

Wright Patterson AFB : What's Going On There?

- Captain Edward Ruppelt while head of the U.S. Air Force's Air Technical Intelligence Center (ATIC) "Project Bluebook", was stationed at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base.
- Some believe Wright-Patterson to be a 24 hour Top Secret UFO monitoring and research station.
- After the July 2, 1947 crash of a UFO at Roswell, New Mexico, the wreckage of the craft was loaded onto a B-29 and shipped directly to Wright-Patterson AFB in Dayton, Ohio.
- Wright Field (as it was formerly known) was the headquarters for the Air Materiel Command (AMC). General Nathan Twining was the Commanding General of the AMC back in 1947. He is also implicated as being one of the original "MJ-12" members.
- Gun camera film taken from F-86A Sabre jets in 1953-54 was later taken to Wright-Patterson AFB for evaluation.
- Colonel John Burnett was the Air Attache to the Foreign Technology Division at Wright-Pat in 1965 and met with a Captain Bruce Cathie, a New Zealand airline pilot who related to Burnett that he had discovered evidence for a "worldwide grid system used by UFOs". Burnett revealed to Cathie that intensive UFO research was going on there. In Cathie's second book he says the following..."The scientific laboratory there, set up for the purpose, was described as a complex of buildings covering a large area and staffed by many of the world's top scientists. Experimental work was carried out twenty-four hours a day, 365 days a year.
- The crash of a 100ft in diameter saucer with 16 dead aliens aboard near Aztec, New Mexico in 1948, had its remains sent to Wright-Pat shortly thereafter.
- In a book by Jean-Charles Fumoux in 1981 entitled "Preuves Scientifiques OVNI", the author relates how Leon B. Visse, an alleged expert on histons (elements connected with cellular genetic material) was invited in 1959 to a military compound at Wright-Patterson AFB, where he was asked to perform an experiment on the histonic weight of particular cells. Visse was later taken into a special room where he viewed two humanoid corpses.
- Leonard Stringfield contacted a former Navy test pilot known as "P.J.", who related the story of him and several other Navy pilots coming across a saucer-shaped aircraft which was being guarded at Wright-Patterson AFB back in April/1962. He was puzzled by the seeming lack of security since the object was not located in the test facility of the AFB.
- Tommy Blann, a researcher, interviewed a Colonel "X" who said, "In the earlier years they had taken some bodies to this base, but later it depended on where they were found. They had a hell of a time setting up procedures for this operation, as well as getting craft out of the area without it being observed. Usually this was done at nighttime." Colonel "X" also told Blann that he believed that in more recent years the bodies were flown outside

the U.S. to a secret naval installation on an island in the Pacific.

- Senator Barry Goldwater was denied access into a building at Wright Patterson AFB because it was classified above Top Secret. Goldwater did say that he understood that a plan was underway to release all or part of this material sometime in the future...although he didn't know what it was, he did say that he was aware of the rumours.

* Note: The above was taken from Timothy Good's 1988 UFO Book entitled "Above Top Secret".

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CHAPTER XIII

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS

What is an Unidentified Flying Object (UFO)? Well, according to United States Air Force Regulation 80-17 (dated 19 September 1966), a UFO is "Any" aerial Phenomenon or object which is unknown or appears to be out of the ordinary to the observer." This is a very broad definition which applies equally well to one individual seeing his first noctilucent cloud at twilight as it does to another individual seeing his first helicopter. However, at present most people consider the term UFO to mean an object which behaves in a strange or erratic manner while moving through the Earth's atmosphere. That strange phenomenon has evoked strong emotions and great curiosity among a large segment of our world's population. The average person is interested because he loves a mystery, the professional military man is involved because of the possible threat to national security, and some scientists are interested because of the basic curiosity that led them into becoming researchers.

The literature on UFO's is so vast, and the stories so many and varied, that we can only present a sketchy outline of the subject in this chapter. That outline includes description classifications, operational domains (temporal and spatial), some theories as to the nature of the UFO phenomenon, human reactions, attempts to attack the problem scientifically, and some tentative conclusions. If you wish to read further in this area, the references provide an excellent starting point.

33.1 DESCRIPTIONS

One of the greatest problems you encounter when attempting to catalog UFO sightings, is selection of a system for cataloging. No effective system has yet been devised, although a number of different systems have been proposed. The net result is that almost all UFO data are either treated in the form of individual cases, or in the forms of inadequate classification systems. However, these systems do tend to have some common factors, and a collection of these factors is as follows:

- a. Size
 - b. Shape (disc, ellipse, football, etc.)
 - c. Luminosity
 - d. Color
 - e. Number of UFO's
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Behavior:

- a. Location (altitude, direction, etc.)
- b. Patterns of paths (straight line, climbing, zig-zagging, etc.)
- c. Flight Characteristics (wobbling, fluttering, etc.)
- d. Periodicity of sightings
- e. Time duration
- f. Curiosity or inquisitiveness
- g. Avoidance
- h. Hostility

Associated Effects:

- a. Electro-Magnetic (compass, radio, ignition systems, etc.)
- b. Radiation (burns, induced radioactivity, etc.)
- c. Ground disturbance (dust stirred up, leaves moved, standing wave)
- d. Sound (none, hissing, humming, roaring, thunderclaps, etc.)
- e. Vibration (weak, strong, slow, fast)
- f. Smell (ozone or other odor)
- g. Flame (how much, where, when, color)
- h. Smoke or cloud (amount, color, persistence)
- i. Debris (type, amount, color, persistence)
- j. Inhibition of voluntary movement by observers
- k. Sighting of "creatures" or "beings"

After Effects:

- a. Burned areas or animals
- b. Depressed or flattened areas
- c. Dead or missing animals
- d. Mentally disturbed people
- e. Missing items

We make no attempt here to present available data in terms of the foregoing descriptors.

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33.2 OPERATIONAL DOMAINS - TEMPORAL AND SPATIAL

What we will do here is to present evidence that UFO's are a global phenomenon which may have persisted for many thousands of years. During this discussion, please remember that the more ancient the reports the less sophisticated the observer. Not only were the ancient observers lacking the terminology necessary to describe complex devices (such as present day helicopters) but they were also lacking the concepts necessary to understand the true nature of such things as television, spaceships, rockets, nuclear weapons and radiation effects. To some, the most advanced technological concept was a war chariot with knife blades attached to the wheels. By the same token, the very lack of accurate terminology and descriptions leaves the more ancient reports open to considerable misinterpretation, and it may well be that present evaluations of individual reports are completely wrong. Nevertheless, let us start with an intriguing story in one of the oldest chronicles of India...the Book of Dzyan.

The book is a group of "story-teller" legends which were finally

gathered in manuscript form when man learned to write. One of the stories is of a small group of beings who supposedly came to Earth many thousands of years ago in a metal craft which orbited the Earth several times before landing. As told in the Book "These beings lived to themselves and were revered by the humans among whom they had settled. But eventually differences arose among them and they divided their numbers, several of the men and women and some children settled in another city, where they were promptly installed as rulers by the awe-stricken populace.

"Separation did not bring peace to these people and finally their anger reached a point where the ruler of the original city took with him a small number of his warriors and they rose into the air in a huge shining metal vessel. While they were many leagues from the city of their enemies, they launched a great shining lance that rode on a beam of light. It burst apart in the city of their enemies with a great ball of flame that shot up to the heavens, almost to the stars. All those who were in the city were horribly burned and even those who were not in the city - but nearby - were burned also. Those who looked upon the lance and the ball of fire were blinded forever afterward. Those who entered the city on foot became ill and died. Even the dust of the city was poisoned, as were the rivers that flowed through it. Men dared not go near it, and it gradually crumbled into dust and was forgotten by men."

"When the leader saw what he had done to his own people he retired to his palace and refused to see anyone. Then he gathered about him those warriors who remained, and their wives and children, and they entered their vessels and rose one by one into the sky and sailed away. Nor did they return."

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Could this foregoing legend really be an account of an extraterrestrial colonization, complete with guided missile, nuclear warhead and radiation effects? It is difficult to assess the validity of that explanation... just as it is difficult to explain why Greek, Roman and Nordic Mythology all discuss wars and contacts among their "Gods." (Even the Bible records conflict between the legions of God and Satan.) Could it be that each group recorded their parochial view of what was actually a global conflict among alien colonists or visitors? Or is it that man has led such a violent existence that he tends to expect conflict and violence among even his gods?

Evidence of perhaps an even earlier possible contact was uncovered by Tshi Pen Lao of the University of Peking. He discovered astonishing carvings in granite on a mountain in Hunan Province and on an island in Lake Tungting. These carvings have been evaluated as 47,000 years old, and they show people with large trunks (breathing apparatus?...or "elephant" heads shown on human bodies? Remember, the Egyptians often represented their gods as animal heads on human bodies.)

Only 8,000 years ago, rocks were sculpted in the Tassili plateau of Sahara, depicting what appeared to be human beings but with strange round heads (helmets? or "sun" heads on human bodies?) And even more recently, in the Bible, Genesis (6:4) tells of angels from the sky mating with women

of Earth, who bore them children. Genesis 19:3 tells of Lot meeting two angels in the desert and his later feeding them at his house. The Bible also tells a rather unusual story of Ezekiel who witnessed what has been interpreted by some to have been a spacecraft or aircraft landing near the Chebar River in Chaldea (593 B.C.).

Even the Irish have recorded strange visitations. In the Speculum Regali in Konungs Skuggsa (and other accounts of the era about 956 A.D.) are numerous stories of "demonships" in the skies. In one case a rope from one such ship became entangled with part of a church. A man from the ship climbed down the rope to free it, but was seized by the townspeople. The bishop made the people release the man, who climbed back to the ship, where the crew cut the rope and the ship rose and sailed out of sight. In all of his actions, the climbing man appeared as if he were swimming in water. Stories such as this makes one wonder if the legends of the "little people" of Ireland were based upon imagination alone.

