

"Your skepticism has seeped so much across the surface of America that a patina of cynicism infests the once numerous cavities of the mind..."

- GREG LONG (MUFON Staff Writer), writing in the December 10th, 1985 issue of "Saucer Smear"

"As all regular readers of (this) publication are surely aware, Moseley's sense of humor is almost legendary. One may perhaps label him 'The Voltaire of the UFO movement', in view of his perceptive and witty satires."

- ROBERT SHEAFFER, writing in his book "The UFO Verdict" (Page 153)

"You are....a boil on the ass of ufology."

- JOHN KEEL, writing in the March 25th, 1977 issue of "Saucer Glues"

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MISCELLANEOUS RAVINGS:

Now we finally have the HOT WORD on the glorious 1987 convention of the National UFO Conference (NUFOC), hosted by famed author & lecturer Bill Moore, with an assist from your "Smear" editor, who is Permanent Chairman of the NUFOC.

The affair will be held on the weekend of June 12th-14th at the Burbank (California) Hilton Hotel, which is adjacent to the Burbank Airport, a major airport facility.

There is no conflict with the MUFON convention, which will be held in Washington, D.C., two weeks later.

FAR, FAR RIGHT:

Your humble "Smear" editor poses with President Ronald Reagan following a series of very secret private discussions concerning UFOs, "Star Wars", Iran, etc. Phil Klass was not present at any of these meetings. ("Saucer Smear" staff photo; Domestic, Foreign, & Interplanetary Rights Reserved.)



At the NUFOC Con., the evening of Friday June 12th will be devoted to a cocktail party/reception beginning at 8 p.m. Saturday will have lectures and workshops scheduled all day and evening. Sunday will consist of a general session in the morning, followed by a luncheon with speaker and a full afternoon of more workshops.

The convention rate at the hotel will probably be \$55 per night, though a "package deal" involving airfare & room may be worked out later. Speakers include Bill Moore, Stanton Friedman, Hal Starr, Timothy Good from England, and Dr. Richard Neal, MD. Your editor will be on hand as "M.C." and such. More details later!

In the meanwhile, Bill Moore can be reached at either or both of two addresses: 4219 West Olive, #247; Burbank, Ca. 91505. Or - 6335 Whitsett, #17; North Hollywood, Ca. 91606. His phone is: 818-506-8365.

Riley Crabb, former director of Borderland Sciences Research Foundation (BSRF) has written a soft-cover booklet called "Sky Crash: The Best UFO Story in Years". This booklet is a rambling but very favorable review of the recent book "Sky Crash" (or "Sky Trash" as we call it), about an alleged UFO incident near an air base in England that occurred in late 1980.

Crabb begins his commentary with a quote from "Saucer Smear", Vol. 32, No. 4, in which we printed a wild rumor we had heard from a Washington, D.C. source, to the effect that "Star Wars" is secretly a joint U.S.-Russian effort to repel invaders from other planets. The above-mentioned Rendlesham Forest (England) incident was given in "Smear" as one incident that convinced the U.S. and Russia to cooperate with each other. Crabb calls this "Smear" story "a piece of government dis-information deliberately 'leaked' to the editor of a saucer zine widely read among flying saucer researchers".

Crabb may well be correct about the lack of truth in our "Star Wars" editorial, but he deliberately passes up our long editorial in the following issue of "Smear" (Vol. 32, No. 5) in which we, in painstaking detail, picked apart the Rendlesham story and showed that it was a minor event built into something very mysterious by money-hungry British UFO researchers. Crabb unfortunately suffers from a severe case of the Will to Believe. He picks out the evidence that tends to confirm his preconceived ideas, and ignores all evidence that does not. Pity!

Crabb can be reached at 2/16 Tamariki Avenue, Orewa, Hibiscus Coast, New Zealand. We plan to drop by the next time we are in the neighborhood.

