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Re: Sheffield UFO Incident 2?

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>>>MAM TOR HUNT AFTER "AIR CRASH"

>>>The above totally matches Mike France's statement to myself
>>>during the investigation of "The Sheffield Incident" that "it is
>>>a regular occurrence...people mistake aeroplanes taking off and
>>>landing at Manchester airport or they mis-judge the height of an
>>>aircraft when infact it is at a safe height." Mike France 20th
>>>April 1997

<snip>

>Hi
>The drug running idea was seriously considered by the police
>during the 1997 incident. It remains an option for the untraced
>light aircraft, I believe.

>Some of the mystery helicopters connected with the 1973 - 75
>Pennine/Peak District wave (ressurrected by Nick Redfern -
>somewhat bizarely in his new tome 'Cosmic Farces' - ooops,
>Freudian slip there, 'Cosmic Crashes' - as possible intelligence
>agency vehicles tied to UFO crashes) were at the time blamed on
>drug smuggling by the police (as well as ferrying illegal
>immigrants and even a home-made helicopter illegally flown from
>someones garage)!

>In fact many of these 'helicopters' were merely LITS and the
>term helicopter was applied by police who pursued them due to
>apparent manoueverablity. As an investigator just starting out
>then I learned this from Oldham police one night when told - 'we
>chase these buggers over't hills and they just fly off. I'm
>damned if any aircraft can do that. So we reckon it must be a
>'elicopter'

>Hardly anyone actually saw what clearly was a helicopter. But
>the name stuck.

>As for last week's escapade - my main reason to doubt this idea
>that it was a drug run is simple. A flight in the dark over the
>fairly remote moors west of Sheffield (as in 1997) is fair
>enough. A flight in broad daylight literally following the path
>of the A 6 - chock-a-block at this time of year with holiday
>traffic and at that time of day with commuters to and from
>Buxton would be just plain daft. Maybe Del Boy (note for non UK
>readers - a slightly dodgy dealing, but incompetent TV character
>in Britain's top rating sit com) was flying it, but I can't see
>any half-sensible drug runner choosing such a time and locale to
>sneak through (if sensible drug running is not a contradiction
>in terms).

It was Frank Herbert who wrote in Dune, "If wishes were fishes,
we'd all cast nets..."

Dear Jenny and all the ships at sea, which by the by recently
eliminated CW (international Morse code) from their repertoire.
Yet another treasure gone to that graveyard in the sky.

Jennifer, (may I call you that?) it is with deep regret that I
must agree with some of your post. I (gulp) agree that it was
not likely a drug run. However I must inform that it was an
illegal run of another sort. Our Gripple runs have switched
from marked Gripple dispensing trucks, to SR149's, which is the
latest in Americanski secret government technology. The people
at Groom gave us two to sort of, sort out. Saved our precious
tax payers a good load of cash in test pilot training, salary,
insurance and support. Saved a whole lot of UFO sightings over
Groom and Area 51, by those curious bastards constantly taunting
our armed Federally paid Gestapo, saved tremendous money of
fuel, as Gripple is used to power these craft.

The down side is the side effects of breathing the fumes created
by the SR 199's. People are dropping over there, like flies.
Oh the humanity! But alas, you people did try to colonialize us
some years back. And we never did get back at you for that,
other than winning the Revolutionary War.

And there are at least three people now serving on Majestic
Thirteen who are super duper patriots and still hold a grudge.
Oh, sorry, there are now 13 members of Majestic. Gesundt became
a Made Member quite recently. And he shocked everyone in the
Majestic showers.... woof!

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