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## UFO TIMES EDITORIAL

### THE 'ELITIST' SCHOOL

It has come to the attention of many members of the Association – and many outside of it! – that various investigators, researchers and witnesses have been bombarded with unsolicited mail from an organisation calling itself 'Elite'.

The nature of these mail-shots follow the usual track of science, pseudo-science, prophecy, the human condition, religion, admonition over disbelief and plain bad grammar and spelling (and you should be the last to talk Phillips!). It is also pertinent to state here that this is not the first time such a stream of communiqués has arrived on the doormats of ufologists, and for those who are old enough, you have only got to think back to the days when Spanish ufologists were receiving the 'Ummo' papers.

So if we are being treated to yet another re-run of the 'thoughts of aliens', then why is this? Would aliens need stationery, reprographics and the postal system to get their message across? I think not, but certain human beings would!

In one of the papers, there was a veiled accusation against your editor for sending copies of UFO reports to the M.O.D., claiming that I had somehow betrayed the trust of witnesses. Well, I can confirm that I *do* send copies to the M.O.D. for the purpose of report evaluation, and so do many other investigators too. The reason for this procedure is very simple: as a protective organ of British Airspace, it falls to the M.O.D. to investigate *all* UFO reports which come to their notice (both civilian and military), and as part of the report evaluation procedure, it is only common sense to go to that body whose principal responsibility is the monitoring of unauthorised intrusion into our Airspace. Who else can one go to!?

The other concern expressed in the 'Elite' papers was that witness confidentiality was being compromised. Let me put your mind at ease straight away on this issue: the M.O.D. *always* keeps the names and addresses of the witness in the *strictest confidence*, and *won't even release them to BUFORA under any circumstances*. What the M.O.D. will do is confirm or deny that there were other reports in the given area at the time and what it thinks the object seen was.

What I can tell you about 'Elite' is limited by the few facts I do have at my fingertips:-

- 1) All the persons who have so far been contacted are those who have had dealings with me in the past.
- 2) The postmarks on the envelopes are as follows: Romford, Chelmsford (Essex), Manchester, Western MLO(?), London E1, E18, W1 and N1 to name but a few.
- 3) 'Elite' has some knowledge of who's doing what within BUFORA and expresses strong disapproval of them, and their work.

'Elite' further states that it is to hold a meeting sometime later this year. I say, "Good! Let us reason together and talk about anything you wish: God, Satan, Man, UFOs, Life-after-Death, Pollution, Space-colonialisation and anything else you deem to be of importance! We're all ears!"

The truth, I think, will turn out to be something different and that when the big "Meeting" is scheduled, 'Elite' will fail to turn up on the day appointed. Sorry for the cynicism 'Elite', but the "Talking Cattle" are beginning to wise up.

Bon courage,

*Ken.*

# ALIEN ENCOUNTERS IN SEARCH OF CONFIRMATION

by Gordon Millington

Confirmation of the alien liaison claimed by Timothy Good seems, as we have seen, unlikely to be forthcoming from official sources. President Bush, a former director of the CIA, is no enthusiastic dismantler of the bastions of secrecy and even Jimmy Carter, who promised to reveal the truth about UFOs on becoming president, fell silent on the subject when he reached the White House. An important factor in the attempted verification of the liaison claim is the former status of Robert Lazar and the accuracy of the information he obtained. If it cannot be proved that he worked on alien propulsion mechanisms at an institution which is also officially non-existent, it is at least possible to examine the validity of the data he has given. Could we perhaps conduct a test in which the behaviours of the UFOs in flight could be recorded by accredited observers, to see how far their parameters accord with the anti-gravitic explanation put forward by Lazar? We could not, of course, but then we do not need to do so, for such a test has already been carried out in the full glare of international publicity and its results support Lazar's contentions.

From the end of November 1989 a great wave ("flap") of UFO sightings had occurred over Wallonia, the French-speaking area of Belgium, so that by the end of March 1990 SOBEPS, the Belgian UFO research group, had accumulated over five hundred reports of sightings by more than two thousand witnesses. All agreed that the UFOs were triangular in shape with red, green and white lights at the rounded corners and had at the centre a convex dome containing a red light. The sightings received ample coverage in the national media, although there were no reports of landings or encounters with UFO occupants, nor did any citizens suffer harm from these incursions into their airspace. The government was naturally concerned, even to the unprecedented extent of seeking the co-operation of SOBEPS in their investigations, the most successful and significant of which occurred on the night of March 30/31.

In the issue of Paris Match dated 5 July 1990, journalist Marie-Therese de Brosses describes her meeting with Colonel de Brouwer, head of the Belgian air force operations section, at his Brussels headquarters, where she was shown video recordings of radar pictures obtained by two F16 fighters on that March night. He told her how, alerted by the gendarmerie, ground radar stations at Glons and Semmerzake carried out in ideal radar weather conditions fifty minutes of routine verification tests before announcing that a target had been mutually verified beyond all possible doubt. It was travelling at about thirty miles an hour and failing to provide the

identification code sent out by all civil and military aircraft.

Given this clear evidence of an invasion of national airspace by a potential enemy, the two F16s on normal standby were scrambled at five minutes past midnight, their mission simply to locate and identify the intruder. Very soon they intercepted it and locked their radars on to the target, which was then followed automatically. The UFO, however, seemed aware of the radar scan and took instant evasive action, increasing its speed fivefold and diving earthwards, losing four thousand feet of height in one single second. Such a manoeuvre would expose the human crew of a terrestrial aircraft to a force forty times that of gravity, killing them at once. The UFO continued its dive to below six hundred and fifty feet, at which height it appeared to know that it was below the scan of both ground and air radars, visually indistinguishable against the twinkling lights of the Brussels suburbs. The UFO pilot may also have been aware that at low level the denser air prevents the F16 from exceeding 800 mph in a chase, for fear of overheating its turbine compressors. As Colonel de Brouwer remarked, there was logic in the movements of the UFO, which now began a little game of hide and seek with its pursuers.

Three times the UFO popped up from below the radar scan, only to dive back again the moment the aircraft radar locked on. These proceedings were watched from the ground by a large and interested audience, including twenty gendarmes, for one and a quarter hours, but despite the supersonic speeds registered by the UFO,

none of the aerial bangs and broken windows which might have been expected as its velocity exceeded Mach One occurred. It begins to look as though James McCampbell's assertion that UFOs achieve zero mass has obtained evidential support.

Knowing the idiotic "explanations" likely to be put forward by the "responsible" (i.e. conformist) press, Mme. de Brosses naturally wished to explore with Colonel de Brouwer the possibility that the UFO could have been some normally identifiable object (IFO), despite its far from normal performance. He refuted her suggestion that it might have been a balloon because its behaviour showed it to be quite unaffected by air currents. It could not have been a meteor or rocket fragment since its path showed numerous changes of direction. In response to the idea that it might have been an American F117A Stealth aircraft, he quoted the UFO's performance figures which it is known that a Stealth cannot possibly even begin to match, and finally handed her a telex from the US Embassy in Brussels stating categorically that the F117A has never been stationed on or flown above continental Europe; nor is anyone ever going to claim that this plane can match the UFO by accelerating from 175 mph to 1,125 mph and changing altitude by 2 miles all in 15 seconds!

Indeed, neither the government nor the people of Belgium seemed in much doubt that UFOs were continually overflying their territory and the Easter weekend of 1990 was marked by an enormous UFO spotting operation involving SOBEPS, the media, the

state police, the air force and much of the civil population. Low cloud and poor visibility hampered the sky watch from the start and results were unspectacular, but this scarcely mattered any more, for no further evidence of the UFO's existence was really needed, as M. Guy Coeme, the Belgian defence minister, readily conceded.

Mme. de Brosse's questions had adequately anticipated all rational responses to the unfamiliar idea of UFO surveillance her compatriot colleagues might offer but she could not, of course, have been expected to plumb the depths of idiocy and servility to which the British press can sink on such occasions. The tabloids either ignored the phenomena or treated them with condescending ridicule tinged with the suggestion that there just might be something in it after all. Considering that the UFOs had obviously made special efforts to appear only over Wallonia to save them having to grapple with telexes in impenetrable Flemish, the journalists showed little gratitude.

On October 13, however, the Daily Telegraph decided to settle the matter by wheeling out its science correspondent Adrian Berry, who invoked the arcane wisdom of the learned Ian Ridpath of Popular Astronomy magazine.

"I don't want to say anything rude about the ignorance of Belgians ..." he began courteously, dismissing without consideration the views of Professors Meesen, Brenig, Petit et al., who had actually studied the evidence. "What they are seeing," he explained gently, because naturally he didn't want to be rude, "is almost certainly a triangle in the night sky in the constellation of Taurus, formed by Mars and two other bright stars (sic!), one of which is probably the bright orange star Aldebaran."

