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The Air Force says that it has no **PHYSICAL EVIDENCE** (physical meaning 'something you can touch') that such things even exist. In the words of Capt. Edward J. Ruppelt, retired, who served three years at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, as Chief Investigator for Project Bluebook **WHAT CONSTITUTES PROOF??** — Does a UFO have to land at the River Entrance to the Pentagon, near the Joint Chiefs of Staff offices? Or is it proof enough when a ground Radar Station detects a UFO, sends a Jet up to intercept it, the pilot sees it, and locks on with his Radar, only to have the UFO streak away at a phenomenal rate of speed? Which is **PROOF?**

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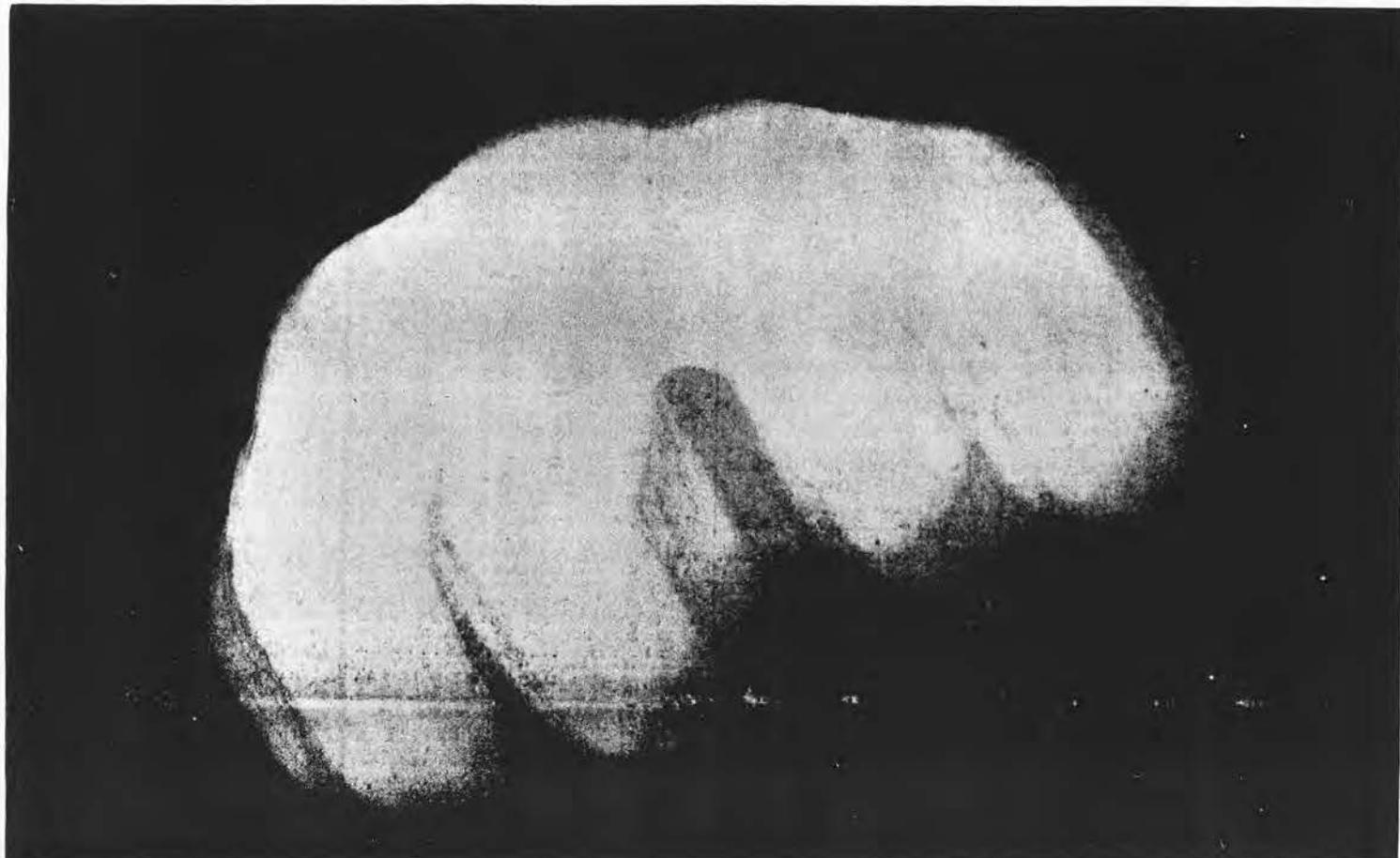
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The following is a condensed English translation to the text of the story accompanying the photograph on the front page, taken near Vienna, Austria on March 2, 1960:

"GLOWING SPIDER" NEAR LEIBNITZ!

