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the Japanese Index would not be in this  
issue.

.Editors Last Words  
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You may have noticed I am calling this column Editor's Last Words at the start of the fanzine. Well, these will be my last words in Monstrosities, because I have decided this will be my last issue. 10 is a even number to stop on. Why quit? I have lost most of my interest in this fanzine. But all is not lost for you Salt Lakers. I also publish a weekly TV Guide for science fiction in Salt Lake. Tell me you saw this mentioned in Monstrosities, and I will send you a sample issue. Another problem I would like to bring up is Monstrosities #10 was advertised as being printed "offset". Well, as you can see, it is not. I ran into a few problems, and stuck to good old mimeograph. I hope no one feels cheated. There is a new fanzine on Super Heroes coming out in Salt Lake(right up the street). Its called Super Heroes of the Century (See their ad on Page 18 of this issue). It will be published one-sided mimeograph, but so far the first issue is shaping up pretty well. A little messy though. It reminds me of the old issue of Monstrosities ( Then called CfMSF Newsletter ). Oh, speaking of old issues of CfMSF Newsletter, issue 2 is now in stock as a back issue. Cost is 20¢ + 15¢ postage & handling. This means we now have issues 2,3,5,6,7,8,9 in stock for back issues. Oh, the address to reserve Super Heroes of the Century #1 is: John Vail, 1785 Michigan Avenue, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84108. The cost is 20¢ + 20¢ postage & handling. My issue is already reserved, how about yours ?

Signing off,

*Brad Boyle*

Brad Boyle, editor, writer,  
publisher, artist, and what  
ever else there is to do on  
a magazine on Monstrosities.

JAPANESE MOVIE MONSTER INDEX  
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Aroza- In Aroza, the Resurrected Monster, & Mummy Man.

Angilas(Anzilla, Angurus)- The giant spiked armadillo has been in Gigantis the Fire Monster, Destroy all Monsters, a very short appearance in Godzilla's Revenge, and is an upcoming Godzilla movie, Godzilla vs. Gigan .

Atragon- A giant super submarine that is 492 feet in length and weighs 10,000 tons. It also has the ability to fly. Was in Atragon .

Baragon- The Toho dinosaur with a horn in the middle of his head. Fought Frankenstein in Frankenstein Conquers the World, and joined Godzilla & co. in Destroy all Monsters.

Baragon- Daiei's giant Triceratops who fought Gamera in War of the Monsters.

Birdasaurus- A flying monster in the Japanese show The Space Giants.

Dagora- A giant floating mutant cell from outer space that eats Carbon. Was in Dagora -the Space Monster.

Daigoro- A monster in The Big Monster Battle: Daigoro vs. Goliath .

Drox- A monster in The Space Giants. His bottom half appears that his bottom half is part of the Godzilla suit.

Ebirah- The giant shrimp (lobster) that fought Godzilla in Godzilla vs. the Sea Monster and Godzilla's Revenge.

Frankenstein- This 60 foot tall Frankenstein fought the monster Baragon in Frankenstein Conquers the World.

Gabra- The "shocking" monster in Godzilla's Revenge

Gamera(Gamera)- This 197 foot tall flying turtle has been in the following movies: Gamera- The Invincible , War of the Monsters, Destroy all Planets, Attack of the Giant Monsters, Return of the Monsters, Gamera vs. Monster X, and an upcoming film, Gamera vs. Zigra.

Gappa- The bird- like reptiles in Monster from a Pre-hist-oric Planet.

Ghidrah- The 3-headed monster, who is probably the strongest monster of them all. Was in Ghidrah, the 3 headed Monster, Monster Zero, Destroy all Monsters, and a new film, Godzilla vs. Gigan.

Gigan- A brand new monster who joins up with Ghidrah to fight Godzilla and Angilas in Godzilla vs. Gigan .

Gigantis- The name for Godzilla in Gigantis the Fire Monster

Gillas- A monster in an Ultra Man episode.

Gimantis(Gamackerus, Kamakirasu)- The giant preying mantis in Son of Godzilla & Godzilla's Revenge.

Gitrah- A monster in an episode of Ultra Man.

Goke- A jelly vampire in Goke, the Body Snacher from Hell.