Well, after that, what could the poor misguided professors say? They might have replied that it was an explanation worthy to stand beside the great Ridpath exegesis delivered on the occasion of the Rendlesham UFO landing, which the intuitive astronomer who thinks Mars is a star knew to be merely the flashing of the Orford Ness lighthouse, which had been there quite a long time without ever previously producing any UFO phenomena.

It is greatly reassuring that, whatever the crazy tabloid press may print, the public can always rely upon the quality press for an authoritative everyday explanation of matters which might

otherwise make us think the world stranger than we had imagined and which might otherwise rate a "D" notice. The fact that these explanations are so often palpable nonsense is unfortunately seldom evident to the majority of those who read them, and precisely the same techniques were made use of in America to deal with the awkward matter of the animal mutilations. It will be recalled that the official refusal to acknowledge the unusual character and continually increasing numbers of these was thought to be part of the alien liaison deal. The conclusion of the FBI official "Animal Mutilation Project" that all such happenings are caused by natural predators such as coyotes is typical, and quite at variance with the established facts. The first case to impinge at all widely on the public consciousness happened in the sixties.

"Lady" (or possibly "Snippy") was a three-year-old pony whose body was found on September 15 1967 in Alamosa County, Colorado. The animal had been skinned and an incision round the neck was so precise that no surgeon's scalpel could have equalled it. There was no blood spilt, though all the vital organs had been removed and the carcass drained. Fifteen circular impressions were spread around the area, some bushes had been flattened and no footprints were found anywhere near the body. After a plethora of UFO sightings in the vicinity and when a further four horses and an additional four cows had been found similarly slaughtered, the case made headlines from coast to coast. APRO, NICAP and the Condon Committee led a wave of sightseers and investigators which flooded into the county to trample all over the evidence and produce a confusion of conflicting reports. (Sachs 1980) The mutilations subsequently spread to South America, Australia and Europe; they still continue and are frequently associated with UFO sightings.

The earliest reported case, however, was from Le Roy, Texas, in 1897 during the celebrated wave of airship sightings, now often thought of as one of the first manifestations of the modern UFO phenomenon, despite the fact that the airship occupants successfully presented themselves as ordinary American citizens. Exceptionally, those who abducted Alexander Hamilton's cow in full view of its owner and two companions must have slipped up somehow, for they were described as hideous creatures who jabbered unintelligibly amongst

themselves. The following day a neighbour found legs, hide and head of the missing heifer in his field. Ten prominent local citizens swore out an affidavit testifying their faith in Hamilton's veracity. (ibid.)

Linda Moulton Howe would have needed no affidavit to strengthen her belief in the genuineness of animal mutilation stories. A graduate of Stanford university working in films and television, she produced an Emmy award-winning documentary, *A Strange Harvest*, on the subject. After its first broadcast in 1980 she received hundreds of letters and phone calls featuring stories of strange lights and mutilated animals, so that she finally decided to write the history of these events in book form. She describes how in 1980 a rancher in Waco, Texas, encountered two creatures with large, black, slanted eyes and four feet tall, who were carrying a calf which was later found dead and mutilated. In 1983 a couple in Missouri watched through binoculars two small beings in silver suits, with large grey heads, attacking a cow in a nearby field. Hypnosis sessions with UFO abductees have suggested that the aliens are using the animal tissues for genetic experimentation.

Linda Howe reports the findings of Dr. John Altshuler, Assistant Clinical Professor of Medicine (Haematology) and Pathology at the University of Colorado Health Sciences Centre in Denver, who witnessed UFO activity in the state in 1967 and examined the horse "Lady". He described the flesh as showing incisions comparable to those that would be made by a modern laser, but we had no surgical lasers in 1967. He concluded that the mutilations were the product of a highly advanced technology which even to-day we cannot wholly duplicate.

It is well known that animals are driven frantic by the approach of a UFO and this behaviour is generally ascribed to the emission of high frequency audio energy (ultrasound) which they find painful. It is therefore probable that animals are in some way anaesthetised or even killed, perhaps by radiation, before being captured. As for the findings of the FBI report, it is especially relevant that in 1989 when the remains of a mutilated cow were left out for the coyotes, who would normally strip a carcass clean in a few hours, nothing had touched it, even after several days. In the same year over 800 wild horses in Nevada died

strangely and 70 domestic cats were found dead and bloodlessly mutilated in Tustin, California. (Howe 1990) Those FBI coyotes certainly have a lot to answer for.

Reports of animal mutilations are frequently accompanied by accounts of simultaneously occurring aerial lights in the area, the same as are often said to coincide with the formation of crop figures in the corn. In both cases the physical evidence of an unusual event is irrefutable, though the causal connection with UFOs is more problematic. One case investigated by three Doctors of Philosophy on behalf of APRO (the USA based Aerial Phenomena Research Organisation) involves not only UFOs, but also a close encounter with landed UFO occupants. Though Drs. Derr, Sprinkle and Van Arsdale found the witnesses credible, their pseudonymous reporting and the accompanying parapsychical phenomena preceding the major event cannot establish beyond question its objective reality. This, however, is so often the case that were we to exclude from consideration all such reports because their validity cannot be established beyond question, we should

deprive our researches of much that is undeniably of significance.

The case concerns a small group of friends who had jointly purchased a ranch in the Rocky Mountains area of Colorado (Derr J.S. and Sprinkle R.L. 1978/9). In the autumn of 1975 they began to experience a variety of paranormal events around and within the ranch house – perverse electrical happenings and hauntings by abnormal creatures, together with glimpses of UFOs and humanoid entities. They also began to feel that they were being periodically subjected to some form of external psycho-physical control, producing in them intermittent physical and mental paralysis. Then they found their first mutilated cow lying in the snow, and surrounded by large footprints they associated with a terrifying, hairy Bigfoot creature that had haunted the neighbourhood for some time. After the next mutilation, 'Jim', a former USAF security guard, went to report it to the local law enforcement officer, who told him that the several hundred mutilations that had occurred were known to be the work of extraterrestrials and were accepted as such by the FBI.

By 1976 mutilations were occurring in the district every week and several people who had attempted to investigate them in detail were said to have disappeared in mysterious circumstances. 'Jim' and his associates received a verbal warning relayed from all the loudspeakers in the house, but nevertheless 'Jim' did go out to meet a strange light in a wood some distance from the house and found there two men, apparently waiting for him. They addressed him by name and apologised for any inconvenience they had caused. He had no doubt that they were men, despite their fine, almost feminine, features and blond hair. Their discoid craft was parked some fifty feet away and he noted their tight fitting flying suits, which unaccountably changed colour from brown to silver as he watched. They dismissed him with a promise that henceforth there would be "a more equitable arrangement", though nothing seems to have come of this. 'Jim' felt that in any case they would be quite ruthless and do whatever they wished.

"It's not big brothers from space who are interested in us as spiritual beings or whatever," he said. "I'm absolutely convinced that they couldn't care less if we live or die."

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## **THE WILD PLACES & ALIEN SCRIPTURE**

It's been a few months since either of the above titles have been published. You probably haven't noticed – I'd have been flattered if you had!

Some of the reasons for the delay fall in the range of those sort of personal hassles that you can't do much about, and just have to plod through. More immediate has been the collapse of my treasured old plain-paper copier, which has seen greater service over 9 years or so, but has finally gone beyond the point of no return. This creates particular problems down here in Cornwall, where there are so few printers that there isn't much competition, and prices are high. Printing relatively short runs of small magazines is a certain way of losing money, which I can't afford to do.

So, it's time for positive thinking. I've bought a computer and printer, and soon I'll begin to understand how it works. I have some paid writing in hand, which will hopefully pay not only for the computer, but also to fund the printing of a decent, A4-size magazine with a glossy cover and a fair number of pages, in a long enough run to make it viable. This will probably combine both the existing titles, though I haven't decided on what name to use yet. If you have any ideas or preferences, please let me know.

Barring a financial miracle, this revelation won't occur before June, but I hope it will be worth waiting for. I'll juggle existing subs so that nobody loses anything, and hopefully we'll have another quality magazine in the field, fit to be sold in shops, and to go abroad to traders. I'm writing to you at this stage to say please don't give up on the exchange of magazines, 'cos our **News from the Front** column will be reappearing with a vengeance, and your magazines should be receiving bigger and better coverage! And if anyone asks, reassure them that all is well, and they should have a great magazine coming their way before long!