About the same time, in Lyons (France) three men and a women supposedly descended from an airship or spaceship and were captured by a mob. These foreigners admitted to being wizards, and were killed. (No mention is made of the methods employed to extract the admissions.) Many documented UFO sightings occurred throughout the Middle Ages, including an especially startling one of a UFO over London on 16 December 1742. However, we do not have room to include any more of the Middle Ages sightings. Instead, two "more-recent" sightings are contained in this section to bring us up to modern times.

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In a sworn statement dated 21 April 1897, a prosperous and prominent farmer named Alexander Hamilton (Le Roy, Kansas, U.S.A.) told of an attack upon his cattle at about 10:30 p.m. the previous Monday. He, his son, and his tenant grabbed axes and ran some 700 feet from the house to the cow lot where a great cigar-shaped ship about 300 feet long floated some 30 feet above the cattle. It had a carriage underneath which was brightly lighted within (dirigible and gondola?) and which had numerous windows. Inside were six strange looking beings jabbering in a foreign language. These beings suddenly became aware of Hamilton and the others. They immediately turned a searchlight on the farmer, and also turned on some power which sped up a turbine wheel (about 30 ft diameter) located under the craft. The ship rose, taking with it a two-year old heifer which was roped about the neck by a cable of one-half inch thick, red material. The next day a neighbor, Link Thomas, found the animal's hide, legs and head in his field. He was mystified at how the remains got to where they were because of the lack of tracks in the soft soil. Alexander Hamilton's sworn statement was accompanied by an affidavit as to his veracity. The affidavit was signed by ten of the local leading citizens.

On the evening of 4 November 1957 at Fort Itaipu, Brazil, two sentries noted a "new star" in the sky. The "star" grew in size and within seconds stopped over the fort. It drifted slowly downward, was as large as a big aircraft, and was surround by a strong orange glow. A distinct humming

sound was heard, and then the heat struck. One sentry collapsed almost immediately, the other managed to slide to shelter under the heavy cannons where his loud cries awoke the garrison. While the troops were scrambling towards their battle stations, complete electrical failure occurred. There was panic until the lights came back on but a number of men still managed to see an orange glow leaving the area at high speed. Both sentries were found badly burned...one unconscious and the other incoherent, suffering from deep shock.

Thus, UFO sightings not only appear to extend back to 47,000 years through time but also are global in nature. One has the feeling that this phenomenon deserves some sort of valid scientific investigation, even if it is a low level effort.

33.3 SOME THEORIES AS TO THE NATURE OF THE UFO PHENOMENON

There are very few cohesive theories as to the nature of UFO's. Those theories that have been advanced can be collected in five groups:

- a. Mysticism
- b. Hoaxes, and rantings due to unstable personalities
- c. Secret Weapons
- d. Natural Phenomena
- e. Alien visitors

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Mysticism

It is believed by some cults that the mission of UFO's and their crews is a spiritual one, and that all materialistic efforts to determine the UFO's nature are doomed to failure.

Hoaxes and Rantings due to Unstable Personalities

Some have suggested that all UFO reports were the results of pranks and hoaxes, or were made by people with unstable personalities. This attitude was particularly prevalent during the time period when the Air Force investigation was being operated under the code name of Project Grudge. A few airlines even went as far as to ground every pilot who reported seeing a "flying saucer." The only way for the pilot to regain flight status was to undergo a psychiatric examination. There was a noticeable decline in pilot reports during this time interval, and a few interpreted this decline to prove that UFO's were either hoaxes or the result of unstable personalities. It is of interest that NICAP (The National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena) even today still receives reports from commercial pilots who neglect to notify either the Air Force or their own airline.

There are a number of cases which indicate that not all reports fall in the hoax category. We will examine one such case now. It is the Socorro, New Mexico sighting made by police Sergeant Lonnie Zamora. Sergeant Zamora was patrolling the streets of Socorro on 24 April 1964 when he saw a shiny object drift down into an area of gullies on the edge of town. He also heard a loud roaring noise which sounded as if an old dynamite shed located out that way had exploded. He immediately radioed police headquarters, and drove out toward the shed. Zamora was forced to stop about 150 yards away from a deep gully in which there appeared to be an overturned car. He radioed that he was investigating a possible wreck, and then worked his car up onto the mesa and over toward the edge of the

gully. He parked short, and when he walked the final few feet to the edge, he was amazed to see that it was not a car but instead was a weird eggshaped object about fifteen feet long, white in color and resting on short, metal legs. Beside it, unaware of his presence were two humanoids dressed in silvery coveralls. They seemed to be working on a portion of the underside of the object. Zamora was still standing there, surprised, when they suddenly noticed him and dove out of sight around the object. Zamora also headed the other way, back toward his car. He glanced back at the object just as a bright blue flame shot down from the underside. Within seconds the eggshaped thing rose out of the gully with "an ear-splitting roar." The object was out of sight over the nearby mountains almost immediately, and Sergeant Zamora was moving the opposite direction almost as fast when he met Sergeant Sam Chavez who was responding to Zamora's

earlier radio calls. Together they investigated the gully and found the bushes charred and still smoking where the blue flame had jetted down on them. About the charred area were four deep marks where the metal legs had been. Each mark was three and one half inches deep, and was circular in shape. The sand in the gully was very hard packed so no sign of the humanoids' footprints could be found. An official investigation was launched that same day, and all data obtained supported the stories of Zamora and Chavez. It is rather difficult to label this episode a hoax, and it is also doubtful that both Zamora and Chavez shared portions of the same hallucination.

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Secret Weapons

A few individuals have proposed that UFO's are actually advanced weapon systems, and that their natures must not be revealed. Very few people accept this as a credible suggestion.

Natural Phenomena

It has also been suggested that at least some, and possibly all, of the UFO cases were just mis-interpreted manifestations of natural phenomena. Undoubtedly this suggestion has some merit. People have reported, as UFO's, objects which were conclusively proven to be balloons (weather and skyhook), the planet Venus, man-made artificial satellites, normal aircraft, unusual cloud formations, and lights from ceilometers (equipment projecting light beams on cloud bases to determine the height of the aircraft visual ceiling)

It is also suspected that people have reported mirages, optical illusions, swamp gas and ball lightning (a poorly-understood discharge of electrical energy in a spheroidal or ellipsoidal shape...some charges have lasted for up to fifteen minutes but the ball is usually no bigger than a large orange.

But it is difficult to tell a swamp dweller that the strange, fast-moving light he saw in the sky was swamp gas; and it is just as difficult to tell a farmer that a bright UFO in the sky is the same ball lightning that he has seen rolling along his fence wires in dry weather. Thus accidental mis-identification of what might well be natural phenomena breeds mistrust and disbelief; it leads to the hasty conclusion that the truth is deliberately not being told. One last suggestion of interest has been made, that the UFO's were plasmoids from space...concentrated blobs of solar wind that succeeded in reaching the surface of the Earth. Somehow this last

suggestion does not seem to be very plausible; perhaps because it ignores such things as penetration of Earth's magnetic field.

Alien Visitors

The most stimulating theory for us is that the UFO's are material objects which are either "Manned" or remote-controlled by beings who are alien to this planet. There is some evidence supporting this viewpoint. In addition to police Sergeant Lonnie Zamora's experience, let us consider the case of Barney and Betty Hill. On a trip through New England they lost two hours on the night of 19 September 1961 without even realizing it. However, after that night both Barney and Betty began developing psychological problems which eventually grew sufficiently severe that they submitted themselves to psychiatric examination and treatment. During the course of treatment hypnotherapy was used, and it yielded remarkably detailed and similar stories from both Barney and Betty. Essentially they had been hypnotically kidnapped, taken aboard a UFO, submitted to two-hour physicals, and released with posthypnotic suggestions to forget the entire incident. The evidence is rather strong that this is what the Hills, even in their subconscious, believe happened to them. And it is of particular importance that after the "posthypnotic block" was removed, both of the Hills ceased having their psychological problems.

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The Hill's description of the aliens was similar to descriptions provided in other cases, but this particular type of alien appears to be in the minority. The most commonly described alien is about three and one-half feet tall, has a round head (helmet?), arms reaching to or below his knees, and is wearing a silvery space suit or coveralls. Other aliens appear to be essentially the same as Earthmen, while still others have particularly wide (wrap around) eyes and mouths with very thin lips. And there is a rare group reported as about four feet tall, weight of around 35 pounds, and covered with thick hair or fur (clothing?). Members of this last group are described as being extremely strong. If such beings are visiting Earth, two questions arise: 1) why haven't there been any accidents which have revealed their presence, and 2) why haven't they attempted to contact us officially? The answer to the first question may exist partially in Sergeant Lonnie Zamora's experience, and may exist partially in the Tunguska meteor discussed in Chapter XXIX. In that chapter it was suggested that the Tunguska meteor was actually a comet which exploded in the atmosphere, the ices melted and the dust spread out. Hence, no debris! However, it has also been suggested that the Tunguska meteor was actually an alien spacecraft that entered the atmosphere to rapidly, suffered mechanical failure, and lost its power supply and/or weapons in a nuclear explosion. While that hypothesis may seem far fetched, sample of tree rings from around the world reveal that, immediately after the Tunguska meteor explosion, the level of radioactivity in the world rose sharply for a short period of time. It is difficult to find a natural explanation for that increase in radioactivity, although the suggestion has been advanced that enough of the meteor's great kinetic energy was converted into heat (by atmospheric friction) that a fusion reaction occurred. This still leaves us with no answer to the second question: why no contact? That question is very easy to answer in several ways: 1) we may be the object of intensive sociological and psychological study. In such studies you

usually avoid disturbing the test subjects' environment; 2) you do not "contact" a colony of ants, and humans may seem that way to any aliens (variation: a zoo is fun to visit, but you don't "contact" the lizards); 3) such contact may have already taken place secretly; and 4) such contact may have already taken place on a different plane of awareness and we are not yet sensitive to communications on such a plane. These are just a few of the reasons. You may add to the list as you desire.