We seldom discuss (ugh!) flying saucer sightings in "Smear", as there are so many newsletters that do this. We prefer to stick to the Dark Underbelly of UFO research, namely feuds, gossip, etc., plus a bit of satire and Sick Humor on the side.

However, a UFO incident over Alaska last Nov. 18th has generated so much interest from the media, not to mention the ufological "hard core", that we cannot let it pass without comment. As many of you know, the pilot of a Japan Air Lines cargo jet had a series of sightings that evening, lasting almost an hour altogether, from dusk till about 7 p.m. According to the version in the Jan. 26th issue of "People" Magazine, the pilot, Capt. Kenju Terauchi, saw two columns of light which at one point came to within 500 to 1000 feet of his plane. They were "two dark cylinders with row after row of spinning amber lights, one row spinning in one direction, the next in the opposite. They were incredibly bright but cast no shadow."

Most of the sighting, however, was of one white light at a much greater distance. Whereas the plane's flight crew saw this white light, strangely, only Terauchi witnessed the closer encounters!

Later investigation brought forth radar confirmation, but it was somewhat dubious.

We hate to always throw cold water on incidents that fill our readers with New Hope, as this one has. But, in spite of Terauchi's 19 years of experience as a pilot, the photo of him in "People", taken as he explained his sighting to the press, makes him look like a raving nut! Worse, the same pilot had a second, more doubtful UFO experience just a few weeks later, on Jan. 11th of this year. Might not he, like many of our non-subscribers, be thrown off Objectivity by an understandable but unfortunate Will to Believe?

In spite of all of the above, arch-skeptic Phil Klass of CSICOP has put out a press release stating that Terauchi did indeed see an extraterrestrial object! Klass favors Jupiter, possibly with an assist from Mars - both of which were visible and bright over Alaska on the evening of Nov. 18th.

But what about the row after row of spinning lights? For us here at "Smear", one picture is worth a thousand words! (We don't dare steal a photograph from a mass-media source like "People", but do try to find this picture and see it for yourselves!)

NEWS BRIEFIES:

Tom Benson seems to have been a popular choice for membership on the Governing Board of the National UFO Conference, according to several letters we have received. Now he writes that he has various used but good-condition UFO books for sale, plus back issues of his own unique "Sixth Quark Journal". For details send SASE to P.O. Box 1174, Trenton, N.J. 08606....Famed international UFO authority Antonio Huneus tells us that the letter and computerized drawing, apparently from him, which we published on Page 4 of our last "Smear", is not from him! We are still seeking an answer to this peculiar mystery!....Ufologist Gray Barker has now been dead for a little more than two years, and we still miss him as much as ever....

A pro-contactee convention will take place in Reno, Nevada on March 21st-22nd, hosted by our friend Miguel Ribera. For details write to him at the Pleiades Foundation of Peace; 1570 Nannette Circle; Reno, Nevada 89502; or phone him at 702-826-5UFO....Your editor is featured in a "personality profile" in the January 1987 issue of "The Missing Link". This is not, as you might suspect, a magazine about Darwinism but a pro-contactee zine edited by Aileen Edwards of the UFO Contact Center International, P.O. Box 46404, Seattle, Wa. 98146....We sent an issue of "Smear" to Col. Wendelle Stevens, at the address given in our last issue. Unfortunately, it came back to us marked "Prohibited Correspondence; Need Inmate Number." Strange, since we thought the address we used was very complete. Not only that, Tim Good of England apparently got through to Wendelle with that address!....

And that about wraps it up for this ish!

● IN LOS ANGELES, a task force investigating 17 murders attributed to the Southside Slayer has arrested Charles Edward Mosley, 28, in another slaying, but police said Tuesday that they had "absolutely no specific evidence" tying the suspect to other unsolved killings in the Southside case.

**"Klass is an absolute whiz
at nailing down the mercury of love!"**

Sucked Into a Giant Spaceship!

'We Did the Alley Cat On an Alien Talk Show'

"We were on our way bowling and two seconds later we're on television — two billion miles from home!"

