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- ❖ 03 – *The Hated* by Frederik Pohl, read by Gregg Margarite – 00:22:50
- ❖ 04 – *The Plattner Story* by H. G. Wells, read by Gregg Margarite – 00:45:32
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- ❖ 09 – *Unspecialist* by Murray F. Yaco, read by Wendel Topper – 00:28:47
- ❖ 10 – *What's He Doing in There?* by Fritz Leiber, read by Gregg Margarite – 00:12:24

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