33.4 HUMAN FEAR AND HOSTILITY

Besides the foregoing reasons, contacting humans is downright dangerous. Think about that for a moment! On the microscopic level our bodies reject and fight (through production antibodies) any alien material; this process helps us fight off disease but it also sometimes results in allergic reactions to innocuous materials. On the macroscopic (psychological and sociological) level we are antagonistic to beings that are "different". For proof of that, just watch how an odd child is treated by other children, or how a minority group is socially deprived, or how the Arabs feel about the Israelis (Chinese vs Japanese, Turks vs Greeks, etc.) In case you are hesitant to extend that concept to the treatment of aliens let me point out that in very ancient times, possible extraterrestrials may have been treated as Gods but in the last two thousand years, the evidence is that any possible aliens have been ripped apart by mobs, shot and shot at, physically assaulted, and in general treated with fear and aggression.

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In Ireland about 1,000 A.D., supposed airships were treated as "demon-ships." In Lyons, France, "admitted" space travellers were killed. More recently, on 24 July 1957 Russian anti-aircraft batteries on the Kouril Islands opened fire on UFO's. Although all Soviet anti-aircraft batteries on the Islands were in action, no hits were made. The UFO's were luminous and moved very fast. We too have fired on UFO's. About ten o'clock one morning, a radar site near a fighter base picked up a UFO doing 700 mph. The UFO then slowed to 100 mph, and two F-86's were scrambled to intercept. Eventually one F-86 closed on the UFO at about 3,000 feet altitude. The UFO began to accelerate away but the pilot still managed to get within 500 yards of the target for a short period of time. It was definitely saucer-shaped. As the pilot pushed the F-86 at top speed, the UFO began to pull away. When the range reached 1,000 yards, the pilot armed his guns and fired in an attempt to down the saucer. He failed, and the UFO pulled away rapidly, vanishing in the distance. This same basic situation may have happened on a more personal level. On Sunday evening 21 August 1955, eight adults and three children were on the Sutton Farm (one-half mile from Kelly, Kentucky) when, according to them, one of the children saw a brightly glowing UFO settle behind the barn, out of sight from where he stood. Other witnesses on nearby farms also saw the object. However, the Suttons dismissed it as a "shooting star," and did not investigate. Approximately thirty minutes later (at 8 p.m.), the family dogs began barking so two of the men went to the back door and looked out. Approximately 50 feet away and coming toward them was a creature wearing a glowing silvery suit. It was about three and one-half feet tall with a large round head and very long arms. It had large webbed hands which were equipped with claws. The two Suttons grabbed a twelve guage shotgun and a 22 caliber pistol, and fired at close range. They could hear the pellets and bullet ricochet as

if off of metal. The creature was knocked down, but jumped up and scrambled away. The Suttons retreated into the house, turned off all inside lights, and turned on the porch-light. At that moment, one of the women who was peeking out of the dining room window discovered that a creature with some sort of helmet and wide slit eyes was peeking back at her. She screamed, the men rushed in and started shooting. The creature was knocked backwards but again scrambled away without apparent harm. More shooting occurred (a total of about 50 rounds) over the next 20 minutes and the creatures finally left (perhaps feeling unwelcome?). After about a two hour wait (for safety), the Suttons left too. By the time the police got there, the aliens were gone but the Suttons would not move back to the farm. They sold it and departed. This reported incident does bear out the contention though that humans are dangerous. At no time in the story did the supposed aliens shoot back, although one is left with the impression that the described creatures were having fun scaring humans.

33.5 ATTEMPTS AT SCIENTIFIC APPROACHES

In any scientific endeavor, the first step is to acquire data, the second step to classify the data, and the third step to form hypothesis. The hypothesis are tested by repeating the entire process, with each cycle resulting in an increase in understanding (we hope). The UFO phenomenon does not yield readily to this approach because the data taken so far exhibits both excessive variety and vagueness. The vagueness is caused in part by the lack of preparation of the observer...very few people leave their house knowing that they are going to see a UFO that evening. Photographs are overexposed or underexposed, and rarely in color. Hardly anyone carries around a radiation counter or magnetometer. And, in addition to this, there is a very high level of "noise" in the data.

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The noise consists of mistaken reports of known natural phenomena, hoaxes, reports by unstable individuals and mistaken removal of data regarding possible unnatural or unknown natural phenomena (by overzealous individuals who are trying to eliminate all data due to known natural phenomena). In addition, those data, which do appear to be valid, exhibit an excessive amount of variety relative to the statistical samples which are available. This has led to very clumsy classification systems, which in turn provide quite unfertile ground for formulation of hypothesis.

One hypothesis which looked promising for a time was that of ORTHOTENY (i.e., UFO sightings fall on "great circle" routes). At first, plots of sightings seemed to verify the concept of orthoteny but recent use of computers has revealed that even random numbers yield "great circle" plots as neatly as do UFO sightings.

There is one solid advance that has been made though. Jacques and Janine Vallee have taken a particular type of UFO - namely those that are lower than tree-top level when sighted - and plotted the UFO's estimated diameter versus the estimated distance from the observer. The result yields an average diameter of 5 meters with a very characteristic drop for short viewing distances, and rise for long viewing distances. This behavior at the extremes of the curve is well known to astronomers and psychologists as the "moon illusion." The illusion only occurs when the object being viewed is a real, physical object. Because this implies that the observers have viewed a real object, it permits us to accept also their statement that these particular UFO's had a rotational axis of symmetry.

Another, less solid, advance made by the Vallee's was their plotting of the total number of sightings per week versus the date. They did this for the time span from 1947 to 1962, and then attempted to match the peaks of the curve (every 2 years 2 months) to the times of Earth-Mars conjunction (every 2 years 1.4 months). The match was very good between 1950 and 1956 but was poor outside those limits. Also, the peaks were not only at the times of Earth-Mars conjunction but also roughly at the first harmonic (very loosely, every 13 months). This raises the question why should UFO's only visit Earth when Mars is in conjunction and when it is on the opposite side of the sun. Obviously, the conjunction periodicity of Mars is not the final answer. As it happens, there is an interesting possibility to consider. Suppose Jupiter's conjunctions were used; they are every 13.1 months. That would satisfy the observed periods nicely, except for every even data peak being of different magnitude from every odd data peak. Perhaps a combination of Martian, Jovian, and Saturnian (and even other planetary) conjunctions will be necessary to match the frequency plot... if it can be matched.

Further data correlation is quite difficult. There are a large number of different saucer shapes but this may mean little. For example, look at the number of different types of aircraft which are in use in the U.S. Air Force alone.

It is obvious that intensive scientific study is needed in this area; no such study has yet been undertaken at the necessary levels of intensity and support. One thing that must be guarded against in any such study is the trap of implicitness assuming that our knowledge of Physics (or any other branch of science) is complete. An example of one such trap is selecting a group of physical laws which we now accept as valid, and assume that they will never be superceded.

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Five such laws might be:

- 1) Every action must have an opposite and equal reaction.
- 2) Every particle in the univers attracts every other particle with a force proportional to the product of the masses and inversely as the square of the distance.
- 3) Energy, mass and momentum are conserved.
- 4) No material body can have a speed as great as c , the speed of light in free space.
- 5) The maximum energy, E , which can be obtained from a body at rest is $E=mc^2$, where m is the rest mass of the body.

Laws numbered 1 and 3 seem fairly safe, but let us hesitate and take another look. Actually, law number 3 is only valid (now) from a relativistic viewpoint; and for that matter so are laws 4 and 5. But relativity completely revised these physical concepts after 1915, before then Newtonian mechanics were supreme. We should also note that general relativity has not yet been verified. Thus we have the peculiar situation of five laws

which appear to deny the possibility of intelligent alien control of UFO's, yet three of the laws are recent in concept and may not even be valid. Also, law number 2 has not yet been tested under conditions of large relative speeds or accelerations. We should not deny the possibility of alien control of UFO's on the basis of preconceived notions not established as related or relevant to the UFO's.

33.6 CONCLUSION

From available information, the UFO phenomenon appears to have been global in nature for almost 50,000 years. The majority of known witnesses have been reliable people who have seen easily-explained natural phenomena, and there appears to be no overall positive correlation with population density. The entire phenomenon could be psychological in nature but that is quite doubtful. However, psychological factors probably do enter the data picture as "noise." The phenomenon could also be entirely due to known and unknown phenomena (with some psychological "noise" added in) but that too is questionable in view of some of the available data.

This leaves us with the unpleasant possibility of alien visitors to our planet, or at least of alien controlled UFO's. However, the data are not well correlated, and what questionable data there are suggest the existence of at least three and maybe four different groups of aliens (possibly at different stages of development). This too is difficult to accept. It implies the existence of intelligent life on a majority of the planets in our solar system, or a surprisingly strong interest in Earth by members of other solar systems.

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A solution to the UFO problem may be obtained by the long and diligent effort of a large group of well financed and competent scientists, unfortunately there is no evidence suggesting that such an effort is going to be made. However, even if such an effort were made, there is no guarantee of success because of the isolated and sporadic nature of the sightings. Also, there may be nothing to find, and that would mean a long search with no proff at the end. The best thing to do is to keep an open and skeptical mind, and not take an extreme position on any side of the question.

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Thank You

NOTE: Although obviously well written and comprehensive in its treatment of the UFO phenomenon, it is the opinion of ParaNet Pi that this reputed

U.S.A.F. Chapter is in fact a cleverly planted hoax, and did not appear in any Air Force Training Manual as claimed. However, we do not have any hard proof to support this assessment of its authenticity.