# THE FINAL SECRET OF FREE ENERGY – Part V

## *Only Dissipate Energy From A Collector, Not The Source*

by T.E. Beardon

**Completion of the Collection Cycle:** But to return to the completion of our collection cycle (cycle one). *During collection, we have not extracted power from the source. That is vital. We have not moved the gate through which our source is furnishing free energy. We have not diminished our primary source. From our previous definitions of potential, we have indeed extracted trapped energy from the primary source, because we placed its 'local energy density' across a certain finite collector/mass, instead of extracting power (dissipating energy inside the source or battery to spoil its chemistry and deplete its charge separation).*

### All Energy is Free

Here's the incredible truth. The entire universe is filled with mind boggling free energy everywhere, in the simplest of things. Simply scrape your feet on the carpet, and you will collect perhaps 2,000 'volts' on your body. At that time, hidden E.M. energy is flowing from every point in the universe to your body, and from your body back to every point in the universe. We know that all macroscopic matter is filled with stupendous amounts of electrical charge. So an incredible river of energy – a great flux – is driving every single thing, from the smallest to the largest. Opening a gate to extract trapped E.M. energy is simple. Just collect a bit of charge, or scrape your feet hard or comb your hair briskly. *All we have to do is not be stupid and close the gate once we've got it opened!*

God has been most kind. We have nothing but free energy everywhere. All energy is furnished to us freely! *It's our own blindness that has made us into energy source killers.* All we have to do is open our eyes to the truth of Nature's incredible energy bounty. We must just freely collect that bountiful fruit from Nature's Tree, instead of chopping down the Tree and killing it.

### Dissipating The Collected Energy

**The Work Cycle:** We focus again on cycle two. Shortly after the now-potentialised collector is connected to the load at the beginning of cycle 2 (the power cycle, or energy dissipation cycle, or work cycle), the potential gra-

dient across the potentialised collector is connected (transferred) across the free electrons in the load circuit. We assume that the material of the collector and the switching time have been designed so that, shortly after switching to the loading/work cycle, the activated/potentialised free electrons in the electron gas in the collector reach the skin of the collector, and are free to move as current.

So just after the beginning of cycle 2, each of the free electrons in the load circuit now is potentialised and free to move down the wiring. Each potentialised (activated) electron has its own little individual potential gradient across it and coupled to it, due to the overall potential gradient from the collector. Remember, prior to coupling to charges, this potential gradient moves through the circuit at light speed. An E.M. potential gradient coupled to a charged mass constitutes an E.M. force field (excess trapped E.M. energy per Coulomb, times the number of collecting Coulombs). Now each little free electron with its potential gradient forms a little E-field (force/charge), and that little E-field is free to move. That's all it takes to move (accelerate) the little activated electron's mass through the load (the scatterer). We strongly stress that *the potentialised/activated electron moves itself.* It doesn't care whether the external battery is attached or not. It is its own little motorboat, with its own little engine driving it.

As the little potentialised electrons reach the load (the scatterer), they bang

and clang around in there erratically. That is, the 'scatterer' (load) causes spurious accelerations (scatterings) of these self-driven electrons. As is well-known, when a charge is accelerated, it radiates photons. What actually happens is that these little 'jerked around' electrons shuck off their little potential gradients in the load (scatterer or 'jerker-arounder') by emitting/radiating photons in all directions. Hence the heat that is produced in the load; the heat is just these scattered photons. The theory of calorimetry already states that all the excess energy (on the potentialised electrons) will be dissipated as this heat (scattered E.M. energy).

When all the potentialised electrons have radiated away their potential gradients in the load (scatterer), they are no longer potentialised. The free electron gas is again 'quiescent' and no longer potentialised/activated (again, we are talking about 'on the average' from a classical viewpoint).

### Repetition and Review

**Notice What We've Done:** We took some trapped E.M. energy density (a chunk of potential gradient, a 'voltage' before current flows) from the source, by switching that potential gradient (energy density, which is Joules per Coulomb) onto a collector (containing a certain number of Coulombs of trapped charges) where the potential gradient activates/potentialises/couples-to these temporarily non-translating electrons. So the finite

collector collected a finite amount of excess energy [Joules per Coulomb x collecting (trapped) Coulombs] on its now-excited (activated) free electrons. Then before any current has yet flowed from the source, we switched that potentialised collector (with its temporarily restrained but potentialised electrons; with their finite amount of excess trapped E.M. energy) away from the source and directly across the load. Shortly thereafter, the relaxation time in the collector expires. The potentialised electrons in the collector are freed to move in the external load circuit, consisting of the collector and the load, and so they do so. The scattering 'shock collisions' due to the erratic electron accelerations in the load shake off the little potential gradients on the conduction electrons, emitting photons in all directions, which we call 'heat'. In shaking off the photons, the electrons lose their little potential gradients, hence lose their activation (excess E.M. energy).

Rigorously we have extracted some energy in trapped form, and allowed it to dissipate in the load, 'powering the load' for a finite discharge/dissipation time and doing work<sup>20</sup>. *Contrary to the conventional electrical power engineering, we have also done this without doing any work inside the source to diminish its ability to furnish potential gradient.*

### What Is Energy In An Electrical Circuit?

**Energy in an Electric Circuit:** Here's the principle loud and clear. *Energy* in an electric circuit involves only the potentialisation and de-potentialisation of the electron carriers in that circuit<sup>21</sup>. It involves only the potential gradient (the Joules per Coulomb) collected by the circuit to potentialise its electrons, and the number of Coulombs of electrons that are potentialised during the collection phase. Electric circuits simply utilise electrons as carriers of 'potential gradients' from the source to the load, where these gradients and the activated electrons constitute excess trapped E.M. energy. In the 'shocking/scattering' occurring in the load, the jerking (acceleration) of the electrons causes these activated (trapped-energy-carrying) electrons to shuck off their potential gradients by emitting them as scattered photons (heat).

If one is thoughtless enough to allow the primary potential source to remain in the circuit during the 'work' phase, then one is using the potentialised electrons to also go back into the primary source and scatter energy from its internal resistance (internal load), *thereby disorganizing the organisation that was producing the source potential and energy in the first place*. If one does that, then all the while one is getting some work (scattering of energy) in the load, one is also steadily getting some work done inside the primary source to steadily destroy it! Literally one is killing the goose that lays the golden eggs.

**Continued Operations:** But back to our circuit. After we complete one full collection/discharge cycle, we wish to continue producing work in the external load. So we simply switch the collector back away from the load and onto the primary source, collect some more current-free potential, and again independently switch the collector with its re-potentialised free electrons back across the load. We can repeat this two-cycle process to potentialise the external load and power it as long as we wish, from a battery or other source of potential, and never take any power at all from the primary battery. We do not need to drain the battery or source at all, in order to power a load, unless we attempt to power it directly. Powering the external load is *always* free!

Nature has been most kind, and we have been most ignorant. You can have all the *trapped electrical energy* you wish, from any source of potential, for *free*. You can power all the external loads you wish, for free, by using a collector as a secondary source, and simply shuttling potential between the primary source and the collector<sup>22</sup>. But you cannot have power for free from (in) the potential source. If you allow current flow in your collection cycle, you are depleting the separated charges inside the battery that are furnishing the source potential.

### The Coal-Fired Locomotive

**Rigorous Analogy of a Coal-Fired Locomotive** Now here's an exact analogy, to assist in understanding. Imagine a coal-fired train, and a fireman shovelling coal. He has an external load/scatterer of energy (the fire in the firebox under the boiler). He has a primary source of potential/energy (the coal car). No fireman in his right mind would ignite the coal in the chute of the coal car, to try and get some heat energy

into the firebox! [That is, he would not attempt to extract *power* from the source. Yet that's exactly what all we engineers are trained to do at present]. Instead, the fireman takes out (collects) a finite amount (a shovelful) of coal (trapped energy). Coal *per se* (the potential gradient) has a certain energy density per unit volume (trapped Joules per unit volume of coal) and the shovel (the collector) has a certain volume. Accordingly, the shovelful of coal contains a certain amount of trapped Joules of energy. In the fireman's shovel (the collector), *the energy remains in totally trapped form, as coal not afire and without its trapped energy being dissipated as work*. [He doesn't act like a fool and ignite the coal in the shovel either!] He then throws that shovel of coal (collected trapped energy) onto the fire (scatterer), completely separately from the coal bin/source. He continues to repeat his shovelling cycle, and each shovelful of coal added to the fire dissipates additional energy, powering the load.

### Refs:-

20) Precisely analogous to a heat pump's operation – which, as is well-known, can readily be 'over unity' in its efficiency. The maximum efficiency of the heat pump is about 8.22. E.g. see David Halliday & Robert Resnick, *Fundamentals of Physics*, 3rd Edition Extended, John Wiley & Sons, New York, 1988, Vol 1, pp 510/19.

21) External power in an electric circuit refers to the dissipation rate (in the circuit's external load) of the potential gradients on the activated/potentialised electrons. Internal power refers to the dissipation rate in the circuit's bipolarity source.

23) We call strong attention to T.W. Barrett, 'Tesla's Non-linear Oscillator-Shuttle-Circuit (OSC) Theory, *Annales de la Fondation Louis de Broglie*, 16(1), No. 1, 1991, pp 23/41. In this important paper, Barrett shows that a higher topology E.M., such as quaternion E.M., allows many things to be accomplished with circuitry that are not apparent to a conventional vector or tensor analysis of that circuitry. He also shows that Nikola Tesla's circuits accomplished this higher topological functioning.

