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Confidential report from top officer tells of sightings

Lt. Col. Charles Halt, deputy base commander, describes the amazing sightings of star-like objects moving at sharp angles. While Lt. Col. Halt and others watched, another party observed one ship landing at close hand.



3. Later in the night a red sun-like light was seen through the trees. It moved about and pulsed. At one point it appeared to throw off glowing particles and then broke into five separate white objects and then disappeared. Immediately thereafter, three star-like objects were noticed in the sky, two objects to the north and one to the south, all of which were about 10° off the horizon. The objects moved rapidly in sharp angular movements and displayed red, green and blue lights. The objects to the north appeared to be elliptical through an 8-12 power lens. They then turned to full circles. The objects to the north remained in the sky for an hour or more. The object to the south was visible for two or three hours and beamed down a stream of light from time to time. Numerous individuals, including the undersigned, witnessed the activities in paragraphs 2 and 3.

Charles I. Halt
CHARLES I. HALT, Lt Col, USAF
Deputy Base Commander

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Brig. Gen. Gordon Williams backs statements by other officers about the alien craft, which was drawn by a witness (pg-3). Below, Brenda Cutler (left) and Dorothy Street at the landing site.



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EDITORIAL



We are privileged to be alive and to think. We have the privilege to affect the future. The people of Earth are now spending one million dollars per minute on nuclear weapons. Once we stop preparing to blast each other apart, we will find that we can easily solve all the world's hunger, pollution, financial & energy problems, as well as resolve the mystery known as UFOs. The power of an aroused public is unbeatable; Viet-Nam & Watergate proved that. It's not yet too late, for while there is life there is hope. It's time we begin to realize that you & I are far more alike than we are different & that we are all fellow beings traveling the road of life together. We don't live in isolation rather we are all interconnected, living in one world. There is no need to feel helpless or to become paralyzed by hopelessness. We know we have the power to make changes if we can join together & raise our voices in unison. There is more power in numbers than we ever hoped to dream about. I now call on each of us to let our numbers grow as we all take it upon ourselves to spread the message that UFOs exist and that our government knows this.

Researchers travel from UFO site to UFO site, from witness to witness hoping to discover a piece of the puzzle & prove to the world that these objects exist. We now have in our possession hundreds & hundreds of UFO documents indicating that UFOs exist & that our government has been concealing this fact from the public for decades. Why not explore the full potential of these documents to the fullest extent? We should begin to use these documents to our advantage & even follow-up on many of them, beginning with the documents in regards to the story you are about to read on pg.3. No one person or one organization can accomplish the task of resolving the UFO enigma, it will take all of us joined together to accomplish this feat.

Recently, the NORTH AMERICAN UFO FEDERATION was established in order to unite UFO organizations & UFO researchers together for the common good & for a common goal. Hopefully, this Federation will produce the bond that is needed in order to unite all of us in harmony, cooperation & peace so we may once & for all solve this 36 year perplexing phenomenon. This is our chance--our one & only chance--to accomplish our mission. Let's not blow this opportunity; regardless of what we actually think of each other we can work together. In the coming months you will learn more about the NORTH AMERICAN UFO FEDERATION & at that time I urge you to support this new organization with all of your heart & soul since it is the only hope we have.

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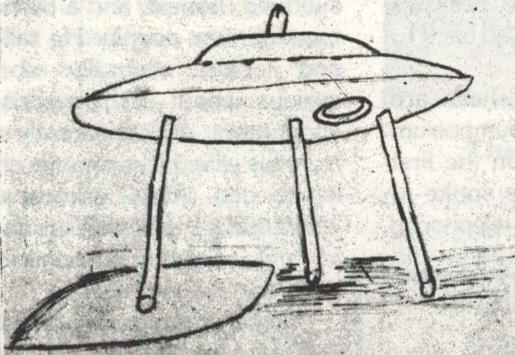
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DOCUMENTED FOR THE FIRST TIME BY STUNNED U.S. AIR FORCE BRASS IN TOP-SECRET REPORT

TOP U.S. Air Force officers — including a general — have told of the first "real" landing of a UFO on earth.

Witnesses to the landing have told of a huge, sun-like ball of red light that hovered feet above the ground before exploding into hundreds of dazzling, multicolored fireballs.

When the amazing cosmic fireworks dis-



play was over, a craft from outer space stood before the stunned officers.

Incredibly, as they cautiously approached the strange, triangular craft, they were able to see three space beings, dressed in silver suits, inside.

According to the report, the aliens chose to land only half a mile from a huge British Royal Air Force base at Woodbridge in the east of England, which is shared by the U.S. Air Force's 81st Tactical Fighter Wing.

Among those whose sworn statements are in the report describing the events of December 27, 1980, are Lt. Col. Charles I. Halt, deputy commander of the American base and a key witness to the amazing events; base commander Brig. Gen. Gordon Williams; RAF base commander Squadron Leader Donald Moreland, and a U.S. Air Force security guard who actually investigated the craft.

In his sworn testimony, Lt. Col. Halt described how he and other officers, estimated to number at least 200, watched from the base as

Officers tell of amazing sight as huge red ball exploded, leaving craft carrying 3 aliens

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vilian life.

The U.S. Air Force Department and the British Ministry of Defense agreed to cover up the landing and keep it top secret at the request of Lt. Col. Halt.

But two local UFO enthusiasts, Brenda Butler and Dorothy Street, who live not far from the base, heard rumors of the amazing happening.

When their requests for information were met by silence they contacted an American, police Lt. Lawrence Fawcett, deputy police chief of the town of Coventry, Conn., and the assistant director of the Citizens Against UFO Secrecy group.

He used the Freedom of Information Act, which permits citizens to obtain government documents, to get the Air Force to hand over its report on the landing.

Lt. Col. Halt's report said that when the landing site was investigated during daylight that day "three depressions 1½ in. deep and seven inches in diameter were found where the object had been sighted on the ground." Before filing his report, Lt. Col. Halt confided in Squadron Leader Moreland, who said:

"I know Col. Halt well and respect him and I fully believe he was telling me the truth.

"Whatever it was, it was able to perform feats in the air that no known aircraft is capable of doing," he said.

the huge red ball exploded and disappeared, leaving the craft on the ground.

"Immediately thereafter three star-like objects were noted in the sky.

"The objects moved rapidly in sharp, angular movements and displayed green and blue lights," he said.

He then described how officers viewed them through a powerful telescope and saw that at one point they were shaped like a flat dish and how, when they turned, they became round.

He continued: "The two objects to the north of us remained in the sky for an hour or more. The object to the south was visible for two or three hours and beamed down a stream of lights from time to time."

As Lt. Col. Halt and the others were being treated to the extraordinary display, another craft had landed near a party sent to investigate.

Security guard Airman Art Wallace (not his real name) told how he was in a convoy of jeeps sent to observe the strange lights.

"We saw an object. It appeared to be resting on the ground and looked like a giant aspirin. It was transparent," Wallace said.

"Nearby there was an airman carrying a radio. Suddenly, we heard a chopper pilot telling him:

'Here it comes.'

"We looked up and saw a red ball of light coming toward us from over the trees. In the distance it looked about 100 ft. high and appeared to be coming in to land.

"It came right down over the transparent aspirin on the ground. We were all mesmerized. All of a sudden the red light exploded. The air was filled with an explosion of colors, all kinds of colors. We were blinded.

"When the colors died down we looked again, and there was a machine there. It appeared to have a triangular shape and was covered with pipes and valves. It was about 20 ft. across at the bottom, with sloping sides up to the top, which was about 12 to 15 ft. high, certainly big enough to handle people."

Wallace, whose real name cannot be used for security reasons, then told of the sighting of the aliens as the security teams approached the ship.

"Suddenly, a green light came on at the top of the space ship," he said. "It moved down the sides of the craft until it reached the level of our heads, then bounced from the level of one head to another.

"Then I realized the spaceship was inhabited. There were beings on board."

Wallace, now 22, was honorably discharged from the Air Force in June 1981 and has returned to ci-

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Season's Greetings to all and we thank you for your support & contribution during 1983 & look forward to more of the same in 1984. May God bless you all...

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MULTIPLE ABDUCTIONS IN CANADA: PART I

By Lawrence J. Fenwick, HARRY TOKARZ & JOSEPH MUSKAT.
(Canadian UFO Research Network)

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The Canadian UFO Research Network (CUFORN) has investigated a series of incidents that it feels is proof that some people are abducted more than once.

A man whom we shall call Jack T. was 27 years old in 1982 and, as of this writing, worked as a supervisor and technician in an electronics warehouse. In his spare time, he plays a recorder in a local rock band in his home town of St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada. He bought Budd Hopkins' book *Missing*

Time in the spring of 1982. After reading it, he felt that there were some periods of time he could not remember in his past. He wrote to Hopkins in New York City, and later had three regressive hypnosis sessions under the direction of Dr. Aphrodite Clamar at her New York office. He felt that he had gained some knowledge from the sessions after he heard the tapes played back to him in New York.

When Jack got home, he heard that the MUFON UFO Symposium would be held in Toronto on the first weekend of July. There, he spoke to CUFORN's Eric Smith. Eric telephoned Joe Muskat, CUFORN's President and

Co-Director. Joe spoke to Jack and found that he had proved normal after psychological tests in New York prior to the hypnosis there. CUFORN's Co-Directors interviewed Jack for seven hours at Treasurer Harry Tokarz's Toronto apartment on July 17, 1982.

Jack seemed intelligent, stable, subdued, honest, and a bit nervous at meeting new people. He talked softly and looked naturally worried yet curious about the reasons for his encounters. Jack is recently separated from his wife. He is an only child. He is left-handed. (Are all or most abductees left-handed?)¹ He wanted no publicity and only agreed to relate his incidents if his name was not used.

