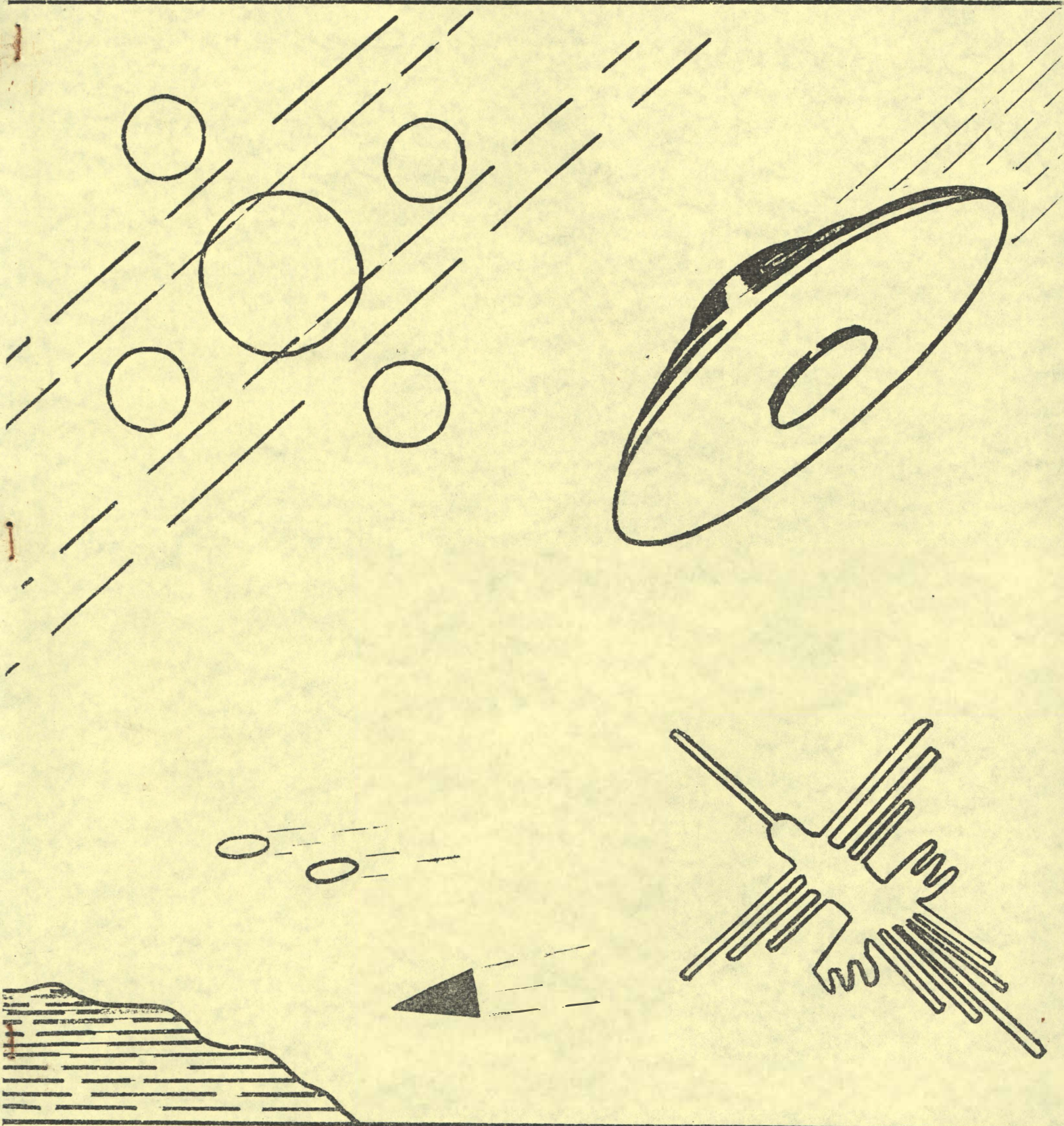


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1994 OFF TO A PROMISING START!

January started off with the Nottingham EMUFORA group being inundated with LITS reports (Lights In The Sky). The lights were reported widely across the Nottingham area, but then the group were contacted by a "light Show" specialist who informed them that he had been responsible for the LITS. They had been produced as the result of a demonstration of new laser technology available for the entertainments industry.

However, all did not end there.....Tony James had also received reports of "triangular" lights flying over the area and these are currently under investigation.

An up to the minute report has just been received concerning UFO activity over ASHBOURNE (yet again).

