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PURPOSES OF BSRA

BSRA is a non-profit, informal organization of people who take an active interest in unusual happenings along the borderland between the visible and invisible worlds. In the words of the late Meade Layne, founder and director of BSRA from 1946 to 1959, "BSRA publications are scientific in approach but employ few technical expressions. They deal with significant phenomena which orthodox science cannot or will not investigate. For example: the Fortean falls of strange objects from the skies, Teleportation, Radiesthesia, PK Effects, Underground Races, Mysterious Disappearances, Occult and Psychic Phenomena, Photography of the Invisible, the Nature of the Ethers, and the problem of the Aeroforms (Flying Saucers). In the year 1946 the Associates obtained an interpretation of the phenomena which has since come to be known as the Etheric or 4-D Interpretation, and which has not been radically altered since that time. This continues to be the only explanation which makes good science, sound metaphysics and common sense."

The chief present concern of the Association is to make this information available as a public service, with Headquarters acting as a receiving, counseling, coordinating and distributing center. A list of BSRA publications is available on request, send 25¢ in coin or stamps for a copy, 16 pages.

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THE PRINCIPLES OF LIGHT AND COLOR

By Lyle Stuart
Mystic Arts Book Society

"The Principles of Light and Color" is the result of a remarkable collaboration between a living man and a dead one, each a genius in his own right. To begin with the living man: Faber Birren is known to many of you as the author of "Color Psychology and Color Therapy", "Color: A Survey In Words and Pictures" and "Selling With Color" -- all published by University Books.

Mr. Birren, now nearing seventy, is the renowned consultant on color to such industrial giants as DuPont, Monsanto Chemical, General Electric, Eastman, Minnesota Mining (3M), etc. He has grown wealthy telling them what colors to use on their products, how to color their factories and offices, how to increase work efficiency and reduce accidents by using the right colors. He has done the same things for the U.S. Navy. All this is especially interesting when we learn that Mr. Birren has never tried to conceal that he learned his trade at the feet of occult masters!

One of these masters is his collaborator in this book, Edwin S. Babbitt (1828-1905). Mr. Birren never knew him in the flesh but has devoted decades to the study of his writings; he has now taken Babbitt's great book and edited and annotated it, carving away what is dead and preserving everything which remains alive.

Birren has also provided an Introduction in which he explains clearly what he has done and gives us a biography of Babbitt. In 1878, at the age of 50, Babbitt published this book and it immediately became famous as a masterpiece on color therapy. It gave rise to numerous colleges, schools and cults -- many of which persist to this day.

It seems to be part of human nature to believe in the efficacy and salubrious benefits of color and light, and Babbitt, more than anyone else, has been prophet, leader and saint incarnate in this belief. Babbitt was a genius, but a verbose one. His original book runs to 560 pages and more than 200,000 words. Mr. Birren has cut this to less than half that -- and the reader is so much the gainer. Babbitt's phenomenal powers of observation and his fertile and fluent imagination come through in this edition of the book -- shorn as it is of his outdated optics and physics.

The point of view from which Mr. Birren has done his work is indicated by the following: "That color has direct therapeutic action may be questionable. That it can have value in many psychosomatic disturbances is probably true. But there can be no debate

as to its psychological benefits." Mr. Birren also summarizes the latest scientific findings and shows how these corroborate Babbitt's work.

The main body of the book remains Babbitt's. As Mr. Birren says: "In effect, I want Babbitt to present his own theories in his own inimitable style. I will merely come on stage at the beginning, then walk off and let Babbitt act alone."

The result is a magnificent presentation of the healing power of color. The original book sells today in antiquarian bookstores at \$100 and more a copy! This special new edition is published at \$15.

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Those of you who share your Director's interest in color as Art and as Therapy must also be thrilled to learn that the best parts of Babbitt's masterpiece on Color will again be available in print at a reasonable price. Members of Lyle Stuart's Mystic Arts Book Society, New Hyde Park, New York 11040 -- for one month only -- were allowed to purchase this new re-print at only \$8.95.

In the last Journal, S.L. Jamison predicted that the rapidly increasing cost of medical care will force Americans to practice "home brew" healing. Years ago a president of the American Medical Association confidently predicted that hospital care would be profitably boosted to a cost of \$100 a day by 1970! This is fine for those who can afford it. For those who cant, Babbitt's studies on "The Healing Power of Color" may be a useful and usable alternative -- for cleaning out the aura and re-establishing a balanced flow of life forces.

While Babbitt was developing and experimenting with his ideas in Philadelphia in the 1860s and 70s, Dr. S. Pancoast was actually using Kabalistic principles of color with great success in his medical practice in Philadelphia. These principles, from Pancoast's book, "Blue and Red Light", are outlined in our talk, "Three Great Aquarian Age Healers", BSRA 2-M, an 8½x11 mimeo book, illustrated, 62 pages, \$2.50 a copy plus tax. If you want to do borderland research on color and its affects on consciousness -- your consciousness, this is a good place to begin.

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"We cannot but remark that Light was the secret and universal medicine of the Ancients; they knew all its properties far better than modern science is yet capable of teaching them. With it they were able to cure the most inveterate diseases. They knew how to condense , or fix, light so as to administer it in wine or oil. The medicinal qualities of Light and modes of applying it were among the great secrets of the Kabala and of the Eastern Wise Men."