Godzilla- Everyone knows the Big G. He has been in: Godzilla the King of the Monsters, Gigantis, the Fire Monster, King Kong vs. Godzilla, Godzilla vs. the Smog Monster, Godzilla vs. the Sea Monster, Godzilla's Revenge, Monster Zero, Ghidrah, the 3 headed monster, Destroy all Monsters, Son of Godzilla, and two upcoming films, Godzilla vs. Gigan & Godzilla vs. Megalon .

Goldar(Prince Magma)- One of the Space Giants .

Goliath- Fights Daigoro in The big Monster battle: Daigoro vs. Goliath .

- Gorath- A monster with his own movie( Why wasn't he in Destroy all Monsters ? ) He starred in Gorath .
- Gorosaurus- This dinosaur fought King Kong in King Kong Escapes. Made a very brief appearance in Godzilla's Revenge, and was in Destroy all Monsters.
- Green Gargantua- One of the Gargantua brothers in War of the Gargantuas
- Guilala- The X from Outer Space.
- Guiron- One of Gamera's toughest foes. His head is shaped like a knife. Was in Attack of the Giant Monsters .
- Gyoas(Gaas)- Another one of Gamera's foes. This one looks a bit like Rodan. Appeared in Return of the Monsters and in Attack of the Giant Monsters .
- Hedorah- The Smog Monster from the movie Godzilla vs. the Smog Monster .
- Jigar- The female monster who laid an egg inside Gamera. Two brave boys destroyed the egg, and Gamera beat the monster in Gamera vs. Monster X.
- King Kong- The shaggy Japanese version of Kong has appeared in two movies : King Kong vs. Godzilla, and King Kong Escapes .
- Majin- The giant stone man from Majin- Monster of Terror, Return of Majin, and Majin Strikes Again .
- Manda- The giant snake- like reptile that appeared in : Atragon, Destroy all Monsters, and made a very short appearance in Godzilla's Revenge .
- Mantaga- The mushroom people from Attack of the Mushroom People .
- Matuslah- The wife of Goldar in The Space Giants .

MechaGodzilla- I guess its a mechical robot of the Big G.  
Buy JFFJ #11(Address on Page 16) to find out .

Mechi- Kong- Kong's robot clone from King Kong Escapes .

Megalon- Godzilla's newest foe in an upcoming movie ;  
Godzilla vs. Megalon .

Minya- The son of Godzilla. Has been in Son of Godzilla,  
Destroy all Monsters, and in Godzilla's Revenge  
where he had to fight to monster Gabra .

Molesaur- A monster from The Space Giants .

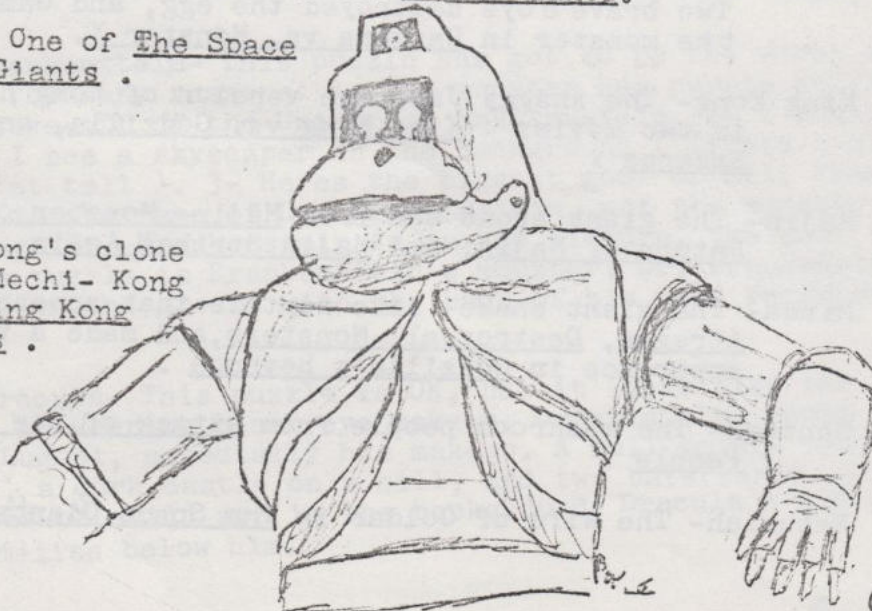
Mothra- Mothra, the Giant moth/ caterpillar has appeared  
in Mothra, Godzilla vs. the Thing, Godzilla vs. the  
Sa Monster, Chidrah, the 3 headed Monster and  
Destroy all Monsters.