Herewith we present to our readers, and to the public of the World, doubtlessly the most sensational photograph of the century.

Here are the facts -- On March 2nd, at 1:30 a.m., a man of our staff, Edgar Schedelbauer, saw and photographed, in the district of Leibnitz (Southern Styria, near the Yugoslav border), a mysterious Flying Object, only 15 meters above the ground. Photo experts have examined the picture and have found it to be without fault or trickery.

Schedelbauer, 36 years old, had visited with his elderly father at Wildon. Soon after 1:00 a.m., he started back home on his motorcycle.

Suddenly, between Labuttendorf and St. Vliet am Vogau, there appeared above the forest a bright glowing object. It could be neither a falling star, nor the moon. The rotating wonder in the sky, then crossed a long clearing by the road, and descended still further in a half-circle, still rotating. When only about 15 meters above the ground it suddenly stopped.

Schedelbauer let his motor cycle fall into the ditch beside the road, tore the camera he wore round his neck out of its case, and shot the picture. For 6 or 7 seconds the UFO hovered. It looked milky-white, like a glowing "giant spider". Schedelbauer felt heat emanating from it. Suddenly the "spider" darkened, and the low humming noise changed to a roar as we know it from our jets, and the nightmare disappeared in the direction of Radkersburg.

Schedelbauer was rigorously cross-examined but he steadfastly kept to his story. "The camera is my witness", he says, "besides I felt the heat. For 3 days, great red spots showed on my face and hands, but they neither itched nor hurt."

The Meteorological station of Vienna stated that it could not have been a balloon or any other meteorological instrument, nor could it have been ball lightning, or a meteor. (From the newspaper WIENER MONTAG, of Vienna, Austria. Thanks to Mrs. Dora Bauer of Vienna for the copy of the Vienna paper and for the

English translation.)

Ed. Note: At first glance, this one appears to be a highly unusual type of UFO. However, with a knowledge of photography this photograph holds up beautifully.

Your Editor for the past 13 years has been a Professional Photographer, and 2 of those years included newspaper photography. So let us analyze this photograph.

First, our translator does not give us the shutter speed of Mr. Schedelbauer, but let us suppose for the sake of an example that his camera was set a 1/50th of a second.

Secondly, the object was rotating, and at the same time was going upward. Depending on its speed, during the time the shutter was open, it could have moved upward, anywhere from 5 to 15 or more feet. This being the case, then we would have a sharp outline at the top of the object, and a blurred, hazy, and somewhat weaker exposure at the bottom. If the lights were concentrated on portions of the lower structure of the object, and rotating, then we would naturally get blurred fingers of light, extending from the bottom of the object due to the movement.

Now suppose we cover up most of the lower portion of the UFO, that part representing the light in motion effect: Now we have one of the distinctly familiar saucer-shaped objects, that has been seen and photographed the world over on numerous occasions. So in view of the circumstances, Mr. Schedelbauer's previous lack of knowledge on the subject, and the photographic analysis, we can come to only one conclusion, and that is the same as the Editorial staff of the Wiener Montag.



The photograph is legitimate, no fake, and one of the most sensational photographs of the 20th Century.

Many may still not be able to accept this photograph at its face value, so we feel that another example of a photograph is necessary as a further explanation. The photo below is of a common variety, with which all our readers are familiar:



Right! A photograph of the headlights of an approaching automobile! So, here is what you do with this photograph. Take it with you to the interior of Africa, or to the Aborigine's of Australia, and show them this photo. Remember they have never seen an automobile, much less their headlights in the dark. Now tell them that these two glowing eyes in the darkness, represent a vehicle that will carry anywhere from 6 to 9 passengers -- that it will travel faster than any animal in the jungle, you can put all kinds of communications equipment in it; a radio, a TV set, a telephone so you can talk to people all over the world, and even have the comfort of having it air-conditioned.