Pancoast

THE CIA AT WORK IN SOUTH AMERICA

By Walter Buhler, M.D.

(BSRA has received some of Dr. Buhler's UFO reports in years past but we have to thank "Saucer Scoop", St. Petersburg, Florida and Carol Honey's "S.P. Newsletter", Box 2431, Fullerton, California for bringing this one to our attention. RHC.)

It was on April 19, 1966 when I received the unexpected visit of Christian Vogt, leader of an important UFO research group in Argentina. He announced his visit by telephone and arrived at my flat within a quarter of an hour.

Vogt is a tall, good looking fellow, healthy and muscular. His black eyes have a piercing look. As he is Swiss by origin we had our conversation in German. Years ago -- for some very concrete reasons -- I had ceased to trust Christian Vogt in matters of UFO research. However, I was careful not to show this fact at once and received him in a friendly way. I asked him if he had met Dr. Olavo T. Fontes who also lives in Rio; and he answered, "Well, it's just him I hoped we could ask to take part in this conversation at your flat. We are all short of time." I consented, of course, and in less than a quarter of an hour Dr. Fontes rang my doorbell. I did not feel good to have them both unexpectedly with me because I was not prepared, but I decided to come to the point with them.

I may add that in former years Fontes and I had worked together but after a while we had strong differences of opinion and we separated. At the time of our separation I had not hidden my suspicions that he was working for another agency which he kept secret. On this April day, however, we put ourselves at ease, took off our jackets, and started a friendly conversation. Vogt and Fontes did not try to interrogate me. The latter told me about his visit to the United States where he had met APRO in Phoenix (Dr. Buhler here probably means Jim and Coral Lorenzen's Aerial Phenomena Research Organization in Tucson, Arizona) and NICAP in Washington, and also Dr. J. Allen Hynek. The latter, he said, was working with the UFO research department of the USAF.

Then Fontes told me very spontaneously that Hynek was on the payroll of the Air Force. He added: "It is our wish that you should join our ranks and exchange your research with ours. Hynek is in a position to pass on your information. He is very keen in getting information from private sources. That's what the Air Force wants him to find."

As he got no immediate answer from me, he told me that all I would have to do in their research program would be to fill in the questionnaires and keep to a certain scheme of questioning my witnesses and registering my interviews. I would, of course, receive

financial aid to help pay for my work and expenses. (ED NOTE: could this and the next few lines be referring to aid from the CIA?) I did not show any special interest in this proposition because I wanted him to be more specific. And indeed, in the course of the conversation, I learned that the financial aid which I would get through Hynek would be quite substantial, even to the point where I could make a full-time job of it if I so desired.

SELL YOUR SOUL TO FASCISM?

As I am a medical doctor, I hid my astonishment but pointed out that through my bulletins Hynek would get all the news I could give him and it would cost him nothing! Finally, I got impatient and said that in working for Hynek I would be working for the military and I did not want to do this. I made it clear that as a University-trained Doctor of Medicine I thought it slightly beneath me to work for any military body. I asked Dr. Fontes laughingly if he did not think the intelligence quotient of a medical doctor slightly above that of the military. His answer: "That is why they engaged a scientist, Dr. Hynek. We could influence the military through his opinion and show them the new way to a correct research."

Both visitors told me that there were two reasons for this wish: (1) The number of landings, sporadically before, which had recently taken on a systematic character. (2) The famous BLACKOUT over the New York area, which was believed to have been generated by UFO disturbances, and the belief that the UFO activity would take on an accelerated crescendo in the future.

I told them I had not yet forgotten how, in 1958 and 1959, certain members of the "silence group" had tried to intimidate me, and how degrading their behavior had been. Fontes, who apparently knew the story quite well, asked me to which personalities I made allusion but I did not give him any names. Again and again Vogt Fontes tried to convince me that only in cooperation with them could I get a maximum of information to which nobody else had access.

I told them frankly how Fontes' group was scaring people out of their wits instead of giving them confidence to tell their stories openly. One co-worker of Fontes, Commander Aurofebus B. Simoes, was out to frighten people into silence, those people who had made contact claims. His manner of putting questions and threatening those questioned was systematic and it showed a certain pattern behind which I suspected a plan from a higher agency. His being in close relation (i.e., Fontes) with the United States consulate general in Sao Paulo could not help to deny such stories. (And every U.S. consul abroad has its CIA office and staff. RHC)

In ending my first interview with Vogt and Fontes in April, I made it clear that my own position with the contactees would be spoiled and worthless if they learned that I was working with Dr. Fontes and his group of silencers. They were not so silly, these simple people, and they soon found out the difference in tactics between Fontes and myself. I added, "And I am interested in get-

ting the truth and nothing but the truth from these people, and I want to keep their confidence. Once it is lost you are out."

I had no other visit since then, neither from Vogt or Fontex. I am glad they were without too much tension, frank and honest, despite the touchy subject. I still have no intention whatsoever to join the ranks of Professor Hynek and the United States Air Force.

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CIA LABEL FOR UFO SIGHTERS: PSYCHOLOGICAL LIARS

Dr. Buhler only hints at the kinds of questions asked by official investigators, but Ray Palmer gave a clearer analysis in his editorial in "Flying Saucers" magazine for March 1967.

