of the original voices are available we have several people attending that are presently doing voice work for Disney, a real thrill.

For those of you who attended the meeting a few months ago when Kathryn Crosby did an interview, you will be pleased to know she will be here in parson to chat and take part in some of our recreations.

Gloria McMillan is attending her first ever old time radio convention here at REPS. Gloria was Harriet Conklin in the Our Miss Brooks radio and TV series. She presently runs a youth acting school in Los Angeles and has given us a few summer vacation days to come to Seattle.

Eddie Carroll does a one man Jack Benny Show across the country. We have some special things brewing between Larry Albert's Fred Allen and Laura Leff's Hedda Hopper with Carroll's Jack Benny. I can't wait to see this myself!!!



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First of all each library is distinct. Catalog numbers in one library will have a completely different content than another. It is necessary to identify CD, Cassette, or DVD along with the catalog number. At the present time there are no MP3's in the library.

REPS Members may check out 10 CDs or 10 Cassettes or 10 DVDs for \$6.00. It is also possible to check out a double order 20 CDs or 20 Cassettes for \$12.00. This covers the cost of mailing and maintaining the library. You may mix Cassettes, CDs, and DVDs in the order.

At most of the meetings a few *grab bags* of 10 Cassettes or CDs are available for checkout from the library.

Checkout forms are available at the meetings, by request in the mail, on the web site, and a new form included with each library checkout. The library may also be used with the internet using PayPal. Instructions for that use are on the web site.

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April 7, 2007 Special Meeting at Museum of History

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May 5, 2007 Board Meeting, Norse Home, 11 am

May 5, 2007 Regular Meeting, Norse Home, 2 pm Radio Readers, Sharon Richards Script

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June 2, 2007 Board Meeting, Norse Home, 11 am

June 2, 2007 Regular Meeting, Norse Home, 2 pm

June 22, 23, 2007 Showcase XV, Coast Hotel Bellevue

July 7, 2007 No Meeting

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