The aborigine sees only a picture of two glowing eyes staring at him from out of the darkness -- so naturally he heaps more fuel under the cooking pot and you are promptly invited to stay the following day for dinner! You will be the menu -- Peasant under glass!

Most of us are no better prepared to accept the full significance of the Vienna picture and the meaning behind it. No better able to understand it than the native is able to understand the two glowing eyes staring at him from out of the darkness.

Newspaper Editors are particularly handicapped in being able to understand the beyond. When the Vienna news story and picture arrived, I called the City Desk at both the Miami Daily News, and the Miami Herald, told them what I had, offered to let them use it,

and neither paper would touch it.

Of course, they had both just finished crucifying George Van Tassel after his talks here so they certainly were not in a mood to use and appreciate the Vienna news story.

Yet the Miami TV station, WSPT - Channel 10 used the photo - were happy to get it, gave me 10 minutes in which to show the photograph, tell the story, and give the photographic analysis which explains the photograph.

It has been my opinion for some time that newspaper Editors have in their file a directive from the Government, or a branch thereof, on how to use or not use UFO information. And since the UPI release on the story did not carry the photograph, Editors will not touch it. (The cowards). Thank heavens, the TV stations are in a little better position to think for themselves. Who was it who said, "WE HAVE A FREE PRESS IN THIS COUNTRY"? (Curtains - are curtains - there are various kinds and degrees!)

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AIR FORCE WANTS TO KNOW!

PIZZA PIE - OR FLYING SAUCER???

GRAND BLANC, Michigan, March 9 - The FBI today probed into a color photograph of the moon taken by Joe Perry, a talented pizza pie maker, who also takes pot-shots at the sky with a home-made telescope-camera.

The FBI is interested in the picture Joe snapped last month on the second night of the full moon.

The picture shows a saucer-like object, silhouetted against the full moon.

The "thing" radiates a trail in green and appears nearer to the earth than the moon", Joe said. "It is round, much smaller than the moon, and it has a dome".

Joe did not think anything of the photograph until customers in his restaurant asked to see it again and again.

"It's a flying saucer", they said.

The FBI got wind of it last Friday, and the next day two agents from the Flint office visited Joe's place here.

"I showed them several slides of photographs I took on that particular night", Joe said. "They did not seem to be interested until I showed this particular one and then both of them jumped up."

The agents took the photograph and several others.

Joe, a grandfather at 44, hopes he has been of some service to the government in their search for answers in outer space.

"But I hope I get that picture back," he said. (Ed. Note -- WANTA BET???) --- Detroit

TIMES, March 9, 1960 -- Credit, Mrs. Victor Bergen, Taylor, Mich.

FLYING OBJECT SEEN HERE

NORTH PLATTE, Nebraska - March 7, 1960 -

A UFO was observed at 5:00 A.M. this morning by Glenn Viehmeyer, Route 4, N. Platte.

Viehmeyer, a horticulturalist at the Experiment Station said he watched it from his window for "25 to 30 seconds" before it disappeared.

He said the object was traveling at a much greater speed than any aircraft, and it disappeared to the southeast.

He said it was bright, and had the magnitude of the brighter stars. The Telegraph Bulletin contacted the FAA at the North Platte Airport, but the FAA said "nothing unusual" was observed this morning. (North Platte TELEGRAPH-BULLETIN, March 7, 1960, Credit Mrs. Elizabeth Reams, North Platte, Nebr.)

ED. NOTE - Can it now be that UFO's are "so routine" that they are not considered "unusual" anymore???? Hmrrrrrr-Hmrrrrrr!

AF CHECKING OBJECT SEEN OVER VERMONT

Burlington, Vt. March 2, 1960 --

Officials at Ethan Allen AF Base say they are checking out a report of a strange flying object sighted over Vergennes Saturday night.

A Base spokesman said the object could not have been a plane based at the local field.

Albert Devine of Ferrisburg, described the object as "large and round with a steady white light and a rosy colored tail." (Rutland DAILY HERALD, March 2, 1960, Credit, E. F. Bloxom, of Springfield, Vt.)

Now this one is a real dilly and completely reverses all previous estimates as to the surface conditions on Mars. Prior to this opinion, it has been the concensus of opinion that Mars has very little water. Now who is trying to fool whom, with this one!

