

Road near Lorne.

But the report from Apollo Bay had previously been the only one in which witnesses had said they had seen both the aircraft and the green light at the same time. Now the version given by the two ladies confirms it.

I am sure that other people also had sightings on the same day and night, who would have reported them if the ridicule barrier had not been constructed by the sceptics whose motivation is to distract attention away from the problem, apparently because of a subconscious fear of the unknown, or because of other reasons.

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MORE REPORTS FROM SOUTH AMERICA

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City and country of incident: San Jerónimo, Santa Fe province, Argentina

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City and country of paper: Mar del Plata, Buenos Aires province, Argentina

UFO TRACKS ONCE AGAIN

SANTA FE (Télam) - Mr. Victor Imhoff, who was a mayor of the San Jerónimo del Sauce community and held that post for several terms, said that he found some perfectly linked semicircles in a field he owns near the city. They measured 17 meters by 12 meters in depth and 40 cm wide (55.7 ft. by 39.37 ft. by 15.75 inches), "and were as free of weeds as if they had been made with a shovel".

On the inside of these circles, which were found on a chicory plantation located at a distance of 400 meters (437 yards) from national highway #19 and 300 meters (328 yards) from two houses, "weeds are growing, but not the vegetables which disappeared from the surface but grow normally from the edges outward", said Imhoff.

The marks were discovered last Thursday by Mr. Imhoff, but "he could not say how old they were" because nothing strange was observed in the surroundings in previous days "except for a cow which was in the field with others and now walks with difficulty".

The owner of the field recalled an experience seven years ago which he considered to be "not too pleasant", when he was returning from San Jerónimo Norte where he had attended a Rotary meeting. "An unidentified flying object with a bluish, very bright light, flew low over my car, stopping the engine", he said.

He also added that the driver at that time, Mr.

Armando Meriggi, and other local residents "were witnesses to the UFO's maneuver, which now seems to have returned to the area, considering the strange circles."

City and country of incident: Limara, Chile

Date of incident: October 31, 1990

Name of paper and date of clip: *El Tribuno* - November 6, 1990

City and country of paper: Dolores, Buenos Aires province, Argentina

GIANT UFO SEEN IN CHILE

SANTIAGO DE CHILE - A giant unidentified flying object (UFO) was seen by more than a hundred people, among them two carabinieri (military police), when it landed on top of a hill in the coastal sector of the town of Limari, 400 km (248.5 miles) north of Santiago. The event, which was reported by the newspaper "La Tercera" took place last Wednesday and aside from the policemen, miners, peasants and truckers were also witnesses and confirmed that the UFO became visible at about 1.30 pm that day.

Several of the witnesses who reported the event said that at first they thought it was a satellite dish, but however, when they approached they could see it was a space ship measuring some one hundred meters (328 ft.) in diameter by some 20 meters (65 ft.) in height and emitted strongly colored lights.

Francisco Peña Diaz, who is second corporal in the Carabinieri and his partner Luis Lobos Medina, stated that the UFO had landed in an inaccessible place. Just three months ago, according to the witnesses' descriptions, two other spectacular UFOs were seen in the city of Arica, bordering with Perú, 2,050 km (approx. 1,273 miles) north of Santiago. The skies in

northern Chile, considered to be the fairest in the planet, just as those of Bolivia and Perú, have been witnesses to the presence of alleged UFOs many times.

Jorge Anfruns, a UFO expert, claimed that Chile is one of the countries where most sightings of alleged space objects have been made, specifically in the high plateau. "UFOs are no longer news there", he said.

City and country of incident:

Date of incident:

Name of paper and date of clip: *La Voz*, 1990

City and country of paper: Avellaneda?, Bs.As. province, Argentina

UFO TRACKING

Due to articles published by engineer Daniel O. Sánchez in LA VOZ, regarding the UFO phenomenon, the following message is addressed to amateur radio operators interested in this subject, asking them to tune in to the CADENA MUNDIAL DEL SEGUIMIENTO OVNI (WORLDWIDE UFO TRACKING CHAIN), 7237 Khz, 40 meter band (the article wrongly lists the band as 41 meters - Tr.), from 9 am. (No further details as to time or days are given - Tr.)