-Tom Mickus 04/24/88

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TEXT IS EVIDENTLY ON DISK

48. Because of the infinitesimal size of the Universe, can quite easily say that the probability of the Earth being the only planet inhabited by intelligent beings is not logical. However, while there is research going on today in order to prove the existence of extraterrestrial intelligence (SETI) by listening in on the radio waves of space, I wonder; have we been contacted already? Is there some proof in the UFO phenomenon that proves the existence of extraterrestrials? Let's see. From all around the world report the sightings of strange aerial phenomenon every year. It has been going on for many years, but not as much as from 1947 to present. Due to the fact that so many people have seen objects in the sky that they can't identify, we could at least admit that there is sufficient reason to believe that UFO's exist. We can't scientifically prove their existence just based on that fact but we can't ignore it either. So our next logical question is yes, some are Earth originated. People can easily mistake a plane or helicopter flying at night as a UFO and have already. Some even thought that Venus was one. However, while most UFO's could be explained, there are an astonishing number of reports that cannot. They include reports from people such as police chiefs, scientists, pilots, and most interestingly, astronauts. There is plenty of information publically available that is reputable about details of their encounters. Our next step should be to concentrate on these unexplainable sightings. Out of these, is it still possible that the object could come from Earth? Dr. Renato Vesco thought so. In his book Intercept UFO, he writes about his experience an encounter with Nazi Germany. I am going to include a paper written by him but first because Vesco was a successful aircraft engineer and a specialist in aerospace and ramjet developments. He attended the University of Rome and, before WWII, studied at the German Institute for Aerial Development. During the war, Vesco worked with the Germans at the Fiat Lake Garda secret installations in Italy. In the 1960's, he worked for the Italian Air Ministry of Defense as an undercover technical consultant for the United States Air Force, returning from a raid on Speyer, West Germany, encountered a huge, orange colored light moving upward at an estimated speed of 500 MPH. When the pilots reported, sector radar had detected numerous other sightings reported by other pilots. The first was reported by a pilot of the 415th Squadron, reported such an encounter a month later forcing the Air Force to admit that such objects might exist. Later encounters with foo fighters led experts to assume they were German aircraft. When the war was over and Allied Intelligence teams moved into the secret Nazi plants. The foo-fighters seen on radar and interrupt electrical currents. Work on the German anti-radar Feuerball, or fireball, had been speeded up during the fall of 1944 at a Luftwaffe experimental center near Oberammergau, Bavaria. There, and at the aeronautical establishment at Weiner Neustadt, the first fireballs were produced. Later, when the Russians moved closer to Austria, the workshops producing the fireballs were moved to Black Forest. Fast and remote controlled, the fireballs, equipped with kliston tubes and operating on the same frequency as Allied radar, could eliminate the blips from screens. The fireballs had been launched too late and could no longer change the course of events, but in themselves they were significant not only because they were the outcome of a technical evolution which could have led to more dangerous weapons, but also because they showed that Nazi technology had moved in a direction far beyond anything the Allies had seen. Nazi Leaders reverted to an ambitious project created by Gauleiter Franz Hofer who had become high commissioner for the Italian Tyrol and the Southern Alps. The project foresaw setting up an incredible fortress in the mountains, including parts of Italy, Austria and Bavaria. Hofer submitted his plan to Hitler's aide, Martin Bormann in November 1944, but he had prepared for this moment back in 1938 when Nazi agents carefully mapped all mountain passes, caves, bridges, highways, and located sights for underground factories, munitions dumps, arms and food caches. To complete work on this fortress,

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nical general staff of the SS and by technical control of the Henshel and Zeppel
in works. These documents concern the propulsion unit of the Kugelblitz prototyp

In 1942, at the height of the German raids, the RAF had set up five secret airports in the very heart of the New Forest, in Hampshire. The big thing about these installations was the fact that they included complete industrial plants, decentralizing major groups essential for war production. They were called 'shade workshops.' The Germans, too, had much experience in this field. One of their major plants at Volkenrode resisted all attempts at aerial identification throughout the war. The British nor the Americans, on an official level, saw eye to eye in scientific matters at the close of the war against Germany and afterward. The United States' refusal to share atomic secrets with Britain was never quite forgotten in Whitehall, and Britain set out to prove, with Canada, that she was well able to produce her own fission bomb. If Congress steadfastly accused the British of giving little or nothing in return for information, the British felt they had been mistrusted and severely neglected. They preferred to go ahead with their plans. The fact that the area has been photographed again and again by high altitude reconnaissance planes, both U.S. and Russian, does not perturb the Canadian or British authorities. The plants and saucer ports are underground, hidden in primeval forests. The question immediately arises: Why have not Britain and Canada made such craft available to their other partners in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization? I believe there may be many answers to such a question, but one of the main points is this: Lack of confidence and fear of being exploited remain rife among the nations, as they are among people. And why should not Britain and her Commonwealth partner retain one major trump card which, one day, may become invaluable? The Apollo program is a fact. It is a fact that the Germans were before and during the last war, combined with the astounding progress in propulsion and the discoveries in suction aircraft of the Germans, based on 18 years of research into the most secret documents of the past war, have convinced me of one thing: The flying saucers do not come from space. They come from a few hundred miles outside the United States. They mean no harm, and Washington knows this. Hence the long standing article, 'The UFOs: A Report on the Evidence' by J. Edgar Hoover, published in August 1960, upon its printing above in its entirety. It is important because it is one of the few reports that goes into detail about the revolutionary technical advancements made by the Nazi Luftwaffe, which is the crux of his subject. However, in his book Intercept, UFO, he tells us that the Kugelblitz was indeed tested some time in February, 1945 over the great underground complex at Kahla, in Thuringia. Both the Kugelblitz and the Kugelblitz were observed and tested. We have to take into consideration a number of things: the fact that the Germans were not alone in their research; the fact that not only were they at war, which required much in the way of manpower, but they took on incredible projects such as constructing huge underground complexes at Nordhausen in the Harz mountains, Pennemunde and others. They also had their Naval Vessels provide support for a very detailed study of the Antarctic in which they were all headed by Admiral Byrd. The Admiral Byrd expedition, then, was quite frankly, a madman. He believed in obedience, controlled breeding and vivisection of humans. He believed in biological mutation and what could be produced with it. He used the slaves for his work force, as well as specimens for research. Let's discuss this possibility more in the message boards in Paranet and the UFO echoes. I am starting to get quite tired of the theory that UFO's and related matters, are extraterrestrial. It is being shoved down our throats by figures like "Falcon" and "Condor" as well as articles in Paranet like MUGGER.DOC and PICNIC 2.DOC. As a matter of fact, that is about all I hear anymore. It seems that since we want to hear about EBE's, the so-called, Intelligence Community, is giving us a lot of information about EBE's by person in the UFO community to research, in depth, HUMAN history. In particular, great scientists such as, Tesla and his experiments; Einstein's theories; Germany's secret weapons of the Second World War by R. Luser; the Philadelphia Experiment; Admiral Byrd's Project Highjump; books and periodicals about Nazi Germany and their interest in Antarctica; then tell me that the possibility of technology (Earth Technology) could not possibly exist that could explain UFO's and the past, why have we not seen these things: The flying saucers do not come from space. They come from a few hu

From: Bill Cooper
To: All Serious UFO Researchers
Subject: WARNING: The new PROJECT BLUE BOOK

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First let me give you my background so that you can evaluate this communication as any good investigator should always do.

United States Air Force 61-65 1) Strategic Air Command

United States Navy 65-75 1) USS Tiru (SS-416),
2) USS Tombigbee (AOG-11)
3) Naval Security & Intelligence Group, Camp Carter, RVN (Vietnam
4) (Operational Investigation)

Uss Charles Berry (DE-1035)
Reported to ONI

5) Staff, CINCPACFLT (Member Intelligence Briefing Team)
(POIC Pacific Fleet Command Center) Reported to ONI

NOTE! During my stint at CINCPACFLT (Commander in Chief Pacific Fleet) I held a TOP SECRET SI security clearance (the highest at that time I thought until I saw the highest). I saw and handled every message and or communication which was sent or received during my watch. As a member of the briefing team it was my job to compile information and help brief the top brass including CINCPACFLT every morning on all events which happened during the last 24 hours. I can safely say that I know things that you cannot even imagine. If you think that the government and or the military is honest with you then you are without any doubt a fool. They could never be completely honest even if they wanted. I really wish I could explain but I cannot ever do it.

Since leaving the military I have worked with several civilian organizations which are connected with the Defense Intelligence Network. It would not be smart for me to divulge their names or function. Suffice it to say that they exist and I worked for them.

I left the Intelligence community in 1980. I attended college in Long Beach, California where I obtained a Degree in Photography. For 3 years I owned and operated ABSOLUTE IMAGE, a gallery and studio of Fine Art Photography. I sold this business and joined the Education Business.

Airco Technical Institute Admissions Representative

Adelphi Business College Executive Director

UES Corporate Marketing Executive

Pacific Coast Tech Executive Director

NOTE! Just recently I was visited by Intelligence Officers and accused of attempting to make known information concerning UFOs that had come into my

hands during my military service and specifically concerning MJ-12, Majic, Aquarius, UFO, Bluefly, Moon dust, Snowbird, and others. Allegations which I (of course) flatly denied. This took place the day after a lengthy phone conversation with Stanton Freidman. Other things happened which made me decide not to play with these people and from my military experience I knew I could not win. I cannot ever divorce myself from the Intelligence community or my obligations to them. The consequences would be very grave indeed for me and those who rely upon me. I wish to make it very clear that I am absolutely loyal to the United States and do not desire to do anything which would endanger the National security. I also have an obligation to mankind and the earth and will try in every LEGAL way that I can find to expose what I know to be a cover-up of the true facts by the U.S. Government and Military establishment.

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When I read the introductory letter from The New Project Blue Book several things leapt out from the page. The first was "Inspired, and name-approved, by the United States Air Force". The Air Force has no interest in investigating any UFOs except for the ones they have under lock and key and the only purpose the New Project Blue Book could have is to function as a GREY DISINFORMATION OPERATION. It can only be a PSYOP (psychological operation) aimed at the whole population. The second thing, after I recovered from the first shock was the name "Project Blue Book". This term is already familiar to the American people and is commonly accepted as "the official UFO investigative arm of the United States Air Force" (Government). The third was "are sworn to uphold any secret, or sensitive, information, which comes to our attention in the search for the UFO information, and to with-hold any information which could be considered to be detrimental to the security of our country". Secrecy is the whole reason that nothing ever comes to light and every trail leads to a dead end. The fourth was "Therefore, any source may feel free to offer information to this office and know that the information will be confidential, and reporter -anonymous". This is guaranteed to prevent anyone from checking the facts behind and Blue Book finding. The fifth striking revelation was "The new Project Blue Book is not an Air Force-funded agency, but is, by design, a civilian agency-of former military personnel". I have worked for several civilian agencies-of former military personnel and in every instance they were an extension of the Defense intelligence network. (Did any of you listen to the Iran- Contra hearings, for example?) All of this was in the introductory letter.