CANALS ON MARS SAID TO BE CRACKS IN ICE

MOSCOW (AP) -- The mysterious canals on Mars, a Soviet scientist says, are actually deep cracks in the sheet of ice covering the planet's surface.

Tass, the Soviet news agency quotes astronomer Davydov as saying the internal heat on

Mars causes the ice surface to crack. (The Peterborough, Canada EXAMINER, March 7, 1960, Credit Gene Duplantier, Toronto, Canada.)

If the above theory is surprising, it is no more a shocker than this one, from our own space experts. After all these decades of scientists explaining the lunar topography as rugged, deep craters, steep mountains, etc., we are now asked to swallow the exact opposite by no less an authority than the Air Force scientists:

MOON SURFACE IS FLATTER THAN PREVIOUSLY THOUGHT

BEDFORD, Mass. (AP) - Spacemen landing on the moon won't find a land wierdly scarred with jagged mountains and deep craters; it will be less rugged than previously thought, and flatter, scientists reported today.

These conclusions, disclosed by the Cambridge research center of the Air Research and Development Command, based on a new technical study of the moon's surface in which British, French and American scientists are taking part.

The conclusions are based upon measurements of shadows of lunar prominences as the shadows creep forward, or recede, across the moon's surface.

Knowing the relative positions of the earth moon and the sun, it is then possible to compute heights of prominences rising above the surrounding lunar terrain and determine the profile of the surrounding surface.

This is described as the first mapping of the face of the moon to show how it will look to a traveler on its surface.

The Air Force scientists say the study shows there is an apparent lack of steep slopes or towering rock faces. In fact, the absence of pronounced landmarks may give the moon traveler difficulty in identifying his position. (Sherman, Texas DEMOCRAT, March 15, 1960---and Dorothy Lefler, Cincinnati, Ohio, Credit Liz Borries, Pound Ridge, N.Y.)

(Heaven's -- what are they getting us prepared for, Buck Nelson's claims --- It sounds like his description of the moon. And if our scientists were so wrong in their description of the Moon, so near to us, how wrong must they be on the conditions they anticipate on Mars and Venus -- 120 to 150 times as far away? After this disclosure, prepare yourselves for anything.

Even for Van Tassels claim that at Mount

Palamar they have taken photographs which show round buildings connected by long tubes, in some of the lunar craters. And if it is true, the American public is entitled to know about it.

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You've heard of Yellow China. Well, now yellow China has yellow snow:

YELLOW SNOW FALLS

MOSCOW (AP) -- Yellow snow has fallen in Kazakhstan. The Soviet news agency Tass said meteorologists explain a storm probably whipped up particles of soil from China's Yellow River valley, then deposited them on the Asian Soviet republic. (Sherman Texas DEMOCRAT, March 7, 1960, Credit Liz Borries.)

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UFO SIGHTED NEAR SYRACUSE, N.Y.

CHITTENANGO, N.Y. - A UFO was spotted at 6:25 p.m. last Thursday evening by Fred Moore, a resident of Chittenango.

Mr. Moore, an amateur astronomer and star watcher, studied this object in the western sky for 10 or 15 minutes and described it as twin tubes of light or twin flares of light going slowly in a westerly direction from the northwest to the west. The object was also viewed by his wife, son Fred and daughter Susan.

Air Force officials at Hancock Field said it could have been the sun reflecting on the vapor trails of a twin engined jet.

But Mr. Moore says he is familiar with this sight and that it had absolutely nothing to do with a plane or the vapor trail of a jet. Mr. Moore made a report to Griffis Air Force Base. If no one at the base can explain or analyze the object the report will be forwarded to Wright Field, at Dayton, Ohio. (Where they can explain away all of them -- Ed. note!) Syracuse HERALD, March 12, and Madison County TIMES, Credit Lloyd Ochaner and J. Leonard Nitsch, Syracuse, N.Y.)

And this one for all its importance, rates only a small obscure place in the news in the New York HERALD TRIBUNE. And to date I have no clippings on it from anywhere else:

MILE LONG ISLE RISES FROM THE SEA

QUITO, Ecuador, Mar. 25 (AP) -- An island a mile long, 100 yards wide and as high as 125 feet at some points has emerged from the Pacific off the coast of Ecuador.