"The other night we received a telephone call from Kenneth Arnold, the man who started all the fuss about flying saucers in 1947 with his famous sighting of nine unidentified objects near Mt. Rainier. He had several things to discuss, one of them being his plan to go to Australia. . . another was his appearance at a flying saucer convention in New York city. . . a third the \$300,000 grant to the western university to investigate flying saucers on a scholarly and scientific basis, and settle for once and for all what is really going on. . . The impression everybody has is that it is an investigation into the reality of flying saucers, and into their origin (interplanetary?) and whether or not they constitute a menace to our national security. This impression is false. The grant is designed to give an answer to one question -- what kind of people see (and report) flying saucers and why do they do it? In brief, the research is psychological -- an investigation of sighters, not saucers. . .

"They are going right back to the beginning and starting with Ken Arnold. He has been interrogated by telephone several times, in one instance a total of three hours. . . What annoys Ken is the fact that it is Ken they are investigating! Questions like: 'What makes you think flying saucers are real?' Instead of 'What did you see?'. . . The investigation now being carried on is not a duplication of the investigation of sightings, which the Air Force has carried out with astounding thoroughness during the past nineteen years; it is a brand new investigation of the people who have made these reports. Not having tracked the saucer to its lair, they are trying to track the report to its liar.

"No, they aren't going to call sighters liars, they are going to try to call them psychological liars, deluded, hysterical, psychopathic, victims of group or mob hysteria of the infections kind, hoaxers, or fanatics. They aren't going to get anywhere! . . (Ken) believes that there is good reason to have little faith in the scientific integrity and ability of any of these investigators in view of the fact that they are prejudicial -- this prejudice being very simply, saucers do not exist. . . "

(Flying Saucers, Amherst, Wis. 54406, 6 issues a year, \$2.50)

PROJECT BLUE BOOK. PUBLIC RELATIONS NOT SCIENCE

From Coral and Jim Lorenzen's
"Flying Saucer Occupants"

One of the best of the current UFO books is the Lorenzen's "Flying Saucer Occupants", a paperback published by Signet, 75¢, wherein the Lorenzens delve into their 15 year accumulation of Contactee stories. Some of these we review in our current talk, "Who Flies the Saucers?" Especially significant, however, is their chapter, No. IX, on "The Censorship Situation".

"In the first place," they write, "an air force does not speak, of course; a spokesman speaks for it. The spokesman where UFOs are concerned is most frequently the officer in charge of Project Blue Book (headquartered with the ATIC, Air Technical Intelligence Command, Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio. RHC.).

"Typically, since 1953, Project Blue Book has consisted of an officer, a sergeant, and a secretary. Hardly enough people to take care of correspondence and filing. Furthermore, it is a matter of record that these individuals spend a majority of their time on duty assignments which have nothing to do with Project Blue Book or UFOs. The officer in charge is rotated quite regularly. In the past he has not always been a man with a technical background. There is a scientific adviser with whom he consults irregularly on an average of two days per month. There is no time for research worthy of the name, no answers are evolved and therefore there are no answers to withhold -- at least not at Project Blue Book.

"A statement of any positive sort would have to be accompanied by proof and there is no proof here. The project officer has only the general impression gleaned from the various reports as they cross his desk and for the most part they're a pretty unimpressive lot and he is pretty busy with other matters. As a career officer he has a fairly clear impression of what his superiors want to hear and see in the area of public statements -- an impression made pretty obvious in the meager assignment of funds, time and personnel. Then, too, there is a matter of public image.

"Any official spokesman for the USAF (or any organization for that matter) automatically plays the role of image-maker or image-preserver. Due to the position our nation occupies in world politics it is unthinkable that our Air Force, through any official spokesman, could admit to lack of control of its own airspace -- an admission tantamount to self-emasculation.

"Suffice it to say that a close inspection of Project Blue Book does not support the idea of a 'conspiracy of silence'. It

suggests, instead, an extremely low-pressure activity whose main purpose is public information support. It suggests that, within the limits imposed by normal public relations considerations, the statements issued by the project officer are essentially honest ones.

"It would seem from the foregoing that officialdom classifies the UFO problem chiefly as one of public relations. . ."

THE BEST UFO REPORTS BLUE BOOK DOESN'T GET!

Who does get them? A special Flying Saucer board in Washington, D.C. We can thank the Lorenzens for public revelation of this information. Read on. ". . . many of the best reports never reach Blue Book. This is partly because some individuals decline to report their experiences to official investigators since they wish to avoid unfavorable attention and it's partly because there exists an official channeling of classified UFO reports which excludes Blue Book altogether."

Jim and Coral use the widely publicized Socorro, New Mexico Saucer landing of Friday, April 25, 1964 as a case in point. They were on the scene themselves the next day to interview policeman Lonnie Zamorra, who witnessed the landing. But Sgt. Moody of Project Blue Book didn't arrive until two days after it happened. The UFO board in Washington already had an excellent report, filed by an Army officer on the scene within minutes of the landing!

"We had been aware for some years that many UFO cases of rather startling nature never seemed to find their way to Blue Book files. The Socorro case served to reinforce our memories in this area," write the Lorenzens.

"One of Sergeant Chavez first moves (policeman Zamorra's superior. RHC.) after a preliminary inspection of the landing site was to call Captain Holder, commanding officer of Stallion Site on the White Sands Missile Range and an Army intelligence officer. Holder lived in Socorro, he was at home and arrived at the landing site within a matter of minutes. An intelligent and competent young officer, Holder proceeded to make a thorough investigation and eventually to write a complete and comprehensive report based partly on evidence which had been obscured by the idle curious who had flocked in to mill around and speculate by the time other investigators could arrive."

