

Letters to the Editor

U.S. hides facts on UFO sightings

To the Editor:

Congratulations to The Inquirer for its Jan. 5 editorial on the Alaskan UFO incident, as well as for responsible past articles on the subject.

The current sighting, however, may not be the biggest story of the age, although it may be the most important to date. The biggest story has been denied officially for 40 years, since the first

reported sighting by a responsible pilot and businessman, Kenneth Arnold.

From that time, our government has disgracefully rejected UFO sightings reported by people from all walks of life, including two sightings by Clyde Tombaugh, discoverer of the planet Pluto.

Other governments, under diplomatic pressure, have cooper-

ated in this denial of facts. The Soviets, at least until recently, also have lied to their citizens. The reasons may be various, but scarcely honorable or realistic.

In any event, UFOs are demonstrably real and significant, and our government now has a great chance to tell the truth to its citizens and to the world.

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