The release held even more surprises. The first paragraph alludes that it is not only "name approved" but is "the United States Air Force Investigative Arm for Unidentified Flying Objects (UFO's)" which has been "reorganized". This is a blatant attempt to mislead the American people into thinking that the New Project Blue Book is in fact the original PFB which has only been reorganized. The last part of the sentence includes a statement that must be a Freudian slip of colossal nature and reads "comprised of (but not limited to), present and former, Air Force and other U. S. government AGENCY personnel". (Emphasis mine) The term Agency personnel is almost exclusively reserved to mean Intelligence community or Intelligence agents and is similar to the CIA use of the word Company. The last sentence states that they "will study future UFO sighting reports, but devote further indepth studies of the older, classic, sighting reports". Otherwise termed diversionary tactics.

Paragraph 2 seems to be innocent enough but continues on a diversionary note.

Paragraph 3 is revealing also. "will be directed by industrialist Bill Pitts, a veteran investigator for all (all?) civilian UFO organizations and various government agencies". What Government agencies were investigating UFOs and why does the Government deny it if Mr. Pitts does not? Again a diversionary statement "team will re-evaluate the older reports" etc.

Paragraph 4 continues with "earlier sarcer-era sighting reports". Why the obsession with the old stuff when the most greatest flap in history is taking place right now?

Paragraph 5 is potentially the most dangerous and could result in the loss of hard evidence and exposure to the Intelligence community of anyone who wished to step forward and reveal info from government service. The appeal to those type people seems to be designed to accomplish just that end. For example the loss of metal samples taken from the Zamorra-Socorro landing site.

Bryon Smith's ending letter also has some nice tidbits. "Bill.....has decided to make Paranet his Computer Link information system." With Jim Spiese r's permission I hope. Paranet is now an official disinformation dissemination facility and AFOSI and NSA are laughing their heads off.

Also in this ending letter is the statement, "I will not quote his words here concerning a subject that is all ready sensational and highly controversial", which is a direct reference to the MJ-12 and or Lear (which is 50% corroboration of MJ-12) material and divulges the entire mission of the new Project Blue Book.

With the Air Force approved name Project Blue Book, Air Force cooperation, investigation of the old classic cases, appeal for hard evidence and release of the "gag restriction" but only with PBE, and ridicule of the MJ-12 investigation along with who knows what else, AFOSI and NSA has pulled off a coup of monumental proportions. In the public's eye They will now become the official Air Force spokesman (meaning for the government) and the rest of us will be fringe loonies. If you doubt this then you do not know the American people. They will listen only to the constituted authority which is Project Blue Book.

The Intelligence Officer who dreamed this up and made it a reality is a genius and should receive a promotion (he/she probably will). If Ufologists fall for it they are dead and so is our only hope of ever solving this phenomenon.

Going after MJ-12 is the answer. I know this to be true but I cannot reveal to you what I know or how I know. I checked with my contacts within the Intelligence Community and my assesment of the new Project Blue Book is right on. Those of you who also have Intelligence contacts are encouraged to verify.

I encourage you to read my background again now before reading the next paragraph then I encourage you to read the next paragraph very carefully.

I firmly believe that the U.S. Government has in its possession several craft which are commonly described as UFOs or Flying Saucers. I firmly believe that The U.S. Government has in its possession several bodies of Alien beings called EBE's. I firmly believe that one of these craft along with the bodies was recovered from a small Island off the Norwegian coast during the 70's. I firmly believe that the first ones were recovered in this country from New Mexico and that this incident resulted in the establishment of MJ-12 to oversee the proper usage of the discovery and to maintain absolute secrecy.

I firmly believe that attempts were made in New Mexico to fly recovered discs and may have been successful. I firmly believe that other craft have been recovered in the United States and in other countries. I firmly believe that the MJ-12 material contained in the Lear text is correct. I have no knowledge whatsoever of the other material contained in the Lear text but believe that in light of the MJ-12 documents and the reputation of Mr. Lear that it should be investigated and not dismissed out of hand. I firmly believe that the original Project Blue Book was a diversionary tactic to passify the population. I firmly believe that the Condon report was a setup to justify the demise of the original Project Blue Book and lay the issue to rest. I firmly believe that the issue did not die as planned. I firmly believe that part of the Intelligence Community would like to expose MJ-12 but the majority does not. I firmly believe that the research and ultimate release of the MJ-12 documents by the research team of Moore, Shandera, and Freidman hit the target dead center and the Intelligence Network is seriously concerned. I firmly believe that the new Project Blue Book is a brilliant scheme implemented as a diversionary tactic to again pacify the population and relegate everyone else to the unofficial or fringe loonie category. I have great admiration for the person or persons who created the concept. All of the above constitutes my personal and private belief in the matter of UFOs and Flying Saucers. Any response to, or questions regarding this document should be posted on the message board of Paranet Alpha or Compuserve E-mail.

Bill Cooper

They do me wrong who say I come no more
When once I knock and fail
to find you in; For every day I stand
outside your door And bid you
wake, and rise to fight and win.

September 26, 1988

Addendum to ParaNet:

The New Project Blue Book is not a membership organization. There are no membership fees, and no annual dues. No-one may become a "member" by applying for same.

There are, currently, just under 150 Associate Members, and who will be the recipients of any FBB releases, etc. These Associate Members have all had an in-depth background in Flying Saucer/UFO sighting reports, from 1947 to this date. They are anonymous, even to each other. This way, each can theorize about a case/sighting according to his, or her, own expertise and not worry about a flood of correspondence, or phone calls, finding fault, discrepancies, etc. in their findings.

My commitment to them has been to protect them from public scrutiny and harassment.

Sincerely,
Bill Pitts

September 26, 1988

To: Jim Speiser, Bryon Smith, and associated members of ParaNet:

I have been advised of, and in receipt of your computer print-out, the "WARNING" that I wish to respond, at this time.

Before I do, please let me state that, as Director of the new Project Blue Book, I will always be happy to receive any information, comments, and even critiques, in order that we may all work together in the overall plan of attempting to find a solution (a logical one, I hope) to the UFO phenomenon.

The copy of the news-media release I, personally, gave to Bryon was on two separate pages. One of these pertained to an "Immediate Release" for use by any media wishing to utilize it - and the other, on PBB letter-head, was to answer any additional questions the recipient may have upon receipt of the release - and invited to contact me for any additional information, if desired, or required. This same privilege is open to any person in ParaNet, and/or others who may wish additional information. This office is not open to just the general public, and closed to my friends, or associates, in the so-called UFOlogy, but open to all.

Since there were two distinct, and different, pages of the release, Mr. Cooper has combined the two and extracted only what he wanted to convey and in doing so has taken it out of context. He has a right to do this, but his findings are, therefore, completely in error. Given his alleged back-ground in "Intelligence," he has committed some grave errors in assuming his own "truths" and changing the content, and intent, of the media-release to sing out his conspiracy threat to the nation, in general, and to those interested in UFO's in particular - or was it the other way around ?

I appreciate his comments about the "Intelligence Officer" who conceived the whole "plan." The whole idea of the new Project Blue Book was my idea, and had been "in the works" for quite some time. The wheels of justice move slowly. Not knowing, at this time, the future of PBB, any remarks I could make about it would only be conjecture, and high hopes, at this time.

By the way, Bryon's remark not quoting me, etc. had absolutely nothing to do with an alleged MJ-12, but the over-all phenomenon of UFO's, since 1947. Another assumption jumped to without knowing the facts.

I, really, do not wish to take Mr. Cooper to task with his commentary, because I appreciate the fact that some-one "out there" is doing some heavy thinking. He would be on the verge of "solving" the new PBB, if what he said were true - but it is not, but he does not know that - even though he could, and can now, contact me anytime he so desires - as any of you feel perfectly free to do.

I do not wish to skirt over some of the references - but let me state once, and for all time, that PBB is NOT funded, nor a part of, any branch (agency) of the U.S. Government. It is strictly a civilian organization/association, initiated by the Director. There should be NO hidden meaning, nor concepts, regarding same. I have to answer only to myself. This being the factual situation, I am amused that there should be a reference to Intelligence persons knowing something about PBB that even I do not know anything about. In this case, I am on a "need to know" basis, and no-one knows as much about the new PBB

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Project Blue Book will be interested... is not going to play games... try to keep it... organizations that can... interest to this office... organizations, and definitely... this office and which would... is going to be made aware of it... cautious to signing reports... history of reported UFO sightings.

Let me close, knowing that what I have... by asking you to not jump to conclusions... feel free to ask me, personally... about which you would like to know... Project Blue Book - it is the fact... Director of it - and who will release... and whose hands are not tied to... situation, and try not to hinder it, and you... with each of you as I can.

Very Sincerely,

Bill Pitts, Director
Project Blue Book

The following is a point of reflection on the current state of the UFO community as it is being portrayed by some of the material that has been circulating through Paranet.

Brad Langton : 1 December 1988

Over the course of the last few months I have been watching the drama unfold over the UFO enigma. In this time I have seen many examples of thoughtful, deliberate dialog on a subject that is at the very least, highly controversial. Unfortunately, I have also seen examples of the very worst in behavior exhibited by what I will call zealots within the UFO community. Most recently this charge would have to be awarded to Bill Cooper who has just uploaded one of the most animated and paradoxical documents I've yet seen.