We thus comply with all those who wish to expand their knowledge of this phenomenon that interests so many people.

City and country of incident: Chile

Date of incident: Winter of 1978

Name of paper and date of clip: *El Día*, August 28, 1990

City and country of paper: La Plata, Buenos Aires province, Argentina

A CHILEAN MAN CLAIMS HE MADE LOVE TO AN EXTRATERRESTRIAL WOMAN

SANTIAGO DE CHILE (EFE). - A 56 year old Chilean man claims that twelve years ago he had intercourse with an extraterrestrial woman.

The man's statements are published in the paper "La Cuarta", included in a report related to unidentified flying objects (UFOs).

Gaspar M.H. disclosed that he spent four hours inside a spaceship, talked telepathically with the crew and had intercourse with an extraterrestrial woman.

His account goes back to 1978, when at the time of the southern winter in a Chilean region a thousand kilometers (621 miles) from Santiago, the engine of his vehicle stopped while he was astonished looking at a large spaceship with many bright lights that was hovering above his car.

In his report to the paper he says that the extraterrestrials managed to communicate telepathically with him, and later on took him up to the UFO where he was laid on a table that adapted to his body and

skin samples were taken.

They later threw water at him which, they said, was to decontaminate him, and he had intercourse with an extraterrestrial woman.

He also said that physically the woman had a white-pinkish skin, blue eyes that were bigger than those of earthlings, and her height did not exceed 150 centimeters (4.92 ft.).

He still has some burn scars on his head which, he claims, were produced by a light that came from the space ship.

Gaspar M.H. is one of fourteen persons registered by MUFON-Chile - an organization that studies these phenomena - who have experienced the so-called CEIII.

The paper claims that the man was examined by psychiatrists and under deep hypnosis he recounted his experience in the same terms.

City and country of incident: Lugosano, Avellino, Italy

Date of incident: December 22, 1989

Name of paper and date of clip: *Crónica*, January 13, 1991

City and country of paper: Buenos Aires, Argentina

SEE A UFO AND DIE, THEY SAY IN NAPLES MILANO, 12 (ANSA). - The craft that landed the night of December 22, 1989 in Lugosano, Avellino, south of Naples, was an unidentified flying object, concluded the Fourth Congress of Italian Experts on the subject that was held in Milano.

The "Lugosano UFO" as it was generally called, dominated the congress and a trace in the shape of a perfectly round crown was examined by the experts in attendance. It had an external diameter of 3.50 meters (11.48 ft.).

The carabinieri, together with experts from the "Centro Ufologico Nazionale" (CUN) who studied the mark, performed 18 different tests and concluded that "there is no doubt that whatever left the trace on the ground is a unconventional phenomenon which is unknown for the time being".

An unconventional phenomenon like so many others - according to the ufologists - that happened these last years over the world.

City and country of incident: Entre Ríos province, Argentina

Date of incident: January 9, 1991

Name of paper and date of clip: *Clarín* - January 20, 1991

City and country of paper: Buenos Aires, Argentina

A STRANGE FLASH

At midnight on Wednesday - it was approximately

11.50 pm, January 9, a strange flash of light lit up a vast region of the eastern coast of the Entre Ríos province, surprising and scaring the few witnesses that saw the phenomenon.

The newspaper *La Calle* of Concepción del Uruguay, in its editions of Friday the 11th and Sunday the 13th, referred not only to that event, citing places and witnesses, but to many other similar ones that happened in Entre Ríos, especially in that region.

Yesterday *Clarín* went to the Molino district that belongs to the department of Concepción del Uruguay where the event was seen by more witnesses, some of them very qualified ones. There, more precisely in Arroyo Molino, lives Claudio Mac Loughlin, a 48 year old German citizen, who is a medical doctor who graduated from the Faculty of Medicine of the Buenos Aires University, and owns a 36-hectare farm dedicated to dairy, poultry and agricultural production.

Claudio, his wife Norma and their three daughters as well as other family members, were witnesses to that phenomenon whose source they cannot establish. A light that came from the sky.