Knowing that Holder had already made his investigation, when Sgt. Moody of Project Blue Book arrived later to make his own, it seemed to them that "the right hand didn't know what the left hand was doing. One would expect that Captain Holder's report would be routed to Blue Book as a matter of course. Not so. According to Holder, it would be routed to 'the UFO board in Washington'."

Following that there were several excellent UFO sightings in

the White Sands area. These were seen and reported by some of the best qualified military and civilian personnel in the United States, all of whom are engaged in the business of launching and tracking Identified Flying Objects, American-made missiles, satellites and planes.

UFO REPORTS PROJECT BLUE BOOK DIDN'T GET

How did Jim and Coral Lorenzen hear of these sightings? For years they lived and worked in Alamogordo, New Mexico -- where your BSRA director met and talked with them in 1960 -- and Jim was a civilian technician with one of the government agencies in that area. They have the contacts.

Zamorra

He learned that only a few days after/sighted the landed UFO at Socorro, a B57 pilot sighted a similar type of UFO from the air, north of Socorro, and saw it land. A month later "a radar instrumentation station on the White Sands Missile Range, an Army installation, tracked a UFO. Its path was recorded automatically by means of a special device which places the range, azimuth, and elevation in digital form on tape." Part of Lorenzen's government work was to analyze data from such tapes.

"Seven days earlier two objects moving leisurely across the range were acquired on radar. Their appearance when acquired visually was described as brown and football-shaped. And -- they were transponding in response to the standard Federal Aviation Agency's recognition signals, alternating between two frequencies reserved for that purpose where normally an aircraft would utilize one or the other.

"Here again we have no indication that reports of the foregoing cases were routed to Blue Book. They were filed with the base commander at White Sands Missile Range. When these cases appeared in the APRO bulletin, Major Hector Quintanilla, Blue Book officer in charge, queried the Foreign Technology office at Holloman Air Force Base and was informed that the office was unaware of any such incidents. This is as far as the investigation went."

The Lorenzens then go on to point out the reluctance of the military to admit any fact or event which "reflects on the efficacy of the service". The presence of a UFO over or in a restricted area is such a fact and any report on that presence will be classified top secret. "From a military intelligence standpoint the surreptitious penetration of our air space by alien vehicles can be treated in only one way. It must be assume to be the act of an unknown enemy until proven otherwise."

So, UFO information must be withheld from the public in the forlorn hope the "enemy" will not know that we know about him! But in our desire for more information -- the Truth -- doesn't this also make us civilians "enemies" of the military? The Lorenzens believe there was no "well defined UFO program" until the "invaders" showed up in force over the nation's capital on a Sat-

urday night in July 1952. Well defined or not it was in very effective operation in July 1947!

THE MAURY ISLAND SIGHTING

The best detailed of all Saucer sightings is Harold Dahl's close-up view of six Suza-type Venusian spaceships over Puget Sound on June 21, 1947 -- three days before Ken Arnold had his famous sighting on June 24th. Who knows but the CIA's forerunner, the Office of Strategic Services? A month later, while Ken Arnold was in Tacoma, Washington, investigating Dahl's Flying Saucer experience, Dahl, his secretary and her children were all kidnapped from the secretary's home. This is a very effective way to keep American citizens from "blowing" the intelligence cover on UFOs.

While he was flying from Boise, Idaho to Tacoma on July 29th, Arnold had a chance to get motion pictures of about 25 brass-colored objects that came flying toward his plane over LaGrande valley, Oregon at 5000 feet. Arnold later sent this film to Ray Palmer in Chicago. Ray patriotically forwarded it to the Air Force. In a recent editorial in his "Flying Saucers" magazine, Ray says the Air Force returned the film to him without comment and with the frames showing the UFOs neatly cut out! You can read Arnold's fascinating and blood-chilling story of the Maury Island sighting in "The Coming of the Saucers" by Arnold and Palmer.

Returning to the Lorenzen's evaluation of the "Censorship Situation" on page 155 of "Flying Saucer Occupaats" we learn that true Flying Saucer sightings never get to Project Blue Book at Wright-Patterson Field, Ohio. Only those which can be explained away as illusions, hoaxes, man-made or natural objects are forwarded to Blue Book for explanation to the public. According to Paragraph 4:C of Air Force Regulation 200-2, reports on UFOs which cannot be explained away will remain with the Air Defense Command until it "has exhausted all efforts to identify the UFOB".

THE 4602d AIR INTELLIGENCE SERVICE SQUADRON

Ever hear of it? We hadn't either until Jim Lorenzen exposed it to view. It's only mentioned in AFR 200-2 and those regulations are "for official use only"! Paragraph 6 states: ". . . the 4602d Air Intelligence Service Squadron (AISS) (has) the capability to investigate these reports. The 4602d AISS is composed of specialists trained for field collection and investigation of matters of air intelligence interest which occur within the ZI (Zone of Influence of zone of interior of the USA). . . "

"The operation of the Air Intelligence Service Squadron is such that a majority of Air Force personnel are unaware of their existence," writes Lorenzen. "Their choice as a data-collecting agency is well-advised from several standpoints. . . "

The most obvious being that the CIA can thus publicly disavow any interest in Flying Saucers, but privately it is a differ-

ent story as the experienced and observant Lorenzens write.