In the course of the investigation, we found out that the series of events began when Jack was two years old in 1957. The others happened in 1959, 1961, in 1964 or 1965, in 1969, on October 16, 1971, and in 1976. Four occurred in the St. Catharines area. The 1957 and 1959 events were in the Owen Sound district near Georgian Bay in Central Ontario. The 1961 event location is unknown.

On July 20, Harry Tokarz phoned Dr. Susan Schulman, a competent M.D. and behavioral therapist in Toronto, whose practice is restricted to hypnotherapy. She reconditioned Jack in the first session on July 24. Afterward, she said he was an excellent subject.

The August 7 session brought out the first event which occurred in the summer of 1957. Jack's mother let him do small errands for her on his stroller, which was the kind that lets a child walk by himself or herself. He walked one day to a small store nearby to buy milk. On the way, he met a small, silver-suited humanoid and saw a silver saucer-shaped object close at hand. Sitting on a mound, it looked like two discs, one inverted on the other. The

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THE PRESS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 1982.

Motorist shaken after seeing 'silver figure'

Blenheim reporter

A Christchurch motorist who sighted a shimmering silver figure on State highway 1 near the Hapuku bridge on August 3 would not return to that spot on the roadway, day or night, for "ten thousand quid."

The man, who did not wish his name disclosed, said yesterday that the figure had no distinguishable features or limbs. The lower part of the shape was either black, or the figure itself was hovering above the road surface.

He said he was sure the incident was not the result of a prank. There was a strong wind blowing at the time and nobody could have held a fluorescent object so high.

"I was terrified. I just don't want to see what I saw

again. I wouldn't stop near that place at night, or in daylight for that matter. It's no for me. I wouldn't take the chance," he said.

"It wasn't a flying saucer. It was a figure I saw. I just felt fear. I locked the car doors and just took off. Nothing could have caught me."

The motorist said the first thing he did on arriving at Blenheim was to telephone the Woodbourne R.N.Z.A.F. base. He had no coins for the call box and was put straight through to the security gate by the exchange operator.

He said he was told by the person on duty that he should report the incident to the Blenheim police, which he did.

Strange light seen in sky

Although the Dunedin police confirmed a sighting of a strange light in the sky above Harbour Cone on the Dunedin Peninsula late last night, the nature of it could not be established.

A police patrol was sent to the area at 10.30 p.m. after a Portobello resident reported seeing a green and orange light rotating in the sky.

A police spokesman said, unsuccessful attempts had been made to contact the Beverly Begg Observatory, but the police were treating the sighting as a reflection from a star or planet caught in an atmospheric disturbance.

Otago Daily Times, Mon. Aug 16, 1982.

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humanoid told him it was a "space ship."

Jack described the creature: "Its hands were silver-grayish. It had funny-looking fingers and big black eyes." Jack had apparently caught it and another creature off guard and working around the object. He asked them what they were doing. One humanoid asked Jack where he came from. The humanoid took Jack inside the craft. There was a film being run on a wall screen which the humanoids were watching.

One humanoid picked Jack up and placed him on a table. He saw different colored lights on the craft's walls, a round shelf in the middle of the floor, and an exit in front. The screen was to his right. Something was put on his wrist. They examined his mind with another device by siphoning information from his brain using a computer which had wires attached to it and to his head. The humanoid told him it was a test.

Jack saw another screen which the creatures watched while they tested him. He saw unintelligible figures like numbers on the screen. They said the machines were used to examine him to see if he met the criteria for something. They moved the wrist and head bands. Jack felt very tired. The creatures took him off the table and down some steps out of the craft. They put him back on his stroller, and one creature walked with him to a point near his house. The humanoid told Jack: "I have to go." The humanoid's feet were pointed straight and moved simultaneously. It glided up the craft's steps and entered it.

Jack now recalled an incident that took place about two years later. He was in his Owen Sound home playing with toy blocks. Something shot out from behind the couch and drew blood painlessly from his ankle in less than a minute. The device swiftly released his ankle and moved behind the couch. He told his mother he had hurt himself. She bandaged the ankle which healed soon afterwards.

Jack and his father Bill underwent a double hypnosis session on September 18. Bill had told Harry Tokarz and Joe Muskat on August 1 of

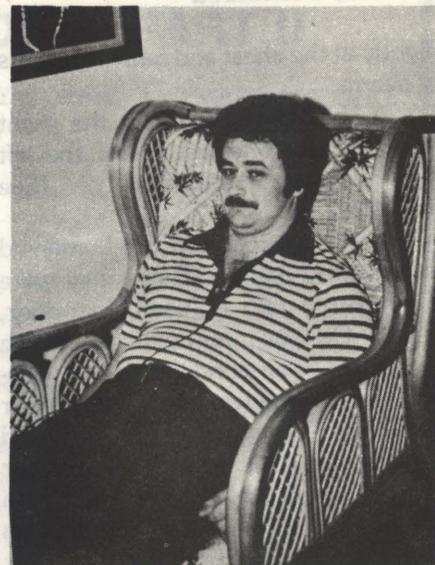
an incident which happened when he was driving near his home with young Jack in 1961. He remembered getting out of the car and being confronted by four-foot-tall humanoids who were standing in front of a landed craft. He shielded his son with his body and told him to get back into the car, saying to him "I know how to deal with them." Then he recalled driving and a vague memory of being stopped again. The September 18 hypnosis allowed Bill to relive the incident. These facts confirmed what Jack said under hypnosis previously regarding this incident. However, Bill came up against a "block" when the humanoids brought him to a "black, shiny mirror-like entrance to the UFO." At this point, he started crying. He claimed he did this because he was rejected by the humanoids for a "mission" that had already been programmed into him.

Since then, Bill has had vivid dreams of seeing a "museum of time," a place or a chamber where the humanoids apparently took him and where he saw a whole range of antiquated and modern technological devices, all man-made. These included electronic sending and receiving equipment, computers, gauges, and tape machines. The devices dated from the early 1900's through the present and there were some which looked like they may be from our future?

The Black Cadillac At Twelve Mile Creek

July 24 and 31, 1982 hypnotic trances brought forth the Twelve Mile Creek incident which occurred in the summer of 1964 or 1965, when Jack was 9 to 10 years old, near St. Catharines. He and Jim Voss were playing in a deserted, hilly conservation area 10 miles south of Lake Ontario. Jim spotted a humanoid and called out to Jack who also observed it. The creature approached and mentally asked them to follow him to see something interesting. They were told that they would not be harmed.

Jack described the humanoid as about 4 feet tall, bald, with cream-colored skin. A slit-like mouth did not open. The nose was small. There was a small, hook-shaped opening where the



Jack T.



Dr. Susan Schulman

ears would have been. The creature's facial expressions were human-like. The head was very large in proportion to the body. The large eyes had a hypnotic quality to them and were slanted around to the sides of the head. The hands had four fingers, two of which were long with very wide ends. They wore shiny, dark blue, skin-tight uniforms and boots. The pant legs seemed to be inserted into the boots. There was a black belt. The uniform covered everything except the hands and face. It had a long collar open

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slightly at the chest and had no buttons or seams.

A black insignia on the right shoulder and one just below the left lapel appeared stencilled on (See drawing).

The boys followed the humanoid to a nearby garage. There they were maneuvered into a "used, four-door, black Cadillac automobile, which seemed to be air-conditioned, with one-way glass in the windows. The interior was plush." They sat in the back and saw no humanoids in the front. The car was driven down the dirt road to a swampy area near the Sea Cadets building. They emerged from the car and were shown a large, metallic, disc-shaped object on the ground. They were taken inside the dimly-lit craft and placed on cots which had wheels on them. Jack saw computer consoles along one wall and couches in the room. They were made to drink a liquid which made them drowsy³.

Instruments probed their bodies. Jack saw a screen on the wall. After a few seconds, a dark spot appeared on the screen. The instrument probes were removed. The boys were released and told that they should forget everything because people would not believe them if they told their story.

The boys were put back into the car and driven back to the garage area. Jack remembered that, inside the craft, there had been two other humanoids who were shorter than the first one. Their uniforms were a light silvery blue with black belts. The shorter creatures were "like workers," said Jack. He recalled seeing the creatures walking away from the garage.

The various hypnosis sessions helped trigger memories of a few other incidents. Jack was able to consciously recall an encounter which took place when he was 14 in 1969. He was with his friend Ken Johnson (a pseudonym) in another St. Catharines conservation area, Short Hills. He and Ken were picked up by a large Bigfoot-type creature and taken on board a landed object. There, a Type I humanoid told them that they use the Bigfoot creature to do their heavy lifting on Earth.

The boys had seen the Bigfoot sit down on a large chair in the UFO. The humanoids placed wires on its head which led to another device nearby. It seemed to Jack that the creatures were programming the Bigfoot to do some other task.

Jack remembered seeing Ken on an operating table with blood issuing from his left ear and temple, while surrounded by humanoids dressed like doctors. Jack felt certain that some sort of implant was put into Ken's head. Jack felt that he too may have had an implant given him. Infrared photography done by Joe Muskat was of no use because the film was past its expiration date. This was not noticed until it was too late to take more photos. We urged Jack to have x-rays taken, but he is rather lazy and has not bothered to get it done. We will try in the near future to repeat the infrared photography.

Jack arrived at Dr. Schulman's office for hypnosis on August 21. A series of seemingly unrelated problems began that day and ended on September 18. Jack's grandmother died on August 21. Jack's father was attacked by a "metaphysical entity" clothed in black. The attack left a black mark on Bill's chest. During the hypnosis, Jack described the exact location of the party his band played at on the night of the Van incident, which is described later in this article. The doctor noticed some wavering and insecurity in Jack and gave him a "shot of confidence." Jack was very frustrated about his inability to prove the incident was true. Jack also had some problems with his boss, something that had never happened before.

Larry Fenwick got two odd phone calls at his office. One sounded like a series of tape recordings being played simultaneously; the other was the sound of a screaming woman. Both calls came within one hour of each other on the same day. He also found out that his wife had cancer and pleurisy. As of September 18, she had recovered from the pleurisy and by March 1983, chemotherapy and radiation had eliminated the cancer.