Mr & Mrs C were driving towards the town at approx. 5.20pm on the evening of 23rd January, when MR C. (who was the passenger) noticed a bright light over the town. As they drove into the town Mr C. peered up into the sky.

"I looked to my left and over some houses, very low, I should say less than 200', I saw something like a ruler with a bright light at each end and a red light underneath." "It were straight, ever so straight like a ruler." "We went further on, took the Wirksworth turning at the end of the one-way street and I was still looking around for it and there it was, motionless above these houses about 100'-200' up." "I said to my missus' STOP."

"We stopped and we backed down, I opened the window down, a car were coming towards me and I pointed, for him to look, but he carried on." "It was twenty past five and quite dark, but this was so low, I could have got out gone underneath and shouted."

"Imagine a ruler, two bright lights at each end and a red light underneath." "The more I stared at it, I saw an image of, like a half a pork pie on top of a ruler." "We stared at it for about thirty seconds to a minute, then all of a sudden there were nothing there." "It were just motionless in't sky."

"I wanted my missus to follow it at first, but she wouldn't." "I rung Buxton Police up, a woman answered, I asked her if she had had any reports, but she said no nothing at all."

"Funnily enough I had to go to Ashbourne today (24th), I walked along where we had seen it, to see when it was going dark, to see if there were any lights that I could have mistaken for it, but there wasn't."

"When we were close to it, I could see the two white lights and in the centre was a ball of light and it was red in the middle." "I thought could it have been a plane, but when it went, it was just as though someone had switched the light off." "We didn't get out of the car, but sat inside with the window down." "It were only about thirty yards away and it was as plain as anything, as plain as anything". "Anyone driving on the Leek to Ashbourne road would have seen the lights."

Reflecting on the reason for UFO activity in the area, Mr C commented that there is a large water reservoir four miles away near Carsington. It had been in opened the previous year.

Mr C mentioned that he had seen an unusual light several years ago and as a result of this, he always carried a camera in his car. On this occasion the couple had been travelling in his wife's car and his camera had been left at home!

*This case is currently under further investigation O.F.

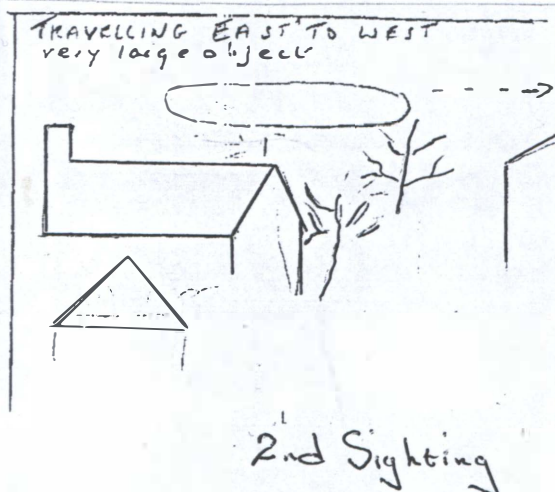
ANOTHER 26th SEPTEMBER CASE AT MATLOCK (93/10/M)

A Mr & Mrs "C" of Matlock, have recently described what they witnessed on the night of 26th September 1993 ("night of the Triangle"):-

There were three phenomenon observed between 7.30-8pm. My husband and I first saw a bright light over the "Heights of Abraham." It was a brilliant light and observed for 5/6 minutes.

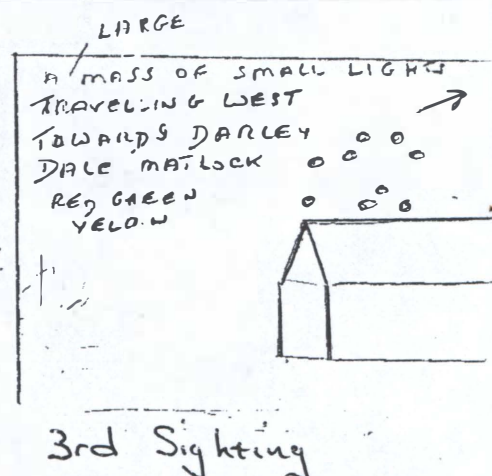
At approx. 7.45pm we saw a large zeppelin shaped cream coloured luminous object gliding slowly over the chimney tops (it was so low).

About seven seconds later a large collection of small coloured lights appeared, zooming low over the roof of the bungalow on the opposite side of the road. There was no sound from any of the objects. The lights were in an immense mass, defined by red, green, & yellow lights.



