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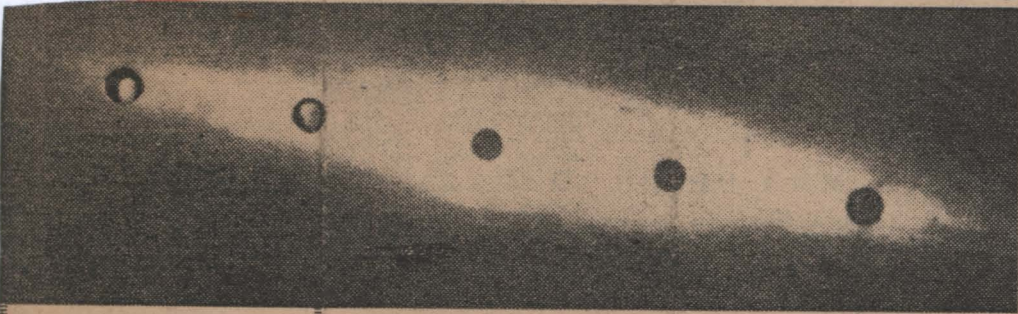
Do Space Men Visit The Earth?

Two books have been published recently dealing with the mysteries of outer space. One is "U.F.O." (Unidentified Flying Objects), by M. K. Jessup, and the other "Inside the Space Ships," by George Adamski.

The authors believe intense

day. He thinks the power source worked on some principle of levitation or gravity nullification.

Mr. Jessup says there have been several civilisations on earth which were destroyed by man's hydrogen bomb discoveries getting out-of-hand or by tremendous up-



A Venusian "mother ship" (from an illustration in "Inside the Space Ships.")

interest is being shown in Earth by the inhabitants of other planets who are much farther advanced in scientific knowledge than we are.

Mr. Jessup is more modest in his claims than Mr. Adamski. He cites hundreds of strange happenings from the earliest records to the present. He sorts them into patterns and analyses them. Unexplained disappearance of men and women, of ships and their passengers and of planes in flight are described, dates and times given and news reports of the period quoted. He ends each series with the query: Was Intelligence from outer space responsible? He thinks it was.

Mr. Jessup's book is most interesting. His catalogue of mysterious phenomena is amazing. In addition to disappearances, he cites inexplicable tracks on earth, the lifting of tremendous tonnages in single stones (he mentions some of 200 tons) in ancient ruins in which the builders used power much greater than is available to-

heavals of nature which left only a few scattered survivors who, over the centuries, rebuilt the next civilisation.

He quotes a Hindu manuscript dated 500BC which records that 20,000 years ago the King of Ceylon "flew over the enemy's army and dropped bombs which caused many casualties."

One interesting conclusion he reaches is that it is in gravity, not in atoms, that we shall discover the secret of true flight into space.

Mr. Adamski's book is unconvincing. He says two agents from other planets, knowing of his interest in space travel, introduced themselves to him in Los Angeles in 1953; that they motored him to lonely country, where he and they boarded a space ship and cruised through the outer atmosphere.

Three Experiences

He had three such experiences, boarded various types of scout craft (flying saucers) and landed on their mother ship, miles long and wide, which recharged the scouts for their journeys to Earth.

On these ships the crews were interchangeable and men from Saturn, Mars and Venus were serving together.

Adamski photographs the ships and describes the luxuries of the craft in detail, even giving diagrams. The customs, clothing and manners of the space people are also described.

They do not quarrel or kill. In their system of the universe (one of many universes) there are 13 planets, one being Earth. The other 12 are studying Earth closely now because it is still at the embryo stage of civilisation which they reached and passed many thousands of years ago.

This book leaves the impression that Mr. Adamski has given not only flying saucers, but his imagination, full flight.

"U.F.O." (Unidentified Flying Objects), by M. K. Jessup. Arco Publishers Ltd., London. 24/.

"Inside the Space Ships," by George Adamski. Arco Publishers and Neville Spearman Ltd., London. 24/.