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>Delivered-To: fortean3@easynet.co.uk  
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 >Subject: Re: FWD: UFO UpDate: Huge UFO Over Ireland

>OK folks, as the man on the spot, I suppose I should give a comment on this >little piece of nonsense.

>>>Three gigantic craft were see approaching Sligo Bay in the middle of the >>>afternoon by dozens of hill climbers near the summit of Mount Ben >>>Bulben. The came in across the bay and alongside the mountain.

>I assume this would have been last Tuesday (20th May). I was sitting here at >my desk all afternoon, with its picturesque view out into Sligo Bay. I >believe I would have noticed these big buggers approaching.

>>>The hitchikers, and people who live on the side of the mountain were >>>able to look down on the craft from above. Everybody said the triangle >>>craft had no featers or markings on the top on them.

>If the people who live on the side of the mountain could look down on the >craft, the craft had to be flying at around fifty feet from the ground, >since Ben Bulben becomes almost vertical at around 100 feet.

>>>At one point they passed directly over the grave of the poet W. B. >>>Yeats in Drumcliff churchyard. Cars were stopping by the side of the >>>road as drivers got out to look at the three craft.

>Yeah Yeah, the one place in Sligo that would be recognised world wide.

>>>My mother said that all at once the craft dissapered. Within an hour >>>Irish Police and Army helicopters were all over the place. The major >>>Irish newsmedia did not report ths story only the small local papers.

>Neither of the local papers reported anything, and the only army I've seen >in Sligo in the last ten years were escorting money from the banks (our more >patriotic brethern have some antisocial fundraising habits).

>OK? Have I dealt with this one?

>Joe.  
 >(who isn't going to get any work done next week 'cos he'll be staring out at

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>the bay... waiting)
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"I knew then who had brought me to the Greys. The voice said, 'These are the beings whom you want to help.' It was the voice of my Aunt Elsie." - Courtney Brown, "Cosmic Voyage"

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