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← THIS OBSERVED CLEARLY
BY MY HUSBAND & MYSELF
THIS BY ME ALONE →



BUFORA IN CONFLICT

The British UFO Research Association has been involved in more than a little 'in-fighting' and as a result of the conflict of opinion, Jenny Randles has resigned from the BUFORA board.

Jenny Randles is a prominent author and investigator in the field of Ufology and has been an outstanding figure in the BUFORA hierarchy. Jenny launched the BUFORA "UFO Call" telephone information service almost single handed. This has now been running for four years and has greatly enhanced the BUFORA funds.

While Jenny still intends to remain a BUFORA member, her active participation in policy decisions will surely be missed in the future.

It is always regrettable to hear of such conflicts in the field of Ufology, where the matter of investigation and research should be the prime mover.

----- THE MYSTERY AT GROOM LAKE

Is the American Air Force testing a new supersonic aircraft code-named "Aurora" at its Groom Lake facility in Nevada? On the 30th of September (93), Air Force Secretary Sheila Widnall asked interior Secretary Bruce Babbitt to close 39,000 acres of public land in Lincoln County, Nevada for the "safe and secure operation of the Nellis Range".

Why? - In recent months reporters and aviation buffs (not to mention UFO watchers Ed.) have stationed themselves on two hills on the land which overlooks Nellis's top-secret Groom Lake facility. From there peering through long range lenses, they can see the activities at Groom Lake, known inside the air force as Area 51.

They say they've seen up to six Boeing 737 commuter jets a day flying workers in from Palmdale and Burbank, California and from Las Vegas. They also report night flights of craft, that judging from its lights, has extraordinary manoeuvrability.

An interior spokeswoman said "We gather the air force wants the land to create a visual barrier, a buffer to keep the public from looking into part of the Nellis Range the air force wants to keep secure."

Aviation expert Bill Sweetman notes that the Groom Lake facility is so costly to operate that the air force generally uses other bases for its standard secret projects. **"So what's going on at Groom Lake that Windall has been persuaded she must hide?"** he asks.

Source: Newsweek 1/11/93

STATEMENT BY COLIN ANDREWS-3rd NOVEMBER 1993
Issued by CPR International (USA Office Connecticut)

I was invited to address the S.E.A.T. group (Society for Enlightenment and Transformation). at the United Nations on October 22nd. 1993. Officials, delegates and the public were invited to attend in the Dag Hammarskjold Auditorium at 5.30pm.

Three speakers were invited: Dr Rainier Laukanen-Kilde from Norway; John Schuessler from the United States; and myself.

The aims of the symposium were:

SHORT TERM: To encourage the United Nations to implement decision GA33/426 of December 18th 1978, which called for "The establishment of an agency or a department of the United Nations for undertaking, co-ordinating and disseminating the results of research into unidentified flying objects and related phenomena".

LONG TERM: To prepare world public opinion to co-exist and co-operate with life on other planets and to examine whether E.T.'s have any connection with the present quick changes worldwide.

After 11 years intensive research on my part into the world wide phenomenon known generally as 'The mystery crop circles', I was asked to take a further 6 months investigating any perceived connections with ancient script, symbols and agriglyphs from around the world, as well as writings/symbols uncovered on artifacts thought to be of extraterrestrial origin. A great deal of research uncovered possible links which were to be given in my address called: 'Introduction to Decoding ET-Related Alphabets'. This title was chosen by the U.N. group.

It was my intention to disclose several important pieces of information at this lecture, three particularly meaningful to us all. These were:

To announce advanced research on the development of a free electrical energy generation devise and the claims that the decoding of some of the crop circles had confirmed the principles employed in this devise.

To share the forum with a native American who was to announce to the audience his own perspective of world changes and signs which have arrived on Earth.

To inform those present on details surrounding the extremely important news that the government of a major country has decided to release information to the public on UFO activity.

It is claimed by Richard Hoagland that some of the crop circle patterns have been deciphered and the information obtained of extreme importance.

This discovery might enable two of the most serious problems facing mankind to be resolved- Pollutant producing fossil/nuclear generation of electricity and similar pollution producing transportation. The discovery, based upon Nikola Tesla's work and crop circle decoding, has resulted in advanced developments and the immanent production of environmentally pure generation of electrical energy and pollution free transport. No moving parts, no overhead wires, no fuel consumption, The U.S. inventor Mr Richard McKie, has filed a patent (No 5146395) 'Power Supply 2 Tank Circuits. He has patents secured in all parts of the world except India. A company has been established and working arrangements finalised. He claims that a car prototype is up and running and will travel at over 70mph. This vehicle is under continued research and development. I was authorized by the inventor to give additional facts surrounding this breakthrough during my lecture at the U.N. by Christmas 1993 as a symbolic gift to the world. Mr McKie is hopeful the final technical difficulties will be resolved allowing this to occur.