*To be continued in U.T.31. – Oh, by the way Readers, don't forget to pay your electricity bill to John Major's newly privatised monopoly!*



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Speakers are: on the Saturday, Dr Serena Roney-Dougal, Albert Budden, Philip Mantle, and UFO witness Mike Dave Oran, who has encapsulated his experiences in music, and whose band will be playing in the evening; and on the Sunday, Jenny Randles, Lucy Pringle, Arthur Tomlinson and a speaker who, because of the sensitive nature of the material he will be presenting, has asked that his identity be concealed until the day.

Tickets are available from Sam Wright: 15 Knaresboro Avenue, Marton, Blackpool FY3 9QW. Prices £9 for the two days; £5 per day. This includes free admission to live UFO band. Cheques should be made payable to LAPIS. Information about the wide range of accommodation available, directions etc., will be sent with tickets. Further details from me at the above address, or telephone Blackpool (0253) 356821.

# THE EUROPEAN DIMENSION

Courtesy of Eurufon News  
No3, April 1991

dealing with the Håknäs incident, interviewed all three witnesses. The daughter was questioned at her place of work in Umeå, her parents at their home. The result of the investigation was that there is no indication the story is false: an unknown object violated Swedish airspace.

The SÄPO report, which is six pages long, is classified for the protection of the realm. We are not allowed to see it, but we were however allowed to talk to the Security Police officer who conducted the investigation. He said, "I have met these people, and in my judgement, they can be trusted. They are sensible people and we have found several witnesses who also saw the object and gave us so many details. This makes it very interesting and we have reason to trust these reports. As for what this could be... it could be one of several things such as a missile or airplane reflecting hot air, or it could have been something else. We have not come to a final conclusion... since I have not been able to obtain a reasonable explanation for this thing in Håknäs and I'm actually still thinking that it may be a flying object belonging to the secret service of another country; I don't consider that out of the question."

When asked about possible radar returns, he replied, "There was nothing untoward, but we know that we shouldn't take the technical side of radar too seriously as it isn't one hundred percent foolproof. Large objects may not be visible since radar systems cover different layers of the atmosphere and don't give total coverage from the ground upwards."

## SECURITY POLICE INVESTIGATES 'CIGAR' SIGHTING

by Clas Svahn

UFO sightings in broad daylight involving several witnesses are not common. However, such an incident took place at Håknäs, 40 km south of Umeå in the north of Sweden, in the autumn of 1991. As long as the investigation is in progress, the witnesses must remain anonymous. This is one of many cases where representatives of the Swedish Security Police (SÄ-PO) have been ordered, by the military forces, to investigate a UFO sighting.

It was shortly after 19.00 hours on August 25th 1991 when a married couple had just settled down in front of their TV set to watch the local news. It was still almost two hours before sunset and the sky was blue with a few clouds on the horizon.

Shortly thereafter, their daughter arrived from Umeå. She drove up to the house, turned the engine off and got out of the car.

This is her description of what followed:-

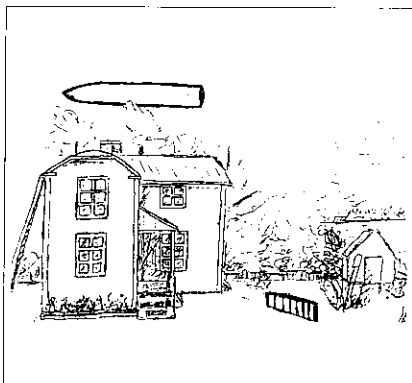
"As I got out of the car, I heard the dull sound of an engine from above. I looked up and saw an object above the red house in the yard. The object, which moved slowly across the sky, was cylindrical and white. It had a pointed front and was blunt at the rear; it looked like a piece of piping. At first I thought it was an aeroplane, but it had no windows or wings; nothing. I ran up the steps to the front door and called out to my mother and father to come outside and look."

Her parents hurried out and all three of them could see the strange object moving across the blue evening sky. "Yes, it is almost unbelievable," said her father. "In fact, in my opinion an object like that shouldn't be able to fly. I saw no wings or fins and no opening; just a tube. We watched it for quite a while, perhaps for 30 seconds, and I had time to run back into the house to search for a pair of binoculars, which I didn't find, and then run back out again before the object disappeared."

The three astonished witnesses watched the object slowly moving in a northwesterly direction then disappear into a small cloud on the horizon. By then it was at such a distance that no engine sound could be heard.

### Interview With The Security Police

I have spent much time and energy on this case and I wouldn't have done so if the witnesses had not been completely reliable. The SÄPO, who's



### The Engine Sound

The most puzzling detail of the whole observation is the engine sound. The man, who is slightly hard of hearing, could not hear it, but his daughter describes it as a very low-speed combustion engine. She told the Security Police that "a V-8 engine in an old American car... is a high-speed engine compared to this".

During my long conversation with the security policeman, he admits that puzzles him. "In that case, the object would be driven by a combustion engine at very low pitch, which is technically possible, but disagrees completely with all known information about missiles and their operation."

# MINIATURE STEALTH-LIKE PLANE OVER LAKE VÄTTERN

by Clas Svahn

One of the few Swedish daytime sightings in 1992 occurred in Brandstorp, south of Hjo, on 20th June. It was reported to UFO-SWEDEN the same day. Three days later, Clas Svahn and Håkan Blomqvist visited the village and interviewed the witnesses.

Brandstorp is a small place between Hjo and Jönköping on the shores of Lake Vättern, Sweden's second largest lake, where we met Hans and Seija Augustsson in the garden behind their house. They told us about their experience in a low voice, without a lot of fuss. It was not the object itself which puzzled them most, but the sound; that strange, undefinable sound.

## At The Marina

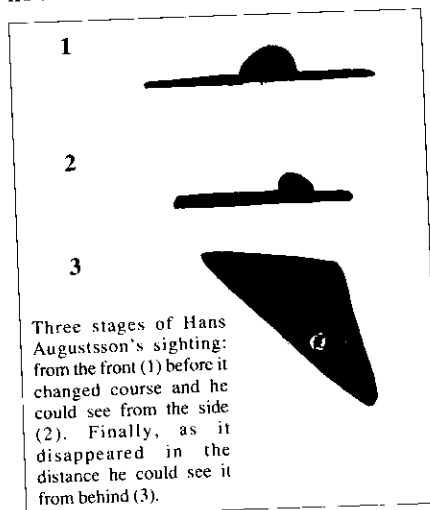
It was almost 11.00 on June 20th and the sun was shining from a clear, blue sky. It was 20°C and Lake Vättern was as smooth as a mirror. The witnesses had some relatives staying with them – there were five of them in all – and the party decided to walk to the Marina, from which you can see the island of Visingö. As they reached the water, Hans and two other men (a cousin and Hans' brother-in-law), walked down to the area where the boats are overhauled. Seija and the cousin's wife continued walking towards the breakwater, where they stopped and chatted.

Hans said, "While we were walking and talking, I happened to look up at a point just over the treetops when I saw something small and black coming towards us. At first, I thought it was a small, black bird. That thought had just about entered my mind when I saw that it was an object flying at an incredible speed. I called out to the other: Look up there, what is that?"

The instance Hans called out, the object was already over the lake. It happened very quickly and he never got around to using his binoculars, which he carried in his hand. He said, "By the time everyone was looking up, the object had become a small, black dot in the distance. I observed it for 5 or 6 seconds at the most, but we all heard the sound SWISH. It wasn't really the sound of an engine, it was just a suction as if something had passed at great speed."

On the other side of the marina, Seija and the other woman heard Hans calling out. Seija said, "We stood on the

pier some 15-20 metres away from them and we didn't know what the men were talking about. Then I heard a sound, and so did my friend, but we didn't react to it. It was a sound you hear when you dream about space; a metallic, cosmic sound... I have never heard that sound before. It was a sound which gave you an impression of speed and strength, but it wasn't loud; there's no name for it in my opinion."



Three stages of Hans Augustsson's sighting: from the front (1) before it changed course and he could see from the side (2). Finally, as it disappeared in the distance he could see it from behind (3).

Hans said, "What stuck in my mind was the moment when I saw the object above the treetops. I could see something which looked like wings and something like a cockpit. The plane was completely black and was so small that I didn't react until it was above the lake. The object came from above, made a turn, and continued in a straight, northerly direction. I saw the cockpit very clearly and, as we saw it diagonally from behind, I thought it resembled a delta-winged aircraft. We got no chance to see much more of it before it was gone. When I called out, "Look up there!" and everyone looked up, it was gone, and that's when the sound came."

UFO-SWEDEN contacted the duty officer at the F6 Air Force Wing at Karlsborg the same day the observation took place, and the Information Department of the Air Staff in Stockholm the next day. Both stated that no military activity had taken place in the area concerned. The only airborne aircraft on that day was on a mission over the Baltic.