Orange Gargantua- The other Gargantua brother. Was in War of  
the Gargantuas .

Ranautis- A monster from the Space Giants.

Rodak- One of The Space  
Giants .

King Kong's clone  
robot Mech- Kong  
from King Kong  
Escapes .

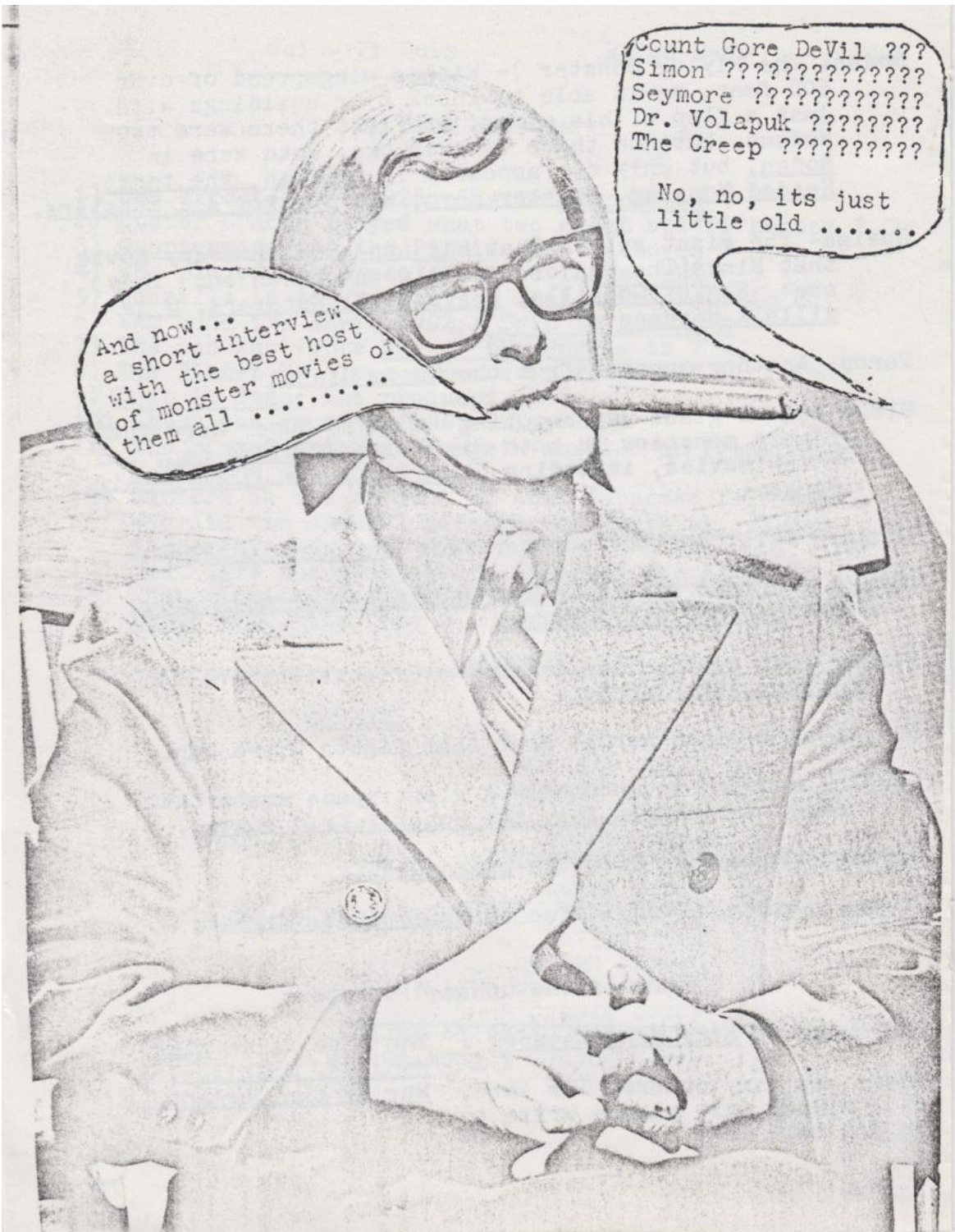


- Rodan( The Flying Monster )- With a wingspread of over 500 feet, he is able to knock over buildings with just a flap of his wings. At first there were two Rodans, but now there is only one. Both were in Rodan, but only one appeared in Ghidrah, the three Headed Monster, Monster Zero, and Destroy all Monsters.
- Speiga- The giant spider that has appeared in every movie that Minya(The Son of Godzilla) has been in. They are: Son of Godzilla, Destroy all Monsters, Godzilla's Revenge .
- Taron- Another monster from the Space Giants .
- Ultra Man- A giant ray shooting Japanese Super Hero that fights monsters in both his TV show, Ultra Man, and a few movies, including Ultra Man, and Ultra Man is Back.
- Vacuma- Still another monster from The Space Giants .
- Varan- A spiked reptile. from Varan, the Unbelievable, and Destroy all Monsters .
- Viras- That squid- like thing that fights Gamera in Destroy all Planets .
- Yamagiwa- A giant hermit crab that fights Ultra Man.
- Yog(The monster from Space)- A giant space ameba that comes to earth in Yog, the Monster from Space .
- Zandosis(Phrenix)- From the Space Giants .
- Zigra- Gamera's newest foe in Gamera vs. Zigra.

Some of the unnamed monsters

- The snake in King Kong Escapes . The octopus in King Kong vs. Godzilla, & War of the Gargantuas
- There are many others, I'm sure. If I missed any, please write to me and tell me .

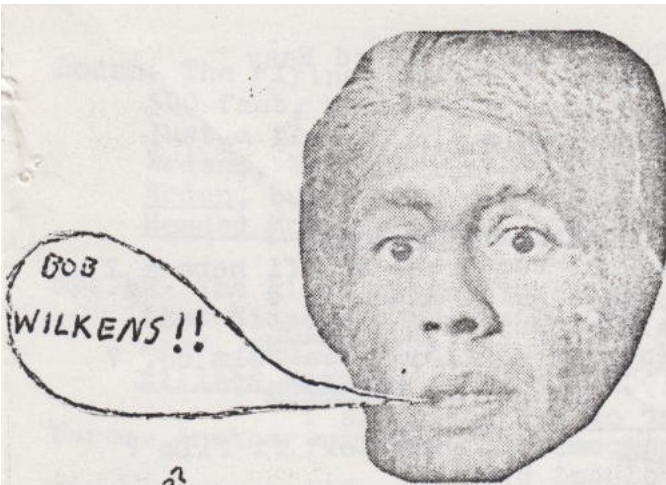




And now...  
a short interview  
with the best host  
of monster movies of  
them all .....

Count Gore DeVil ???  
Simon ??????????????  
Seymore ?????????????  
Dr. Volapuk ?????????  
The Creep ???????????

No, no, its just  
