

LITTLE MEN & SCHIZOPHRENIA By the Editor (aided by The Medical Post) (A)

All ufologers have at one time or another run across "little men" reports. They've been different colors, but for some reason, preferably green. None of which have been called "the jolly green midgets" to my knowledge. Any relation to the Irish Leprechaun hasn't been determined either.

Dr. David J. Lewis, of the Allen Memorial Institute in Montreal, Quebec, Canada, has a clinical interest in the "little people". He collects case histories of Lilliputian hallucinations of some patients. Dr. Lewis has data on 60 such cases. There are three groups. (Martian lovers please read on, we'll get to you finally)

The first type is known as "classical Lilliputian", occurring in schizophrenia and mostly found in younger persons.

The second group of patients, fantasies are "Lilliputian-like" and are found in fairly regressed schizophrenics. The difference is that the small figures are vague and often incomplete in form, color is vague.

The third type refers to the little men as compassionate. These hallucinations occur in a rigid, over-inhibited type of person showing paranoid trends. We won't go into detail because we want to get to the part that will interest us all the most.

To keep up with the times, the Martians have entered the scene. Dr. Lewis, in his "Lilliputian-like" group, had a patient who had regular visitations from Martians, always being 5 of them. One appeared to be the leader because he did the "Thought-talking" or what we'd call "mental telepathy". These Martians were about 2½ feet tall, independent of gravity and were clad in tight-fitting brown trousers, red shirt, green ruff. They all wore something on their faces which the patient considered to be a gas mask, although he thought it might be a snout, as lips could be seen moving at its anterior end.

The patient stated that two

of the little men had been captured and killed when they came to Canada but the Canadian Government had hushed this up because of the fear of panic.

Doesn't this story strike a nerve in your memory banks concerning other contact stories with "little men"?

Wouldn't it be funny if, for instance, the little Mars men were real and upon reporting their involvement with an Earthling, were now having the equivalent in Martian psychiatric treatment for having hallucinations while visiting Earth.

Be that as it may, Dr. Lewis would be pleased to hear further accounts of anyone's activities with the little people.

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