

NEWS IN BRIEF (Cont'd)

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AFSCA has received two nicely printed books, in German, entitled "The Dick Miller Story," and "The Bob Renaud Story." For information write: Karl L. Veit; "UFO Nachrichten"; Postfach 17185; 62 Wiesbaden-Schierstein; Frankfurt, Main Germany.

SAUCER REPORTED OVER L. A. COLISEUM:
On July 4, 1965, AFSCA member Eleanor Dickens reported seeing four UFO's in formation at about 9:50 P. M. This occurred just after the conclusion of the Fourth of July Fireworks Show at the Los Angeles Coliseum. Mrs. Dickens sighted the erratically behaving objects with twelve other people who had been watching the Fireworks from the roof of their apartment house near the Coliseum. What an opportune time to make an appearance, when thousands of people are gathered outside and all are looking up! However, as usual, there was not a word of it in the newspapers.

MORE SAUCER CLIPPINGS WANTED: In many areas there is much suppression of saucer news. Therefore we need clippings from newspapers which do print UFO news, so that we can reprint them and all our readers may learn of these reports. We seldom receive duplicate clippings, so don't hold back sending us your clippings, thinking someone else has already sent your item. But please remember:

1. Leave the name and date of the newspaper, and the city on the clipping.
2. Don't clip close to the edge of the article. Send the whole page when possible.
3. Do not write in the area of the article itself.
4. Don't roll or mount clippings.

OUR THANKS AND APPRECIATION go to the following people for their clipping-contributions:

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BOBBY AND THE SPACEMEN

- by Robert P. Renaud -

(Editor's Note: Mr. Renaud is the best-known of the "new wave" of contactees, and for this reason we are proud to add his name to the list of SAUCER NEWS contributors. However, you will find it hard to believe that he takes himself seriously, since even his "serious" writings - as below - seem to be written with tongue in cheek. But the author assures us that he, at least, really does believe his own saucer contact story. This article is not satire, and is presented here with no editorial changes whatsoever.)

Once upon a time there was a little boy named Bobby, who liked to play with radios. Bobby was a nice little man, who brushed his teeth after meals, never went to bed with his socks on, and who believed in flying saucers only a little bit.

One night, while he was listening to his radio, Bobby was given the biggest surprise of his life. While fiddling around on a short-wave band, Bobby heard a funny beeping sound - beep beep beep. He tuned his radio to that funny noise, and a minute later, a nice lady spoke to him. She said, "Bob, we'd like you to stay on this frequency for awhile."

As it turns out in stories like this, this nice lady was actually a space lady from another planet, which she called Korendor, and which is 411.03 light years away, which is even farther than China. She told Bobby that she was only one of 25 space people who were flying around the Earth doing research, whatever that is.

After a long while, she said goodbye to Bobby, and told him she and her friends would talk to him again. He was so excited he couldn't talk for almost 7.26639 seconds.

Later on, Bobby made a television and radio set-up so he could see his space people and talk to them and drool at all the nice ladies in their tight-fitting uniforms. Bobby wasn't such a nice man after all.

As time went on, they talked with Bobby more and more, until one day in 1962, to be precise, the twenty-tooth of December, they decided to meet Bobby in person.

So, the space people came in their car that night, and got Bobby. They took him to a place in the woods, and showed him all kinds of fun things like lasers, ray guns, and Gravitomagnetic Flux Negators. They told him that evil scientists were making these things on Earth and would give them to the soldiers who would blow up the world. This scared Bobby so very much that he said "Eeek! That scared me so very much!"

Then they told Bobby that they would not let these bad old men blow up the world (maybe only just little chunks of it), and this made Bobby very happy. They said they were friends and were here to help Bobby and the Earth people to be nice and not to hate each other's guts so much.

In the years that followed, Bobby was given many rides in the spaceships, and three times they let him fly their ships. Also, Bobby was taken on guided tours of two of their underground bases, and was very impressed, although he didn't show it.

Bobby will be going to Korendor very soon. Good luck, say his friends. Good riddance, say his enemies: Good, say his critics. Good night, say he.

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Letters to the Editor

Regarding the article in your June issue entitled "Bobby and the Space-men": In an era in which many of us serious UFO researchers are categorized as crackpots, why do you accept and print material that is presented in a style or manner which substantiates the skeptic's belief in our membership in the lunatic fringe? If Mr. Renaud is serious, let him submit an account of his experiences in a manner that will interest those who are potentially serious researchers....However, on the whole, I find that your publication contains highly interesting and legitimate contributions to the UFO field....

RICHARD J. PHILLIPS, St. Catherines, Ont., Canada

Jimmy, baby, somehow I get the unmistakable impreshun that you done took my "article" "out of context." You said "this article is not satire...." Pray tell, what WAS it? Certainly it wasn't serious!....

I take myself very seriously, as do I also treat the saucer movement. However, there is a vast difference between serious and dogmatic. Nothing is so holy and sacred that it cannot be made the target of acidulous wit.

The type of contactee work in which I am engaged, unlike that of the late George Adamski and similar individuals, does not require that I go out into the world with a solemn expression, a bookful of the space masters' perspicacious commentaries, and a holy and crusadish mission to save mortal man from his own undoing. My purpose is, rather, that of a news media, a spokesman, so to speak, for the Korendians, whose operations on this planet are entirely independent of cooperation from the masses. It is not my task to convert the human race from its present state of apathetic ignorance to a brotherhood of enlightened souls who parade about, spouting profound philosophies and living by the infinite light of the Creator of All, etc.

BOB RENAUD, Washington, Mass.