"I want you to put yourself in my place: I am a doctor, am well known and consider myself to be a cultured person. The comments about this type of... sightings usually lend themselves to all kinds of jokes, so I will only limit myself to tell you how, when and what we saw, without going into any details or personal opinions", stressed doctor Mac Loughlin.

He then told *Clarín* that the night of Wednesday the 9th was very warm "so after dinner the three girls (they are 19, 17 and 14) went out among the trees where it was cooler; I stayed inside reading and my wife was washing the dishes".

"What happened then?"

"What happened was that the two older girls came in at about 11.30 pm, only Picky, the youngest, remaining outside with two dogs. Suddenly I saw a very strong light outside that was so incredibly intense. I thought it couldn't be a tractor or car; furthermore, it was clearly coming from above, from the sky..."

"And then?"

"Then Picky came in, very disturbed. She said that at first the dogs became very nervous and suddenly everything lit up as if a giant light bulb went on from above. The words gushed out of her mouth, she was so nervous. She claimed she saw a rectangular flying object that moved noiselessly.

"Did you see that rectangular craft?"

"Not at first. I ran outside and everything was dark again. Everybody came out after me. Of course I couldn't assume Picky had made it all up because all of us in the house had been blinded by that strong flash of light. But, again, the night was as calm as always and no light could be seen in the moonless sky. Really, we were all excited. It had all been so strange..."

"Did you go back in the house?"

"Fortunately, not. And I say fortunately because a few minutes later we saw the phenomenon again. Here I want to be very precise and honest. I saw no rectangular flying object emitting lights. But I did

see how the whole place was suddenly lit up. It was incredible. You can't imagine. The trees with all their leaves, the arms of the old mill, the animals, everything was illuminated as in broad daylight. Just as it came, the light disappeared. Look, I have been and am very skeptic of everything that is being said about flying saucers and things like that. Moreover, I don't even know if this phenomenon is related to all those things, but I state that on Wednesday the 9th at midnight, the fields in Arroyo Molino were lit up from above like a stage. Don't ask me why."

Other reports

José Alejandro Vernaz is a young man who often goes fishing and hunting, and together with his father visits the area of Arroyo Grande.

That Wednesday night he was there camping with his family. Close to midnight a mysterious flash of light made him leave his tent, thinking lightning had struck. But there was no storm. Only a very strong light that lit the whole place up. When he looked up he claims he saw a rectangular object that moved silently in the sky. Similar comments were made by other witnesses, such as a salesman who was driving along highway 14, at the entrance to Colón.

Reporters from the newspaper *La Calle* say that this kind of phenomenon is not new in Entre Ríos province, and they recall an event that happened in the area of Villaguay when representatives from the Air Force showed up in Dr. Carlos Liberman's office. He is the director of the paper *El Heraldo* in the city of Concordia. They wanted to recover a metallic piece that was found in the rural region after an impressive explosion was heard in space. Witnesses said that afterwards pieces of incandescent metal fell to the ground like a giant Bengal light.

City and country of incident: Entre Ríos province, Argentina

Date of incident: January 17, 1991

Name of paper and date of clip: *El Cronista Comercial*, January 18, 1991

City and country of paper: Buenos Aires, Argentina

UFO IN ENTRE RIOS

An unidentified flying object that gave off intense green lights was seen yesterday midnight by the owners of a rural establishment located some 15 kilometers (9 miles) from Concepción del Uruguay in Entre Ríos.

The alleged appearance was reported by the Mac Loughlin family, owners of the farm called *La Chamarrita*, who stated that the object disappeared 15 minutes later leaving an enormous and very luminous trail.

A neighbor said that "they detected a UFO just at the same time as Baghdad was being bombed".

Other local residents recalled that some ten years ago burns and undefined tracks were seen in the grass in the same place, and strange mushrooms grew afterwards.

