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This month was assigned for the release of the Flying Saucer Review which, however, is still in the process of publication. We wish to inform members and other readers that, in spite of delays, the next issue will be released in November, or at the latest, December.

WORLD SCENE

U.S.S.R. Recent Associated Press despatch from Moscow indicates that the U.S.S.R. is embarking on flying saucer research. It was made known that during the last twenty years Soviet radar has registered U.F.O.s, and a great number of other UFO observations were made to such an extent that scientific investigation is regarded as warranted. Also a book "Inhabited Cosmos" is being prepared for publication, edited by two famous scientists, Prof. Konstantinov and Dr. Zigel. A large portion of the book will deal with the possibility of extra-terrestrial origin of UFO's and space ships. Other aspects will also receive attention, such as hoaxes, optical illusions, secret earth devices and unknown natural phenomena.

U.S.A.

28/ Mar /67
On 28th March, 1967, David Morris of Munro Falls, Ohio was driving home at 2.20 a.m. from work, when he noticed an orange glow on the other side of the hill which he was approaching. He thought that maybe lightning had struck a house as a storm had just passed by. When he had reached the crest of the hill he saw from the distance of about thirty yards a cone-shaped object some twenty feet tall and 15 feet at the base. On the top of it there appeared to be another one again, only of circular shape. Looking back from the wheat field where the object was standing he did not decrease his speed of some 30 M.P.H., however, on looking back to the roadway he was amazed to see four or five figures standing on the road a short distance ahead. He slammed on the brakes and observed their quick moving actions back and forth each side of the road. They appeared to be about 3½ feet tall with over-sized heads and gave off an orange-red glow. They were humanoid in shape. Whilst he had braked to avoid a collision he was unable to stop soon enough and hit one of them before coming to a stop some yards beyond them. He was about to alight from the car when the thought struck him that maybe, because he had hurt one of them, they may now attack him. Rather than wait to discover their reactions he accelerated and left them to themselves. Later that day he returned to the area with a friend, but could find no trace of the unusual visitors. He had noted that his car was dented in the chrome trim and that there were several scratches visible. He recalled that the object appeared translucent, was silent, saw no doors or windows and gave off no odours. His friend noted the skid marks made by Morris's tyres. Morris later told a reporter that, "he had never before experienced anything like what he had seen that morning...they certainly were not earthly creatures."

CANADA

20/ May /67
The first landing of the current Canadian flap took place at about 12 noon on the 20th May last in a wild area east of Winnipeg, Canada. Fifty year old Steve Michalak was prospecting at the time in the vicinity of Falcon Lake, some 75 miles east of the city. Michalak became aware of something strange when some nearby geese became disturbed by something overhead. Looking up from his crouched position behind some brush he observed two red objects approaching, one at about 15 feet altitude and the other a little higher. The first object landed while the other gained speed and disappeared. He remained watching the object for about half an hour, then a door, not previously visible, opened inward to reveal a lighted interior of "fantastic" purple. Putting on his welding glasses, the inside lights seemed to flash red, green and blue. He was unable to see clearly whether these lights emanated from a panel or not. Suddenly a high-pitched whining sound came from it and an odour like burnt out generator motor. Michalak decided to approach the vehicle to observe it more closely. Heat radiated

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from its stainless steel - like surface. Michalak tried speaking toward the open doorway in several different languages, then the whining sound stopped and he heard voices inside. The door then closed without any sign of a join. He reached out and touched the machine with his rubber-coated glove, whereupon it melted as his hand moved along the metal surface. As he looked at his glove the object began moving in a counter-clockwise direction and he was blown sideways by the hot blast given off as it moved away in the direction in which it had come. Michalak now saw that his shirt had become burnt and he had second and third degree burns on his face and chest. Packing his things Michalak returned home and sought medical attention for his burns, saying that he had been burnt by the exhaust of a jet plane. During this time he was frequently nauseated, had dizzy spells, could not keep food down and lost 22 pounds in weight. Later, interviewed by investigators on behalf of A.P.R.O., Michalak was found to be regarded as a reliable person and quite stable in his thinking. This report was not widely publicised but Michalak is convinced without any reservation that this was no earthly craft.