Two eyewitnesses to the island's birth on Sunday said it was heralded by trembling of the earth and strange underground noises. The location is 36 miles north of Caraquez

Bay in Manabi Province. (N.Y. HERALD TRIBUNE, March 26, Credit Gladys Fusaro, Huntington, L. I.)

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Nope, can't give these things large coverage -- can't panic the natives, you know! --- But never fear, they won't panic. 12,000 people perish in one giant earthquake in Morocco, and it hardly causes a ripple in other sectors. One wonders if San Francisco sank into the Pacific, if it would cause any concern on Miami Beach, or vice versa for that matter. Never fear, the natives will never panic, not as long as it is someone else --- somewhere else.

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U.S. DIVERS IN QUEST OF SODOM
FIND TRACE OF RUINS

AMMAN, Jordan, Mar. 4 (AP) - A U. S. expedition of divers seeking the lost Biblical cities of Sodom and Gomorrah has reported that it came across promising evidence of ruins at the bottom of the Dead Sea.

The four-member team of amateur archeologists, headed by Dr. Ralph E. Baney of Kansas City, began charting the sea bottom near Khirbet Qumran, 4 days ago.

Dr. Baney said they had found traces of a 12 foot wide road. Dr. Baney is executive director of the Holy Land Christian Approach Mission, which maintains an orphanage in Bethlehem. The other members of the team are Dean Ryther and his wife Dorothy, and Viola Conway. (New York TIMES, Mar. 5, 1960, Credit Dorothy Lefler, Cincinnati, Ohio.)

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Ed. Note -- Must have been a pretty good road to last that long, better send some of our engineers for a better look-see!

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TERROR OF THE HEATH

If ghosts, ghouls, and werewolves have a spiritual home, it is most likely to be among the gorse and sedgemarksh of gloomy Luneberg Heath, in rain-soaked North Germany. Here since the Dark Ages, quaking peasants have been terrorized by every aberation in demonology; there too the Nazis established the Belsen concentration camp, where 70,000 persons were foully done to death.

Last week the townsfolk of Luneburg, a trading center on the heath since it was founded in A.D. 956, were convinced that one of their ghosts had returned to disturb the

peace. Night after night they were kept awake by fear of a Feuerteufel (fire-devil). Eleven times since last October, incendiary fires in Luenburg's Gothic, Renaissance, and baroque buildings had caused nearly one million dollars worth of damage.

The only suspect was one Herbert Rademacher, a wild-eyed youngster caught carrying a gas pistol, but police admitted that he might not be their man.

"If another fire breaks out", one of the officers said, "we'll have to go back to chasing ghosts." Peering out of their windows across the hagridden heath, Luneburg's residents shivered and waited". (Newsweek Magazine, Feb. 22, 1960, Credit Jack L. Fincannon, Knoxville, Tenn.)

MISSING COUPLE Baffles SCOTLAND YARD

LONDON - (AP) Feb. 7, 1960 - It was one of those typical autumn afternoons, wet and foggy, when Jack and Mary Love began a journey that has become one of the most baffling mysteries in the long history of Scotland Yard.

Three years have passed and nothing, not even the slightest trace of them, has been found. A worldwide hunt for them went on for months. Their pictures were flashed on millions of television screens here and abroad. Newspapers published their portraits in dozens of countries.

The afternoon of their disappearance was Nov. 26, 1956. The Loves had been married for a year. Jack was 34. His wife was 23 years older.

Mrs. Love had four sons and two daughters by a previous marriage and whenever she left London she always telephoned them every day.

On that fateful afternoon she left a note saying she would return by 2:30 p.m. The note said she and her husband planned to go to the Royal Air Force employment bureau in the Euston section of London.

They never got there. Their car had only enough gasoline for a trip of about 40 miles.

How could two people and a car vanish so completely within the relatively small radius of territory to which their gasoline restricted them?

A detective at the Yard declared: "One day - it could be tomorrow, next week, next year, or 10 years from now - that all-vital clue may come." (Baltimore AMERICAN, Feb. 7, 1960, Credit Jack L. Fincannon, Knoxville, Tenn.)