That is how Phil Bunza, from Tipton, Vt., began the incredible story of how he and his wife Fran were kidnapped by a flying saucer and whisked off to an appeal on an alien talk show.

The two were walking to their car when suddenly they were surrounded by flashing lights.

"Then this huge hose came down," says the 64-year old dairy farmer, "and we were sucked inside this spaceship like a couple of cigarette butts."

The next thing they knew they were on the planet Pez-Alpha, appearing on the program "Belzar and Friends."

Phil describes his captors as "indescribable." Belzar, the show's star, wore a buckskin jacket, plaid pants, and red sneakers. Explains Bunza, "They look like badly dressed refrigerators."

The Pez-Alphans speak a strange beeping language but seemed to understand simple English. They communicated with the Bunzas by handwritten notes and "a little shoving."

"From what I could tell," says Phil, "we were part of a theme show on life in the Universe. They also had on a lot of weird plants, a lizardy comic from somewhere in the Milky Way and two architects from Pluto. Those two things from Pluto looked like two pieces of burnt toast."

The Bunzas were asked questions about photosyn-



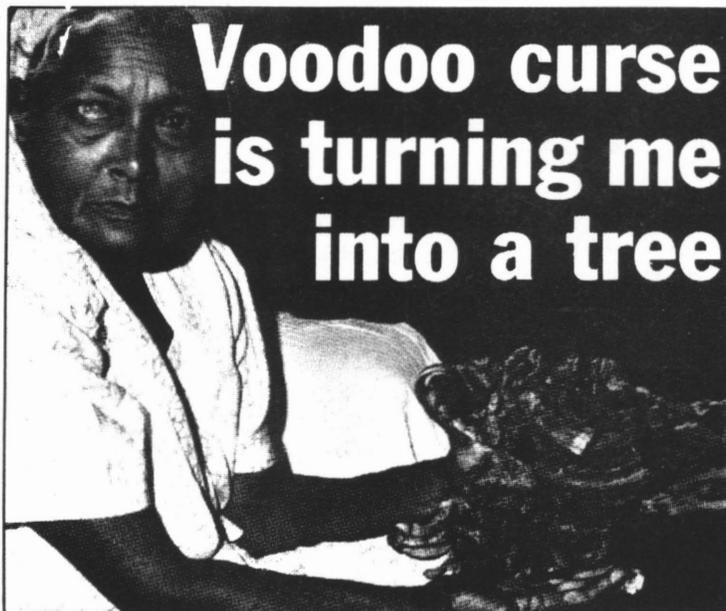
VERMONT COUPLE prepare simple Earthly meal.

thesis, atomic power, jogging, and Anita Bryant by Belzar and his six co-hosts. They were also requested to dance the Alley Cat. "The audience loved it," admitted Phil. "They make this hooting sound when they really like something, kinda like the Pope does when he's excited."

Time moves much slower on Pez-Alpha than it does on Earth. Phil estimates the show lasted two and a half months, including 13 days of commercials. He and his wife were returned home May 16. They were not paid for their appearance.

Amazingly, Phil says he and his wife are not the first earthlings to appear on "Belzar and Friends": "They had Martin Luther last week but he was scared stiff. The guy had no idea what T.V. was. He totally clammed up."

— STEVE CODPIECE



"Oh, yeah? If you're alone, then whose eye is *that*?"

MISSIVES FROM THE MASSES:

RICK HILBERG, a former member of the Governing Board of the National UFO Conference, writes as follows:

"Wow! I never thought that the demise of the 'Cleveland Faction' would raise so much ufological ink in your zine. It almost rivals the amount of coverage the press has given to the recent 'Contragate' flap in Washington.

"I didn't reply to your warning in the last 'Smear' for two reasons: First, I saw it as a somewhat petty threat, and I thought I had cared enough about the group since its inception in 1964 to have shown my support for the 'organization'. Second, I developed a heart condition in early October that has pretty much eliminated my 'outside' activity, as well as caused me to miss quite a bit of work.