Harry and Sandy, his girl friend, had a very unusual set of problems with

a marketing company which led to litigation. Sandy had medical problems and was hospitalized briefly. Harry's motion picture and television casting business was near bankruptcy when one of his major clients, the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, dropped him. His business declined by about 40 percent. This has since been resolved.

Joe had personal difficulties with a female co-worker. Joe's wife threatened to leave him. Dr. Schulman had a "horrendous argument" on a Las Vegas vacation with her boy friend and lost an unusually large amount of money gambling.

CUFORN contacted Jack's father who agreed to hypnosis after much prodding. On the day before the session scheduled for September 11, which would also see Jack hypnotized, Harry got an anxious phone call from Jack, saying that he got a telephone call at work from a "friend" of Dr. Schulman — not the doctor's secretary. The caller said that the appointment was cancelled, and dodged all questions as to why, not even suggesting another appointment. Four previous attempts by Joe to reach the doctor were unsuccessful. By the time Jack called Harry, it was clear that Dr. Schulman was avoiding contact with CUFORN. She was absent from her office and home for three weeks.

Joe and Harry went to her office on September 11 to see if they could find her. There was no sign of her. They left a note asking her to call them as soon as possible. When Harry got home at 9:30 p.m., he opened the door to find Sandy holding the telephone receiver with a puzzled look on her face. She told him a rather unusual call had just ended as Harry walked into the apartment. A deep male voice had asked: "Is the male of the house in? This is official business. Tell him and them to stop what they are doing or else. You will not be..." Then the phone call was cut off. There were numbers being recited in the background during the call.

Curiously, after we finally contacted the doctor two days later, she claimed she never got our note, and seemed disinterested. A session was rebooked for Jack and Bill through our

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"I tried to explain what I saw by every bit of logic I could summon, but it defied them all. I have to believe what my husband, my son, and I saw Wednesday night was a UFO," remarked Mrs. Delores Lavelle, Trends Editor with the Monroe, N.C. *Enquirer Journal*.

According to an article in the June 8, 1979 issue of the paper, it was about 10:45 p.m. when Mrs. Lavelle along with her husband and son were returning home from a dinner in Charlotte. While on U.S. 74 beyond the Stallings Road Intersection in Indian Trail, they noticed an orange-red light overtaking them. It came from behind, on the right side, and was moving very fast. As they watched, the strange light silently approached a green light which had appeared suddenly in the sky over the highway.

"The red light approached the green, and as they met, the red light dropped straight down toward the ground, while the green light remained stationary" said Mrs. Lavelle. "My first thought as my husband exclaimed 'What the hell was that?' was that two planes had collided. Then I realized we would have heard the crash. And the red light had not hit the ground, but was instead shooting up very fast, back toward the green light."

At this point both lights just hung there together, the red on the right, the green on the left. At times, the red light seemed to move towards the green and in

between the Lavelles, eclipsing the green light from view. Moments later, their auto passed under the stationary, hovering orbs of light. All looked back to see both lights still hovering over the four-lane highway. Eventually the lights were lost to view as their car rounded a curve.

recent years, survivors of large earthquakes have reported seeing flashes of light, fireballs, streamers of light, searchlight beams, columns of light, or a ruddy glow in the sky.

During the 1955 to 57 Matsuyama earthquake swarm in Japan, Yutaka Yasui collected the only known photographs of earthquake lights. Of the

Although two scientists have found a positive correlation between UFOs and seismically active areas, there are still some unknown physical craft that cannot be explained by "electromagnetic fields."

The Lavelles weren't the first to encounter UFOs at this stretch of U.S. 74 in Indian Trail. For years many others have seen UFOs there. Unknown to most of the witnesses, a geological fault crosses the road where UFOs are repeatedly seen to appear, vanish, or momentarily hover.

Could fault lines play an important part in many repeat sighting areas or "windows" as ufologists call such locales? We know that people over the ages have seen luminous phenomenon in conjunction with earthquakes.

For example, Pliny the Roman historian, wrote about "flaming shields" seen in the night skies during the massive quake which toppled the huge Colossus of Rhodes in 224 B.C. In more

35 reported sightings during this period, 18 were unexplainable. Some of these lights were so bright they woke people up, thinking their room lights had been turned on.

These strange lights are a rare phenomenon usually observed only during an earthquake. There are, however, reports of the quake lights being seen before and after the main tremor. They have been reported so frequently that Dr. John Darr of the U.S. Geological Survey Office said the existence of earthquake lights is so well established the subject should no longer be ignored. What remains unexplained

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THE FAULT LINE UFOs OF INDIAN TRAIL

By Wayne Laporte

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however, is what causes the eerie lights.

One theory favored by many seismologists, is that seismic movements of the Earth induce stresses on crystalline rock through which the piezoelectric effect (the setting up of an electrical potential in crystalline minerals such as quartz) generates electric fields, possibly as strong as several thousand volts per meter. And where there are electric fields there are magnetic fields. According to the scientists these electric and magnetic fields would concentrate in the most susceptible localized areas—mainly fault lines and fault outcroppings. Theoretically, such fields with certain atmospheric conditions present, could conceivably create low level ionization of air molecules adjacent to the electric column projecting through the ground. Since geological faults are widespread throughout the world, could this mean many UFOs are nothing more than balls of ionized air? Some scientists have already arrived at that conclusion.

Dr. Michael A. Persinger, a psychologist and research scientist at Laurentian University in Sudbury, Ontario along with his assistant, Gyslaine F. Lafreniere, have applied modern scientific techniques—including computer analysis—to a sampling of 6,000 paranormal events. Included were UFOs, sea serpent sightings, rock and ice falls, ghost lights, encounters with Bigfoot, and other reported bizarre phenomena. The results indicate most of the events occurred on or near fault lines. Their study has been published as an interesting book entitled *Space-Time Transients and Unusual Events* (Nelson-Hall, 1977).

Currently, they are evaluating data on 60,000 UFO sightings provided by Dr. Hlynek's Center for UFO Studies. Not surprisingly, preliminary findings indicate 85 percent of the encounters occurred on or in close proximity to faults. According to the two researchers, seismic induced fields, do indeed, play a major role in UFO encounters of the first, second, and third kind. But before discussing and debating their hypothesis, let's return to Indian Trail, N.C.

Located 15 miles southeast of Charlotte, this small southern community was built on a Catawba Indian war trail. The settlement was a

major gold mining area in the 1800s. Although some pure gold veins were found, most of the gold was imbedded quartz, and had to be mechanically removed. By the end of the 19th Century, economic mining of gold in Indian Trail was not feasible, and the gold miners left.

My family and I moved to Indian Trail in 1973. In October 1974, several neighbors saw three large, glowing white spheroids pass low over the housing development and vanish over a field behind my house. This sparked my interest in UFOs and led to my "UFO Trek" to solve the age-old mystery.

In November 1976, a "mini-flap" hit the Gastonia-Charlotte-Indian Trail area, and I became deeply involved in UFO investigations. Finally, in late January 1978, the phenomenon became very real to me as I experienced my first of several encounters.

It was about 6:30 p.m. The sun had already set and I was waiting for traffic to clear so I could turn into the housing development. Looking ahead I noticed a white light approaching low in the sky. As I turned into the housing development, the light suddenly changed to a golden-yellow color. This surprised me, so I braked the car and got out. Only now there wasn't an aerial light in sight. Minutes later, I arrived at a neighbor's house and talked for 30 minutes before leaving. While walking up my front walk, I had a feeling someone was staring at me. I turned to face a large glaring ball of light hovering over a tree in the field behind my house. Flaring crimson streamers radiated out from the orb's center.

The object was silent, and absolutely motionless. The white light was glaring, but not blinding. As I stared at it, an enrapturing feeling (almost hypnotic) came over me. However, I broke this state of mind to get a witness.

My seven-year-old son quickly ran to the window, while I went back outside. Now, the orb was a deep translucent red. After several seconds, it vanished as if collapsing inward. Now I could finally relate to what others had seen.

In November 1975, about 7:30 p.m. an Indian Trail resident along with his wife and children watched a glowing white spherical light with a crimson border approach from the east. The unfamiliar

light made no noise, passed directly over his house, and executed a turn over the fault line. Then, it followed the fault southwest as if the fault was an invisible roadway. The peculiar light took some 20 minutes to slowly move away.

On June 12, 1976, at midnight, Diane Hildreth, her 11-year-old daughter and two nieces were traveling along U.S. 74 when an "electric-green" orb of light dropped out of the sky. Traveling only 50 feet over cars, the green fireball, the size of a large auto, approached from the direction of Charlotte. Behind it trailed a stream of wispy white smoke. Then, the seemingly solid spheroid made a turn to the right only 200 feet away and crashed into the trees on the fault line. Surprisingly, the ball seemed to dissolve into nothingness while the trees remained unaffected by the impact.

These are but a few of the many nocturnal light UFO cases I've investigated. Generally, the "Indian Trail Lights" are large spherical orbs of light, which suddenly appear, hover, vanish, or "play about" over the fault line. They approach and exit from all directions. Usually they are white, but yellow, gold, green, and red spheroids have also been seen. As indicated in the November 1975 case, some even have differently colored borders. They come and go themselves, but occasionally the lights travel in pairs or formations. And usually they come quickly and silently—like "a thief in the night."

A subsequent check of local geological records revealed several startling facts. It was then that I discovered a geological fault, known as the Gold Hill, runs through Indian Trail and the field behind my house. Furthermore, there were gold mines in this locale which indicates the area is rich in crystalline quartz. Could it be that the Indian Trail lights are some type of ionization phenomenon due to seismic induced fields in the quartz deposits? A report on "ball lightning" ionization prepared by the U.S. Weather Bureau hints at this possibility.

