

Now hear this . . . now hear this . . . now hear this . . .

A man who is regarded as one of the leading experts on mysterious radio signals from outer space claimed today that one decoded message forecast increased UFO activity in the area of Cleveland, Whitby and as far south as the Humber.

He is Mr. Raymond Cass of East Court, Bridlington, who has a collection of more than 2,500 voices on tape, most of

them recorded from an ordinary radio on to a standard cassette machine at Hull where he operates a firm specialising in hearing aids.

The messages are known as EVP, electronic voice phenomenon and have been recorded by many scientists and other interested people for several years.

The voices often speak in a Polygot tongue — a jumbled

mixture of three or four languages used in one sentence.

A JUMBLE

Initially it is often a jumble of words but when translated into one language a lucid message usually results.

Mr. Cass said today that a unit of Western military establishment had subjected some of his original tape

recordings to advanced analysis and fed the enhanced results into a computer.

The computer was programmed to recognise certain common characteristics of terrestrial radio propagation and came up with a 50 per cent. "strangeness" factor.

Mr. Cass said: "The signals are in other words from an unknown source possessing a typical characteristic and are

an intrusion into our airwaves."

The decoded message forecasting increased UFO activity on the Yorkshire Coast was in a voice that was "robot-like, harsh and in distorted German."

Mr. Cass is convinced that the voices are no hoax and says that in his view there is definitely some form of intelligence behind them.