A native American was planned to have joined me on the stage with his interpretation of current world changes and the discovery of certain signs which have arrived on the Earth. The U.N. refused to allow this man to speak, ostensibly on the grounds of security.

The refusal of the U.N. to allow this message might be considered by some, especially the Hopi Indians, as a serious matter indeed. I can not and will not, become immersed with the politics concerning this, but I wish the indigenous peoples around the world good fortune and I believe a full hearing of this message to be of vital importance.

The indications are overwhelming that the UFO is involved in some way with changes being experienced on our planet and we need to accelerate current dialogue with our governments. Following up to the minute discussions at the United Nations with the Japanese representative appearing at the symposium, I was happy to be able to celebrate with the audience the Japanese and Chinese governments to openly research and release information on the UFO. The Japanese representative told me of plans, which have now been set in motion, to inform their people of the truth surrounding the UFO. A huge multi-million dollar museum now being built in Japan, is the first part of the public education programme.

The first indications that things were not going to plan came on Thursday morning when I received a telephone call from the U.N. telling me that a big commotion was going on regarding my intentions to have a prominent Native American on the stage.

Three hours later it was suggested that it would be wise to cancel his appearance. Before the afternoon was out, it was apparent that he would not be permitted to speak or attend the symposium. Concurrent with this disappointment, at around 5pm, as I was placing my last slide in position for the lecture, I was officially given the news which I have always imagined would arise some day, if we deciphered what the circle makers were trying to tell us. Richard Hoagland (Mission to Mars) reported to me that trials had been run with an electric car on the west coast of America and that the inventor had driven him around Seattle, even receiving a police ticket for exceeding the speed limit of 65mph. Apparently it had arrived - the pollution and energy free device, up and running. I was authorized by Mr McKie to make this announcement at the U.N. on Friday.

I met Mohammed Ramadan at the U.N. Friday morning. We were joined by guests from a number of countries including China, Japan, Germany, U.K., Norway and the U.S. etc. We were told that the symposium had nearly been cancelled but that a scaled down event would occur in the U.N. Church Center, opposite the U.N. building. The State Department was apparently involved and placing tremendous pressure on officials. I was asked not to make political statements and to keep my talk cultural.

If the events of the previous 24 hours had not convinced me of a major set up - what occurred inside the new venue certainly did. The room was small and split in two by a large pillar, which would ensure that only about 40 people present would see the podium and slide screen. I watched as people who were obviously under great stress made attempts to run the programme. The projector screen was raised and jammed at half height - they had been given a faulty one. The public address system was turned on and could just be heard at full volume and that achieved only if your lips touched the microphone. The pointers did not work etc., etc.. Mohammed Ramadan looked totally humiliated by the time of initiating the proceedings.

Just seconds after the Japanese delegate, Mr Johsen Takano with his interpreter, began reading a personal message from the Japanese deputy Prime Minister, the PA system failed. Nonetheless, he proceeded to announce that the Japanese government had embarked upon a policy which will change the world for ever. They will tell the world all that they know about the UFO. Perhaps it was more than the West could tolerate to have important announcements of that kind, or even the suggestion of one made at this time.

This was a very sad day for the United Nations, located on International territory and one must say for the United States also. I would suspect this will be the last Symposium of its kind under the auspices of Mohammed Ramadan - a man I greatly respect and admire.