AKRON, OHIO GROUPS SCORES AGAIN

Last year the UFO Research Committee of

Akron, Ohio published the complete investigation into the Fitzgerald case of Sheffield, Ohio. This report was sent to all Senators and Congressmen on Capitol Hill. Now this group has released an equally impressive sequel to the Fitzgerald Report.

This one is on the Capt. Killian, American Airlines sighting of Feb. 24, 1959. The 3 glowing lights that paced the Airliner on a flight from Newark, N. Jersey to Detroit, Michigan.

The Akron group has piled up a very impressive 22 page report on the incident, including many other airline pilots reports during the same period, the correspondence between the Air Force PIO Office and the Akron Group, Director George Popowitch, and his group are to be highly commended for an excellent job.

However, one wonders if the results are worth the effort expended. If the attitude of the American people and their leaders had been the same in 1775 as it is today, Paul Revere may very well have ridden in vain. No one would have paid any attention to his warning. It is this lackadaisical attitude, which more than anything else - makes one think of the decline and fall of the Roman Empire!

In a personal letter to your Editor, Director Popowitch sums it up this way:

"Eight hundred Killian reports were sent to the proper individuals in Washington (one to every Senator and Representative), the people responsible to act. To this day, almost a month now, we have not received ONE reply, from any one official. WHAT GIVES??? Is it a venom that they are afraid to touch??? Or is it that they feel -- TO HELL WITH THEM!!

"We are sheep, let's face it. You have watched a herd and heard the BAH--BAH---BAH. That goes on day and night. Does the shepherd pay any attention to any one sheep -- or the herd?

"There you have it. Slaughter time comes and that cry of the sheep stops. So it is with us. Wars and more wars. Maybe you consider this analogy warped, but offer me a better one!"

Ed. Note -- Well, George, I doubt if I can offer a better one, although it seems as if I must have been through this before -- Now let's see -- Where was it???. ROME???. 400 A.D. --- Atlantis???? Lemuria???? Must have been somewhere, it all seems so familiar!

The only hope is that our representatives on the Hill are not as unconcerned and uninformed as their silence on the surface would indicate.

My personal belief is that all Senators and Representatives are periodically briefed on the current UFO situation, and are concerned. However, they prefer to get their briefings from those in charge of the investigation and not from the SHEEP who are doing the BAH-ing. let's face it - some of the sheep are very confused, are BAH-ing in many and diverse directions. So the shepherd looks at the sheep in general -- not individual sheep in particular.

For S.P.A.C.E. readers we highly recommend this 22-page Killian Report. Send \$1.00 to the UFO Research Committee, P.O. Box 5242, Akron 13, Ohio. We cannot recommend this report too highly. Help them recoup the financial cost of sending 800 copies to all representatives on Capitol Hill. They are in the fore-front in the Battle to keep the man who pays the bill properly informed.

CONGRATULATIONS NICAP

In the current March issue of the UFO Investigator, Major Keyhoe has finally aired the sighting of Father McGill, the Anglican Priest, who along with about 30 of his flock saw 4 hours of UFO activity near his mission in the District of Boianai, New Guinea, on June 27, 1959. (Reported in detail in Sept. 1959 S.P.A.C.E.)

It must have been a tough decision for Major Keyhoe to make. It took 8 months to come to the decision to carry the details. However, to any serious researcher it is inevitable that the decision to "Keep them flying -- and the doors closed" cannot be maintained forever.

We at S.P.A.C.E. headquarters feel and have always felt that for intelligent extra-terrestrials to observe forever and never make contact would be against all the rules of logic. If they are here, then by all means they can contact inhabitants of this planet. Can you conceive of our traveling all the way to other planets and never making any contact with the natives -- no matter how backward and simple they were????

And to them we certainly must appear aboriginal. But to get back to the NICAP report of the Fr. McGill case, we quote the final comments:

"Because the report comes from an Anglican priest, backed by his superiors, and with dozens of witnesses, NICAP feels that it should not be treated lightly. Unlike the "wilder contactee" reports, there is nothing inherently impossible in Fr. Gills' report.

"We cannot make a final evaluation on the

basis of this one case or conclude that Fr. McGill did see beings of another world, but in the light of the accumulated evidence for UFO's and recent scientific findings, that possibility deserves serious consideration."