"In any event, I'm glad to see that I've been replaced in the purge, and wish the organization well in the future. I do see, however, that the date and details for the 1987 Con are still in limbo. I do know that if the 'Cleveland Faction' were in charge, everything would have been organized and ready to go! 'Tis a pity it ain't so!

"I also believe that Mr. Schaffner is wrong in saying that 'we' judged conventions by the quality of the local restaurants. We all thought that the Cincinnati cuisine was four star, but that the convention there was not."

HANS PETERMANN, our "Mad Scientist", writes:

"....I've included with this letter four very interesting pages (from BSRF literature) concerning the fascinating work of the late Victor Schauburger, a fellow researcher & engineer from my native Austria.

"As you can see, he developed 'flying saucers' already back in 1934, so that my own research & development efforts into this area are nothing new - only more advanced, and refined materials are used, utilizing copper as the construction material for the 'UFOs' and water as fuel.

"Victor Schauburger's previous work provides the force to continue my work. This work concerns the balance of implosive and explosive forces, working in harmony and balance. This is the true path of natural energy - the Infinite Pulse of Life. With this new perspective in my research & development, it is hoped that the flame kindled here will help fan the fires of more enlightened research elsewhere, and perhaps humanity can move in the direction of preservation of life on our planet Earth.

"I'd appreciate it if you could print these small paragraphs in your 'Enlightening Saucer Smear' at your earliest convenience, as the technology used by earthlings now is based upon 'built in obsolescence'!"

We do not often print (or even receive) anonymous letters, due to the driving force of Ego in the UFO field. Here, however, is an interesting though anonymous letter:

"I noted your reference on Page 1 of the Nov. 10, 1986 issue of 'Saucer Smear' concerning UFO organizations. You said, 'NICAP, of course, is long gone.' Since this is not a completely true statement, I thought that you might like to bring your readers up to date with the facts.

"Over a year ago I learned that Mr. Sherman J. Larsen has the 35 file drawers of the NICAP case files in his residence at 2926 Applegate Road, Glenview, Il. 60025. When I wrote to him for some help on a couple of UFO reports I was researching, I found him most helpful.

"When the files were moved from Gaithersburg, Maryland, he incorporated as a not-for-profit Illinois corporation and a tax-exempt status with

the IRS. He also reprinted 'The UFO Evidence' and incorporated an index.

"With the closing of APRO, NICAP is, I believe, the oldest active resource organization in the U.S.

"Unlike APRO, Mr. Larsen has opened all of the 35 file drawers of UFO cases to serious researchers doing their own research in the files. Or Mr. Larsen will do the file search for a fee....

"Mr. Larsen's credentials include a continuous interest in UFOs since 1953....In 1973 Dr. Hynek formed his 'Center for UFO Studies' by joining Mr. Larsen's 'Public Education Group' (PEG) as a director and then changing the name. This automatically made Mr. Larsen the co-founder of the 'Center for UFO Studies'....

"Sorry I can't give you my name. I wish to remain in my privacy until I publish."

We are aware of Mr. Larsen's good works and the fact that, technically speaking, NICAP still exists. So does APRO, by the way.- Editor.

The one & only JOHN A. KEEL writes:

"(Dear) Fellow Fortean:

"Are you suffering from Fortean Fatigue? Are you alone in a boring world of greed and rank materialism? Do people ignore you when you talk about ABSMs, apportations and skyquakes? If you live in or near New York City, you qualify to attend the monthly meetings of the new New York Fortean Society. Meet people who share your interests, hear top authors lecture on Fortean subjects and join us for exciting field trips to weird Fortean sites in the tri-state area.

"NYFS is a non-profit organization. For full particulars and an invitation to the next meeting, please send a stamped self-addressed envelope to: John A. Keel, P.O. Box 20024, New York, N.Y. 10025."