Another witness came to our attention. She had heard a similar sound in the afternoon of the same day between 16.00 and 17.00 hrs. The woman, who wishes to remain incognito, live in Hjo,

gave the following description of the incident:-

"I was at work when I heard a strange sound from above the house. My immediate reaction was that a flying saucer had passed over the roof. It sounded exactly as I had imagined such a thing would sound like: an eerie, cosmic sound."

The woman rushed out to see what it was, but there was nothing to observe. Of course, it is impossible to say if there is any connection between these two reports since they are separated in time by 4-5 hours.

In any case, the Brandstorp incident must be labelled as a UFO.

Translation: Christina Gufstafsson.

## WANTED

### Names and addresses of active UFO groups and/or UFO publications

I am in the process of trying to compile a comprehensive directory of all UFO groups from around the world. No group is too small or too large. I would also like to include UFO publications, from news-stand magazines to the more simpler form of newsletters. If you are involved in any such activities please send us as much detail as you can to:-

Philip Mantle,  
1, Woodhall Drive, Batley,  
W. Yorks. WF17-7SW.

# Investigations DIARY

## Ed's preamble:-

*Many investigators have complained to me about the defunct 'Investigations Diary' [see 'Diary not up-to-date', U.T. 28, March/April '94], fearing that BUFORA had either lost or confiscated their reports. Therefore, to try and restore some confidence in the Association, I have decided to resurrect the Investigations Diary in the hope that not too many awkward questions are asked as to the whereabouts of the said reports!*

*To begin with, I have decided to serialise the mass sightings of Wales and The West Country in 1993 and I am grateful to Doug Cooper of the Devon UFO Research Organisation for the following transcripts. Following this, I have begun to serialise recent cases which have been forwarded to the new D.o.I., Philip Mantle.*

## CASE 933: THE WALES AND WEST COUNTRY SIGHTINGS OF 30th/31st March 1993

This report has been compiled with information received from Bob Boyd, Chairman of the Plymouth UFO Research Group (PUFORG), Mr. Nick Pope of the Ministry of Defence (Air Staff) 2a, Mr Howard Miles of the British Astronomical Association, (BAA), Mr Leo Enwright of BBC Radio 4, Dublin, the Devon and Cornwall Police Force and numerous members of the British Public living in Wales and the West Country.

### Introduction by Doug Cooper

On Wednesday 31st March 1993, at approximately 02.20, I received a telephone call from Sgt. J. Furneuxe of the Devon and Cornwall Police Force. He is stationed at Bodmin, Cornwall and was reporting an incident that had occurred at 01.10 whilst on duty near Liskeard. Briefly he reported that at 01.10 (BST), whilst driving towards Dobwalls on the A38, he noticed 2 very bright lights hovering at about 2,000' above the N.W. Horizon. Knowing the night sky fairly well he immediately realised that 'they' were not stars and did not conform to any known aircraft or their navigation lights. At this point, he stopped his patrol car and got out. He watched the objects for a few seconds and was fairly amazed to see them suddenly start to ascend at quite a fast rate of knots.

They seemed to move in an arc over his position and disappeared to the south. At their highest point, about 10,000'\* , 2 vapour-like trails appeared behind each object, and they appeared to be self-luminous.

\* This height is based on information obtained from the control tower at Exeter Airport later that day.

At the end of his report, Sgt. Furneuxe informed me that several other police officers had made similar reports to their Operations Room at Exeter.

Shortly after this call, I contacted the Operations Room at Exeter and was told they had received a number of reports, all from police officers on duty within the counties of Cornwall and Devon. They also said that 2 other officers of the Gwent Police Force had also logged a similar report.

In total, I was given the names and contact addresses of 11 officers<sup>†</sup>. In addition, I was informed that 2 other officers, who were on a special surveillance operation somewhere in East Devon, had also reported something very similar.

<sup>†</sup> I'd love to know your successful formula Doug, because, in the whole of my 25 years of investigations experience, I have never got anywhere with these people! – Ed.

During that day, I managed to contact (by phone) all the officers concerned, and after taking details of their sightings, and with their permission, dispatched each a copy of our UFO report forms for completion and return.

Strangely, to date I have only received back 3 completed sets of forms, and what is even more puzzling, all of these have been from police sergeants; none from constables!

What emerged from these reports (with the exception of Sgt. Furneuxe [Liskeard], and Sgt. Mitchell [Lynton]) was that they all virtually told the same story, giving me reason to believe their observations were of a Russian 2nd-stage launch vehicle of the Tsyklon Class, which had previously (about midnight) put into orbit a Cosmos 2238 Satellite. Its return to Earth had occurred at approximately 01.05 (BST?) and was first seen over Innis, Ireland at that time. From its orbital direction of 65°, it would have traversed the sky at a height of between 80 km and 100 km in a S.E. direction. If it did not cross Innis at 01.05 – and I have reliable evidence to support this – then it would have crossed Lands End shortly after 01.10.

Given the officers' locations in Devon and Cornwall, it is, I believe, reasonable to assume that what they saw was the re-entry of this space vehicle.

This leaves me with the problem of the reports from Sgts. Furneuxe and Mitchell: they tell a different story!

Sgt. Mitchell, in company with P.C. Cotley, were approaching the coastal town of Lynton, N. Devon, at 01.10. Their direction of travel was due north, and as they neared the town, they noticed 2 very bright lights approaching from the north across the Bristol Channel. Stopping their patrol car, they watched as the lights drew nearer to them. The lights, or object(s) passed to the west going in a south-easterly direction. As it/they passed over, they noticed a third light, much smaller than the other two, and positioned somewhere between them. Sgt. Mitchell states that as it passed silently by, he got the impression that the lights were

attached to a very large object, but could not make out any shape or other details. As it went away from them, both officers saw two white, vapour-like trails behind each light. They described these trails as "self-luminous", but not the same as normal, aircraft vapour; more like beams of light. They estimated the elevation to be 40° to the horizon, at a distance of between 1,000' and 2,000'.

This is obviously at variance to the other reports, but would seem to substantiate Sgt. Furneux's report, who was at the same time S.W. of their position and saw the objects in a stationary mode N.W. of his position. This suggests that both the sergeants' sightings are in many respects different to the others and indicate their objects were extremely low and appeared to have the ability to stop and hover!

I personally have no doubts about their sightings, because whereas some people may have difficulty in judging objects at great height, I hardly think these officers could be mistaken in their judgements: 2,000' is one thing, but anywhere between 10,000' and 80 km is another. It is therefore my considered opinion that these two sightings are different to that of the re-entry rocket and may be associated with certain other events that took place later in the morning at 02.00 and, indeed, the previous evening between 20.00 and 23.00 over N. Devon.

Most of these reports were received following the publication of some news articles in two local newspapers (Honiton News and Somerset Gazette). As a result, I received a large number of phone calls from members of the public

Event	Place	Date	Time
'A'	Innis, Ireland	31-3-93	01.05
'B'	*Wales, Cornwall, Devon & Somerset	31-3-93	01.10 to 01.17
'C'	Bridgewater, Somerset	31-3-93	02.00
'D'	North Devon	30-3-93	19.00 to 23.00
'E'	St. Ives & Penzance, Cornwall	31-3-93	01.30
'F'	**Wales, West Country Avon, Shropshire & S. Yorkshire	30/31-3-93	Various

\* The reports associated with this event include those received from the police officers who initially saw the objects at 01.10 on 31-3-93.

\*\* These reports are the subject of a letter received from the M.O.D. (Air Staff) 2a, giving some details of reports received by them. They are thought to be associated with the events of 30/31-3-93 because of the similarities between them and those already known to me.

and another police officer, this time from Somerset.

After evaluating these reports and filing away those which I considered not relevant to this case, it became apparent that in addition to the initial 01.10 police reports, there were a number which were very similar and did therefore have some association. In an effort to give these events some clarity – they have been separated into groups with each group being given its own heading – they are as follows:-

*This interesting synopsis will be continued in the next edition of U.T. – Ed.*

## ACCREDITED INVESTIGATORS (A.Is.)

At the N.I.C. meeting in March, two provisional A.Is. were granted full A.I. status. They are Robert Bull (Cam-

bridge) and Gloria Dixon (Newcastle). Malcolm Robinson has also been re-appointed as BUFORA's Research and Investigations Coordinator (R.I.C.) for Scotland. It is BUFORA's intention to reinstate RICs in other parts of the country, such as in the North, The Midlands, London, The West, South Wales and Ireland. Anyone interested in filling such duties should contact me at my home address.

## CORRESPONDENCE TRAINING COURSE

All new investigators, and those of you who might be considering joining the investigations team, should be aware that BUFORA operates a postal training course. Anyone interested in applying for the course, which is operated by Jenny Randles, should contact Jenny at: 37, Heathbank Rd., Cheadle Heath, Stockport, Cheshire, SK3-0UP.