While stating his allegiance to the Republic, he has gone to extreme lengths to discredit 90% of all the FOIA documents that have been tossed around over the past few years. Additionally, Mr. Cooper states that he has known that Majestic 12 was not a legitimate document. Mr. Cooper draws a veiled inference regarding his association with John Lear who along with himself "...know the real truth." I have to wonder why Mr. Cooper has become so nervous as to run about proclaiming his allegiance to the government over and over again. I am also concerned about Mr. Cooper's claims that the Aquarius and MJ-12 materials were "obviously a hoax" when those are the very documents of "proof" that John Lear sent to me earlier in the year in support of his hypothesis.

Does Mr. Cooper want us to believe that he is being pressured from above to defuse documents that are being widely referenced both in this network, the UFO books, and the recent plethora of television specials? In a similar vein, is he trying to set himself and John Lear as the GURUs of UFOlogy? This is all very confusing to me, especially in light of the materials John Lear sent me.

Looking back over the Paranet message base dumps of the last few months, I'm equally confused by the online behavior of Mr. Lear, Mr. Cooper, and some others that were coresponding with him at the time. I am in no way surprised that Jim Speiser finally had to act to prevent total anarchy in the message base!

Here at Paranet Lambda, one of our users has attempted to cast a veil of mystery around the removal of the B-49s (Flying Wings) from the Airforce back in the '50s. I went on to cast a fictitious veil around the possible "hidden agenda" of my BBS! Tongue in cheek, I think I have demonstrated how being too anxious to find mystery where in fact, none exists, can easily be constructed around ANYTHING.

Jim referenced my perspective of "open-minded skepticism" in a mid November post regarding the mission of Paranet. I would like to examine that perspective at this time. Basically, I feel that there are clearly mysterious circumstances surrounding many aspects of the UFO phenomenon. Each incident must be examined critically with an open, rather than an adle mind. This is to say that we do not procede from ANY premise except that there is a strange event... only after examining the facts, and this can be expert testimony, can we ascribe an S/P rating to the event. We should NEVER eliminate traditional explanations or assume that every blinking light is an extraterrestrial craft. Likewise we should NEVER assume that ONLY traditional explanations can possibly account for all UFO sightings or that UFOs can NOT be extraterrestrial or even interdimensional in nature. The key is to make NO assumptions that we can't place a probability on based on testimony or physical evidence. Lear's initial approach of placing his conclusions in the form of a hypothesis was faithful to this end. Unfortunately, subsequent corespondence produced other, less professional

responses and claims. We should never discourage hypotheses but we must clarify them as such and not get carried away without reason.

So where does this leave Paranet? In my understanding, we are to be a clearing house for UFO and paranormal information. All material is worthy of an initial investigation and subsequent debate. We should NOT be a mirror of CSICOP. As I see it, CSICOP begins with the assumption that everything is explainable in terms of commonly known phenomenon or basic fakery. We don't want to assume that everything is automatically strange and outside of our sphere of experience... we must be the middle ground. Jim is doing a great job of mediating this fine line and is to be commended for all of the tremendous effort that this takes. In my small way, I try to do likewise here at Paranet Lambda, although I don't have the superb resources and contacts that Paranet Alpha has developed.

Another possibility, and well within the scope of this network, is the possibility that the EBEs are not necessarily from another planet, but from another dimension or perhaps, even our own future. A recent article presented within the physics community (who I am sure are revered by CSICOP) states that it may in fact be theoretically possible to travel not only forward, but BACKWARD in time! The philosophical implications here are incredible and threaten to force us to completely alter our perceptions of causality, religion, everything! This would also explain why EBEs do NOT want to become visible to us, their past. See how easy it is to present hypotheses? For the record, I am NOT proposing the above as anything more than an intellectual exercise but I hope it makes my point without ruffling too many feathers.

Well, I've probably already said enough to become a controversy all my own so I'll leave now and encourage you to give Paranet Lambda a call at 716-377-3985 and let me hear from you... I'm sure that some of you have plenty to say regarding my ruminations. Lambda does support 2400 baud so if money is a problem, as it is so often with me, compose a response offline as I have here and upload it to Alpha or preferably to Alpha AND Lambda. I look forward to hearing from you all!

Brad Langton --<< Paranet Lambda >>--

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April 5, 1989

Linda Howe
P.O. Box 3130
Littleton, Colorado
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Dear Linda:

A few months ago you called me regarding an old friend of mine, William (Bill) Cooper. You asked me to confirm seeing and receiving documents from Bill Cooper on the night of his wedding in 1972.

I have been reluctant to discuss this with you and with the numerous people who have been trying to contact me. I have never met you or any of the other people that called me on the phone. I would have liked to have met with John Lear, however, when I was finally able to return his call, he had checked out of his hotel in Honolulu.

Bill and I were close friends. We discussed numerous subjects. However, when I would push in an area of a classified nature, he simply said that he could not discuss it. Throughout our friendship, I was involved in commercial as well as a sportdiving operations based out of Honolulu (Skin Diving Hawaii). The work which we were involved in required team work and trust. Often the topic of UFO's would be discussed. I learned through Bill that every space flight was accompanied by UFO's. As I have said, Bill and I were good friends. I was best man at his wedding. On the eve of his wedding, there was no party.

Here is what I remember of that evening.

Bill wanted to discuss something which was troubling him. I was there to listen. Through the course of our conversation, Bill produced some documents which contained what I believed to be classified information. It was about an alien base on the back side of the moon, as well as other information of a tender nature that Bill was involved in at CINCPACFLT in Naval Intelligence. I believed at thee time and still do that this information was true. We decided that I should keep copies of this information in case anything happen to Bill.

Unfortunately all I can remember is Space shots and the bases on the Moon. Whether this is due to the information being so unbelievable or so diturbing, I cannot say. Discussions of

the assassination of JFK came up but I cannot remember where they led. i have given that evening a great deal of

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thought since you called, and have tried to piece together that evening. This is all i can come up with. The information which i was to hang onto has since disappeared. I wish I could be more help to you and Bill, but I do not have the documents and cannot positively confirm anything other than what I have told you.

If you talk to Bill, please express my feelings of frustration in trying to recreate one evening 17 years ago.

Cordially,

(signature)

Robert J. Swan

Robert G. Todd
2528 Belmont Avenue
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March 21, 1989

Mr. Grant R. Cameron
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Dear Grant,

Many thanks for the material on Cooper's perspective of MJ-12. I don't have any "inside sources" with whom I can check the accuracy of Cooper's statements, so it's difficult to evaluate his material. On the surface, it has a better appearance than Moore's stuff, if only because it seems to contain more specifics. Still, I'm more than a little suspicious of it. Anything is possible, but because of the sensational nature of the claims, both Moore's and Cooper's, I must question their truthfulness until supporting information surfaces. That doesn't mean that I have given up looking for information to support the claims, because I haven't.

One thing that did catch my attention was Cooper's reference to Project SNOWBIRD, which he claims was a cover project for Project REDLIGHT. IF indeed SNOWBIRD was "A flying saucer 'TYPE' craft... built using conventional technology", and if indeed "It was unveiled to the press and flown in public on several occasions," why doesn't anybody know about it and why hasn't anybody seen it? If it was unveiled to the press, and flown in public on several occasions, surely the Air Force would have revealed its official designation and supposed "aircraft buffs" like Lee Graham would be aware of it.

I don't pretend to understand what's going on here. No matter how you look at this, a lot of people are lying. They can't all be telling the truth. I don't mean to suggest that Cooper is lying. He may only be repeating what his sources have told him. That brings me to another claim Cooper makes.

Cooper claims to have actually seen the GRUDGE/BLUE BOOK Report No. 13. The material you sent makes no reference to the circumstances under which he saw the document, although he hints that perhaps he saw it while in the military.. Where did he see the document during his military career? Did somebody in government shown him the document? If so, why? Was he shown the document in connection with his military duties? He answers none of these questions in the material you furnished to me. Unless he has explained this in another writing, he expects us to just accept the fact that he saw the document. I can't speak for anybody else, but I know I'm not made that way. Given the sensational nature of the claims, I just can't accept these kinds of allegations without something more substantial than somebody's word for it. For me, the circumstances of his having seen the document are almost as important as what he claims the document said. I can't say I would be any closer to believing his story, but it sure can't hurt.

The more I learn about these matters, the less likely I am to believe anything being said.

For your information, I have attached a copy of a letter apparently written by Richard Doty. I say "apparently" only because the copy I received isn't signed.

In the attached letter, Doty (presumably) reveals that his father was never a Blue Book investigator. He says his uncle was, so I guess the Edward Doty I mentioned in a previous letter may have been Richard Doty's uncle, rather than his father.

In addition, I don't know to whose book Doty refers in his letter. His comments clearly indicate a knowledge of the book's contents prior to publication. I suppose it safe to assume that he contributed to the book in some fashion. I don't see Doty as being capable of writing a marketable book, on his own. Maybe it was coauthored with Bill Moore. Maybe that's why the book with Bob Pratt fell through. As usual, Doty makes everything as clear as mud.

I have also received your March 19, 1989 letter and the accompanying copies from the Eisenhower Library. It shouldn't come as a surprise to anybody that Presidents do have Special Projects dealing with all kinds of matters, including those relating to science. Whether or not any of those Special Projects relate to MJ-12 remains to be seen. I wish Stan the best of luck with his endeavors.

As far as I know, nobody is saying that the people named as members of MJ-12 were not involved in government service. I know they were. Likewise, since they were involved in government service, we could reasonably expect to see clear and frequent links between these people, links that would be documented in official government records, as well as history books. So what? Aside from the MJ-12 document, I have seen nothing that even hints that these people were involved in matters relating to crashed extraterrestrial craft.