According to the report, ball lightning is usually glaring white, deep red, yellow, rose-colored, a mixture of colors, or a glowing ball surrounded by a weak border, colored differently than the main body. Also, many witnesses have described the luminosity as glaring white

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and incandescent. On the other hand the same report concludes ball lightning generally occurs during lightning storms, is of a very short duration (usually seconds), and is very small (six to 12 inches being a typical size).

In general, the Indian Trail lights exhibit similar colors but unlike ball lightning, they are usually seen during good weather and are large in size. Their low altitude flights over houses and cars have allowed good size comparisons indicating sizes from 15 to 30 feet in diameter—a very large size for plasma balls. Furthermore, some sightings have lasted many minutes, which is an extremely long life for plasmoids.

Persinger and Lafreniere, however, state in their book that some seismic generated fields can be quite intense and last a long time. To illustrate their point, they cite the loss of radio transmission for one hour prior to the Hilo, Hawaii quake on April 26, 1973. Apparently, a large, long-lasting seismoelectric field caused a temporary disappearance of the local ionosphere.

A natural explanation for fault line UFOs seems to be in order. Unfortunately, it's not that simple. As many UFO researchers know, mystery aircraft, phantom helicopters, and spaceship-type UFOs are also seen near or on fault lines. Field investigations reveal that like the nocturnal lights they suddenly vanish or appear or hover on or near the Gold Hill Fault. Let's look at a few cases in Indian Trail involving what appear to be "nuts and bolts" type UFOs.

In July 1973, between 10 and 11 p.m., Robin Lassiter, Jayne Zoeller, and another person were driving along McKee Road, about one mile from the fault. As they rounded a curve, the trio noticed a saucer shaped disc with flashing red, green, orange, and yellow lights on its rim. For three minutes they watched it hover over the treetops. Then, it moved off toward Charlotte.

About 10 p.m. in November 1973, Bill Long, his wife, and their two daughters were traveling along U.S. 74. About one mile northwest of the Gold Hill Fault, they passed a cylindrical-shaped craft quietly hovering over trees about 100 feet from the road. On both ends of the 30 foot tall UFO was a conical, transparent tip housing a whitish-orange light. They and a few other motorists made a U-turn and once again approached it. This time the object quickly moved away. A few minutes later it made an abrupt stop and began to ascend vertically. As it climbed, the craft ejected big orange "sparks". At about a 45 degree elevation, the bottom light and section appeared to disintegrate,

while the upper section shot skyward over Charlotte.

On July 19, 1977, a 31-year-old ex-stewardess, whose house is located on the fault line, heard her two young children outside screaming and yelling. She went out and was startled to see a miniature airplane, the size of a large auto, silently swoop down over her children. The plane flew past the house, climbed and made a banking turn to reverse direction. The mystery plane looked like a swept-wing jet fighter, complete with cockpit and canopy, but no pilot. At this point, she thought the small plane was a large remote controlled model glider. Oddly, when it reached a point about 500 feet behind her house, the craft stopped abruptly in mid-air and made an immediate downward vertical descent. It was lost to sight behind tall trees in her backyard.

The sighting occurred about two p.m. and lasted about three minutes. The aircraft was clearly over the road 100 feet away, and at one point only 100 feet off the ground. Although this may have been a glider, the witness was adamant about it coming to an instantaneous halt and falling vertically. Unfortunately, I didn't learn of this until several months after the incident. A search of the field after the interview revealed no craft or anything unusual.

At about 11 p.m. on Dec. 27, 1977, two conical-shaped UFOs with a large light on the bottom tip tangled with "Snoopy II," the Charlotte Police Department helicopter, over downtown Charlotte. One quickly vaulted to an estimated 4,000 feet in three seconds while the other flew circles around the Bell Jetranger. Then the "dog-fighting" UFO ejected a "big spark" and flew off quickly, outrunning the pursuing police helicopter.

The entire encounter was being observed on FAA radar at nearby Douglas Municipal Airport. Radar operators advised the crew one target was moving southeast while the other one was moving southwest toward the Southpark Shopping Center. "Snoopy II" turned and headed for the Southpark area. As it neared, a bright light in the sky came on and was in view for about 30 seconds. Then it blinked out. FAA traffic controller, Ray Badar immediately reported the Southpark target had vanished from the radar scope instantaneously, while minutes earlier the southeast heading target made a moderate fade-out over Indian Trail. What Badar didn't know is that Southpark is the location of a large substation and the Gold Hill Fault starts at Indian Trail.

On Feb. 5, 1978, again on the Gold Hill Fault line near Mint Hill, N.C., a woman and her three children observed a large

white light hovering over trees to the right of the road. A white searchlight projected from it and scanned the treetops. The object moved across the road, stopped in front of the car and beamed the witnesses who had stepped outside to watch. Another light came on and then all the lights blinked off. The object moved away toward Monroe, N.C. making a "whirling" sound. Neither the car, lights, motor or people were affected by the object's presence.

Ken Long was flying a small private plane over south Charlotte. With him was a friend, also a pilot. "Traffic now one mile from you—approaching from the northeast," advised Charlotte Air Traffic Control. A pilot should begin to worry if a controller says an aircraft is only one mile away—especially when you're flying at nine p.m. What worried them even more was that no plane could be seen approaching them despite the excellent visibility.

Then the radar operator said the "traffic" had just passed. At that point the radio underwent transmission difficulties. They could receive but their vocal transmission was garbled. Fortunately, the click on the plane's mike could be heard by the controller. So a yes/no code was worked out by keying clicks of the mike button. Surprisingly, the radio functioned properly upon touchdown.

The next day, May 31, 1978, both suffered from eye irritation and a fellow draftsman who lives in Mint Hill told them he saw strange lights dancing in the sky over Indian Trail. It then dawned on Long that the invisible object's approach had been from Indian Trail.

These and other similar cases of physical craft UFOs at fault lines seem to refute the natural explanation put forth by Dr. Persinger and Lafreniere. But the two researchers say sightings of spaceship type UFOs do not necessarily nullify their hypothesis.

They state that laboratory experiments have shown small electrical currents induced across the brain can cause paralysis, unconsciousness, and hallucinations. Therefore, those witnesses coming under the influence of transient electrical fields caused by subsurface stresses may hallucinate. Some might see physical craft, while others might see occupants or even experience an "abduction." Although such would appear real to the witness, it would be nothing more than a vividly recalled dream.

As for UFOs interfering with CBs, TVs, radios, car lights, and motors, Persinger and Lafreniere state it's simply a matter of the wandering electric field columns overpowering the weaker fields

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associated with such devices. These fields, depending on the intensity, could also create the physical side effects often experienced by close encounter victims.

Although the two scientists have found a positive correlation between UFOs and seismically active areas, they point out transient field events may still occur in areas of low seismicity. Because crystalline rock is widespread, there are weak points in the Earth's crust even in non-earthquake prone areas.

Does this mean Dr. Persinger and his assistant have solved the age-old enigma? Possibly, but some UFO events in fault zones indicate interactions with unknown physical craft that can't be explained away by seismic electromagnetic fields.

As the two have pointed out, the presence of a floating plasmoid implies the existence of a tremendous electrical field surging up through the ground. Therefore, any man-made electromagnetic devices in the column's path should be affected by the moving field. Yet, as some of the Indian Trail cases have shown, UFOs going and coming from the Gold Hill Fault have passed over cars and houses without causing any electromagnetic disturbance. For instance, the two conical craft that tangled with the Charlotte police helicopter passed over the chopper at an estimated altitude of 200 feet with no apparent effect to the instrument lights, radio, motor, or pilots.

At 10:21 p.m. on Nov. 20, 1977, researchers with Vestigia, Inc., of New Jersey succeeded in momentarily observing, filming, and electronically recording the presence of the "Hookerman" spook light at Indian Point, N.J. Follow-up research revealed that the strange light usually appears at a site one mile from the Ramapo Border Fault and the ghost light generally is seen prior to local seismic activity. Consequently, the Vestigians have concluded the Hookerman light is actually a small plasmoid created by a transient field. However, an oddity was observed—only observers on one side of the light were able to see it! Interestingly, this unidirectional emission of light is a characteristic shared by some large meandering nocturnal lights.

The Texas-based Project Stigmata Summer 1978 Bulletin tells of one such encounter sometime in 1975 around Nara Nara in northeastern New Mexico, a seismically active area.

At the time, livestock mutilations were occurring and residents were regularly reporting unmarked helicopters and roaming nocturnal lights. One night several UFOs were seen. As planned, four ranchers took to the air in a small

unusual interest in fault lines. Like the light spheroids, they seem to have a special affinity for quartz deposits along geological faults. Whether they are nocturnal lights. For two hours the plane flew around the area as frustrated observers on the ground told them where the lights were. Strangely, the four in the aircraft couldn't see the nocturnal light.

This one-sided light emission especially by naturally occurring plasmoids is certainly puzzling. According to conventional physics, ionized balls of air should emit light in all directions.

Another important point is that in the Indian Trail multiwitness encounters all viewed the same type of UFO with the exception of some minor variation in details. Such is normal in situations where people are viewing an unusual event, be it an auto accident or UFO encounter. Surely, if the sighting was the result of seismic induced fields, all the resulting hallucinations would have been remarkably different. It is possible the close proximity of the witnesses in some of the incidents resulted in "mass hallucinations."

Take for instance, the evening of the Charlotte radar-visual case. Around seven p.m. three youths riding in the Indian Trail area came upon a conical-shaped craft with a large white light on the bottom. As they approached it, the odd object started moving at treetop level toward Charlotte. The trio chased the object 10 miles into Charlotte where they lost it after the big light blinked out. Later, at nine p.m. in downtown Charlotte, Eric Moore, an announcer for WRPL was leaving work when he saw the same type of craft passing over him and other motorists on Providence Road. Strangely, the UFO was flying upside down. Both of these events were learned before details of the UFOs seen by the policemen were made public.

Furthermore, physical trace encounters that tie in with what the witness viewed also make it difficult to write off such cases as hallucinations. A very good example is the close encounter of the third kind in North Bergen, N.J. This town lies on an unnamed fault which starts one mile north of the East River Fault in New York City.