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78-200

Date: June 1978.

Location: N.E. England.

Invs.: G. Dixon & D. Newton.

Mick is now a lorry driver by profession and lives with his wife and family in Cleveland. In June 1978, whilst still at school, Mick underwent what he believes to be an abduction event. He was not at school at the time and was playing football in goal. He was then hit on the head with an old leather ball which made him feel somewhat dizzy, so he left the football field and blacked out. The next thing he remembers is waking up on a "slab" looking straight up. Mick observed several dark figures at his feet dressed in a monk-type fashion. He felt as though something had been done to his side and has a scar in that position which he cannot account for. Since that time he has had numerous psychic experiences, including seeing his own death. He did in fact 'die' for a short time during a motor-vehicle crash some years later. A full transcript of an interview with Mick is on file. (A full account of this case will appear in Philip Mantle's book, 'WITHOUT CONSENT', to be published in the summer of 1994.

EVALUATION: open.

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**89-200**      **Date: 5-6-89.**      **Location: Burnley, Lancs.**      **Inv.: Mark Glover.**

At 10.09 on Tuesday 5th June, Jonathan Dillon (now a BUFORA investigator) was walking along Evans St. in Burnley with a friend when they happened to look up and observe an ovoid-shaped object which was orange with a yellow glow around the edge. This object seemed to deposit smaller black objects from its underside. The sighting lasted 4 – 5 minutes before the object was lost in cloud in the distance.

EVALUATION: possible helicopter or airship [*emitting secondary objects!?* – Ed.]

**92-203**      **Date: 3-12-92.**      **Location: Bradford, W. Yorks.**      **Inv.: Chris Marriot.**

After collecting his girlfriend at a local college Alan B. drove off down Great Horton Rd. in Bradford. He and his girlfriend saw an object in the distance that they suspected was the police helicopter. Arriving home Alan looked again at the sky and this time observed an orange object shoot straight across the sky at a very fast speed. The object was delta-shaped and moved straight across the sky in a matter of seconds.

EVALUATION: possible aircraft.

**93-201**      **Date: 20-2-93.**      **Location: Southport, Lancs.**      **Inv: Mark Glover.**

As Mr. R. left his house at 05.00 he felt drawn to look up from his back yard towards the roof of his house. When he did so he noticed a red-orange elliptical-shaped glowing object moving steadily across the sky. The object went out of sight behind a bank of cloud after about 60 seconds. Mr. R. had the distinct impression that the object followed a deliberate course and he was greatly intrigued by what he observed and also by the fact that the environment around him went absolutely silent during the sighting.

EVALUATION: possible airship/balloon or even aircraft.

**93-204**      **Date: 11-7-94.**      **Location: Ripon, N. Yorks.**      **Inv.: Mike Lewis.**

Aileen H. was driving down the A1 (south) at around 17.00 towards Ripon when she observed a black object in the distance and pointed this out to her friend in the car with her. At first the object looked like a hot air balloon but it fell to earth at such a speed that it must have been a solid object. All of a sudden another object appeared, this time "silvery" with three lights on it. This second object hung in the sky for around a minute before simply disappearing in a clear blue sky. The two witnesses never saw the black object after this second one had disappeared.

EVALUATION: unknown.

**93-209**      **Date: August 1993.**      **Location: Clifton Hotwells, Bristol.**      **Inv.: A. Woodward.**

Mr. R. took a number of photographs from his allotment sometime in August 1993. He was on his way back home when he observed a silvery triangular object in the sky. Having a camera with him he began taking photos without hesitation. The object was at some distance away and was eventually lost from view in clouds.

EVALUATION: aircraft.

**93-210**      **Date: June to September 1993.**      **Location: Hartcliffe, Bristol.**      **Inv.: J. Jaafar.**

During the months of June to September numerous residents of Hartcliffe observed a great many strange lights in the sky, discs, cigar-shaped objects and a whole host of unusual aerial activity. Some of the sightings were definitely proved to be the planet Venus, but the witnesses to the events claim that other events could not be explained in astronomical terms. One witness in particular, Jayne, also recounted previous previous UFO experiences in the same area in 1990 [*And how! These included a near-landing and subsequent crash in the Mouth of the Seven and missing time*]. A number of these witnesses spoke at the BUFORA Congress which took place at Bristol University that same summer.

EVALUATION: open (some were definitely Venus).

**93-211**      **Date: September 1993.**      **Location: Kings Lynn, Norfolk.**      **Inv.: J. Copsey.**

Mr. and Mrs. C. looked out of their kitchen window at around 19.30 on the night in question. They observed a bright light shooting diagonally downwards. The light seemed to be coming towards them weaving from side-to-side as it did so. Mr. C. went outside for a closer look and saw red and green lights above the house. Mr. C. thought it was an aircraft but apparently changed his mind the next day when a neighbour said he's seen a spaceship.

EVALUATION: aircraft.

**Date: 12-10-93.**      **Location: Suffolk.**      **Inv.: R. Bull.**

Mr. C. was out walking his dog at 21.10. It was a clear night and he looked up at the sky as he had on many previous occasions. Almost directly above him he observed a triangular-shaped object which was surrounded by a red glow. On the underside of the object, which appeared to be a dull metallic colour, he could see two triangular shapes. A short while after this object moved out of view he noticed eight orange lights in two formations of four. They moved off in a few seconds. There was no noise reported during the sighting.

EVALUATION: probable aircraft.

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# NEWS DESK

## MAGONIA MAGAZINE AWARDS ITS PRESTIGIOUS 'SCIENTIFIC JOURNAL OF THE YEAR AWARD' TO UFO TIMES.

At the behest of its new editorial team member, Des O'Connor, The Magonia editor, John Rimmer, made known this important award at closing time at the magazine's unofficial meeting place at a pub in Dreary Lane. Rimmer was quoted as being absolutely delighted at this year's award saying, "I believe this tribute will extend the horizons of ufological research to amazing limits and could

create a 21st Century Renaissance!" At the end of the meeting, John Spencer was seen to hand over to Magonia's Editor a rather fat envelope.

*Source: Judith Jaafar (my minder).*

## INVESTIGATOR TRAINING COORDINATOR RETIRES

After many years of training new investigators, the Training Coordinator, Ken Phillips, has decided to call it a day in order to devote more time to editing the U.T. and running the W.S.G., therefore, BUFORA is now looking for someone to take Phillips' place and run the training programme. The person

BUFORA is looking for should have *at least 5 years investigation experience* behind them and be aware of the current issues governing modern UFO-report investigations. Furthermore, the new Training Coordinator would be expected to liaise with Jenny Randles who is conducting the Training Correspondence Course. There are usually one or two training venues per year and these are held in Central Birmingham. If there are any investigators who feel they would like to take on this responsibility, then please apply in writing to: **Jenny Randles, 37, Heathbank Rd., Cheadle Heath, Stockport, Cheshire, SK3-0UP.**

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## MARGARET FRY VIEWS BUFORA AS A LONDON AND HOME COUNTIES ASSOCIATION BADLY IN NEED OF A OVERHAUL.

Dear Editor,

I believe there are insufficient regional meetings to justify BUFORA being called anything but a southern-based organisation. When I invite people to join the Association they always say, "Where's the point if you don't have regular meetings in N. Wales or the North of England that we can attend?"

I have drawn this situation to the attention of BUFORA at the few regional meeting it has arranged, but have been brushed aside by Council Members. What do the other ordinary members in the provinces feel about this issue? Should we petition Council

to induce them to hold more regional meetings than is currently the case?

On another tack, I feel the sighting questionnaire is far too long - most witnesses do not want to fill it in, and the few who do spend all the interview time filling in this form, thus preventing the investigator from assessing the witness! Also, there is no provision as to whether the witness objects to publicity or not.

Yours sincerely,

Margaret Fry.

*Ed's comment: I certainly agree with your verdict concerning the dearth of regional meetings, although BUFORA does arrange a couple of meetings in Northampton and Birmingham each*

*year. However, the real issue is how can BUFORA extend this provincial coverage? Given its limited resources, BUFORA finds this extremely difficult to accomplish, and in my opinion the best way to overcome this difficulty is to either build up regional branches and/or attend the numerous conferences held by provincial groups where you will find many BUFORA members in attendance.*

## UFO ABDUCTEES - CRITICISM SWITCHES FROM EVANS TO MYERS.

Dear Editor,

I was quite amused by the opinions of certain members who are against Abductees, Contactees or whatever you call them. The study of UFOs includes these people if you like it or not. Think about it: if a member of your family was abducted by Visitors, wouldn't you want to know what happened to them?

If you deny any research into abductees, then you will be leaving a very important chapter on UFOs in the dark. I do not agree with Mr. D. Myers' letter that an abduction experience does not have anything to do with real ufology. If meeting visitors from outer space is not real ufology then tell me what is? How can you say that 'Witness Support' is not scientific research in ufology?

