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## IN YOUR MIND'S EYE

If you like merely to dream, then read no further. There comes a time when your fancies must be brought into light--and stand the test of everyday, hard realities. Are you one of the thousands--perhaps millions--whose thoughts never get beyond the stage of wistful wishing? Do you often come out of a daydream with the sigh, "If only I could bring it about--make it real?"

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## THE GUIDING LIGHT

By Arthur C. Piepenbrink, M. A., F. R. C.

(from the ROSICRUCIAN DIGEST, December, 1953)

One stormy afternoon, a country doctor had undertaken a journey of over a mile by foot. A patient had sent a messenger to report a serious failing of health. Part of the journey led over a narrow path that bordered a mountain stream. The rain had caused the stream to swell and raise its level several feet. Even by daylight and with the path intact, the travel was difficult. The doctor and messenger, however, made the journey in good time. Through the application of some medicine and metaphysical principles of which the doctor was aware, the patient's suffering was alleviated.

The doctor remained several hours, in order to witness any change in the patient's condition, and it was after dark before he took his leave. The rain had abated somewhat, but a light drizzle still fell. Without a light of any kind, the doctor prepared to grope his way home through the inky darkness. Meanwhile the narrow path along the stream had washed out in places, and to try to traverse it by dark could prove impossible. Fully aware of this danger the doctor approached with some caution that part of the homeward path, when there appeared before him a soft light, seemingly radiating from his body. It extended outwardly in continued on following page

front of him for several feet. The light remained until he had safely stepped his way over the broken terrain. The doctor thankfully realized that he had been guided by a force greater than his physical capacities.

The light was not an imagined one, for it permitted him to see his way across a hazardous pathway; neither did it have to be the kind of light that is apparent to normal objective. It could be explained that only he was able to perceive a lighted path in front of him; that is, such light need not necessarily be seen by anyone else.

It must also be remembered in this case, as with other phenomena of this sort, that we never really see anything, rather, we perceive what is in reality a subjective impression. All conscious impressions then, most of which we seem to perceive outwardly, are in a sense subjective ones. It is upon the screen of the consciousness that a light wave or sound wave first impresses us. We then perceive that conscious impression as being a world of objects or things apart from us. It is easy to understand, from this, how even a psychic impression (an impression made up of higher or lower wave lengths than those reaching us through the physical senses) could be perceived as an objective condition or as a world of things apart from us.

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**SCIENTISTS NOW BELIEVE THAT GRAVITY RESULTS FROM THE FACT THAT SPACE IS WARPED IN THE VICINITY OF A MASSIVE OBJECT IN SOME DIMENSION HIGHER THAN THE FAMILIAR THREE.**

We know it is possible to be aware of conditions or happenings at great distances beyond the range physical vision. During such instances we perceive places, people and ensuing action. It is only natural that we associate light with objects and action visible to us, for we cannot see a thing without light. Yet in distant or psychic perception of events, there is no physical visible light which flows from us and lights up a scene. In visualization, as well as dreams and other psychic impressions, the ability to perceive anything does not require that light be present in any physical sense, yet the very fact that we can perceive a thing necessitates the presence of light to satisfy our reasoning.

The doctor then, who could clearly perceive the broken path before him, did not need a physical manifestation of light in order to make his walking possible. Yet he himself experienced a "lighted" path. He simply perceived a clear picture of what lay in front of him in total physical darkness, as any other person of mystical development might perceive a clear picture of situation lying outside the range of normal vision, whether it be three feet or three thousand miles away.

It doesn't make much difference to the individual whether he experiences a thing through normal or extra-normal  
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**LT. COL. JOHN O'MARA, DEPUTY COMMANDER OF INTELLIGENCE AT WRIGHT FIELD WHEN ASKED ABOUT THE TREMONTON FILM STATED THAT IT WAS NONEXISTENT.**

perception. He himself is vividly aware of the condition in either case. Normal perception is a result of light, sound, or other waves hitting our sensory organs and thereby causing impressions on our consciousness. Most people are equally sensitive to these same physical waves and consequently perceive the same world. Extra-normal perception is a result of different frequency waves hitting our consciousness, sans eyes, ears, nose, etc., with such intensity as to close out any physical impressions, thus causing us to perceive what may actually not be there or certainly what is not apparent to others about us.