CIA TRAFFIC IN UFO REPORTS

"We further suggest that it is only under CIA jurisdiction that a complete collection of significant UFO cases exists -- that this is the repository of the 'UFO board in Washington'. Reports can be 'pulled' at will from various channels at CIA request without the individual who does the pulling knowing what or who for, and without any way of knowing whether or not they are ever returned to the traffic pattern. . . "

Then came the rising tide of UFO sightings in 1965, climaxed by the great Blackout of Nov. 9th. Thousands of Americans read John Fuller's objective account of the detailed and repeated survey of the New England electric power grid in October 1965, in his "Incident At Exeter" story. Earlier that year there were the detailed and well documented UFO sightings over Michigan in April. To save face on the Michigan sightings, the Air Force ordered Dr. J. Allen Hynek to make a complete ass of himself by attributing the Michigan sightings to swamp gas. Thus began the end of Hynek's 18 profitable years as mouthpiece for the Air Force; for what intelligent scientist or layman could be expected to take Hynek's later pronouncements with any seriousness? The Air Force's propaganda "hot potato" on UFO coverup had to be passed to someone else so Hynek could quietly bow out.

The Lorenzens say that Hynek urged the setting up of an independent board of inquiry early in 1966. As you know, \$300,000 was appropriated for this "scientific" study of UFOs and the University of Colorado was chosen, with Dr. Edward Condon, a hardened UFO sceptic, chosen as head. The announced goal of the UFO research project, as your editor read it in the LA "Times" was to clean up the tarnished image of the U.S. Air Force, not to prove the reality of Flying Saucers. To back up the news release, Condon picked a team of psychiatrists, not physicists, to research the UFO phenomenon. And the questioning of Ken Arnold, as reported earlier in this Journal by Ray Palmer, bears this out. Thus it is startling to have the Lorenzens state candidly on page 157:

"It is not conceivable to us at APRO that this new project could be part of any cover-up program. The only way it could possibly be manipulated is through control of its input but we are assured that Dr. Condon will be free to develop his own sources of reports."

The naivete of the Lorenzens in writing the above is almost unbelievable. To me it is "not conceivable" that the CIA, through its front cover, the Air Force, would have picked Dr. Condon for this investigation unless he were safe, that is, more conservatively biased in his attitude toward UFOs and UFO sighters than Dr. Hynek. The "input" to the University of Colorado's UFO investigation committee will be rigidly controlled, by the pre-conditioned attitude of Condon's hand-picked psychiatrists. Before the investiga-

tion is over these educated fools have already decided that there will never be any definite answer on the reality of UFOs. I agree, there wont be any admission on the reality of Flying Saucers from Washington as long as the super-secret 54/12 group sets national policy in its clandestine meetings.

"UFO DECISION STILL IN THE AIR - DEFINITE ANSWER UNLIKELY"

If you think I'm off my rocker read this news item we culled from the Denver "Pest" for Sept. 28, 1967 while in Albuquerque, NM on a recent lecture trip:

"University of Colorado scientists (?) evaluating sightings of unidentified flying objects (UFOs) dont expect to arrive at a definite 'yes or no' answer to the problem. Robert J. Low, deputy director of the 15-month study financed by the Air Force, said Wednesday the 'nature' of the UFO problem prohibits a definite decision.

"'We're attempting to deal with the problem in a scientific way, but we dont have any scientific data to work with,' Low said. 'We cannot find actual recorded data as a basis for the evaluation.'

"Low said some photographs of UFOs have been examined since the study began Nov. 1, but 'they didn't tell us very much.' Members of the CU investigative team have made approximately 40 on-the-spot checks of sightings but have received only verbal descriptions of the phenomena. No solid evidence has been made available, Low said. He said that information on more than 3,500 sightings has been computerized for study. No conclusions will be made until the final report is submitted for review by the National Academy of Sciences June 30. The report will then go to the Air Force, which is paying \$593,000 for the project.

"Meanwhile, UFO sightings throughout the United States are continuing at the normal rate of approximately 1000 per year. Lt William Marley of the Air Force's Project Blue Book office at Wright Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio, said Wednesday the office had received 799 reports since CU began its study Nov. 1. Sixteen of the incidents are still unidentified, Marley said, adding that no final evaluation has been made on 97 cases, pending receipt of additional information."

What Lt Marley didn't say was that if these 97 cases prove to be Visitors from outer space it will be against the law for him to admit it. AFR 200-2 forbids it and the restriction is backed up by stiff penalties. So the UFO information merry-go-round will continue in its present form for years yet. Washington's "silence policy" has indured intact fthrough four changes of administration. And the Visitors have their own programs for the earth, whatever they are! Meanwhile, dedicated researchers like Coral and Jim Lorenzen continue to addeemble and publish valuable material. If you'd like to join with them and get their "A.P.R.O. Bulletin", writ to 3910 E. Kleindale Road, Tucson, Arizona 85716.

YOUR AURA. REFLECTIONS OF A HIGHER WORLD

Parastudy Review of Talk by
Dr. Audrey Kargere

For all of today's interest in outer space, scientists are unaware of the great hierarchies which are drawing closer to earth bringing light to bonded souls through the instrumentality of those open to receive.