The inevitable ERIK BECKJORD writes as follows:

"Since Warren Thompson's 'Bigfoot Bibliography' has been mentioned several times of late, let it be known to one and all that I am missing issues No. 17, 25, 28, 43, 44 & 46 of same, and am willing to trade spare back issues I have for those aforementioned. I am also willing to pay a moderate fee of \$3.00 each for 'Cryptozoology Journal', Vol. 1 & 2.

"Speaking of same, the latest - Vol. 4 - put out in 1986 for 1985, was a skimpy 2/3 size, and the 1986 issue has yet to appear. Also in 1986 only two newsletters of the International Society of Cryptozoology have staggered into view, out of the expected four. Perhaps members are getting wise that Richard Greenwell, who is not only editor of both publications but also secretary and Treasurer (with a capital T), is actually getting a salary from the ISC Board. Each newsletter bears appeals for donations, which, one would assume, go to pay mailing costs, after Richard pays his salary. I would think four years of this is enough. Time for new staff and officers, paid or not!

"On the UFO front, PARANET informs me that their Japanese contacts say that filming Japanese squid boats from 13,000 feet around Japan is too costly. Any readers from Japan who would like to assist in further verifying the New Zealand UFO Film of 1978 by accomplishing the above, should write for details to me at: 18711 Pacific Coast Highway, Malibu, California 90265."

Unfortunately, we have no readers in Japan! - Editor.

Moseley lifts Browns in OT

Rustic philosopher DAVE REISSIG writes:

"I think the most likely explanation of UFOs is that they are temporarily real, projected by the sighter(s). The power of mind. Abductions may be real in this way, too. Self-created, like dreams. But real at the time."

HARV HOWARD of Manchaca, Texas writes:

"I just read Aileen Edwards' interview of you in her most recent newsletter. I now think I might be interested in your newsletter. That is, if you never pay homage to MUFON, the late Dr. Hynek, Richard Hall, or the blessed Scientific Method.

"It sounds to me like your newsletter somewhat emulates Ray Palmer's old rag 'Flying Saucers'. I matured my brain on his stuff, and I miss all of that crap he dished out."

SUSAN & EARL HOSKINS, who conduct metaphysical meetings in New Jersey which unfortunately we have never been able to attend, write:

"Dear Jim (shame on you):

"No, no, don't take our names off your mailing list! 'Smear' makes me laugh, makes me smile, makes me believe in UFOs (almost.)"

The semi-mysterious BLAINE HAMRICK writes as follows, after a long Silence:

"...There has been one startling UFO report on a local Dallas TV station (WFAA-TV) regarding a daylight sighting of a disc near Arlington, Texas, a Dallas-Fort Worth suburb....It is interesting to note that Arlington is home of the University of Texas at Arlington (which I attended for several years) at which SDI energy research is being conducted with the financial backing of the Dept. of Defense. I have looked for these kinds of labs, but have never found them. I have heard that they are in the basements of the Science and Engineering buildings. Of course I have known for years that a series of musty, dark passages connect every building on the campus underground. I have never been down there, but a friend who worked for campus police has been down there. Even the police don't like to go down there! The tunnels have been there for years, and apparently have nothing to do with the SDI research - at least they were not built for that. Their purpose is unknown, even by the campus police!

"According to the UTA 1986-1987 catalogue, the following projects are located at UTA: Center for Accelerator Sciences and Technology - Research in 'mass drivers, laser-plasma interaction, inductive frictionless mass driver concepts, wake-field accelerator mechanisms, pulsed power conditioning, pseudo-spark switching, high brightness electron beam sources, and high energy storage concepts'....

"Maybe the aliens are interested in what's going on in primitive earth science!...."