It was there in January 1975, when 72-year-old George O'Barski and others observed a circular metallic craft with evenly spaced and lighted rectangular windows. This close encounter of the third kind occurred about two a.m. as O'Barski was driving home. To his surprise, he saw the circular craft hover 10 feet off the ground only 60 feet away.

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A ladder was extended and down came nine white-skinned humanoids. Using shovels, the aliens quickly scooped up soil into bags they were carrying. Then they scampered up the ladder and back into the hovering object. The ladder was retracted, and the alien ship ascended into the sky, disappearing in about 20 seconds.

Could this have been an hallucination due to a seismoelectric field? The fault is an active one as a slight tremor jarred the area on Apr. 13, 1976.

O'Barski doesn't think so. He's found where the ufonauts were digging convinced him the aliens weren't just figments of his imagination. Besides, investigators later found two other witnesses, unknown to O'Barski, who saw the craft ascend out of the park at the time of his encounter. And a window at a nearby apartment complex mysteriously shattered as the craft shot skyward.

What does all this mean? As a monolithic theory, Persinger and Lafreniere's hypothesis fails. Their findings, however, suggest many exciting encounters with UFOs may be nothing more than interactions with seismically induced electromagnetic fields. On the other hand, some UFOs in fault areas appear to be alien craft of a very physical nature that have an unusual interest in fault lines. Like the light spheroids, they seem to have a special affinity for quartz deposits along geological faults. Whether they are UFO propulsion system will possess a weapon of far more value than any other in existence at present.

Indeed, UFOs are a matter of utmost national security, as Sen. Barry Goldwater discovered when he tried to gain access to UFO information at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base and was refused admission by none other than Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Curtis LeMay himself.

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own persistence. (It is odd that the doctor was the one who had originally urged us to set up the appointment.)

Jack and five or six other persons were returning from a party at Jenny Miller's (pseudonym) house in Vineland Station on October 16, 1971 at 1:30 p.m. Most of them were members of a rock band which had been hired to play there. The band was returning to St. Catharines.

Tom Irving (a pseudonym), the guitarist there, arrived on September 22, 1982 for an appointment, along with his wife Ann Marie (a pseudonym).

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CIA planned 'education'

But information to public was aimed at debunking

By ANTONIO HUNEUS

"It was interesting to note that none of the members of the Panel were loath to accept that this earth might be visited by extraterrestrial intelligent beings of some sort, some day."

FC. Durant, "Report of Meetings of Scientific Advisory Panel on Unidentified Flying Objects," Convened by Office of Scientific Intelligence, CIA, January 14-18, 1953.

As we've seen in our previous article, a "blue ribbon" scientific panel was convened by the CIA's office of Scientific Intelligence (OSI) in mid-January of 1953 to examine the then nagging question of UFOs and particularly, whether they could pose a threat to national security. Presided by Dr. Howard P. Roberston, a noted physicist from the California Institute of Technology, the panel of five scientists sat for four long days to hear and weigh the evidence presented by officers of the U.S. Air Force (Air Technical Intelligence Center at Wright-Patterson AF Base), the CIA (various branches) and the U.S. Navy (Photo Interpretation Laboratory in Anacostia, Maryland). For this, according to a CIA document, Dr. Roberston and his four colleagues were to be paid each the not very astronomical sum of \$50 per day!

The enclosed copy of the "Index" of the 24-page "internal report to the AD/SI" (Assistant Director/Scientific Intelligence, H. Marshall Chadwell) prepared by Frederick Durant, and labeled "SECRET" and "Security Information" until it was declassified in December 18, 1974, gives a good idea of what went on during those four tight days. The Index's "Tab C, list of Documentary Evidence Presented" to the Scientific Advisory Panel, shows what the panel had to work with in order to arrive to a conclusion regarding the UFO problem. It basically consisted on the best evidence collected so far by ATIC (in charge of Project Bluebook) and under the direction of Captain Ed Ruppelt, and with the assistance of Dr. Hynek as scientific consultant, and Major Dewey Fournet as liaison officer in the Pentagon. Eight "case histories" were discussed in some detail (including two UFO

films and the Washington "Invasion" of '52) and up to 75 other cases were reviewed briefly.

'Artifacts of extraterrestrial origin'

Interestingly, it was Major Fournet, the man at the Pentagon desk, who advocated the extraterrestrial hypothesis more earnestly during the sessions. Although Durant wrote in his final report that "none of the members of the Panel were loath to accept that this earth might be visited by extraterrestrial intelligent beings of some sort, some day," he also emphasized that the Panel did not find "any evidence that related the objects sighted to space travelers."

Yet Durant wrote of Fournet's presentation that he "showed how he had eliminated each of the known and probable causes of sightings leaving him 'extra-terrestrial' as the only one remaining in many cases."

The Panel acknowledged "Fournet's background as an aeronautical engineer and technical intelligence officer," wrote Durant, yet the self-same Panel "could not accept any of the cases sighted by him because they were raw, unevaluated reports."

A similar situation occurred when the Panel rebuked the meticulous analysis of the Navy's Photo Interpretation Lab (PIL) of the Tremonton, Utah film shot on July 2, 1952 by Delbert Newhouse, a Navy chief photographer. Both the initial analysis of the film conducted by ATIC in Wright-Patterson, and the "1000 man-hours of professional and sub-professional time" put by PIL, concluded that the objects were neither natural phenomena nor man-made artifacts. Furthermore, the "unknown" objects seemed to be under intelligent control. Despite all this, however, Durant reported that the panel members "could not accept the conclusions reached," therefore dismissing the Tremonton objects as "seagulls."

While all the "case histories" reviewed by the Panel were discounted one way or another, there was some discussion and disagreement among the scientists with regards to the implications of "extraterrestrial artifacts." Dr. Goudsmit, for instance, was of the opinion that even "if they did exist," there was "no cause for alarm." Dr. Roberston, on the other hand, "did not concur" with this attitude, "as he felt that such artifacts would be of immediate and great concern not only to the U.S. but to all countries."

To which Durant added in parenthesis that, "Nothing like a common threat to unite peoples!"

On lack of danger

The ET arguments, however, were purely academic and did not interfere with what was perhaps the report's key policy statement: "The Panel concluded unanimously that there was no evidence of a direct threat to national security in the objects sighted." But if UFOs *per se* didn't pose a threat, the scientists did consider the possibility of "potential related dangers." These were grouped in three categories: "a. Misidentification of actual enemy artifacts by enemy personnel. b. Overloading of emergency reporting channels with 'false' information. c. Subjectivity of public to mass hysteria and greater vulnerability to possible enemy psychological warfare."

According to Dr. Hynek, who sat in most of the sessions although he did not sign the final official report, "in convening the panel, the CIA was fearful not of UFOs, but of UFO reports" (The Hynek UFO Report, page 20). This, in turn, led the Panel to formulate a "debunking" policy to counter what an earlier CIA document by H. Marshall Chadwell had termed "the increasing risk of false alerts and the even greater danger of falsely identifying the real as phantom."

The climate of McCarthyism and the Cold War prevalent in those days should also be taken in consideration when looking at the panel's fears that UFO reports could somehow be used as "hostile propaganda." For instance, one of the last and most ominous sections of the final report dealt with the surveillance of "U official Investigating Groups." Citing the existence of such groups as the "Civilian Flying Saucer Investigators" (Los Angeles) and the "Aerial Phenomena Research Organization" (Wisconsin)," the report indicated that, "it was believed that such organizations should be watched because of their potentially great influence on mass thinking if widespread sightings should occur." To which it was added that, "the apparent irresponsibility and the possible use of such groups for subversive purposes should be kept in mind."

Educational program

One of the most interesting and perhaps far-reaching parts of the report was the so-called "Educational Program." In Durant's words, "the Panel's concept of a broad educational program inte-

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grating efforts of all concerned agencies was that it should have two major aims: training and 'debunking.'

The Panel made no bones about the importance of this "educational program." The names of people like Arthur Godfrey and Walt Disney were tossed around in an effort "to plan and execute such a program." The Panel had in mind to hire "someone familiar with mass communication techniques, perhaps an advertising expert," as well as "the help of one or two psychologists and writers and a subcontractor to produce training films..."

The targets of this educational campaign of "training and debunking" were roughly divided in government personnel and the general public. "The training aim" was directed at the first group, "from enlisted personnel to reduction in reports caused by misidentification and resultant confusion." The "debunking aim," on the other hand, was directed at the American public in general, and "business clubs, high schools, colleges, and television stations" were expected to "all be pleased to cooperate in the showing of documentary type motion pictures if prepared in an interesting manner. The use of true cases showing first the 'mystery' and then the 'explanation' would be forceful."

Like famous "trick" memorandum that would later plague the Condon Report, the word "trick" was also used by the Roberston Panel when it outlined the prescription to "educate" the public by "mass media such (as) television, motion pictures, and popular articles." Stated the Scientific Advisory Panel:

"Basis of such education would be actual case histories which had been puzzling at first but later explained. As in the case of conjuring tricks, there is much less stimulation if the 'secret' is known. Such a program should tend to reduce the current gullibility of the public and consequently their susceptibility to clever hostile propaganda."

The CIA Panel seemed to have great faith on the results of such an educational campaign of "training and debunking." It suggested that "a minimum of one and one-half to two years" should be required to develop it, and that with the support of ATIC and the "cooperation from other military services and agencies concerned," the program should be able to "greatly reduce if not eliminate" the related dangers of a potential saucer hysteria.

It is interesting to note that Dr. Roberston himself recognized that after all the educational fuss had been said and done, "there would still be a role for a very modest-sized

ATIC section to cope with the residuum of items of possible scientific intelligence value."

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While he was in a preconditioning session with his wife present, she went into a light trance state and said that she recalled the party.

