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THE FUTURE IS HERE

LCDR CHRIS STEPHENSON

Yes, it's late, i know, but my keyboard broke, and all my keys started typing the wrong letters, so I had to send it in and get it replaced, but it's ok now, so here I am. This is our biggest issue in a while, due to this being our big election issue, but also cause I wanted to share something big that happened to me recently. Take a look up at the main picture, then look down here again. That's my book. I had been working on it for a period of 3 years 3 months, and by the next meeting time, you will be able to purchase it. I know, it's kinda a shameless promotion, but it's something i wanted to bring to your attention. I've devoted a few pages (towards the back) to the book, which has a quick synopsis and the first couple chapters of it. So buy now, and buy often. :-)

Seriously though, I now officially throw my hat into the ring for P.R. Officer. I have been aboard this ship for almost 3 years now, and since joining I have served as Chief of Operations, and have set into motion project Cybermax, which still exists at cs79.hypermart.net. I have also been newsletter publisher off and on (well, now on for the duration i guess) and have also served as treasurer for the past few months since RADM Dunn stepped down from treasurer person guy. I believe I have what it takes to be the P.R. Officer of the U.S.S. Maximillian. That's my qualifications, so vote if you wanna. :-) That's about it for this month, see you later. Buy now, buy often.

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Admiral Rob's Storytime

By FADM Robert Lyon

HISTORY OF THE UNITED FEDERATION OF PLANETS

PART 2: THE EUGENICS WARS

Many of the ever-accelerating technological developments of this period were double-edged, offering mankind seemingly unlimited potential for good - or for ill. The greedy and power-hungry hijacked the initial promise of genetic engineering technology, intended at first to cure inherited ailments. Instead, they seized upon various selective breeding and genetic enhancement procedures to create a new breed of superhuman warriors.

The supposed "supermen" turned on their masters, deposed the lawful governments of over forty nations, proclaimed themselves warlords and tyrants, and then went to war with one another. History remembers these conflicts as the Eugenics Wars. The most notorious of these tyrants, Khan Noonien Singh, conquered one fourth of the planet. In 1996, humanity rose up and overthrew the genetically engineered despots, and Khan vanished in the turmoil. The use of genetic engineering techniques on sentient species remains, to this day, illegal throughout the Federation.

Khan's exile was later discovered to be a voluntary emigration in the earliest interplanetary craft, the DY-100 class sleeper ship S.S. Botany Bay. Humanity's nobler side also ventured into space in those confused times, as probes like Voyager 6 and Jackson Roykirk's Nomad succeeded the Voyager series and the Christopher Mission to Saturn in 2009 blazed new trails.

To be continued...

Hello to the Mighty Max

LCDR Debbie Oulette

I am extremely sorry for not writing a report, but life has been incredibly busy for me. The year has been somewhat tough for the Max as a whole, but those who are still with the ship are helping to make it strong once more. I will be stepping down at the end of my term as Public Relations officer as school and work take up most of my time. I will be able to help the new P.R. Rookie, Chris, if he wants to be mentored. Now it comes time for me to sign off.

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U.S.S. MAXIMILLIAN

UPCOMING MEET-
INGS

November 13th

AUCTION

December 11th

CHRISTMAS PARTY
W/TREKORDY!!

January 8th

Election

TREASURY

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UPCOMING

SCI-FI EVENTS

November 24

END OF DAYS

December 1

TROI/BARCLAY ON
VOYAGER

December 10

GALAXY QUEST

Dear Max Friends, LT Cynthia Ayers

Hope you are all doing well and getting into the fall season. I still feel so sad to know that there will be no more DS9 Episodes. I don't feel as bothered as I did at the end of TNG, but I will miss DS9 a lot.

On the bright side, I'm looking forward to new VOYAGER episodes. I'm also glad that Kate Mulgrew decided to stay aboard (See Sidebar.) VOYAGER will air 10pm Saturday and repeat at 6pm on Sunday on WWHO 53. Kate Mulgrew is quoted in the Dispatch article as saying, "I'd say the tone on Voyager is much freer, much more personal and much more dangerous as we get into season 6."

Magazines: NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC (Oct. Issue) has 2 great articles on science and unveiling the universe. Also, the Star Trek 2000 Calendar is very good this year. (This is the small daily one.)