Many modern maladjustments stem from the ineffectual use of Old Age principles in coping with the New Age potentials. Man must lift his consciousness and, in so doing, he will realize he is entering an era comprehended mainly in terms of vibrations and beams.

Such were the words of Dr. Audrey Kargere in an unexpected weekend lecture at Parastudy Center, Sept. 10 and 11, which came about so quickly there was no time to notify members in advance. This occasionally happens. Even so, the room was filled to capacity and those present beheld the universe springing to new life in concepts of color, light, music, vibration and numbers, as Audrey expounded on the nature of matter, form and energy as envisioned through the acute awareness brought about by heightened spiritual perception.

The subject of the talk was the structure of the human aura and how knowledge of auric science furthers the individual in evolution. Audrey has traveled extensively throughout the world and has studied under some of the masters of India. Her knowledge of auras and allied fields, such as numerology, chemical components of foods, magnetism, etc. is considerable. The aura is one's entrance to his higher body and is composed of light elements pertaining to the physical, etheric, vital and astral components of man. This latter aspect of the aura envelopes the body like a misty cloud and appears to clairvoyant vision as a seething mass of ever-changing colors which maintain definite areas, corresponding to various parts and organs of the body. If you have had an operation it shows in your aura. Any disease will appear in the aura before it attacks the body itself.

Little does the average layman realize the importance and far-reaching influence of his thoughts. Thoughts have great power for good or ill and are visible to psychic vision in stunning displays of line and color masses. The force employed in thinking is a fine form of electricity known as the "od". This force goes out from every pore in the body and is allied with other magnetic influences in the world around us. Auric science enables us to come to a realization of who we are. Thus we can take dominion of our lives and destiny. The idea that we must overcome imperfection or attain to this or that falls short of the truth. We already have perfection. All we need do is accept it and act in full cognizance of this perfection. We

should all be Masons of thought. There is a great need for mass construction of creative thought forms to counteract the fears, doubts and negative emotional burdens that are clogging the psychic atmosphere of this planet.

MATERIALIZED ASPIRATION, DEVOTION, REVERENCE

To demonstrate the concrete effect brought about by thoughts, an experiment was conducted with everyone taking part. Into a container of water Audrey poured an assortment of liquid paints in turn without stirring the mixture. A plain white piece of cardboard was submerged in the water and everyone in the room was asked to concentrate on sending thoughts of peace and love to Vietnam in whatever way came naturally. In a few moments Audrey removed the card which emerged showing the suggestion of a white hierarchical form against a background of rosy pink slightly swirled. Personified in this strange form were the qualities of aspiration, devotion, reverence. It has been said that actions speak louder than words. To this it could be added that thought is a vital form of action.

Audrey told us about color therapy in treatment of diseases; of natural diets according to one's vibrational set-up; and living one's life in harmony with numerological patterns. She also instructed us on techniques of closing the aura to exclude harmful influences. Here are some of the gems from her talk:

The healthiest diets in the world will do little good when one's finer bodies (emotional, mental) are out of alignment. We are all receiving sets and broadcasting-stations. Politicians should be selected for their colors, not for their slick talk. Ninety-eight percent of the race is living on the creativity of two percent. Joy is the rightful state of man. Do not feel guilty or uneasy if you are experiencing good health, good luck, good breaks. If you are not in the highest state, you are not in your rightful place. The Jains believe that whenever you give love to an animal you help raise the consciousness of the whole animal kingdom.

(From the Parastudy Review, Oct. 1966 issue, Valleybrook Road, Chester Heights, Pennsylvania.)

From our own mimeographed talk on Color Therapy, BSRA No. 28, "Three Great Aquarian Age Healers", we quote spirit doctor William Lang, talking to Journalist Hutton: "As a spirit doctor I can see the spirit body which invisible to you and most people. Thus, when I look upon a patient I can see both his bodies, the physical and spirit body (etheric), simultaneously. I can also see the person's aura, or reflected light, which is constantly moving and changing color, and exists about two inches from the body. The aura consists of color vibrations reflected by the organs of the body, which are constantly changing according to the state of their health. Each organ, when healthy, reflects a definite color in the aura, but when the organ becomes diseased, or its condition deteriorates, the reflection changes color. . . ." Dr. Lang's medium is George Chapman. Their clinic is at Aylesbury, England. ("Three Great Aquarian Age Healers", mimeo book, 60 pages, illustrated, \$2.50 plus tax.)

FILLING THAT VORTEXIAN VACUUM

By J. Harold Claborne

In your May-June Journal appears the article about Vortexian Physics. The question by John Morill and the answer by the Hon. S. Shuttleworth, London.

In fact John Morill had several questions and, in my opinion, Shuttleworth did not specifically answer any of them. Apparently the objective, "answering", was lost in the subjective material of "panting" and "divine vacuum", none of which really got down to discussing vortexian physics.

No doubt John Morill is still in a vacuum after that reply. One of John's questions regarding the Russian crash landings on the moon has some obvious answers. First, these landings are largely automated because remote controls would involve a time lapse of several seconds, far too long for the tricky maneuvering of a landing operation.

It is generally conceded that the Russians have had the advantage in payload lift-off but the USA has had the advantage of more exotic electronic control mechanisms. Another factor is luck. The moon presents a rather rough terrain and the problem is difficult for us as well as the Russians. One of our more recent moon landings experienced a bad 30-foot bounce. This could have spelled disaster for us, also, and I don't think the incident received any publicity either. Luck or correction circuits saved the day and the launch and landing.