City and country of incident: Llanquihue Lake, Chile

Date of incident: October 20, 1990

Name of paper and date of clip: *La Capital*, January 7, 1991

City and country of paper: Mar del Plata, Buenos Aires province, Argentina

FISHERMAN CLAIMS EXTRATERRESTRIALS THREATENED HIM

SANTIAGO DE CHILE. Dolorindo Asencio, a fisherman who lives in the lakes area, 750 kilometers (466 miles) south of Santiago, claimed that he has been threatened by alleged extraterrestrials. The report, published by the newspaper *La Cuarta*, says that the victim has witnessed several UFO appearances, which Asencio himself divulged, for which reason he allegedly was threatened.

According to Asencio, one of his experiences took place the night of October 20 last year, while he was sailing together with his brother Sebastián on the Llanquihue lake. They were terrified to see how an immense flying object approached them rapidly in the darkness accompanied by a deafening noise. The fisherman adds that the space ship, whose structure was surrounded by radiant colors, hovered over the boat and projected on them an intensely warm sensation for which reason they desperately rowed towards the shore and hid among the vegetation.

Dolorindo Asencio claims that due to the UFO appearances he witnessed he has been the subject of serious threats from strange people who ordered him not to reveal what he saw. He said that after the appearances he was visited in his home by "a man and two women, with an unmistakably foreign accent who threatened me severely and warned me not to talk to anybody about the sightings and they even offered me a reward if I kept quiet, but they never returned".

City and country of incident: Lanús, Buenos Aires province, Argentina

Date of incident: August 1976

Name of paper and date of clip: *La Voz*, December 21, 1990

City and country of paper: Avellaneda, Buenos Aires province, Argentina

UFOS: DREAM OR REALITY?

A FANTASTIC STORY :This is the account of a man who lives in Lanús and owns a well known restaurant in that city. His name is RICARDO ALI, he is 35, married, and the incident happened in 1976 but only became known now.

It's nice talking to him, and he confesses he never believed in the UFO phenomenon, saying: "WHAT I

DON'T SEE...I DON'T BELIEVE".

But the story he will tell seems to corroborate the opposite

RICARDO ALI begins his document like this:<PE> "There's a question nowadays. Whether extraterrestrials do exist or not. I think some people believe they don't, others believe in the real possibility that unidentified flying objects fly around in the sky. But, which is the truth? I leave it up to you." Ricardo goes on to say.

"The story I'm telling you happened in 1976, and I can assure you that even I had my doubts at the beginning. I kept it to myself for a long time because I feared ridicule, but the years and other events made me see the truth".

"In August of 1976 _ the story goes "in crescendo" _ a somewhat strange event happened to me. At that time I was approaching my 21st birthday and worked in a store in the Once district (in Buenos Aires) and at night took classes in a commercial school. I did not drink nor did I ingest anything strange that could lead one to believe in a hallucination."

THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT

Ricardo goes on, in all seriousness:

"One night in August I was getting home at about 11.30 pm. After a few minutes I went to lie down in my room and read a geography book. At that time I lived in Deheza 3250, East Lanús. After reading for a few minutes I felt sleepy, put the book aside on the night stand and fell asleep peacefully. I estimate that some 2 or 2 and a half hours may have passed when I started to hear a very deep but high pitched noise, it was something like the buzzing of a wasp amplified about a thousand times."

Ricardo goes on telling about his experience very seriously and calmly: "It was becoming louder each time and the sound entered my ears and seemed to make me sleepy.

"In spite of its intensity the humming did not hurt me, *it was just as if it was robbing me of my willpower.* I saw flashes in my room, light beams of undefinable colors, until I entered into a strange state, like some kind of trance. *I could see, feel, hear, but was incapable of moving. In a super-human effort I tried to get up, but when I tried to, I seemed to lose all my strength and it was impossible for me to move in any way or to scream.*

"But something was telling me that nothing would happen and I was not frightened. The room was very warm and *an internal voice* like I never heard before invaded me. It was then that I saw them...! - he cried with energy - They appeared from nowhere, as if they had come out of the same light that flooded the room.

"They were three beings dressed in silvery suits, two of them were men, the third one was a woman, the most beautiful you could imagine. She was perfect. I don't remember the men's faces. All I know is they were men.

"The woman had very deep eyes. They all looked at me and talked to me but didn't move their lips, they didn't say any words. It's as if they entered my mind

through their eyes and discovered all my secrets. The two men by my side didn't seem to intervene, they were simply looking at me.