Finally, I am off to Charleston, W.VA to see Gates Mcfadden. I can't believe that I am finally getting a chance to see her in person! It's something I've been waiting for for a decade.

Live long and rejoice always, Cynthia Ayers.

Greetings Earthlings, LCDR Sidley Howard

I am on my way out the door to the camping mission, it looks like rain so we'll see if its going to work.

We had a great time at Charleston. Gates was really entertaining on stage can't wait to see her again in Indy.

Paintball is still scheduled for Wed Oct 20, 1999 at 5pm at Central Ohio Paintball on Sliver drive. This is going to be FUN. If you need a ride or directions let me know we can arrange something.

Personal note I start a new job on Sun Oct 10, I will be the media supervisor at the new Polaris Best Buy. I will still work at Family Toy for awhile until I get some money saved.

I believe Manny has the current listings of upcoming conventions.

Remember to bring things to auction off for the November Meeting. (remember money too)

Signing off

LCMR Sidley E. Howard

A Matter of Antimatter LT Erica Sherman

Hi Everyone. I just had my first two tests on Thursday. Didn't really know about one until the day before. I think I did a fairly good job on them. Sorry I couldn't go camping, too much schoolwork and I would have to get a sub for my route. Otherwise things haven't blown up in my face...yet.

Now it's time to get on the campaign trail. I am running for Treasurer. I have managed a Dispatch paper route for 5 1/2 years, collecting from (Cont. On page 4)

MULGREW AN
EVEN HAPPIER
'VOYAGER'

9/22/99 Dispatch

Written by
Ian Spelling
New York Times
Special Features

Submitted by
Cynthia Ayers

Kate Mulgrew is
psyched.

"I'd say the tone
of Voyager is
much freer,
much more per-
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as we get into
season 6." said

Mulgrew, who
once again as-
sumes the cap-
tains chair as
Kathryn Janeway
when Voyager
returns to the
airwaves Satur-
day night.

"There's no
question that
we're going for a
broader-based
audience now.
We'd love to find
more viewers,
both those who
watched DS9
and anyone else
who's willing to
see what we're
doing."

What they're
doing is making
space safe from
deadly aliens and
making Saturday
nights sacred for
born-again
trekkers.

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4)

MATTER OF ANTIMATTER CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3

over half my customers (60) each month. I also need to keep track of those who pay directly to the dispatch. I will do my best to get the treasury organized in the most efficient manner.

I have to get back to my engines now. Sherman Out.

Security Report

LCDR Manny Medina

Hi everyone another convention has come and gone, but it was a good one Gates was very entertaining, at dinner with the Stars Gates and John de Lancie did a dramatic reading not my cup of tea but everybody else liked it. But the best part of the dinner were the entertainers like Chase "Leeta" Masterson and Robert "Gowron" O'Reilly, John G."Martok" Hertzler at dinner they would go from table to table, it gave you an opportunity to talk to them and have your picture take with them. We were luckymost of the Stars made it to our table, Chase was there the longest ask me about the green beans? Gowron and Martok arrived at our table at the same time we were able to have out pictures take with both at the same time, I didn't think Sidley would let go of them. The Mighty Max was well represented by Manny, Sidley, Charles and Cynthia.

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MULGREW CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3

"When I say Voyager is more personal, that's precisely what they've done. They're approaching the show from the inside out," Mulgrew said. "It's no longer just about the ship, the constraints of the ship, the constraints of the ship and our circumstances."

There's one intriguing development on tap: Janeway should finally beam some romance into her hectic life.

"It'll be a very big romance, very powerful and heart-breaking," she said.

"I want it long lasting. I want it so unpredictable that it throws Janeway for the biggest loop you've ever seen her thrown for."

The relationship with Cleveland-based Tim Hagan, not to mention Mulgrew's guilt over missing major events in the lives of her two sons, led her to publically hint that she might not return to *Voyager*, but ultimately, the producers agreed to coordinate Mulgrew's schedule with "Extra Vigilance."

"To acknowledge my need for my time was crucial...they stepped up."