So S.P.A.C.E. congratulates NICAP for finally airing this case. It took a long time, but you know the first step is the toughest. From now on it will get consecutively easier, Major, especially when you find out that most of your readers have already accepted this long ago.

APRO AND THE SAMPLE OF METAL

We have been holding up until last the report released last month by APRO, of Alamogordo, New Mexico hoping for a photograph from that source, but to date it has not arrived. Many clippings on this have crossed our desk and it seems to have been picked up by most newspapers around the country. However, only one seemed to have the courage to carry the picture of the material which APRO says is extra-terrestrial in nature. That newspaper is the Boston Advertiser. However, the reproduction is not of the best quality, so we will await a better copy for use in next month's issue. However, this much is apparent. This material looks very much like the sample your Editor has, (story carried several years ago in S.P.A.C.E.) which was found red hot on a highway outside of Erie, Pa. About 50 pounds of the hot metal was found at 1:00 a.m., and investigation and analysis by many sources fail to tell us what it is. They can all tell us what it is not. Investigation was made by the University of Miami, Geological Dept., Jackson Memorial Hospital Radiological Dept., University of Cincinnati, and the Smith-Emory Co., Metallurgical and Testing Engineers of Los Angeles.

In the Smith-Emory "Qualitative Spectrographic Analysis", obtained for me by Max Miller of Los Angeles, they come up with the following constituents: Calcium, Aluminum, Iron, Magnesium, Manganese, Silicon, Titanium, Barium, Strontium, Chromium, Vanadium, Zirconium, Boron and Copper.

It will be interesting to see how this analysis compares with APRO sample. As soon as APRO release the constituents, we will make a comparison with the Erie sample.

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FAMILY, GUESTS PLAGUED BY MYSTERIOUS FIRES

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana, April 4 (AP) - A newspaper reporter tore the shirt off 15-year-old Carl Lopes when it mysteriously caught fire.

That made the sixth unexplained blaze of the day in the house of John Lopes where, the story is, dozens of fires have broken out for no apparent reason over the last three weeks. The Lopes family of 12 is near distraction as a result of the flames, which have left police and fire departments baffled.

Thursday night, after four blazes which destroyed or damaged articles in the house, a group from the Salvation Army came and offered prayers. Yesterday the fires continued. A book entitled "The Preachings of Jesus Christ" was among the articles burned.

Carl's shirt caught fire in the presence of Daily Chronicle reporter Trenton Paul. Lopes had just finished showing Paul how the tail of the shirt had been scorched in an earlier fire, when it suddenly broke into flames.

Paul said several other persons were in the house at the time, but "no one was close enough to the boy to have had any connection with the fire".

A seamstress visited the family yesterday to sympathize. She took along some dress material belonging to a client. Suddenly it caught fire and before she could beat out the flames, the cloth was a charred ruin. (Detroit NEWS, April 4, 1960, Credit Mrs. Violet Bergen, Taylor, Michigan)

NOTE: Reports such as the above have nothing to do with space phenomena, but until science has a better explanation for them we will continue to carry such incidents. (Ed)

EAVESDROP ON PLANETS -- SAY SCIENTISTS

WASHINGTON - (AP) - March 30, 1960 -- A space science group proposed Tuesday that microphones be landed on Mars and Venus to listen for life.

The eavesdropping project was one of dozens recommended by the space science board of National Academy of Sciences for exploration of the moon and the planets.

Dr. Edward R. Dyer of the space board staff said the likelihood that the planets harbor any kind of life capable of making a noise is "very remote".

"But" he said, "we don't want to overlook anything".

Dyer said that in discussions of planetary exploration by members of the board, the jocular remark was made that "we don't want to be looking for germs and get stepped on by an elephant."

(Ed.) WHY NOT! In fact our space scientists may be as surprised as the wealthy man who died recently and went to Heaven. He had worked hard, clawed his way to the top, had many businesses and a number of beautiful homes. However, in his last years here he had developed a terrible phobia against telephones. He had them all taken out of his business and his homes, since he couldn't stand to see one or hear one ring.

Upon being shown around Heaven by St. Peter he remarked how much he was going to enjoy this place, he could see no phones in sight. It was then that an angel came over, tapped him on the shoulder and said, "Sir, you are wanted on the ouija board!"