Stan Friedman has stated in his own writings that he caught on to most of the names on the list of MJ-12 members long before the MJ-12 document ever surfaced. Although he says he didn't catch on to Menzel, he knew before the document surfaced that Menzel had had a security clearance with the Air Force. In fact, he has written that when Bill Moore and Jamie Shandera first read him the names on the MJ-12 list, he went to his file on Vannevar Bush and pulled out a letter from Bush's attorney informing Bush of the result's of Menzel's loyalty hearing. Stan Friedman also points to the fact that the phrasing used in the Cutler memo to General Twining is almost identical to that used in another memo he and Moore located at the Manuscript Division of the Library of Congress years before.

If you start from the premise that the MJ-12 documents do constitute a hoax, then you have to consider how the hoax could have been hatched. In turn, you assume it was hatched with the Roswell incident, and start digging from there, as Bill and Stan have done. I agree that if a UFO actually did crash in New Mexico in 1947, the Research and Development Board would be a very logical place to start looking. Bill and Stan started looking. They looked for years, as I understand

it. But not until the MJ-12 documents surfaced did the bits and pieces of information they collected over those years of research magically start falling into place.

Either the MJ-12 documents are a hoax, or they are genuine. If the documents are a hoax, I contend that the documents were created around the very bits and pieces of legitimate information and facts Stan and Bill culled from the various archives. The dates, names, the relationships between the government personnel, are all legitimate. We know they are legitimate. Around these random pieces of legitimate facts somebody could have concocted the MJ-12 story. If you start off with the legitimate facts, and embellish them with tales of crashed saucers, of course the story is going to have an air of authenticity to it. Of course the dates and relationships will check out because they were known even before the story was concocted.

If the documents are a hoax, I don't know who perpetrated the hoax. As to why they may have done it, that depends a great deal on exactly who did it. It seems clear to me that, if the documents are a hoax, the person or persons responsible had to have information on a par with that held by Bill Moore and Stan Friedman. As a result, the hoax, if it is one, wasn't casually dreamed up one Saturday afternoon when the perpetrator had nothing better to do. Indeed, the legitimate facts gathered and used in the hoax probably were not gathered with the purpose of perpetrating a hoax in mind. I believe it was either an afterthought of the person or persons gathering the facts, or the same legitimate facts were shared with somebody who came up with the brilliant idea to concoct a story around the facts.

I don't know, in an absolute sense, that it is a hoax. I believe it is a hoax. I can't prove it is a hoax - nobody can, not even the government. If it is a hoax, we may never know. If the story is true, the government could confirm it, provided they want to. If it is false, they can't prove it and neither can anybody else. We could be exchanging identical letters fifty years from now and be no closer to the truth.

If Stan Friedman turns up proof that MJ-12 is legitimate, I'll be among the first to congratulate him. Sincerely, I wish him the best of luck in his hunt.

Bob

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 INFORMATION ON ACPONYMS - 1986

AZ - Air Force Intelligence
 AAC - Alaskan Air Command
 AAF - Army Air Force
 ACOM - Asian Communist - One of NSA's 4 major operational divisions
 ADC - Aerospace Defense Command
 ADLA - Assistant Director for Legal & Legislative Affairs - (NSA)
 ADPL - Assistant Director for Policy & Liason - (NSA)
 ADPR - Assistant Director for Plans / Resources - (NSA)
 ADT - Assistant Director for Training
 ADVA - Advanced Soviet - One of the 4 major operational divisions
 of NSA's production organization: Combined with GENS into
 a group
 AEC - Atomic Energy Commission
 AFB - AIR FORCE BASE
 AFESC - AIR FORCE ELECTRONIC SECURITY COMMAND
 AFGWC - AIR FORCE GLOBAL WEATHER CONTROL
 AFIS - AIR FORCE INTELLIGENCE SERVICE
 AFOC - AIR FORCE OPERATIONS CENTER
 AFR - AIR FORCE REGULATION
 AFSA - ARMED FORCES SECURITY AGENCY
 AFSAC - ARMED FORCES SECURITY AGENCY COUNCIL
 AFSS - AIR FORCE SECURITY SERVICE
 ALLO - ALL OTHERS- ONE OF THE 4
 MAJOR OPERATIONAL
 DIVISIONS OF NSA'S
 PRODUCTION ORGANIZATION -
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 ALP - ADVANCED LANGUAGE PROGRAM
 AMB - AMBASSADOR
 ANCIB - ARMY-NAVY COMMUNICATIONS
 INTELLIGENCE BOARD
 ANCICC- ARMY-NAVY COMMUNICATIONS
 INTELLIGENCE COORDINATING
 COMMITTEE
 ANG - AIR NATIONAL GUARD
 APRO - AERIAL PHENOMENA RESEARCH
 ARC - AD HOC REQUIREMENTS
 COMMITTEE
 ARDF - AIRBORNE RADIO DIRECTION-
 FINDING
 ARFCOS- ARMED FORCES COURIER
 SERVICE
 ARPA - ADVANCED RESEARCH PROJECTS
 AGENCY
 ASA - ARMY SECURITY AGENCY
 ASD - APPLIED SCIENCE DIVISION
 (CIA)
 AST - ATLANTIC STANDARD TIME
 ATIC - AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE
 CENTER (AIR FORCE)
 UFORC - UFO REPORTING CENTER
 BMW - BOMB WING
 UFOIS - UFO INFORMATION SERVICE
 CAUS - CITIZENS AGAINST UFO

SECRET

CFS - CANADIAN FORCES STATION
 CGS - COAST GUARD STATION
 CIA - CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
 CIC - COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS
 CINC/NORAD - COMMANDER IN CHARGE, NORAD
 CUFOS - CENTER FOR UFO STUDIES
 COMINT - COMMUNICATIONS INTELLIGENCE (NSA)
 CP - COMMAND POST
 CSC - CENTRAL SECURITY CONTROL (AIR FORCE)
 DATT - DEFENSE ATTACHE (US EMBASSY)
 DCD - DOMESTIC COLLECTIONS DIVISION (CIA)
 DCSOPS - DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR OPERATIONS AND PLANS (AIR FORCE)
 DDO - DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR OPERATIONS (AIR FORCE)
 DIA - DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
 DMZ - DEMILITARIZED ZONE (VIETNAM)
 DO - DUTY OFFICER
 FAA - FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION
 FBI - FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
 FISA - FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE SURVEILLANCE ACT
 FOIA - FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT
 G2 - ARMY INTELLIGENCE
 GAO - GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTING OFFICE
 GCCS - GOVERNMENT CODE AND CYPHER SCHOOL
 GCHQ - GOVERNMENT COMMUNICATIONS HEADQUARTERS
 GCI - GROUND CONTROL INTERCEPT
 GENS - GENERAL SOVIET - ONE OF THE 4 MAJOR OPERATIONAL DIVISIONS OF NSA'S PRODUCTION ORGANIZATION COMBINED WITH ADVA INTO (A GROUP)
 GG - GOVERNMENT GRADE - USED IN PLACE OF GS1 TO GS18 - ONLY FOR GOV'T EMPLOYEES SUCH AS NSA EMPLOYEES
 GMT - GREENWICH MEAN TIME
 GSW - GROUND SAUCER WATCH
 HFDF - HIGH FREQUENCY DIRECTION FINDING
 HUAC - HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE
 HUMINT- HUMAN INTELLIGENCE
 ICI - INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE
 IDA-CRD - INSTITUTE FOR DEFENSE

ANALYSIS-COMMUNICATIONS
RESEARCH DIVISION

IDP - INTERCEPT DEPLOYMENT PLAN
IEC - INTELLIGENCE EVALUATION
COMMITTEE
INSCOM- U.S. ARMY INTELLIGENCE
AND SECURITY COMMAND
INTELPOST - INTERNATIONAL
ELECTRONIC POST
INTELSAT - INTERNATIONAL
TELECOMMUNICATIONS
SATELLITE
INYSA - ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF
INTELLIGENCE, USAF, SCIENCE
AND TECHNOLOGY BRANCH,
DIRECTORATE OF RESPONSE
MANAGEMENT
INZ - AEROSPACE INTELLIGENCE
DIVISION (AFIS)
INZA - EDITING, DEBRIEFING, AND
CONTINUITY BRANCH (AFIS)
IPB - INTERCEPT PRIORITIES
BOARD
JACL - JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL,
LITIGATION DIVISION (USAF)
JANAP - JOINT ARMY NAVY AIR FORCE
PUBLICATION
JCS - JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF
JOSAF - JOINT OPERATIONS SUPPORT
ACTIVITY - FRANKFURT
JRC - JOINT RECONNAISSANCE CENTER
JSPC - JOINT SOBE PROCESSING
CENTER
JTLS - JOINT TECHNICAL LANGUAGE
SERVICE
KGB - KOMITET GOSUDARSTVENNOY
BEZOPASNOSTI (COMMITTEE
FOR STATE SECURITY) USSR
KISR - KUWAIT INSTITUTE FOR
SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH
KM - KILOMETER
LASP - LOW ALTITUDE SURVEILLANCE
PLATFORM
LCF - LAUNCH CONTROL FACILITY
(AIR FORCE)
LOB - RAYMOND E. LINN OPERATIONS
BUILDING
LPMEDLEY - CIA CRYPTONYM FOR AN
OPERATION IN SUPPORT
OF THE NSA
LRTS - LONG RANGE TECHNICAL
MI-8 - MILITARY INTELLIGENCE
SECTION 8 - CODES AND
CIPHERS
SEARCH
MID - MILITARY INTELLIGENCE
DIVISION
M5 - NSA OFFICE OF SECURITY
MIT - MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF
TECHNOLOGY

MPRO - MACHINE PROCESSING SECTION
OF NSA'S PRODUCTION
ORGANIZATION

MUFON - MUTUAL UFO NETWORK

NAVSPASUR - NAVAL SPACE SURVEILLANCE
SYSTEM

NCDC - NATIONAL COMBAT OPERATIONS
CENTER

NEPA - NUCLEAR ENERGY FOR THE
PROPULSION OF AIRCRAFT

NICAP - NATIONAL INVESTIGATIONS
COMMITTEE ON AERIAL PHENOMENA

NM - NAUTICAL MILE

NMCC - NATIONAL MILITARY COMMAND
CENTER

NORAD - NORTH AMERICAN AEROSPACE
DEFENSE COMMAND

NPIC - NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC
INTERPRETATION CENTER

NRL - NAVAL RESEARCH LABORATORY

NSA - NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY

NSF - NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

OAM - OPERATION ANIMAL MUTILATION

ONI - OFFICE OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE

OSI - OFFICE OF SPECIAL
INVESTIGATIONS (AIR FORCE)

OSI - OFFICE OF SPECIAL
INVESTIGATIONS (CIA)

OSS - OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES

PSAPR - PUGET SOUND AERIAL PHENOMENA
RESEARCH INC.