On September 29; Tom resisted Dr. Shulman's probing. He stated: "There is something there in the back of my mind. . . all the time. . . like a resistance." He also "vaguely" recalled "going off the road. . . maybe because of an accident." He did not recall the party. Dr. Schulman told us that Tom had a mental block both consciously and unconsciously.

We phoned Dr. R. Leo Sprinkle, veteran UFOlogist, psychologist and Director of the Division of Counseling and Testing at the University of Wyoming. He advised us on how to continue the exploration of the case and said that the problems we had personally were all part of it. He said

later that "if you acknowledge it, it tends to taper off." Dr. Schulman had a long conversation with Dr. Sprinkle which she said was helpful.

Joe and Harry visited Tom and Ann Marie on October 8. She led them straight to a house in Vineland Station where the party was held. According to the records of Tom's engagements, the party did occur at that house on October 16, 1971. Only she and Jack recalled the incident. Sam J. (a pseudonym), the drummer, and Calvin Stoddard (a pseudonym), the bass player, offered no help.

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Group sues government for bodies in UFOs

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WASHINGTON (UPI) — Citizens Against UFO Secrecy filed a "Writ of Habeas Corpus Extraterrestrial" to force the government to release more than a dozen ETs supposedly found in crashed flying saucers, the group's director said yesterday.

"We want the bodies," said Larry Bryant, a 45-year-old Alexandria, Va., writer. "But we'll take whatever information we can get, including whether the bodies are dead or alive."

"What our petition aims to do, simply, is to perform a 'citizen's disarmament' — to make the government account, formally and fully, for their capture of one or more UFO crewmen that have the misfortune of falling into U.S. military hands," he said.

The legal document, accepted last week by the U.S. District Court in the District of Columbia, claims Air Force Secretary Verne Orr and the U.S. attorney general are "maintaining secret custody over one or more occupants of crash-landed UFOs of apparent extraterrestrial origin."

It includes a photocopy of a recently released purported March 22, 1950, government memorandum

stating: "An investigator for the Air Force stated that three so-called flying saucers had been recovered in New Mexico.

"Each one was occupied by three bodies of human shape but only 3 feet tall, dressed in metallic cloth of very fine texture. Each body was bandaged in a manner similar to the blackout suits used by speed flyers and test pilots."

The memorandum was included in a sheaf of documents recently obtained by a UFO group under a freedom-of-information request.

The memorandum is addressed to "Director, FBI," from "Guy Hottel, SAC," Washington," but Capt. Johnny Whitaker, an Air Force spokesman, said nobody seems to know who Hottel is.

The Justice Department declined comment on the lawsuit until it has time to review it.

The Air Force and Justice Department have been given 60 days to respond to the petition.

"If this action encourages more UFO-coverup witnesses and crash-retrieval participants to come forward with their stories without fear of reprisal, so much the better," said Bryant.

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Did UFO visit Canton?

BY CHERYL EBERWEIN

Carol Nickerson of Canton is sure she couldn't identify what she saw in the sky early Sunday morning.

But she knows what she thinks the "fire ball" may have been.

"I know what I saw was a UFO," Nickerson said. "This thing was unlike anything I had ever seen before."

The Canton Police, the Canton Fire Department and the Michigan State Police were unable to substantiate the reports.

Nickerson said that she was first drawn to her window in her home on Brookline

Drive by a strange swishing sound.

"My sons and I had heard the sound both Thursday and Friday nights as well. But we thought it might be a car going by. We never bothered to look in the sky."

But Sunday when Nickerson heard the noise again, she also noticed a brilliant orange-red glowing object in the sky. She said the object moved in a triangular pattern "moving toward and away from us." Although she could not say exactly how large the object was, she said it appeared very large when it moved closer to them.

Hovering shapes probed

MELBOURNE, Australia — The Australian air force began a UFO investigation today following hundreds of reports of four, multicolored cylindrical shapes hovering over the town of Bendigo over the weekend.

One explanation was that the unidentified flying objects were caused by a rock band practicing with a laser lighting system, the air force said.

The air force's command intelligence officer, Flight Lt. Brett Biddington, left for Bendigo

100 miles northwest of Melbourne, to "find out whether there is a rational explanation" for the UFOs.

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RAAF PUZZLED BY UFOs TRACKED ON AIRPORT RADAR

SYDNEY: High-speed UFOs — travelling at great altitude caused mystery signals on Sydney Airport radar screens.

But they were not satellites or Australian military aircraft, an RAAF spokesman confirmed yesterday.

The RAAF is investigating the radar sightings at the request of the Department of Aviation, but admits that at this stage they

remain a mystery.

Ten high-speed radar signals were picked up by Sydney air traffic controllers in the past month.

If the signals had been caused by aircraft there certainly would have been reports of sonic booms... and there have been no reports, the RAAF spokesman said.

The RAAF is trying to correlate

the radar signals with known air activity during June, but has so far drawn a blank.

The most recent of the radar sightings was on Wednesday.

"It has reached speeds of up to 2780kmh but has also been recorded at just a little over 1300kmh," the spokesman said.

"Whatever it is, it is not ours. "All I can say is that we've seen fast-moving blips on our radar

screens which we are investigating."

The spokesman said that only the U.S. or the Soviet Union have aircraft that could fly at such a height and speed.

The RAAF will probably be investigating the video tapes from the radar sightings as they have had no visual sightings of the objects.

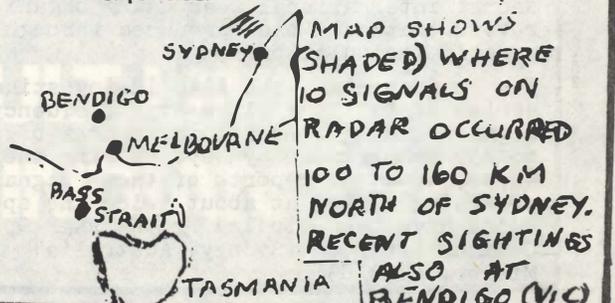
The first of the 10 sightings

came at about the beginning of the month.

All 10 signals have come from an area 100 to 260km north of Sydney.

Last month hundreds of people reported seeing brightly coloured cone-shaped lights in the night sky over Bendigo and Ballarat in central Victoria.

These sightings too remain unexplained.



UFO? What UFO?

MAINZ, West Germany (UPI) — It was *War of the Worlds II* in Duisburg, West Germany the other day.

As a joke, the second of West Germany's three television channels flashed a message on TV screens Friday night that an unidentified flying object had landed in the Ruhr city.

And it announced there would be a special program on the landing at 9:15 p.m.

Astonished and fearful viewers made about 1,000 telephone calls to police headquarters in Duisburg, West Germany's 10th largest city, blocking all lines.

Many hundreds of others phoned newspapers and local sta-

tions carrying the nationwide TV program.

At 9 p.m., 30 minutes after the first report of the saucer landing, another message flashed across screens reading, "UFOs have not landed. There will be no special show."

That message produced hundreds of more phone calls asking where the saucers were if they had not landed.

Finally an announcer broke into the show, a detective comedy, to say it was all a joke.

On Halloween night in 1938, Orson Welles put on an adaptation of H. G. Wells' *The War of the Worlds*. The news-type account of Martians landing in New Jersey had Americans from Maine to Georgia running in the streets in fright.

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1. Alan Holt, a NASA space engineer, contends that space aliens visiting Earth have beamed themselves and their UFO craft from the other galaxies. Traveling at the speed of light, they are dematerialized into atoms, beamed through space, and reassembled at their destination. Hayden Hewes of the International UFO Bureau, Inc. thinks that they may settle largely in desolate areas out of sight of the general public. "Antarctica alone offers over 5 million square miles" of space for them to hide in. (*National Enquirer*, 9/6/83) (Interesting the way Antarctica's possible role as a major UFO base keeps coming up, isn't it?)

2. Alan Godfrey, an English police constable, encountered a UFO in the early hours of the morning while driving through the hills searching for straying cattle. Hovering 40 feet above ground, it resembled "an enormous spinning top with rows of windows" as it shimmered in front of him. Later he realized that he had unaccountably lost about 15 minutes of time. He experienced a pervasive thought: "You should not be seeing this. It is not for your eyes."

A few months later, Godfrey submitted to hypnosis by 2 doctors to clarify what happened during the lost 15 minutes. He anxiously relived the missing time period and recalled that he was taken aboard the UFO and given a medical examination by "tiny robot-like creatures. A tall, bearded man who appeared to be human directed the tests, and before releasing Godfrey, advised him that he would be contacted again in about 10 years."

Apparently, at the time of the UFO incident, Godfrey had witnessed the murder/death of Zigmund Adamski, a Polish immigrant, in Todmorden, England. An inquest showed that Adamski died of heart failure, had a strange burn mark on the back of his head and neck, and had not been robbed. There had been speculation that UFOs were involved. Godfrey had been the first cop to reach the area where the body was found--about a mile from where he later encountered the UFO. (*National Examiner*, 8/30/83) (Might this be a human from the secret international team using organic robots that have been produced through genetic manipulation?)

3. In Australia, the RAAF is investigating a series of baffling ultra-high frequency radar signals coming from within an area of 100 km to 250 km north of Sydney. During the past 6 weeks, about 10 reports of these signals from something flying at about twice the speed of sound have been studied by the RAAF Operational Command Centre. (Sydney, Australia: *Daily Mirror*, 6/30/83)

4. On Oct. 30, 1966, over a dozen people saw a tear-drop shaped UFO on the roof of the RCA building in Cherry Hill, NJ. One driver was so scared by the sighting that he ran his car into a utility pole. He was taken to the hospital and treated for minor injuries. When the accident was investigated, both police and hospital records of the incident had disappeared. (ABC News, 5/18/83) Apparently, the UFO "coverup group" has easy access to hospital and police records. This would suggest involvement by the feds.

After three decades, man tells about UFOs

CREDIT: Vera Perry

COULD THE MOTHER BASE of the flying saucers or UFOs or whatever you choose to call them be inside a remote mountain range in northern Arizona?