UFO LIGHTS SIGHTED OVER MANSFIELD

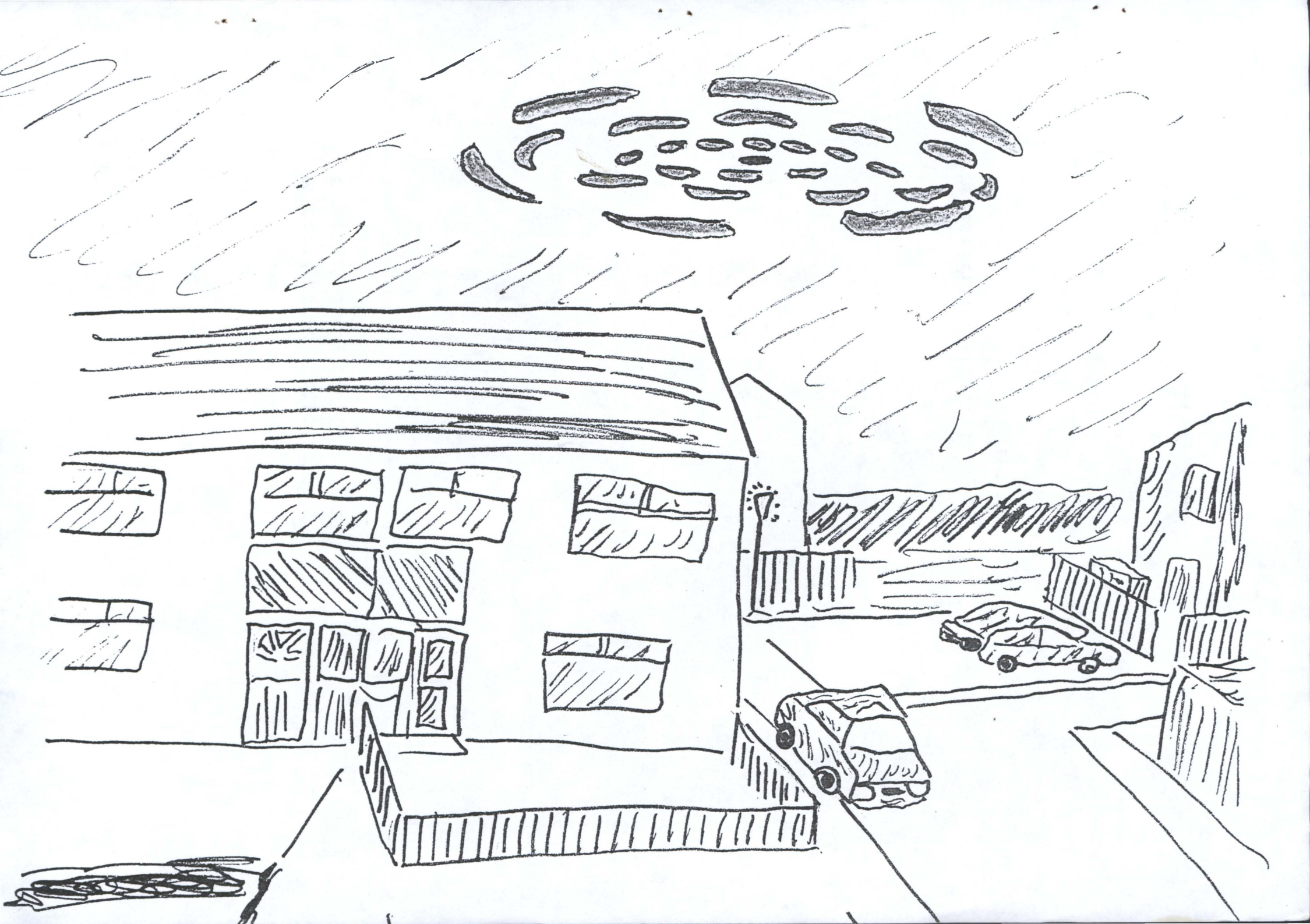
By Les Trueman, Chairman MUF0G

AT APP. FIVE FIFTYFIVE ON THE EVENING OF TUESDAY THE 30th NOVEMBER 1993, A FATHER AND SON, MR. ANDREW PUTNINS AND HIS SON "JIMMY" WERE AMAZED WITH WHAT CONFRONTED THEM AS THEY LEFT THEIR HOUSE IN THE AREA OF BELLAMY RD. ESTATE, MANSFIELD. ANDREW AND JIMMY HAD LEFT BY THE BACK DOOR OF THE HOUSE LEAVING MRS. PUTNINS COOKING IN THE KITCHEN. JIMMY WENT THROUGH THE GARDEN GATE FIRST FOLLOWED BY HIS DAD. ANDREW WAS ALERTED BY HIS SON JIMMY WHO FIRST NOTICED SOME STRANGE LIGHTS IN THE SKY. ANDREW LOOKED UP AND SAW AN ARRAY OF BIG "BLUISH" LIGHTS IN A CIRCULAR PATTERN SLOWLY MOVING OVER THEIR HOUSE. IN ANDREWS OWN WORDS "IT WAS AMAZING, I HAVE NEVER SEEN ANYTHING LIKE THAT BEFORE". "IT WAS ABOUT THE SIZE OF TWO HOUSES AND LIKE A GIANT CIRCLE" SAYS ANDREW. "THERE WAS ABOUT THREE LONG SEPERATE LIGHTS ON THE OUTSIDE WITH A CLUSTER OF SMALLER LIGHTS AND A SMALL LIGHT CREATING THE CENTRE. THE LIGHTS WERE DESCRIBED BY ANDREW AS "ROTATING" PULSATING BACKWARDS AND FORWARDS KEEPING A SET PATTERN ALL THE TIME. HELICOPTERS AND AIRPLANES ARE OFTEN FLYING IN THAT AREA BEING A MAIN AIR ROUTE AND MOST TIMES CAN BE HEARD BY ANDREW IF OUTSIDE, BUT THERE WASNT A SOUND TO BE HEARD FROM WHATEVER THIS WAS. " IT WAS GOING THAT SLOW THAT ITS SPEED WAS HARDLEY NOTICEABLE" SAYS ANDREW. IT WAS HEADING IN THE DIRECTION OF SOUTHWELL RD. WEST BUT SLIGHTLY EASTWARDS. THIS WOULD TAKE IT IN THE DIRECTION OF CLIPSTONE WOODS AND CROWN FARM PIT AREA TO WHICH THERE HAVE BEEN SEVERAL SIGHTINGS OF STRANGE LIGHTS AND OBJECTS OVER THE YEARS.

NOT BELIEVING WHAT THEY WERE SEEING, ANDREW AND JIMMY RUSHED BACK IN TO FETCH MRS. PUTNINS AND THE OTHER MEMBER OF THE FAMILY, THE DAUGHTER, TO COME AND HAVE A LOOK. ANDREW SAYS THAT HE HALF EXPECTED THE "THING" TO BE GONE BY THE TIME THEY HAD GOT BACK OUTSIDE, BUT NO IT WAS STILL THERE.