#### WEIRD OBJECTS SEEN IN SKY

LONDON, July 1. -- Crew members of a British airliner reported Wednesday night their plane was followed for 80 miles by 7 weird flying objects near Goose Bay, Lab. The British Overseas Airways Corp. stratocruiser was at 19,000 feet & about 150 miles SW of Goose Bay early Wednesday when the objects appeared. "They flashed into sight and were obviously not aircraft as we know them," Capt. James Howard, pilot, said. "The big central object appeared to change shape--'flying jellyfish' we dubbed it. It was wedge-shaped, then like a dumb-bell, also like a sphere with a tail-like projection. The 6 smaller objects dodged about, either in front or behind." All 10 crew members agreed with Howard, as did those of 51 passengers awake at time of sighting.

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## A GLIMPSE INTO THE SCIENTIFIC FUTURE

(An Editorial from the Des Moines, Iowa Register & Tribune)

Dr. Vannevar Bush, one of the nation's leading scientists gave the public something to think about besides the dreadful effects of the newest hydrogen bomb when he spoke recently at Stanford university.

The essence of his address was that discoveries in the atomic field are only a small segment of the advances being made in other fields of scientific research. The results of these advances could have more far reaching effects on the future of mankind and life on this earth than the hydrogen bomb or the uses now visualized for atomic energy.

Dr. Bush is president of the Carnegie Institute in Washington. As director of scientific research during World War II and through his close association with research projects throughout the nation since the end of the war, he has been in a position to acquire a broad knowledge of what is being done in all fields of research. One portion of his address is especially worthy of close attention.

Dr. Bush declared that "the dam is about to break" in the whole field of biological sciences. The trend is not so evident as it now is in the atomic field, but he described it as a "great blossoming." Understanding of knowledge accumulated through the centuries is about to produce results  
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similar to those in the field of physics.

Mentioning the recent discoveries and uses of antibiotics, vitamins and hormones, Dr. Bush predicted that agricultural productivity may be greatly multiplied in the not too distant future by the use of soil conditioners and the control of trace elements. Methods for producing new varieties and even new species of plants and animals are in the making.

He mentioned the possibility that new sterilizing and packaging may be developed to eliminate the need for refrigeration.

Agriculture production is likely to be radically changed and supplemented by "processing" methods of food production that will greatly increase the output in areas which are non-productive today.

These could revolutionize the economic and social patterns of the entire world.

Solar energy may open up arid sections of the world long before atomic power can be harnessed for the purpose, Dr. Bush declared.

In the field of chemistry, he mentioned the probability that mental diseases may be cured by chemical discoveries. And perhaps even more fearful than deadly effects of the hydrogen bomb, he said it is not at all improbable that the  
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emotional reactions of a whole nation could be controlled through a chemical placed in the food they consume. They could be made docile or irrational, lazy and unimaginative or energetic and constructive.

"We had better have our governmental systems in very stable form before such things become possible," Dr. Bush declared.

Depending entirely on your frame of mind, this peek into the future can fill one with consuming anticipation and curiosity or it can give birth to a few more worries and fears. The least that may be said is that Dr. Bush has provided a diversion from the current stewing over the hydrogen bomb.

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The revolutionary "speculation" that the planet Mars may still be undergoing evolution towards "a habitable world" was advanced by Dr. Dean B. McLaughlin of the University of Michigan. Certain dark areas on the red planet hitherto have almost generally been considered to represent vegetation of a "dying" planet. Dr. McLaughlin said he thinks these dark areas explainable as drifts of volcanic ash. "Perhaps Mars has not yet lived," he said. "The violent volcanism may mean the planet is in a stage corresponding to that through which the earth passed in early pre-Cambrian time, some 3 billion years ago."

## A VIEWPOINT ON 'SAUCERS'

If a flying saucer lands in your backyard and a man from outer space steps out, you'd better listen to him—the life you save may be your own. At least that's what Desmond Leslie, 33-year-old Englishman who wrote "Flying Saucers Have Landed," thinks.

"They're coming to help us if we let them," Mr. Leslie said. "Our silly little scientists are playing around with the fundamental force of earth. If we manage to blow ourselves up, then we'll blow their planets up too. They are revealing themselves to us carefully and progressively, they know the way we think."

"Most people in England think they're rather good things but people here seem a little afraid of them," he said. "There is really nothing to be afraid of, you know. Actually the biggest tragedy would be if they didn't come. The people in from the other planets are afraid we're going to blow ourselves up and start a chain reaction which would destroy their planets, too. They want to help us. Oh, they might let us burn our fingers but they'll stop us before we manage to do anything too drastic."

Mr. Leslie is convinced that the people who fly the saucers are from planets far more advanced than earth and that they come from more than one planet. This explains why people have given so many different descriptions of them.