Therapists and sociologists do not have an open mind like our good selves in the study of ufology. If I went to my local sociologist and told him I was abducted by a UFO, I'm sure I'd be on

my way to the 'funny farm' in no time.

I hope in the near future we can have a meeting to discuss this topic, because it would be interesting to know the opinions of a few more members of BUFORA.

Yours sincerely,

A. Walton.

*Ed's comment: just to set the record straight, BUFORA does not give the witnesses counselling as such: the counselling actually comes from the witnesses themselves though the process of 'group therapy' [in essence, this is the service provided by BUFORA].*

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Dear Sir,

I am a very new member of BUFORA, and upon attending the recent A.G.M., was impressed with the professionalism and attitude of the organisation and members in general.

However, I was dismayed to hear dismissive laughter by a few members at the possibility that the spirit of an alien may have entered a particular ufologist. Few members would agree that we fully understand the UFO enigma, and the behaviour of UFOs towards the subconscious is surely as much a matter for genuine research as the 'nuts and bolts' aspect. I hope that those who did find the prospect of alien spirit entering the human body funny and/or ridiculous will consider that this may be a vital angle on which to study.

A. Member.

### UNSOLICITED ANONYMOUS MAIL:-

Dear Ken,

I would like to ask those anonymous people from 'Elite' to stop sending me unsolicited information allegedly relating to the UFO phenomenon.

No doubt other BUFORA members will have received samples of their material lately. For myself, I tend to automatically disregard uncorroborated opinion such as this where the originators do not even identify themselves. I am not saying they are wrong, just as if they are right, this is not the way to win my support.

Let 'Elite' submit their evidence, testimony and information for publication. I am sure that any number of reputable journals which cover ufology, such as this one, will publish it, and maybe then we can all join in the

debate. Until then, I object to being on the receiving end of a monologue.

Yours sincerely,

T.M. Orton.

*Ed's comment: I too have received the 'Elite' communiques and can only surmise that this exercise is similar in nature to the 'Ummo' affair which affected various UFO researchers and investigators in Spain and S. America. My advice to everyone who has received such communiques is: read but don't react.*

### THE 'ADMIRAL' GENERATES RESPONSE:-

Dear Ed,

I read with great interest the story by Dr. Harley A. Byrd, 'The Transmigration of the Greys'.

I assume it was a story, wasn't it, a bit of sci-fi? – or is it true? If it is genuine, then I think it's about time we started to be seriously worried at what the Governments of the World – and especially the U.S.A. – are hiding from us, don't you think!? If 'Dreamland, Area 51' or 'The Dulce Caves' (wherever they might be) are underground complexes holding aliens, then after 40 years of research into the UFO phenomena, we might as well stop looking. Surely that is evidence enough to convince any sceptic that UFOs exist. If we shout loud enough and long enough perhaps governments might just listen\* and admit to the biggest cover-up of *all time*, and the most dangerous.

*\* Not so long as John Major and his cronies are in power! – Ed.*

I was listening to the interview on Radio 1 last Wednesday, 9th March, the Nicky Campbell Show, with Timothy Good – a very enlightening interview! He has evidence of confirmation of UFO and possible alien retrieval. Both Presidents Reagan and Gorbachev at the 1987 Geneva Summit Conference stated their serious concern on the UFO problem. Now I think that if the Presidents (even if they are now Ex-Presidents!) of the two most-powerful nations on Earth think there is a problem, isn't it time we stopped playing 'cat and mouse' and started to live in the real world? It's not science fiction anymore, this is for real!

If the reason for the cover-up is national security, then I would suggest their reasoning is back to front: it is *because* of national security that we should all know *what's going on!*  
Mr. A.W. Bastick.

*Ed's comment: That'll be the day when governments fully inform their people of what's going on. Politicians, think-tanks and strategists are no more than grossly over-paid clerks who do the bidding of another order of reality altogether! Those of them who don't know what is going on are no more than greedy fools. Those who do, simply consider the ordinary people as no more than 'talking cattle' to be herded into any situation that serves the 'Secret World Order'. In other words, all that human life comes down to is a matter of figures (money), as any perceptive person who follows the outrageous practices of the judiciary and the central banks will tell you. Your welfare, Mr. Bastick, comes at the very bottom of the list of priorities, I can tell you.*

### MARY SEAL (THE SCOURGE OF ALL UFOLOGISTS!) COMES TO THE ATTENTION OF A NORTH BRITON:-

Dear Ken,

Being an electronics engineer with a personal interest in the field of communication by electromagnetic radiation (radio), I found the article by Mary Seal of considerable interest to me.

I have no doubt that the paper on GLOBAL DECEPTION by Mary has set many U.T. readers thinking, especially so if they (like myself) also read the Fortean Times, where you can also find (at the moment) Mary writing about various 'cover-ups'.

While I don't wish to appear to denounce Mary's work, I have given it a great deal of thought and concluded that Mary IS onto 'something'. What this 'something' may be might only be the tip of the proverbial iceberg.

I personally believe that it could be possible for certain governments to have access to a (new?) level of technology that involves the generation and control of energy. What this energy actually is, I can only speculate, but if the famous 'Philadelphia Experiment' is to be believed, this energy may well use a combination of electrical, magnetic and even gravitational fields. I still find it difficult to accept the fact that this energy could BY ITSELF cause a victim, to whom it may be directed at, to be 'programmed' or



'controlled'. I do feel more comfortable with the idea of certain electromagnetic fields having the ability to cause anyone who may come into contact with them to have a distorted view of reality.

It is well known that the domestic microwave oven can cause certain conditions in different people, for example, blurred vision, headaches; even nausea in extreme cases. An ordinary microwave oven is basically a device that generates over half a kilowatt of electromagnetic energy at a wavelength of almost 12 cm, and to boot, modulated at 50 Hz.

Once again, if I may diverge slightly, a microscopic brain implant might not have to be a result of some super technology, on the contrary, a tiny sliver of inert metal, or electrically conductive plastic, inserted in a suitable point about the brain may act as a switch or trigger for the implantee to begin to enact a whole series of commands that have already been planted there (*Quite - Ed.*), deep inside his or her subconscious, by hypnosis.

Finally (if you are still with me), UFOs, or rather, the detection of UFOs. For some time now I have been pondering on the idea of a UFO detector as a device that will give an indication of any change in the background noise for a given microwave bandwidth; in other words a radar detector (of sorts). When I have a reliable, working model that is cheap and easy to build I will let you know about it.

Yours sincerely,

Neil Dobson.

*Ed's comment: You should now be in receipt of a document sent to me by Mary concerning the disturbing case of the frequency assault on Mr. and Mrs. Verney (a retired couple who used to live in Kent), whose lives were utterly destroyed by those charged to 'protect' (?) the Realm (as I mentioned in elsewhere in this issue, 'they' never regard their primary function as protecting us, but of protecting 'something else' altogether. The rest is pure humbug. Good luck with your detector.*

## ANOTHER NORTH BRITON SHOOTS SANTA CLAUS!

Dear Editor,

As a graduate in astronomy and astrophysics, I am amused, and a little bewildered, by the range of speculations that have accompanied the news that Jupiter will be hit by the remains of comet Shoemaker-Levy 9. I would like to reassure readers of the WSG that come July 19th, when the 20 or so cometary fragments hit the planet, no harm will come to planet Earth. [*Thank God for that! 'Er Indoors has been pestering me to sell up and move to the hills! - Ed.]*

It is estimated that each kilometre-sized chunk of ice and rock will release as much energy as a 250,000 megaton hydrogen bomb. It was a collision of this magnitude that probably wiped out the dinosaurs 65 million years ago. Jupiter is a very massive planet - far larger than our Earth - and such collisions probably occur relatively often. We will not be able to see the explosion directly, as the fragments will enter the Jovian atmosphere around the far side of the planet. However, we should be able to see the disturbances in the atmosphere's cloud patterns, using large telescopes.

As Jupiter's atmosphere contains no oxygen, it will not catch fire. Since the mass of Jupiter is only one tenth that necessary for nuclear fusion to occur, the addition of these low-density cometary fragments will not turn Jupiter into a star either.

So citizens of planet Earth can rest easy; just be thankful that Comet Shoemaker-Levy 9 is heading towards Jupiter and not our own world.

*Ed's comment: that's what I want to hear David: scientific reassurance. Why on Earth the Holy Father would want to take out full-page adverts. in certain newspapers warning all us boozers and fornicators to "flee from the wrath to come", is beyond me. His Holiness could have taken out an advert. with UFO TIMES!*

P.S. TIME'S TIME! [*Oops! I'm sorry David, I thought you had finished!*]

Here's a quick note in response to the query about local time and Universal Time, on the letters page:-

If an observer is East of the Greenwich Meridian, then the observer's local time is greater than G.M.T., or Universal Time. If an observer is West of the Greenwich Meridian, then the observer's local time is less the G.M.T.