Now getting back to Shuttleworth, I noted several references to Truth with a capital T. What John Morill was interested in was the "truth" about Vortexian Physics. What he received in reply was the "T"ruth, which appears to be more hypotheses than fact. Opinions are not always facts.

As I see it truth has a great deal in common with horizons. You see only as much of it as the tunnel you have backed into allows you to see. After all, men were burned at the stake less than 500 years ago for suggesting that the earth was not the center of the universe. The truth was always there.

We are not going to get any nearer to the truth by insisting something is a fact that cannot be physically possible. Personally, I think the vortex theory has merit, but to insist that the vacuum principle is the only motivating force involved is equally as erroneous as the "exploding universe" theory held by modern science. The term explosion, implies that the earth's time base is a universal constant. Even after 500 years we are reluctant to relinquish earth

centered concepts. What we rate as an explosion could be correctly rated as growth by other standards.

QUANTITY AND QUALITY EVOLUTION

This is not an original idea. Over 25 years ago a book entitled "Unobstructed Universe" was published by Stewart Edward White. Much of this material was obtained through spiritual channels. It was an excellent job of reporting and writing as well. In discussing evolution it was pointed out that evolution is both quantitative and qualitative. So far our sciences have concerned themselves only with the qualitative aspect. Quantitative evolution means growth -- an untenable premise after several centuries of indoctrination into the idea that the universe would ultimately burn itself out.

Since the breeding of fissionable material the attitude of the scientific colony is changing. Energy is being grown, and this is sufficient reason to re-evaluate the old theories of the universe. Certainly a quarter century to grasp an idea published in 1940 during an era when man's knowledge is said to be doubling every 10 years is long enough.

Newton's idea began with the hypothetical situation of matter distributed evenly throughout space. From this unexplained condition gravity began drawing matter together into a huge mass that has been exploding ever since. This of course is an over-simplification. The main point is that the whole process began from unscientific presumptions. It presumes space to be pre-existent and presumes matter to be evenly distributed in that space, a condition never observed to exist to date.

It would be far more reasonable and realistic if we conceded that the creator and creation evolved to its present vastness and complexity from a basically simple beginning of quantity and quality. Certainly we have learned enough about the behavior of atoms and their components to suspect that a degree of consciousness exists even at this level. Without this reliability of behavior we could have no quantum theory or chemical formula that held its reliability over 24 hours.

If we go back even farther to the chapter of Genesis, line 2, chap. 1, we find "and the earth was without form and void". This implies in my opinion that before form was manifest space replaced the void; for the void has no physical properties or capabilities. Thus the energy fields (or space) are a pre-requisite to the manifest forms that later derived.

We have two basic energies, the electric and the magnetic, neither of which can exchange for the other without the intervening condition of motion. This introduces the third form of energy, the kinetic, which represents manifest form, or creation. Suppose we say that the electric and magnetic fields are the creative energies. We know that both energies express negative and positive polarities in potential within their own fields. Thus either field has the cap-

ability of sustaining motion (kinetic energy) in its own field alone.

Either of the basic energies at resonance expresses its maximum polarities at 90 degrees to the direction of the particle's motion (kinetic form), exchanging, in the process, from one form of energy to the other. Details of this relationship are basic training in electronics and Alternating Current theory, involving Lenz's law and others.

THE RE-CYCLING UNIVERSE

All of which brings us to a very important law, the Conservation of Energy. If the void has no physical properties to absorb or dissipate, no energy can ever be lost. It is either a part of creation or a part of the creative forces, or both, and merely a matter of phase relation.

Here we get to the crux of the situation involving vortexian consideration. Since a void is in essence a zero potential, any excursion in the positive direction, such as growth, explosion or whatever, would create a tension (or vacuum if you prefer) from that potential. Thus a positive expression creates twice the potential difference as measured from zero. The mechanics to consider a vortexian force are there, definitely. When you find such terms as "a half power" and "two pi" having common and necessary usage in the electrical formulas it is time we began to explain the cause and not rely on empirical knowledge exclusively.

One cannot successfully entertain a fourth dimensional concept of matter without considering the source and the receptable and the content, or a trinity of conditions, since the void has no properties to qualify. This implies that the creator is a dual entity and indeed some of our oriental religions state this. There is Yang and Yin, with Yang forever becoming Yin and Yin forever becoming Yang. Mathematically a fourth dimensional situation would require two three-dimensional planes to satisfy the quantity factor -- if it is to be mathematically sound.

These two planes would cross each other at 90 degrees to each other, occupying the same space but out of phase in time. We should suspect this because light as we know it must be coming to us from two sources, as it is polarized in two planes 90 degrees apart. This means that one plane reaches us on the same axis as does sound (longitudinally polarized). This phenomenon is what produced the controversy between the corpuscular theory and the wave theory of light. Einstein laid this to rest for awhile by calling light a wavicle (a wave and a particle).

Perhaps the real significance of the Christian cross is that it symbolizes the crossing of the two planes of existence. When these are combined they give a fourth dimensional awareness -- two aspects of one reality. The Vortexian theory is scientifically sound without the need for "panting".

WHY AMERICA CANNOT AFFORD SLUM CLEARANCE

By Wright Patman

In the House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C. July 27, 1967

Mr. Speaker, high interest rates and tight money and special interest monetary policy must share a large part of the blame for the frustrations of the people in the slums and the ghettos of this Nation.

