
The Murray Bott Archives

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Description

Over half of the entire collections are the files of Harold Fulton who founded the Group Civilian Saucer Investigations (NZ) in October 1952, which continued until late-1959. Fulton was the New Zealand Representative for both APRO and NICAP during the 1960s. Beginning in 1973 he was MUFON's Director for New Zealand until his death in 1986. The collection consists of sighting reports from around New Zealand; magazines/newsletters; some of the administrative records of CSI (NZ); and correspondence with early UFO personalities such as Albert K Bender, Gray Barker, Edgar Jarrold, etc.

UFO Magazine/Newsletters.

The Civilian Saucer Investigations (CSI.NZ) published the magazine, *Flying Saucers* quarterly from May 1953 to end of 1957. Then the name was changed to *Space Probe* for three issues in 1958, with a recess edition in September 1959. (Full set of magazines held).

Henk and Brenda Hinfelaar, who met while serving on the committee of Harold Fulton's group, CSI, initiated the Adamski Correspondence Group in early 1958 and began publishing their newsletter at this time. Following Adamski's New Zealand tour in early 1959, the group changed their name to New Zealand Scientific Space Research (NZSSR). At this time Fred and Phyllis Dickeson in Timaru established a newsletter. This was published bi-monthly/quarterly from mid-1963 until 1968, then intermittently until 1973. It eventually underwent a name change to *Spaceview*. The last issue published by Henk and Brenda Hinfelaar was # 65 in 1973. The magazine was handed over to Vic Harris who published from issue #66 (1975), through, # 78 (last quarter, 1978). (Almost full set held—most are original copies and the balance in photocopy form). The records of NZSSR (South Island)/SATCU/XENOLOG are believed to be still held by Phyllis Dickeson for her son Bryan who is active as a UFO Researcher in New South Wales, Australia.

Murray holds a personal library of 700 books covering UFOs and related topics, as well as a smaller Lending Library to approved borrowers of over 250 books.

Accessibility: Access to any serious researcher subject to prior arrangement.



The Arthur Bray Collection

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The Arthur Bray collection of books, periodicals and manuscripts on unidentified flying objects (UFOs) is a growing collection as more materials are added periodically. Arthur Bray acquired Wilbert Smith's papers, which are included in the ARCS collection.

This collection includes books, periodicals, slides and photos, manuscripts, research papers, some alleged UFO wreckage and lots of Wilbur B. Smith's personal correspondence and papers.

The department is open to the public from 12:30 p.m. to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday.