The Earth rotates at a rate of 15° per hour, therefore, if you were at a longitude of 15° west of Greenwich, your local time would be one hour less than at Greenwich.

Another example: if you were 1° east of Greenwich, then your local time would be 1/15 of an hour, or 4 minutes, ahead of G.M.T.

The "4 minutes" enters the calculations when we are dealing with Sidereal Time (or star time, the rotation of the Earth as measured relative to the stars). Measured against the stars, the Earth rotates once in 23 hours 56 minutes.

To calculate the Local Sidereal Time:-

1) Look up in the Astronomical Almanac the Sidereal Time at Greenwich for 00.00 hours on the day of the observation. Interpolate for the time of the observation by adding 3 mins 56 secs if it is midnight, and in proportion for other times of the day.

2) Calculate the local time of the observation for your longitude.

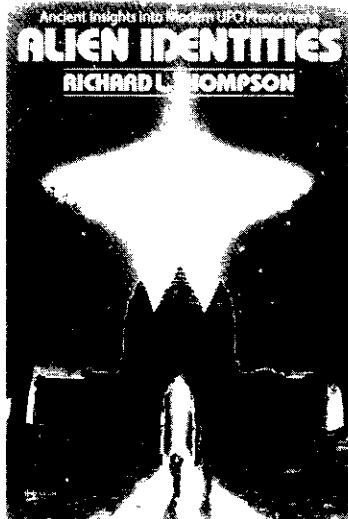
3) Add these two times together, giving the Local Sidereal Time.

Sidereal Time = the Right Ascension of a star on the meridian, directly overhead or due South.

### I.U.F.O.P.R.A. (THE IRISH UFO AND PARANORMAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATION)

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# SCOTTISH UFOLOGY AND NEW HORIZONS – PART II

by Malcolm Robinson

Since 1979, I have researched a number of UFO reports within Scotland, too many to go into in this short article. Some cases that stick in my mind are the following:-

We hypnotically regressed a Glasgow man due to his constant fears of 'alien intrusion' into his life. He lost his wife and job through the pressure of his experiences of UFOs and aliens. Under regression, he recounted being on board a UFO on which he found himself lying rigidly fixed to a raised bed in a circular room devoid of any furnishings/equipment of any kind. In front of him was a huge TV-like screen which was showing pictures of planet Earth from space, with huge mushroom-type explosions rising up from its surface. He then recollects being terrified by huge, slanted, staring 'yellow eyes'. He remembers very little else about this episode, and in our last meeting, still told of being troubled by these recollections.

An area which seems to attract strange lights in the sky is near the village of Muchalls, which lies in between the towns of Stonehaven and Aberdeen on the north-eastern side of Scotland. Tom Allen, the principal witness regarding these sightings, tells of viewing strange lights in the sky stretching back to when he was a boy growing up in the area. Now this area does see a fair bit of air traffic, particularly helicopters on their excursions over the North Sea to ferry personnel to and from the oil rigs. But the UFOs that Tom has witnessed, (he assures us) are not helicopters or aircraft. Tom has actually filmed on video these strange lights, some of which, it must be said, are similar to those lights/UFOs seen in the video 'Messengers of Destiny', which details UFO sightings over Mexico City. SPI are still currently working on the Muchalls UFO sightings, and we hope to continue filming these objects, which will hopefully provide an answer, or at least go towards providing some form of conclusion as to what exactly these balls of light are. Paul Devereux's 'Earth Lights' maybe?

Something akin to those mysterious lights seen in Hassdalen in Norway, who knows?

This brings me to the wave of UFO sightings around the town of Bonnybridge near Falkirk, Central Scotland, and more or less started in November 1992 when many locals observed strange balls of light and 'structured objects' in the sky above their town. A local councillor, Billy Buchanan, collected these early reports whereby soon after I became involved. Both Billy and I soon realised that here in Bonnybridge something truly unusual was going on. After being featured in the local press, I was swamped by people telephoning me to relate their own, personal UFO experience. Beginning our research, we soon uncovered the fact that 'some' of these UFO sightings had natural, down-to-earth explanations – i.e. aircraft, etc. – but this still left a high residue of unexplainable reports which demanded an answer. There clearly was a 'case to be answered'.

Close proximity UFO sightings were made: one witness claims to have seen a strange craft hovering above a field, (similar, it must be said, to a UFO that repeater witness, Joyce Byres, of Moffat had seen some 10 years previously!). The witness described the object as having a sound similar to that of a washing machine on its final spin, (a fast humming sound). The object departed seconds later and was soon lost to view. Another witness had a large unidentified object pass above his car near Bonnybridge, and featured a 'crucifix pattern of lights' on its underside. The sightings continued, and one family was terrorised on a lonely country road by a bright object which flew above their heads then landed in a nearby field. The family, a mother, daughter and son, took to their heels, and upon doing so, turned round to

notice that the large ball of light which had landed in the nearby field, had now moved and positioned itself in the centre of the road. Further along the road, the family claim to have been 'blinded' by a burst of brilliant light which shone forth from a group of trees. This particular sighting had gained the most publicity when the media descended on Bonnybridge.

The sightings continued and were brought to the attention of one, Junichi Yaoi, a UFO researcher from Japan who produces UFO documentaries. Junichi and his film crew visited Bonnybridge in May 1993 on a whistle-stop tour of the world's UFO 'hotspots'. He told SPI, "I have heard so much about these Bonnybridge UFOs from English researcher, Tony Dodd, that we just had to come over and see for ourselves." Sadly they never saw anything themselves, but what they did do was to interview several witnesses to the UFO phenomena around Bonnybridge. Junichi and his assistant, Mitchi Nakamura, were clearly satisfied that 'something' very peculiar was going on above the town.

Not since the Livingstone Incident of 1979 has Scotland experienced such a public awareness of UFO sightings. The Scottish media was alive with UFO reports. Patrick Forsyth, whose account opened this article, will certainly never forget what he saw; the vision is still imprinted firmly upon his mind.

*Ed's comment: we in BUFORA are indebted to Malcolm and his colleagues in SPI for this fascinating summary of this Scottish UFO wave – those readers wishing to gain more information concerning what is going on in Scotland are recommended to subscribe to: 'Engimas', 41, The Braes, Tullibody, Clackmannanshire, FK10-2TT, Scotland.*

# Diary

We have come to the end of yet another season of BUFORA lectures. The 1994/95 lectures programme has not yet been published, but they usually begin on the first Saturday in September.

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## TENTH ANNIVERSARY PSYCHIC QUESTING CONFERENCE, Saturday November 6th to Sunday November 7th 1994.

The venue is Conway Hall, Red Lion Square, London, W.C.1. [nearest Underground station, Holborn on the Piccadily & Central Lines] where Anthony Shiels, Graham Phillips and John Horrigan are amongst the confirmed speakers. For further details and tickets, please apply in writing to: Psychic Questing Conference, P.O. Box 189, Leigh-on-Sea, Essex, SS9-1NF.

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Dear Contact Corner,

I would like to contact members in my area.

Many thanks,

Mrs. C. Lawrence  
305 Dunkery Road, Mottingham,  
London SE9 4LP

*You could contact me if you wish, Mrs. Lawrence, but it wouldn't do you much good though! -Ed.*

### UFO STUDIES IN S. YORKS.:-

Dear Sir,

I joined BUFORA about a month ago, but have been studying UFOs for a long time. However, I have never come across anyone in my area who studies the subject. If there is anyone in the S. Yorks. area who would like to contact me, please print my name and address in U.T.

Thank you,

Richard Smith, 20, Laburnum Rd.,  
Mexborough, S. Yorks. S64-9RU.

### NEXT MEETING AT DONCASTER?

Are there BUFORA members in S. Humberside or S. Yorks? (Nr. Doncaster?)

B. Lutz, 7, Commonsides, Crowle,  
Doncaster, DN17-4EX.

### BRISTOL EXPERIENCES:-

I am a writer/researcher collecting experiences with UFOs which have occurred in Bristol and surrounding area since 1963. Please write to: Mr. Alan Woodward, 42, New Queen St., Kingswood, Bristol, BS15-1DF.

Thanks for your help.

A. Woodward.

### BEHOLD A PALE HORSE:-

I have recently become a member of BUFORA and wish to make contact with a local group/fellow members.

Gordon Martin, 9, Rocher Close,  
Westbury, Wilts., BA13-3NT.

Write to:

Contact Corner,

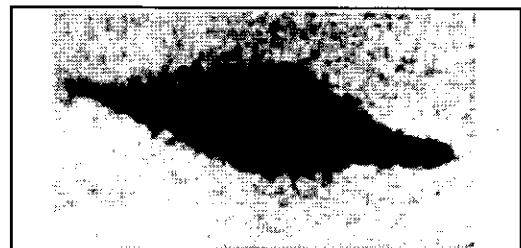
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