"A step behind them was the woman. For a minute I felt completely faint. I couldn't estimate the precise time when I came to. But the woman was there by my side. She bent over me and passed her hands over my face and over all my body, caressing it but keeping her hands at a distance of some 30 cm (11 inches). She didn't touch my body but I could feel the caresses and the warmth of her hands. *A few minutes later I felt a sexual contact with that woman in spite of her being apart from me and her never having touched me.*

"I again felt faint" - Ricardo went on at the peak of his story - "and once again I heard the intense humming of the wasp until it became slower and quieter."

DREAM OR REALITY?

"When I woke up next morning I felt great. I tried

to analyze what had happened and asked my mother if she heard anything. *"Pondering about it I searched for a more logical explanation of the matter and thought it had simply been a dream, until some years later I verified it hadn't been so. But that is another story, another event that happened to me afterwards, which I will tell you about."*

RICARDO'S THOUGHTS

"I believe that I really had an encounter with people from other galaxies. I was studied like a guinea pig - Ricardo Ali ends his thoughts - But I assure you that they know us better than what you think. I lived it and can assure you it's so"

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Based on an account made by Mr. Ricardo Alí about an event that happened in the city of Lanús in 1976, classified as a "Close Encounter of the Third Kind".

(Translation from French. G.C.)

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BOOK REVIEW

By French Astronomer DR. PIERRE GUERIN

Subject: The new French book, ENQUETE SUR LES OVNI: VOYAGE AUX FRONTIERES DE LA SCIENCE", ("AN ENQUIRY INTO UFOS: JOURNEY TO THE FRONTIERS OF SCIENCE"), by FSR Consultant Dr. Jean-Pierre Petit, Maître de Recherche in the C.N.R.S. (French National Council For Scientific Research). Published in 1990 by ALBIN MICHEL, Paris, price 120 French Francs.

NOTE BY EDITOR, FSR

This extremely important new French book has already been advertised by us in FSR 35/3 (Autumn 1990). Its distinguished author, one of France's eminent physicists, Dr. Jean-Pierre Petit, is already known to FSR readers for his long and courageous battle to expose the "Cover-Up" conducted for years past by the notorious French Government organisation G.E.P.A.N., as well as for his own notable work in the crucially important field of Magnetohydrodynamics.

The equally distinguished author of this Review, Dr. Pierre Guérin, one of France's very top astronomers, is also a friend of FSR - indeed a very old friend and supporter. I recall how he came to Britain to visit us at FSR, many years ago, and how he spent an entire day with Editor Charles Bowen and FSR Consultant Professor Bryan Winder and myself, and we took him around to visit Windsor Castle and various other notable places. Dr. Guérin was sending articles on UFOs to FSR at a very early date, though in those days we had to call him not "Dr. Pierre Guérin" but "Jacques Lemaître"! Then I

recall one interesting day, when he wrote to tell us that in his view "the UFO position" was now so strong, because intellectually the battle had been won in France. So he said he no longer had any objection to our using his real name, and from then onwards we did so.

(Alas, I doubt now whether the "intellectual battle" had ended in so clear a victory as he had once hoped. For - as he shows clearly in this book review - there are still mighty few French scientists who are courageous enough to stand up and be counted, as he has done!)

This remarkable work from the pen of a top-rank professional physicist (Director of Research in the C.N.R.S.) grapples with so many questions and reveals such a wealth of content that to many folk its depth will only become apparent after a second reading.

Were it necessary to sum up in a few words what the author has researched (and what he has achieved) one might say that, via this objective account of his personal disputes, both with his scientific colleagues and with members of the Military, he has demonstrated the profound nature of the incredible "cover-up" by the scientific "Establishment" and the double game of the military authorities in the face of the UFO phenomenon, and at the same time he provides the proof that the phenomenon merits a scientific study along several lines of attack: (1) by means of analysis of its effects on the environment; (2) by means of MHD (the physics of ionised gaseous media) in connection with the passage of UFOs in continuous trajectory through the atmosphere; (3) by means of the progress that we shall