NEW ZEALAND

4/ May / 67

Hamilton City just after 9 p.m. on Thursday, May 4th last, Mr. and Mrs. Rika walked outside of their house after viewing "Wagon Train". Mr. Rika first saw the object as he was looking at the sky towards the N.E. He thought at first that it was either a falling star or a meteorite, and he called his wife to come and have a look. Mrs. Rika also saw the object falling. Then, while they were watching, it appeared to stop in its tracks and swerved sharply to the right, continuing towards the east at a slower rate. They were in the back garden at the time and the object disappeared from view behind the house next door. They walked through to the front garden which is on higher ground, and saw the object again, still continuing at a steady speed and at the same altitude. They watched it for some five to seven minutes, and are quite sure about the time, because they said it was exactly ten minutes past nine when they returned indoors. - - The object continued round until it appeared to be over the other side of the road, which is in the S.E. Then the object just faded from sight. It did not appear to change direction again or speed, but it would seem from the witnesses' story that the object did actually make a sharp turn again, while it was right opposite them and took off in a S.E. direction which would give it the appearance of fading away. It must also have increased speed to have disappeared from sight so rapidly, after having been in view for so long.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Rika described the object as a short cylindrical light, shaped like a cross between a rugby ball and a vacuum cleaner. The object appeared to be solid, they said, and round, although the roundness was merely an impression. The whole thing was alight - there were no other shapes attached to it that were not lit. It made no noise whatsoever...and it was this as well as the sudden change of direction and the shape which convinced the Rikas that it was not a commercial aircraft or a meteor. Mrs. Rikas phoned the N.A.C. the next day and was told that the last flight over the city was at 7.25 p.m. She checked with the R.N.Z.A.F. at Te Rapa and was told that there were no flights over Hamilton as late as the time mentioned. The witnesses are both young and not very long married. He is a Maori and she is a Pakeha and they appear level-headed and sensible.

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SOCIAL NOTES

Our last social was attended by about 36 members who thoroughly enjoyed a talk by Mr. R. Tamblighton on historical evidence of UFO's and traces left behind of such visitations in ancient records.

New photographs received from the U.S.A. taken by Air-force staff and regarded as being definitely genuine, were shown as well.

Lively discussion followed the lecture.

An excellent supper and drinks were provided, thanks being due to

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the majority of visitors who contributed refreshments.

NEWCASTLE BRANCH.

Following the visit of several U.F.O.I.C. committee members to Newcastle on the 27th. July last, and addressing the audience of 133 people, interest in the UFO subject was such that a new society has since been formed. This will be known, for the time being, as the Newcastle U.F.O.I.C. and will be autonomous. Meanwhile their members will be associated of the Sydney UFOIC and will remain such until the Society is strong enough to organise its own affairs with confidence. Until then Sydney executive members will travel regularly to Newcastle to lecture and help the Society in any way possible. Current president is Miss Rosemary Pendlebury with the Secretary Mrs. A. Robinson, both of whom have in this very short time displayed considerable organising ability in placing the UFO subject before the Newcastle public in such a prominent way. The next Newcastle meeting will be held on the 5th. October, at which time the Society will be officially inaugurated.

Our next Social evening is fixed for Friday 3rd. November, 1967, at the President's residence and will feature a talk by Mr. W. Dutton on the subject of "Radionics" or "World beyond the Atom". A most stimulating evening is anticipated for the subject is of such magnitude that it embraces telepathy, radiastasia, hypnosis and other related matters.

Our Secretary wishes to acknowledge the receipt of several back issues of Newsletters and copies of No. 8. Review, thanking the sender with appreciation for his contribution. It should also be noted that a new postal address has been obtained, and is as follows, Box 170 St. James, Sydney, 2001. It is not expected that there will be any further changes of address in the future.

We should like to advise that the library has now been completed and books will be available to U.F.O.I.C. members for a maximum period of four weeks, after which 20 cents surcharge will be made. If books are ordered by post, stamps or postal notes to the value of 25 cents, should be enclosed with the request to the Librarian, Mr. M. Duggan, 317 Great Western Highway, Springwood, N.S.W. 2777. Titles available are listed below:

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| ADAMSKI (G) INSIDE THE SPACE SHIPS(A) | DONNELLY-ATLANTIS-THE ANTEDILUVIAN WORLD. (B) |
| ADAMSKI (G) BEHIND THE FLYING SAUCER MYSTERY (FLYING SAUCERS FAREWELL. (A) | DRAPER & LOCKWOOD-THE STORY OF ASTRONOMY. (C) |
| ALLINGHAM (C) FLYING SAUCER FROM MARS (A) | DUNNE-NOTHING DIES. (C) |
| ALTER & CLEMINSHAW PICTORIAL ASTRO-
NOMY. (C) | EDWARDS-STRANGER THAN SCIENCE (P) |
| ANCHOR-TRANSVAAL EPISODE. (A) | FLYING SAUCER REVIEW-THE HUMAN
OIDS. (A) |
| ANGELUCCI-THE SECRET OF THE SAUCERS (A) | FLYING SAUCERS-UFO REPORTS NO1. (A) |
| BELLAMY & ALLAN-THE GREAT IDOL OF
TIAHUANACO (B) | FRY- ALLAN'S MESSAGE TO MEN ON
EARTH. (A) |
| BENDER-FLYING SAUCERS AND THE THREE
MEN (A) | GATLAND & DEMPSTER-THE INHABITED
UNIVERSE (C) |
| BINDER-RIDDLES OF ASTRONOMY. (B)(C) | GIBBONS-THE COMING OF THE SPACE
SHIPS. (A) |
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| BUTLER & MESSEL- LIGHT & LIFE IN
THE UNIVERSE (C) | GUIEU-FLYING SAUCERS COME FROM
ANOTHER WORLD. (A) |
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MU. (B) | HEBWyND & RYTON-THE LIVING UNIV-
ERSE. (C) |
| CONSTANCE-THE INEXPLICABLE SKY (BD) | |
| CRAMP- PIECE FOR A JIGSAW (A) | |