"SUE", MRS PUTNINS WAS QUITE SHOCKED AND FRIGHTENDED BY WHAT SHE SAW AND SAYS THAT HER LEGS JUST FROZE . WHEN ASKED WHAT THE WEATHER WAS LIKE ON THAT NIGHT, ANDREW STATES THAT IT WAS VERY CLOUDY AND THE "THING" EITHER SEEMED TO BE ABOVE THE CLOUDS OR AT TIMES INSIDE THEM. NO SOLID OBJECT COULD BE SEEN. THE SIGHTING BY ANDREW AND HIS FAMILY LASTED FOR ROUGHLY EIGHT MINUTES BEFORE THE LIGHTS DISSAPEARED INTO THE DISTANCE. A DRAWING WAS DONE BY ANDREWS SON JIMMY THE NEXT MORNING. JIMMY IS FIFTEEN. ANDREW SAYS THERE WERE OTHER WITNESSES TO THIS EVENT AND DETAILS ARE SLOWLY BEING GATHERED BY MANSFIELD U.F.O. GROUP. L. TRUEMAN, TRACY HOLLINGWORTH INVESTIGATORS...

Witness sketch Overleaf.....



TALE ENDERS

MYSTERY LIGHTS SEEN IN THE SKY. (Portsmouth News 18th Dec. 93)
Astronomers admitted they were baffled today after hundreds of Portsmouth people saw patterns of Ghostly beams playing across the night sky. The eerie light show lasted from 6pm until after 11pm (Dec 17th). About a dozen beams of faint white light appeared to shine directly from a bank of clouds sweeping from left to right.

ALIEN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT CAMPAIGN will hold a meeting at 12.00am to 5pm at the Town Hall council chambers, Oxford on Saturday 29th January. Admission £3.00. AAC convener John Holman.

PEKING: Planes and ships are forbidden from travelling directly between China and Taiwan but experts say 6,000 unidentified flying objects have made the trip the Xinhau news agency said. The latest sighting was on August 7th when two hat-like objects were reportedly seen over Taipei airport for 15 minutes. (Reuter: The Times 8th December 93)

SO WHAT'S NEW? Spotted by your Editor in Gambia West Africa earlier this month:- 5,000 year old "Stone Circle" at Wassu!



NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will take place at the STANLEY CLUB, Stanley Common near Ilkeston (A609) on Thursday 17th February at 8pm.

"ARE WE ALONE" a video featuring ZECHARIA SITCHIN

This video traces back the earliest civilisation of mankind, not the Greeks but the Sumerians. Fascinating and also includes an analysis of the last photographs taken by the Russian Phobos explorer satellite, before its transmission suddenly ceased.

Non Members welcome: Admission 50p