ARMAND LAPRADE of "Would You Believe?" fame writes:

"...Most people (i.e., your own 'Smear' non-subscribers) think of you as a rich clown, but very few know you at all, and consider you as a scrooge. This mixture of thinking by your friends and fiends is due to the complexity of your nature, due to the fixation of the planets Mars and Venus. The perigee and apogee of these planets as they revolve around the Sun give off emanations which affect certain people in a Jeckyl and Hyde fashion, which keeps a balance of semi-sanity as opposed to those who are influenced by our orbiting satellite, the Moon...."

ALIEN SPACE MONSTERS ARE TRYING TO CONTROL OUR MINDS!!

It's no secret that this great land of ours is being flooded with illicit, mind-altering drugs. Millions of pounds of cocaine, heroin, marijuana, bootleg pharmaceuticals and other poisons enter our shores every day. Where is it all coming from? Who's behind it all? Some people blame the CIA. Others blame corrupt government officials here and abroad. While it's true these people are partly to blame, they are, in fact, merely PAWNS in a much larger game. The truth is FAR WORSE!

The REAL source of the evil which is choking the life from this once proud nation and threatening to rip apart the very fabric of our existence is NOT OF THIS EARTH! That's right, the REAL pushers AREN'T EVEN HUMAN! As hard as it may be to believe, the real culprits are actually ALIEN SPACE MONSTERS FROM ANOTHER GALAXY!

Yes, it's true. They've come to this world from far away with only one purpose in mind: THE EN-SLAVEMENT OF THE HUMAN RACE! Deep in their green little hearts they know that if they tried attacking this planet directly they would be quickly repulsed by the combined armies of the world. So instead they're attacking us indirectly, gradually, one nation at a time. And their first target is right here. The good ol' U.S. of A. They know that once they have us under their slimy pseudopods the rest will be so much mop-up work.

Hard to believe? Think about it for a minute. Where are UFOs being sighted these days? The Andes, Peru, Central and South America. The very places where drugs are flowing from. Those earlier random sightings during the '50s and again in the '70s were merely their SCOUT SAUCERS looking for likely bases of operation. Now that they've found the sources of production and pinpointed the trade routes they're confining their activities to those areas to avoid arousing suspicion.



Not A Normal Human Being

Ever wonder how all that stuff gets into the country in the first place? Do you think for one minute that mere humans can get through the tight security net erected by our government? Not a chance. The SAUCERS are bringing it in. Huge mother ships stuffed to the gills with mind numbing chemicals silently cruise the night skies while smaller transport saucers flit back and forth delivering their unholy goods. Meanwhile, down below, innocent families sleep peacefully unaware of the horror overhead. That's why the few sightings that are reported are always in remote, out-of-the-way locations. The Aliens are

quietly dropping off their Care Packages from Hell for later pickup and distribution by their otherworldly helpers and half-human henchmen. And Heaven help any poor farmer or passing motorist who accidentally stumbles across one of their drop points and gets caught. They are quickly turned into mindless zombies and put to work selling drugs to school children.

Who, or what, are these creatures? Where did they come from? These questions may never be answered. What matters now is knowing that they are an insidious, malevolent force bent on conquest and total domination and they are HERE NOW. This is no Orson Welles put-on, no Halloween prank. This is the beginning of a life and death struggle for the hearts and minds of the people of Earth. Already these mutants have begun taking control of high government offices and channels of communication. Why do you think "V" was taken off the air?

Make no mistake about it, the Universe is trying to move into YOUR neighborhood. The government has been trying to keep these facts "under wraps", either due to Alien contamination or in a misguided effort to keep the public from panicking. But the TRUTH will not be kept silent any longer.

An informed populace is our best defense against invasion. What can you do? Get out your binoculars and telescopes. Form a neighborhood saucer watch. If you have an old anti-aircraft gun or rocket launcher lying around, by all means get it out and be prepared to use it. SHOOT FIRST AND ASK QUESTIONS LATER! If you shoot down a passenger plane or army helicopter by mistake, don't worry. The authorities will understand. After all, you're only trying to help. LET'S SHOW THOSE NO-GOOD ALIENS WHO'S BOSS IN THIS PART OF THE COSMOS.

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