Sandy Linker firmly believes it is, and he has decided to come forward after 31 years to tell his story.

Linker, who describes himself as a beat-up old bronc buster, lives in eastern Vancouver. Now 56, he was a young man in 1952 when he spent six months breaking horses at a remote corral in the Hualapai Mountains, halfway between Las Vegas, Nev., and Kingman, Ariz., nearly 100 miles from the nearest town.

"My ex-wife and I used to sit on the fence of the Archibald corral and watch the flying saucers," Linker said. "They seemed to come right out of the side of the mountains at about the same time every evening."

When Linker tells his story, in his cow country drawl, one immediately becomes convinced he is telling the truth. This is an honest, sincere working man, not just another freak.

Linker said he has been within 300 feet of one of the hovering UFOs, which he said was about the size of a two-story house, so close that a silvery-blue light from the machine burned his eyes. He tried to take pictures of the craft, but was foiled by this same light.

"My ex-wife and I were driving across the desert one night, when suddenly our car was bathed in this light," he recalled. "The engine just plain stopped. Then, after whatever it was had left, I turned the ignition and the engine started right up."

The UFOs Linker claims he saw are identical to the photographs that are being printed with more and more regularity around the world. They had the appearance of a flattened bell, with portholes or windows around the perimeter. The space machines seemed to glow with blue, orange and red lights.

"I went to the place where one had landed," Linker said. "There was a circle about 60 feet in diameter where the grass had been singed and sand had blown away. There were indentation marks made by what appeared to be three landing pods."

The former wrangler said he has no idea what the flying saucers are, or if they are from outer space or originate here on earth. Along with dozens of others who have seen them, he firmly believes the government knows much more about them than that it is letting on.

Linker said he had kept quiet all these years because he didn't want to be labeled as a crackpot. "I was known to be a little bit crazy in those days anyway," he said.

What he would like, he said, is to lead an expedition of scientists back into this remote country, to show them exactly where the UFOs materialized every evening.

"They still might be there," he said. "Even if they're not, there should still be some evidence of them lying around."

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SBI REPORT

MULTIPLE "ABDUCTIONS" IN CANADA — PART II

By Lawrence J. Fenwick, HARRY TOKARZ & JOSEPH MUSKAT
(Canadian UFO Research Network)

(Note: The van incident occurred on Oct. 16, 1971 while the group was returning from a party in Vineland Station).

Those present in the van were Jack, Calvin Stoddard, Sam J., Tom Irving, a teenager who was being given a ride back to St. Catharines, and possibly Sam J.'s girl friend and Ann Marie, Tom's wife. They were driving west along the North Service Road just 50 feet north of a main highway, the Queen Elizabeth Way. Tom was driving Jack's van.

Tom spoke up as they reached the vicinity of Charles Daley Park. "It looks like there's an accident ahead." Jack looked over Tom's shoulder and saw lights ahead across the road. Tom stopped the van at the roadside. He said "You'd better take a look at this. You're not going to believe it."

Jack said to the doctor: "I saw a flying saucer on the road with lights panning back and forth all over the road. Blue lights came from the bottom and scanned the road like searchlights. There were portholes. There were little red lights around the perimeter and a dome shape on top." The object appeared to be gray but at night it was hard to say what color it actually was. The group collectively decided to turn back and get out of the area while they could. Calvin started to make a U-turn in the middle of the road but the steering wheel would not work."

"We started going towards the thing. Sam said 'Tom, what are you doing?' Tom replied: 'I haven't got any more control over the van.' The UFO was pulling the van toward it. It was weird. He had his foot on the brake pedal trying to stop it, but the van kept moving towards the thing very slowly. You didn't feel any bumps like you would if you were driving. Then the van settled on the shoulder of the road and stopped maybe 20 feet away from the UFO. And you heard all these sounds coming out of it, like a street sweeper

makes, or pneumatic air pressure being released with a hissing sound. Things like that. It looked hot. There was heat around it."

"Then Sam said to Tom: 'Do you see that?' Tom said, 'Yes.' He told him to be quiet. At this point, I was trying to see over the seat without being noticed. Sam kept telling me to get down. I said: 'What's going on?' He said: 'There's somebody coming out of it.' I could hear footsteps going alongside the van. We'd all decided to keep completely still and not make any sound. I heard them trying the door — Tom's door. I could see that he was afraid. I could almost feel it, but he just kept looking straight ahead without moving. He didn't look at the alien at all, or whoever was trying the door.

"I couldn't see any face in the window, but the window right behind that was where I could see the top of the head and eyes go by — really dark, dark eyes, black pupils. A really strange looking head, bigger than ours. As it went by, it floated very evenly. There was no bobbing up and down like it was taking steps. It just floated by. And then it started rattling the doors at the back of the van. This guy that was in the van that we picked up — they must have been working on him telepathically or something because, for some reason, he leaned over to the back of the door and I thought he was checking to see if it was locked, but instead he opened it. Both doors opened and I saw four aliens standing outside."

"One — I'm trying to remember if he jumped or climbed or what. I don't remember how he got into the van, but I guess he stepped up into the van. At this point, we were in a lot of fear. We were thinking about trying to find something to fight them with, as if we were being attacked, but the alien came in. He put our minds at ease about an attack. It felt like he was communicating through his eyes more than his mouth. His mouth didn't seem

to be moving. When he'd look at somebody else, the volume seemed to decrease, but I could still hear what he was saying.

"When he looked directly at me, I could understand him perfectly. He was telling us that they had no intention of hurting us or being hostile, that we would be unable to move or speak and that he was doing that to us because he was afraid for his safety and the safety of his crew. He knew we were thinking about harming them. He told us that all that they wanted to do was run a few tests on some of us."

Jack said the humanoids had no eyebrows, the head was very large in proportion to their bodies, and the mouth was small and slit-like.

Jack continued: "At this point, I don't know how, but he tripped over the drum stand and knocked over one drum. It rolled out of the van. One of the two aliens who were standing outside the van picked up the drum and looked at it. I went out carrying my bag with my recorders in it. I looked at the drum and took it from the alien. He asked me what it was. I told him and pointed to Sam, the drummer and I said, 'He plays the drums.' Tom walked out of the van and saw me holding the drum at the back of the van. The alien asked me if the drum was damaged. I said it was all right. The alien tried to put the drum back on the drum stand in the van. He gave up and put it on the van's floor. The alien looked at my bag and asked what was in it. I took out one of my recorders. He asked me what it was. I didn't want to answer him. I showed him how it was played. I brought the alien back into the van.

"The alien told us that he couldn't test all of us because they didn't have the equipment for it or the time. So he wanted to do three of us. He said that he'd bring us back and we could go on our way when they'd finished. So he

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started to look around. I had gotten my fear under control. He picked Calvin and Sam and me.

"I followed the alien and entered the UFO. I noticed the wall inside the door. It was cold inside and black. But the wall curved and one part of the inside was lit up. There were two aliens there. One of them told me to take off my shirt, which I did. I still had one of my recorders with me. I was worried about what the aliens would do to me. They put me on the floor. There was a cot at the far end. They took Calvin, the bass man, out of the room. Sam argued. He didn't want to disrobe. I laughed at Sam's attempt to refuse.

"There was another cot near where I was and it had instruments on it, like dental instruments, as if they were used for doing examinations. One of the aliens picked up one which looked like the handle of a Contempra telephone. It was all black. He tried to demonstrate it to me. He placed it against his arm which was covered by his sleeves. I could see through the sleeve and into his arm. All I could see was the faint outline of what looked like a bone. There was a light coming from the entire side of the tool which seemed to act like an X-ray. Then he shone it against my right arm. There was no pain. I could see my muscles and veins and I could see what my pulse was like as the blood pumped into the veins. The alien told me to lie down. They shone a big light on my head. It looked like a neon light and was attached to a big arm-like machine. The beam was silvery and moved around. I got my hand in the way then and it hurt my hand a bit. They made a cut near my ear.

"The machine itself looked like a dentist's machine, as it moved over the top of me. It was metallic. When the thing pointed down, it looked like a drill or knife. It had all kinds of arms on it with different devices. All the aliens were examining me with parts of the thing. Checking me over. The room seemed to acquire a sense of business. Everybody seemed to be serious about what they were doing. They were all hustling about. Everybody was doing their job — different jobs. It was like an

operating room. There were all these instruments on me. There were wires. They were pressing down on me on certain parts of my skin."

"I don't know if there was another part after that or not, but they definitely seemed to have collected the information. They had little bags that contained samples that they had taken from me, such as hair. This machine — they took it away somehow. I don't know if they wheeled it away or if it just folded up and went into the galley. They sat me up. They may have made me look at that writing. They wheeled me over to another part of the ship, back to where my clothes were. They had a table there that had instruments inside. They were folding them up in white cloth and putting them away."

A Question On Religion

"They asked us if we wanted to ask them any questions, that this was the time to do it. So Sam — Calvin, I don't think asked any — seemed kind of curious. He asked them where they come from. They told him it was a long ways away. It wasn't part of our solar system, and that he wouldn't understand if they told him. Then I decided to ask them a question because, for some reason, this idea came into my head that these beings could have been angels. I don't want to tell them that that's what I thought, but I asked them what the correct religion on Earth was. They seemed surprised. They stopped what they were doing. Two of them looked at me. They said: 'Why did you ask that?,' I said: 'Because I feel that you people are more advanced than we are in all kinds of ways, not just telepathically, but socially and probably more spiritually advanced than we are, and, if anyone would know what the correct religion would be, it would be you.'

"He said: 'Are you a member of a religion now?' I said: 'No, but I used to be. I was brought up in a religion.' He asked me what it was and I said: 'I was brought up as a Jehovah's Witness, but I don't follow the path anymore. I don't believe in it. Is that the correct religion?' He said: 'No.' I said: 'Well, what is?' He said: 'There is no correct religion on Earth.' Then he cut me off at that point.