RAPCOM - RADAR APPROACH COMMUNICATIONS

RAPCON - RADAR APPROACH CONTROL

RCMP - ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

SA - SPECIAL AGENT

SAC - STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND

SAC/HO - STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND OFFICE
OF HISTORY

SAFOI - SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE
OFFICE OF INFORMATION

SAD - SMITHSONIAN ASTROPHYSICAL
OBSERVATORY

SAT - SECURITY ALERT TEAM

SBI - SPECIAL BACKGROUND
INVESTIGATION

SDS - STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC
SOCIETY

SIGLEX- SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP ON
LEXICOGRAPHY

SIGNIT - SIGNALS INTELLIGENCE (NSA)

SIGTRAN - SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP ON
TRANSLATION

SIGVOICE- SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP ON
VOICE

SIPG - SPECIAL INTERCEPT PRIORITIES
GROUP

SIS - SIGNAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE

SOLIS - SIGNIT - ON LINE
INTELLIGENCE SYSTEM

SPADATS - SPACE DETECTION AND TRACKING

SYSTEM (NORAD)

SPS - SECURITY POLICE SQUADRON
SSA - SIGNAL SECURITY AGENCY
SSB - SOFT SUPPORT BUILDING (USAF)
TIA - TEMPERATURE INVERSION
ANALYSIS
USAF - UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
USG - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
Z - ZULU (UNIVERSAL TIME)

THIS IS ONLY A PARTIAL LISTING.....
MORE ACRONYMS WILL BE ADDED AS OUR
TIME PERMITS IT. THANK YOU !

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BRITISH SCIENTISTS TO SEARCH FOR "ANTI-GRAVITY" FORCE

ANTI-GRAVITY

LONDON (OCT. 28) XINHUA - A TEAM OF BRITISH SCIENTISTS IS SETTING UP AN EXPERIMENT TO SEARCH FOR AN "ANTI-GRAVITY" FORCE, "THE TIMES" NEWSPAPER REPORTED TODAY.

MOST OF THE EXPERIMENTS IN THE WORLD TO DATE HAVE NOT BEEN SUFFICIENTLY SENSITIVE TO DETECT THE "ANTI-GRAVITY" FORCE, SAID PROFESSOR KEITH RUNCORN LEADER OF THE RESEARCH TEAM, AT THE PHYSICS DEPARTMENT OF NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY.

THE UNIVERSITY HAS WON SUPPORT FROM THE SCIENCE AND NATURAL ENVIRONMENT RESEARCH COUNCILS TO SET UP SENSITIVE GRAVITY-MEASURING INSTRUMENTS AROUND THE VAST DRY DOCKS IN PORTSMOUTH, SOUTHAMPTON AND BELFAST IN BRITAIN AS WELL AS BREST IN FRANCE.

A CHANGE IN THE GRAVITATIONAL FIELD OCCURS WHEN THOUSANDS OF TONNES OF WATER POURING THROUGH THE SLUICES IS MEASURED DOWN TO ONE THOUSAND-MILLIONTH OF THE STRENGTH OF THE EARTH'S GRAVITATIONAL FIELD.

IF THE "ANTI-GRAVITY" FORCE EXISTS, THE INCREASE IN GRAVITY CAUSED BY THE WEIGHT OF WATER WILL BE LESS THAN THAT CALCULATED WITH CONVENTIONAL THEORY.

PROFESSOR RUNCORN EXPRESSED HIS CONFIDENCE THAT THEY COULD DETECT THE VALUE OF THE "ANTI-GRAVITY" FORCE.

THE FIRST SERIOUS ATTEMPTS TO DETECT THE FORCE AT THE DOCKS WILL BEGIN LATER THIS YEAR, THE NEWSPAPER SAID.

THE "ANTI-GRAVITY" FORCE IS THOUGHT TO WEAKEN GRAVITY BY ABOUT ONE PERCENT OVER DISTANCES FROM A FEW YARDS TO ONE MILE.

HOWEVER, PROFESSOR MICHAEL GREEN OF LONDON'S QUEEN MARY COLLEGE, AN AUTHORITY ON THE THEORY OF THE FUNDAMENTAL FORCES OF NATURE, IS VERY SKEPTICAL ABOUT THE EXISTENCE OF THE "ANTI-GRAVITY" FORCE, THE NEWSPAPER ADDED.

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SPECIAL INTERESTS

Paranet BBS Explores Fringe Sciences

In James J. Speiser's opinion, the exploration of paranormal phenomenon is beset by two warring camps.

On one side are the believers, who Speiser says have been accused of careless or even fraudulent research. On the other side are scientists who close their minds to anything other than mainstream science.

"Unfortunately, for those of us in the middle, caught in a seemingly endless cycle of ignorance, the questions always get posed in the likes of The National Enquirer, while the "answers" are published in the Skeptical Inquirer. What you have are two monologues, where there should be one dialogue."

To encourage such a dialogue, Speiser started ParaNet/The Other Side, an Arizona bulletin board dedicated to "filling the information gap between believers and non-believers in the fringe sciences."

The unusual is the ordinary on Speiser's BBS. It regularly deals with Unidentified Flying Objects, astral projection, mysterious burning deaths, extrasensory perception, reincarnation and the possibility of plesiosaurs in our lakes.

"Man is surrounded by mysteries," said Speiser. "His Fascination with the unknown is as old as knowledge itself. But until now, much of our ignorance of these subjects could be ascribed to lack of suitable mass communications. Many of the myths surrounding these mysteries were propagated because there was no way to get the right knowledge to the right people."

The BBS is operated by The National Fringe Sciences Information Service in Fountain Hills, Arizona. It is the flagship board of the ParaNet System, which is a planned network of such boards around the country, dedicated to the enlightenment of individuals seeking the truth about the paranormal.

"I envision ParaNet as a series of bulletin boards around the country, collecting data in the form of new and significant studies, and disseminating it to interested individuals, including high school and college students, housewives, telecommunications magazine editors, and theoretical physicists," said Speiser.

He said he expects and welcomes challenge and skepticism and hopes that not only scientists but also average people will take part in the dialogue.

The BBS includes brief reports of unusual occurrences, such as a fireball spotted over Vancouver, British Columbia in February and an obituary for Edgar Cayce biographer Gladys Davis Turner. Other files include an article on ancient astronauts and several on UFOs.

Speiser's BBS uses the BBS-PC software. It's open twenty-four hours at 602-837-0062. His voice number is 602-837-9838.

The UFO Information Service in Seattle, Washington, shares Paranet's interest in UFOs. The board stocks both news articles and research reports and is used primarily by researchers, doctors, military brass, and other experts in the field.

The BBS, which requires sysop verification for access, is online at 206-722-5738

- B L U E P E A C E -

BLUE PEACE: Blue peace is a new organization which will be taking over all operations of trying to get "congressional Hearings" open hearings concerning this subject matter of Military and Government cover-up. Blue Peace, is NOT a UFO organization per se but is a civilian interest organization. There will be more information upcoming on Blue Peace, in the next few weeks and also what it will take to become a member of this organization. There will soon be two CUFON mother system on line, meaning two phone number that can be used at the same time. One will be set to run at 300 Baud and the other will run at 1200 Baud. We are thinking of running them both at 300 and 1200 baud. We will let all members and users know when this service starts. Once again thank you, for supporting CUFON, & UFO Information Service. Also "Blue Peace" will be putting out a new Journal, the name of this Journal will be called "The Journal For Blue Peace" This journal will have all types of information for this subject matter and others along with upcoming information on trying to get these "Congressional Hearings" held.

BLUE PEACE, will need all the help they can get to bring about these hearings so please support this cause in the interests of "truth" concerning this very important subject matter.

PLEASE NOTE: Blue Peace is not a New Age movement or New Age organization; Blue Peace is to get the truth out to people who would like or who should know the truth about this subject matter and how it relates to them as Americans, and to others people of the world.

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Communication instructions for
Reporting vital intelligence
sightings from aircraft
(CIRVIS)

JANAP 146 (b)

THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF
JOINT COMMUNICATIONS-ELECTRONICS COMMITTEE
Washington, D.C.
September 2, 1951

6 September 1951

LETTER OF PROMULGATION

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Chapter 1

102. Scope.

a. This publication is limited to the reporting of information of vital importance to the security of the United States of America, its territories and possessions, which, in the opinion of the observer, requires prompt defensive and/or investigative action by the U.S. Armed Forces.

Chapter 2

CIRVIS REPORTS

SECTION 1 ----- GENERAL

201. Information to be reported and when to report.

- (1) immediatley (except over foreign territory--see Art.215)
- (b) Unidentified flying objects.

205. Precedence (priority of transmission).

Transmission of CIRVIS reports will be preceded by or include the international "URGENCY SIGNAL," military precedence of "EMERGENCY," or "EMERGENCY U.S. GOVERMENT," as appropriate for the communications means, system of service employed.

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- a. All CIRVIS messages will be multiple addressed to:
 - (1) CG, AIR DEFENSE COMMAND, ENT AFB, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO. (commanding general, air defense command, ent air force base, Colorado Springs, Colorado.)
 - (2) SEDEF WASHINGTON D C (SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, WASHINGTON, D.C.) who will transmit copies of the reports to the CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY and other appropriate agencies.
 - (3) Nearest U.S. Military Command with which communications may be effected.

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