- JONES- LIFE ON OTHER WORLDS(PB-C)
- JUNG-FLYING SAUCERS-A MODERN MYTH OF THINGS SEEN IN THE SKY(A)
- KEYHOE-THE FLYING SAUCER CONSPIRACY.(A)
- KEYHOE-FLYING SAUCERS FROM OUTER SPACE.(A)
- KRASPEDON-MY CONTACT WITH FLYING SAUCERS (A)
- LANG-THE MAN IN THE THICK LEAD SUIT.(B)
- LAST -MAN IN THE UNIVERSE.(B&C)
- LEHR, BURNETT&ZIM-WEATHER.(C)
- LESTER-THE OBSERVER'S BOOK OF WEATHER (C)
- LEVITT -A SPACE TRAVELLER'S GUIDE TO MARS.(C)
- LIFE NATURE LIBRARY-THE UNIVERSE (C)
- LORENZEN-FLYING SAUCERS: THE STARTLING EVIDENCE OF THE INVASION FROM OUTER SPACE.)PB-A)
- LOWELL-BIOGRAPHY OF PERCIVAL LOWELL (C)
- MACVY-ALONE IN THE UNIVERSE. (C)
- MALIAN -MEN ROCKETS & SPACE.(C)
- MALLAN.Ed.-THE MYSTERY OF OTHER WORLDS REVEALED. (B)
- MENZEL-FLYING SAUCERS.(A)
- MENZEL & BOYD-THE WORLD OF FLYING SAUCERS.(A)
- MILLER-FLYING SAUCERS:FACT OR FICTION(A)
- MOORE-SUN MYTHS AND MEN.(C)
- NELSON(The Earl) THERE IS LIFE ON MARS.(C)
- NELSON(The Earl) LIFE AND THE UNIVERSE.(C)
- OPARIN & PESENKOV-THE UNIVERSE(PB.C)
- OREGON STATE UNI.-SPACE BIOLOGY (C)
- REEVE-FLYING SAUCER PILGRIMAGE (A)
- RICHARDSON-MAN AND THE PLANETS(C)
- RUPPELT-REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS(A)
- SCULLY-BEHIND THE FLYING SAUCERS.(A)
- SHAPLY RAPPORT &WRIGHT-THE NEW TREASURY OF SCIENCE(C)
- SHUTTLEWOOD-THE WARMINSTER MYSTERY(A)
- STAAL-FOCUS ON STARS:EVERYMAN'S GUIDE TO ASTRONOMY.(C)
- TACKER-FLYING SAUCERS AND THE U.S. AIRFORCE.(A)
- THOMAS-FLYING SAUCERS THROUGH THE AGES.(A)
- THOR-LATAJACE TALERZE(Polish)(A)
- TRENCH(B.LEPOER) THE FLYING SAUCER STORY.(A)
- TRENCH(")FORGOTTEN HERITAGE(A)
- TRENCH(") MEN AMONG MANKIND(A)
- TRENCH(")THE SKY PEOPLE (A)
- TRUE REPORT ON FLYING SAUCERSNo1.(A)
- VALLEE-ANATOMY OF A PHENOMENOM (A)
- VALLEE-CHALLENGE TO SCIENCE:THE UFO ENIGMA.(A)
- WILKINS-FLYING SAUCERS UNCENSORED (A)
- WILLIAMS-THE NEW FRONTIER: MAN'S SURVIVAL IN THE SKY.(C)
- WILLIAMSON-OTHER TONGUES OTHER FLESH.(A)
- WILLIAMSON-ROAD IN THE SKY.(A)
- WILLIAMSON-SECRET PLACE OF THE LION (A)

EXPLANATORY NOTES:

Symbols.

- (A) Books directly relating to UFOs.
- (B) Books not directly relating to UFOs but with some UFO material and/or related interest.
- (c) Scientific and/or general. Little or no material on UFOs.
- (PB) Indicates pocket-book(paper-bound) edition only.

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