I wanted to ask him more, but he wouldn't get into that subject with me. I kept picking up their thoughts, but he didn't want to interfere with my judgment on religious matters. They wanted to leave that up to me. They just wanted to ask me some run of the mill questions. But I wanted to catch them off guard."

Dr. Clamar asked: "How did you know which one was their leader?" Jack said: "He was the more dominant one of them all. He was the one who made all of the major moves and did all of the dirty work like coming into the van, putting us under a spell, or whatever. The other guys just sort of stood in the background and waited. He seemed to be directing everything. He had the crew trained very well. They didn't question him. They knew exactly what to do. They were extremely efficient.

"After I put my clothes on, I was standing there talking to him for a while. I could see more of what he looked like at that point. I had my recorders with me. He'd already sent Calvin back. I wasn't sure at that time whether he had or not, but when I got back to the van, Calvin was there. Sam seemed to be more relaxed and now he was smiling and he said goodbye. They thanked him for coming along. So he walked back to the van. I didn't go with him. I wanted to talk to them a little more. I didn't want the experience to end. It had been very interesting for me to go through something like that.

"The leader was standing there by the door. He started to tell me things that touched me. Things about myself and my life. He knew there was some kind of affinity between me and him. Almost like he was a member of the family. I felt very close to him. Just this feeling alone made me feel sad. It was like a love. The kind of love you feel for a best friend, or someone you really care for. I think this was where I started crying. I wasn't crying loud, but it was just that it brought tears to my eyes.

A Musical Souvenir

"He told me that he'd see me again and that there was lots of work yet to be

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done, and that I'd been a very good subject. He said that he was going to give me a purpose and I would be of great help to my friends and people around me. The things that he said to me really made me feel good. He left me with a feeling of usefulness — that I'd really helped them. He was grateful and he said — I was so emotionally tied up with what he was saying that it's really

with what he was saying that it's really hurt me deeply — he had decided to break the tension by asking me if there was something that I wanted to show him now. I didn't want the tension to be broken at that point. I was still thinking about what he had said. I broke it off and I remembered that I wanted to show him my recorders. So I said: 'I've got some musical instruments in here that I'd like to show you,' and he said: 'Could I see them?' So I handed him the bag by the string. He took it by the bottom of the string, below it. He lifted it off my hand and started to look at them.

"I had three or four recorders in there. The tenor, I think, the largest of the recorders, was in two pieces. I had taken it apart so it would fit better in the bag. I asked him if I could put it together to show him what it's supposed to look like. He said: 'Yes.' I walked over to him and I opened up the bag and I took the tenor out and put the mouthpiece on top of the other part. Then I showed it to him. He said 'How do you play these?' I played a couple of notes on it and I said: 'You play it by blowing air into it and covering the holes.' So he looked at it. He took the other one out — the alto — and said: 'What is this one? How is it different?' And I said 'It plays a little higher key than the other one. The notes are a little higher, but it works basically the same.'

"And there was the smallest one that I took out and showed him that one and I played a little on each one for him to show him the difference. He seemed very interested and then I started thinking about the little one — that maybe I should give it to him as a gift. So I asked him. I took the bag back off him, I had the little one in my hand and asked him if he'd like to take it back with him as a souvenir. He said: 'That would be



The Recorder Bag

fine.' So I handed it to him. Then he reached out to take it from me and I saw his hand. It was really a strange-looking hand. It was really rough-looking skin. The thumb was wide and black. The fingers — the ends of them were wide. They seemed to taper a little, but there was a bit of fold on the ends of them. I was really amazed looking at his hand.

"As Sam was walking out the door, he was talking to one of the aliens. I could hear their conversation in my mind. Sam asked them if they had any bases in our solar system. The alien said that they had a few, and that they had some on planets in other solar systems, as well as some here on Earth. In fact, he said, pointing toward Lake Ontario, we have one there."

The 1976 incident involved his ex-wife and himself and was not an abduction case. It was a CE3. Due to his emotional attachment to her, Jack wants no details released.

Bill T. told Harry and Joe of a theory he had formulated over the years since the Owen Sound automobile incident. He feels the aliens want to eliminate "corrupt" blood if it exists in the "family tree." The "corruption" is the genetic inheritance of diseases such as cancer or a history of family members having had heart trouble. The humanoids would cut off these unwanted strains from the male genes by preventing third generations

of those they abduct from having male heirs. This is done by mental manipulation. Abductees are programmed to avoid marriage, or if they do marry, it is one whose family history shows mostly female offspring. If abductees do have male children, these may be the second or the third and final generation of males in the family, unless there is absolutely no history of males in the family having serious genetically-inherited diseases. Only then are exceptions made.

CUFORN has a list of abductees who have no male heirs and who may have fulfilled the humanoids' purpose. These may be either first, second, or third generation abductees.

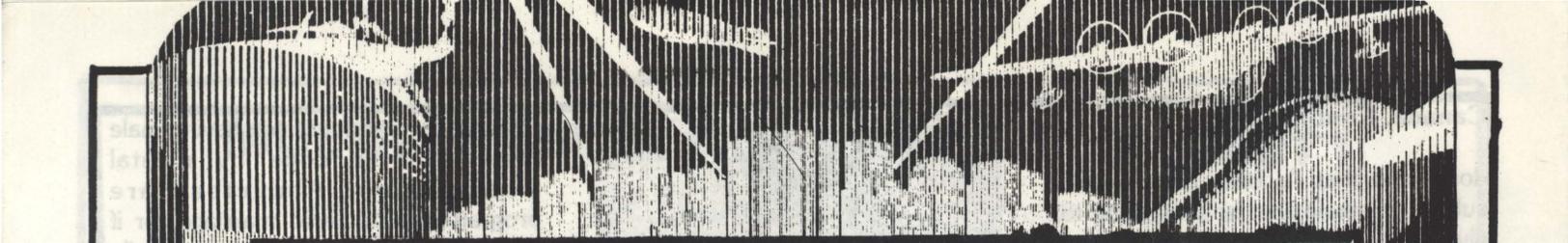
Jack told CUFORN that the humanoids told him that they travel from their home planet to other places in the universe *instantly*. This amounts to instant transference, so that time and distance pose no barrier.

Dr. Schulman summarized the case by saying that hypnosis alone could not determine whether the individual was telling the truth, although she felt that Jack believed that what he was saying was the truth. She also felt that, on the negative side, the more detail Jack gave under hypnosis, the less believable, (i.e., the more chance of fantasizing to fill in holes in the story). Again, on the negative side, Jack had read *Missing Time* and sought out the author, Budd Hopkins.

On the positive side was the fact that CUFORN had to urge Jack to pursue the case further. The doctor detected no unconscious motivation such as publicity or grandiose illusions. She said that perhaps this whole thing was something beyond our comprehension. In speculating, she suggested that the mental blocks we met actually have been inserted by good forces and we are playing with fire and may hurt something or someone.

Dr. R. Leo Sprinkle, psychologist and UFOlogist, wrote to Harry Tokarz on November 23, 1982: "I am impressed with the observations which you and your colleagues have noted in the ongoing investigation. I am familiar with these types of observations, although the comment about "interference

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CORRECTIONS

Those of you who have purchased our 1983 SBI/UFO First Symposium Proceedings (see;pg. 19) are requested to make the following corrections on page 10: Kansas-Thomas Carty (placed as Kentucky State Director by accident); Kentucky-Charles Wilhelm; Florida-Juan Manuel Quiros (Dr. Virgilio Sanchez-Ocejo placed as State Director by error); Ohio-Teresa Jeffcott (replaces former Director Bonita Roman). We apologize for these errors during the printing/layout out of our proceedings.

LATE NEWS

Antonio Huneeus (Foreign Rep.-South America) and Pete Mazzola (Int'l. Dir.) will be lecturing in Argentina on December 8, 9, 10, 11 for the Federacion Argentina de Estudios de la Ciencia Extraterrestre (F.A.E.C.E.); indeed an honor for the SBI and both lecturers.

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through the women" was fascinating to me. I agree with the notion that the phenomenon fosters belief (& action), but does not yield to logical analysis. As you know, my feelings is that the best principle is to follow the three steps: become aware, accept, and acknowledge the presence of the intelligent beings in our lives; then we can find out what our mission or task or project may be.

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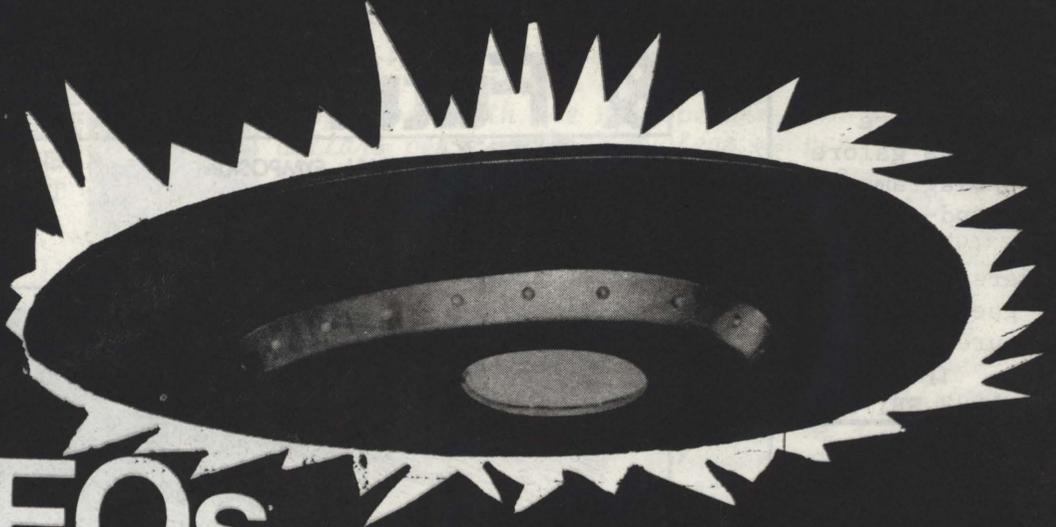
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