## MIRACLE WOMAN OF MOSCOW

Despite the fact that the Communist party does not hold with miracles Granny Martynova is doing a thriving business with her "universal cure-all."

Her cottage on Zakharkov St. has become a place of pilgrimage. The newspaper Moscow Pravda is particularly indignant because the "pilgrims" are not merely illiterate peasants but include members of the new Soviet elite, who should be ashamed of themselves for believing in a lot of superstitious nonsense.

One at a time the "pilgrims" go up to receive Grannys healing touch and a mugful of water ladled out of a washtub by Aleshka the stoker. Ordinary well-water, declares Moscow Pravda, "put under a spell" by Granny and guaranteed by her as a "universal specific against cancer, heart disease, stomach ulcers, neurasthenia, rheumatism. . . ."

For every mugful Granny gets a ten-ruble note. Granny heals men only--are the women doomed to suffer?



It is said that this prayer was prayed for the first time by a soldier:

**HEAVENLY FATHER, GIVE US SERENITY TO  
ACCEPT WHAT CANNOT BE CHANGED, COURAGE  
TO CHANGE WHAT SHOULD BE CHANGED AND  
WISDOM TO KNOW ONE FROM THE OTHER.**

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On Frank Edwards' broadcast---May 13, 1954---Major Donald E. Keyhoe, U. S. Marine Corps, Retired was asked: "What are the most recent developments in this field of unidentified flying objects?" Major Keyhoe's answer:

"There are 3 very important developments, which have been kept from the public.

In the first place, there is at least one and possibly two artificial satellites circling the earth at the present time. An intensive effort is being made by government scientists at White Sands, New Mexico, to locate and chart the courses of these satellites, in an effort to determine what they are, and where they came from.

Secondly, within the last 2 weeks, the Canadian government scientists have notified all official sky-watchers to be especially alert and to report immediately any unidentified aerial objects.

The third development is this--in the closing week of March, Air Force Sec. Talbott made 2 trips to Palm Springs, Calif., in an Air Force plane. On one trip shortly after the plane had passed Fresno, Calif., the crew saw they were followed by a large, silvery, disc-shaped object--which was about 1000 ft. below them and about 1000 ft. distant. The unidentified object was seen by Sec. Talbott, the crew, and

Sec. Talbot's aides. After watching the object for several minutes, Sec. Talbot ordered the plane to swing around and approach it. This was a daylight sighting of long duration by credible personnel and under very favorable conditions."

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This is from the local Pioneer dated 13th March, 1954: "Ratnagiri, India (near Bombay)--March 12. Hundreds of people here yesterday saw a half-mile flash of light travel across the sky from North to South. Eyewitnesses said they saw an object looking like a plane with an arrow-like tail shoot across. The tail resembled a fluorescent light tube. This is the second time such phenomenon is noticed here."

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Saucer over Iowa--"Something" other than a plane was seen June 23, 1954, by 3 members of the Davenport, Iowa ground observer corps. The object was very high, was aluminum colored and was going north at high speed in a zig-zag pattern. The object had the appearance of a saucer standing up. A check showed there was no weather balloon in the area at that time.

On June 28, 1954, 3 strange lights and a fire-ball was seen north of Maquoketa, Iowa, around 10 P.M. There were 5 witnesses.

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Recent reports of "flying saucer" sightings at night over northern Connecticut were attributed to experimental flights by lighted helicopters. The Navy Bureau of Aeronautics

announced that Koman Aircraft Corp., Bloomfield, Conn., has been conducting a "rotor tip light study."

The Navy said that small electric light bulbs had been housed in plastic covers at the end of each rotor blade of a Koman HTK-1 helicopter. The purpose of the project was to determine the suitability of rotor-tip mounted lights as an aid in night formation flying of Helicopters, and as a warning to other aircraft.

"In flight the rapidly revolving blades caused the lights to appear as a large circle, giving rise to the flying saucer rumors," a joint Navy-Koman statement said.

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I wonder if it is possible that recent peeps through the telescope on Mt. Palomar show that many a scientist and text-book could have been wrong about the universe? It's rumor.

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Local residents advise it has been some time now since anyone has seen the ghost of a miser who used to haunt his Providence R. I. home, supposedly guarding a treasure trove. It is said the ghost left in an envious huff when a junk dealer bought the old house for \$5, then sold the window sash-weights for \$20.

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SOCRATES: "Flattery is worse than a vulture, for the latter consumes only the dead while the former eats up the living."