little old .....



Bob Wilkens is the host of Creature Features on channel 2 of San Francisco, and host of The Bob Wilkens Double Horror show on KTXL Channel 40, Sacramento. Thanks to Bob, and channel 40 for this short interview .

WHO??

A SHORT INTERVIEW WITH BOB WILKENS

Question- " How did you get started in the business of monsters ?"

BW-"I worked for a television station writing T.V. commercials and they found out I knew monster material pretty well, so they offered me a job."

Question- " How long have been the host of Creature Features ?"

BW-"7 long years ."

Question- " What is your favorite monster movie ?"

BW-"King Kong"

Question- " What do you think is the worst monster movie is ?"

BW- " The Snow Creatures "

Question- " What are some of the important guests you have on your show ?"

BW- " Chris Lee, Forrest Ackerman, Boris Karloff, Blackula "

Question- " Do you enjoy Godzilla movies ?"

BW- " Very much "

Question- " How about early horror movies ?"

BW- " I enjoy them "

Question-"Is it possible for you to show Destroy all Monsters"

BW- "We will try "

by Mick Worthen

- 1) Who directed the 1926 classic Metropolis ?
- 2) Buster Crabbe played what two great sci\*fi heroes ?
- 3) Quatermass and the Pit is also known as ?
- 4) Who played the space creature in The Thing ?
- 5) Godzilla is the product of what Japanese film co. ?
- 6) Who made the early 1902 A Trip to the Moon ?
- 7) The man who wrote War of the Worlds is ?
- 8) The Planet Metaluna appears in what sci\* fi film ?
- 9) Lost in Space was produced by ?
- 10) Hobby the robot's first film was ?
- 11) Who played the Frankenstein monster in Frankenstein meets the Wolfman ?
- 12) Gamera is the product of what Japanese film co. ?
- 13) Who did the special Effects for Earth vs. Flying Saucers ?
- 14) What were the monsters in Night of the Lepus ?
- 15) What planet did the creature in 20 Million Miles to Earth originate from ?