(We fully appreciate Mr. Renaud's delightful wit, but nevertheless agree fully with subscriber Phillips that the material would have made a much better impression if it had been presented more seriously. - Editor)

I enjoy your publication. I like and agree with you on the Resolution regarding NICAP. I once helped them and never had a letter of thanks. You would think that they couldn't spend a nickel for a stamp!

ROD DYKE, President, UFO Research Committee
3521 S.W. 104th, Seattle, Wash. 98146

The letter from Major Keyhoe is amusing, but not so funny when carefully studied, as I'm afraid it shows that the writer may not be in good mental health....Keep up the good work.

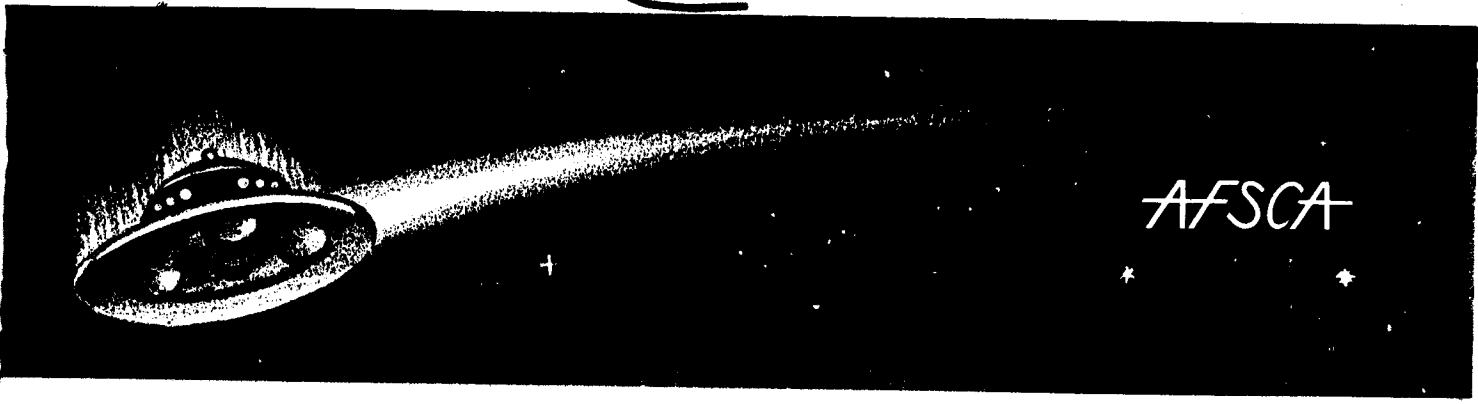
GLENN GODWIN, Binghamton, N.Y.

Although this writer does not find NICAP faultless, I am convinced that the organization (including the Staff) deserves a great deal more than you have offered. Your rebuttal editorial on Page 3 of your June issue reflects the bitterness of this entire affair. The reference to an "aging director" carrying out his "revenge" has connotations I hesitate to elaborate upon. Let me ask you something, Jim: After some of the hash you have printed in your publication (whether endorsed by you or not), did you expect Keyhoe to offer his kindest regards?

I have no objection to criticism directed at NICAP, for they certainly are not above it, but much of what you have printed goes beyond this; constructive criticism is one thing, but destructive is quite another....

LEONARD HUMMEL, NICAP*Chicago, Ill.

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FROM OUT OF THE STARS came — THE KORENDIANS!

FACT: In July 1961, Bob Renaud, a young electronics technician, first made short-wave radio contact with advanced people in a spaceship from another world! They were the Korendians, from a solar system 400 light years distant! How they traveled this vast distance, how they learned our language, and what their mission is to our planet is told in "The Bob Renaud Story," a continuing series (starting in issue #18) in "Flying Saucers International."

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NOON FOR DOUBT

Michael A. Persinger's article "The Earthquake-UFO Connection" (July 1966 FATE) is an important contribution to the study of UFOs but he seems to have the impression that his theory solves the entire mystery. A number of points investigate this idea.

First, Persinger seems to ignore the many reports from around the world of humanoid-like beings emerging from UFOs. I somehow doubt that an unknown natural phenomenon would carry occupants inside itself. Second, he also ignores the verified photographs that show something more than a mass of glowing energy — that is, people, landing gear and so forth. Third, UFOs have been tracked on radar for many years now and I doubt such phenomena as Persinger describes could appear and perform on radarscopes the way so many UFOs have.

In the latter part of his article, Persinger tries to incorporate all unusual or bizarre aerial phenomena throughout history into his earth-quake theory. Un-

"MORONS FROM SPACE"

In "Report from the Readers" (July 1966 FATE) Bill Masterson and Bob Renaud take the argument very far in the direction of "MORONS FROM SPACE."

Masterson's remark that I concealed my connection with Whittier Acres in California is embarrassing. I made my affiliation with Whittier Acres known to one and all in my address to the Fourth Rocky Mountain Conference on Cosmozoology in July, 1965.

Bob Renaud's criticism me unfairly for emphasizing when using "awesome" and "preposterous" to describe what I witnessed when I visited his underground communications center in Washington, Mass., back in the saucer-saturated 1960's. Until I find it awesome that Renaud had in his possession enough knowledge to superintend to throw together a uranium crystal resonator reminiscent of Tesla, no less. Not only that, Renaud had the formula for interdimensional travel.

Apologies with him in hand if I have bent out of shape any space-code names. Must run and put finishing touches on my opus magnum, MORONS FROM SPACE: A Contender's Handbook. — Allen

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