## CMO'S REPORT

CMO Nathan Cobough

As of late, I have been very busy and I have several job offers. I am currently employed at AMC Easton 30 at Planet Hollywood. Due to the configuration of time constraints, schedules, school, a wonderful marriage, and attempting to be a part of two ships, the Palpatine and the Max, I will not be able to obviously participate in some of the functions insofar as extracurricular activities. I am changing my technical training to Computer Information Systems instead of the Electrical Engineering program. Seeing that the EMH and other substandard operations are more in need of programming and systems checks that keep them fully operational is necessary. Again, I would like everyone to know that I am currently working the kinks out in my schedule. I am only an e-mail away at thecmo@hotmail.com. Signing off, CMO Nathan Cobough U.S.S. Maximillian

### Campaign for Treasurer

I know that many of you want to know who to vote for in the upcoming election, and I am sure that everyone is capable of doing the jobs and duties as described in the regs. Some of you probably feel that there is a devotion to the ship that is at times trying to most of us due to a limited budget. I myself sometimes feel that options need to be more available for fund raising and also allowing possible on-line subscriptions as another opportunity to stimulate cash growth. Instead of thinking that we are a small ship in the great cosmos, we need to think of ourselves as a big organization with lots of people on board. Campaigning, marketing, and advertising are essential as we go into the next millennium. We as a ship need to go global. There are a thousand different ways we can go about doing just that. We have started by having our own web site. Every person on board is capable of advertising our ship to others with similar interests. I intend to follow the rules to the letter and push them to the edge of the envelope, so to speak, so that we can be a prosperous organization. Come election, please vote for who you feel can do the job best. My opponent is also fully capable of executing the duties of the treasurer, so please vote on who you feel is right for the position of treasurer.

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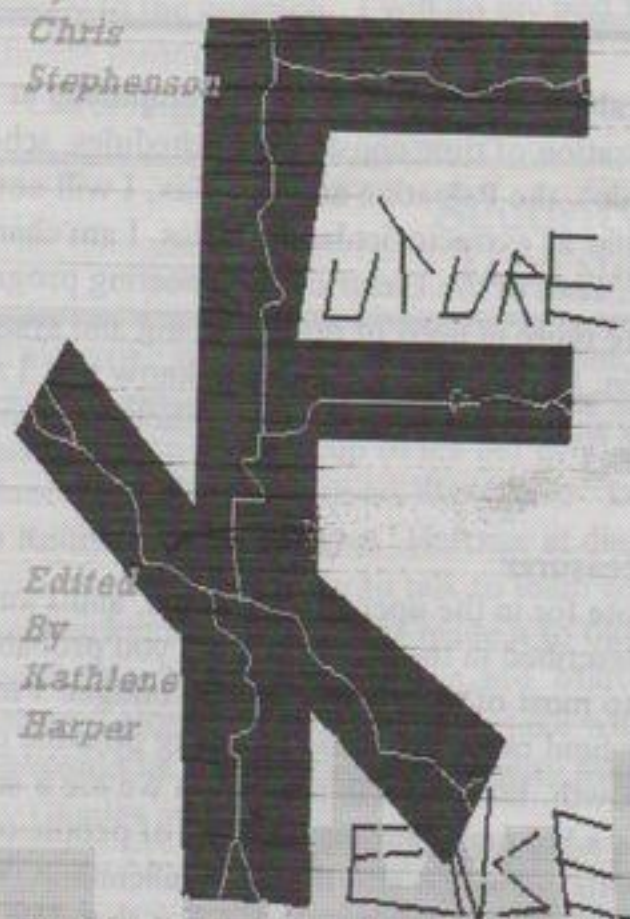
## Next Issue, This Time I mean it.

## Stupid production snags. well...blah.



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## THE FUTURE IS NOW.



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By  
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Harper

*The Chapters of Time Book One*

Mankind has discovered  
Time Travel.  
Now, to save their time,  
7 heroes from the future  
must face their past.

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The relationship  
with Cleveland-  
land's Tim Lincecum,  
not to mention Mid-  
west's golf over-  
riding major  
events in the lives of  
her two sons, led her  
to publicly hint  
that she might see  
the two boys.  
In January, the  
producer agreed to  
cancel the Mid-  
west's schedule  
with "Extra Vig-  
ilance."  
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