ANSWERS

- 1) Fritz Lang
- 2) Flash Gordon & Buck Rogers
- 3) 5 Million Miles to Earth
- 4) James Arness
- 5) Toho products unlimited
- 6) George Wells
- 7) H.G. Wells
- 8) This Island Earth
- 9) Irwin Allen
- 10) Forbidden Planet
- 11) Bela Lugosi
- 12) Dalek
- 13) Ray Harryhausen
- 14) Giant Rabbits
- 15) Venus

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\* STARSCENE \*  
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by Vernon King

We have got bad news this week. James Blish, the author of the Star Trek books, died in a New England hospital during the last week of July. Next issue we will go more into detail on Blish's life. Also, final word came out saying that the animated Star Trek will be cancelled. Gene Roddenberry is still working on the script for the Star Trek movie .

Now the review:

### Spock's Brain

Star Date: 5431.4  
Written by Lee Cronin

Aired: 9/20/68 and  
7/8/69

A young lady appears on board the Enterprise while it is deep space, and renders the crew unconscious. When the crew awakes, they find she has removed Spock's brain from his body, and made off with it. Spock's body still lives on momentum and McCoy's tools, but if the brain is not replaced in 24 hours, Spock's body will die. Captain Kirk traces a ion trail to the solar system of Sigma Draconis. On the 6th planet of the system, Kirk and his landing crew find two different cultures on the heavily glaciated planet. The Morgs; all male, live on the surface with a Neolithic culture, and the Eymorgs, all females, live deep underground with a high technology which they don't understand. The Enterprise locates the woman who stole Spock's brain; Kara, the leader of the Eymorgs. They also discover that she has neither the intelligence or the training to have removed the brain on her own. Kara was programmed for that purpose by a mechanical educator left behind by the ancient technologists. Spock's brain has been wired into their central control system, where they intend to use it for 10 thousand years. Since Kara cannot and will not help them, McCoy goes under the educator and with its knowledge and Spock's assistance, restores the brain to its Vulcan body. The Eymorgs, deprived of their controller, are encouraged to return to the surface to live with the Morgs.

Kara: Marj Dusdy

Morg: James Daris

Luma: Sheila Leighton

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This month's monster product review :

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APC Monster Jigsaw Puzzles

APC (American Printing Corp. ) has put out 3 different monster puzzles at \$1.29 each: Frankenstein, Dracula, and The Wolfman. Each has over 200 "scary" pictures . The following is a review of them.

The Wolfman- This is the best of the puzzles, but the " Wolfman's " battered shirt looks just like Oliver Reed's in the Curse of the Werewolf . The Wolfman's head is round, but otherwise it's a good drawing. Once the puzzle is done, you can see two wolves in the background. These are either there to remind you that the puzzle is about a werewolf, or as I suspect, there to use up space. Behind the werewolf is a full moon, symbolizing the night of the wolf. ( Moon of the Wolf? ) If you are going to buy any of these jigsaw puzzles, buy this one .

Frankenstein- This puzzle has got to be the worst of the three for many reasons: 1- The monster has purple hands, and is a take-off of the Universal Frankenstein. 2- I could swear I see a skyscraper in the background ( If its a mill, I could'nt tell ). 3- Heres the biggest goof of all; Frankenstein is the name of Dr. Frankenstein, not the monster. Although Dr. Frankenstein is in the picture, the main feature of the puzzle is Frankenstein's monster; Dr. Frankenstein is laying on the ground with the back of his head facing at us.

Dracula- This puzzle is OK, but it looks like the Dracula in it is wearing black eye makeup. Dracula also looks like Bela Lugosi, especially his makeup. A full moon (A symbol of evil), a dark castle on a hill, and two bats (three other symbols of evil) are in the background. Dracula's young servants lie below him.

BACK ISSUES

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# LANCELOT

# LINK FAN WORLD

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