It is no wonder that we read of riots, of disturbances, of massive frustrations in the areas occupied by these forgotten Americans. It is no wonder that there is so much talk of unfulfilled promises, unfulfilled hopes, in the slum areas of the Nation.

Mr. Speaker, a large part of the responsibility for these unfulfilled promises rests at the feet of our commercial banking system and our monetary policies. These have priced credit -- and the things credit can provide -- out of the reach of the poor and the low-income people.

It is a well known fact that the banks do not provide credit to people who live in what is commonly called the "ghetto areas" of our cities. The banks will not even consider a loan to a person or a business in these areas. The residents of these areas -- many of the now riot-torn -- are left at the mercy of the loan shark and the other merchants of high and usurious interest rates. Even such illustrious publications as Life magazine are beginning to recognize the tremendous burden placed on the consumer by high interest rates. The current issue of Life carries an excellent editorial denouncing loan-sharking and demanding stronger laws on credit. This editorial relates a credit transaction in which a worker in Jersey City, N.J., was forced to pay \$297 interest on a \$123 television set.

Incidents like this are all too common throughout this country. They are multiplied in the low-income areas as the unscrupulous credit merchants -- backed by the banks -- prey on the poor. One of the country's experts on the poor -- Dr. David Caplovitz of Columbia University -- recently described the problem in this manner:

"Much more despicable, I think, are the fly-by-night companies which send their canvassers into the ghetto to sell such expensive commodities as encyclopedias, pots and pans, deep freezers and vacuum cleaners. These companies specialize in sharp practices. Once they make their dishonest sales, they quickly sell their paper to finance companies and benefit from the immunity that the law now gives them from further responsibility for the sale. And I should point out that these disreputable companies could not long survive without

the collusion of the equally disreputable finance companies and the banks which buy their paper.

"These financial institutions must share the blame for the exploitation of the poor, for they know all too well that they are buying 'bad' paper, that is, dishonestly obtained contracts, and yet they do so anyway. And when we ask the further question of where the finance companies get the funds that they need to operate, we soon discover that they often borrow from highly respectable banks. Thus, the so-called respectable financial community is also a party to the exploitation of the poor."

A 37½% INCREASE IN INTEREST RATES

High interest rates, as is always the case, have hit the poor and low-income people the hardest. While Congress has done nothing on monetary policy, high interest rates have squeezed the people in our slums and have destroyed their hopes. Is it any wonder that they are frustrated and sorely disappointed in a society which allows the Federal Reserve System and the banks to impose such usurious interest rates?

Mr. Speaker, the origin of much of this frustration was contained in the Federal Reserve Board's announcement of Dec. 6, 1965, that it was imposing a 37½ percent increase in interest rates on the American people. This announcement was a virtual death warrant to the hopes of clearing out the Nation's slums and providing decent housing. It was a death warrant for thousands of public work projects which could not be financed at the high and usurious interest rates demanded by that Dec. 6, 1965 action. Even the construction of schools had to be foregone because of high interest rates. The newspapers are filled with story after story of bond issues canceled or postponed because of high interest rates.

Newark was forced to cancel a \$15 million bond issue shortly before its slum areas were wracked by a severe riot. The city's finance director is quoted in the Wall Street Journal as saying: "The prime factor in our decision was the increasing interest costs municipalities have had to pay. . . in recent weeks." . .

Considering only the Federal budget, the excess interest charges are staggering. Let me quote from the testimony of Charles L. Schultze, the Director of the Bureau of the Budget, before the Ways and Means Committee earlier this year:

"We estimate that the increasing shortage of credit funds and rising interest rates experienced last year are adding approximately \$3 billion to the Federal budget for fiscal year 1967 as a whole."

Mr. Speaker, this \$3 billion represents only the increase resulting from the Dec. 1965 Federal Reserve action. It does not take into account the tremendous increases in interest rates since President Truman left office in 1952. . .

DO THEY RETURN?

By Mrs. Charles H. Rivers

Do our loved ones return? And do they make themselves known to us? Well, my husband and I do believe this. Let me tell you about one return. There have been others.

34 years ago my husband and I were married. My husband's family were very fine people and they accepted me as one of them. His sister and brother were 17 and 18 years older than my husband. My brother-in-law, Dave, loved my husband, Don, much like a father loves his child. They were always very close and very loyal to each other. I was fortunate in being loved by my brother-in-law and I in turn loved him as family's love each other.

Dave was a successful Dentist and a wonderful person. In my opinion he had only one fault or bad habit, he chewed tobacco. As a new bride and addition to the family I did not mention my aversion to this habit, though it was very objectionable to me. I could not reconcile a person of Dave's position in society and his immaculate and personable appearance with this obnoxious habit. As the years passed I became close enough to Don's family to feel free to express my views. I did not want to hurt anyone's feelings so any criticism I made was done in a joking manner, and was accepted in the same way.

Dave had a beautiful antique china cuspidor, pink inside and white outside with a beautiful floral design, and gracefully shaped. Whenever at Dave's home I would laughingly say, "How can you use that beautiful piece for a cuspidor? If you put it on the table and use it for flowers I'll buy any other kind you want."

"Oh; no, you dont get my cuspidor," Dave would laughingly say, "you can have anything else you want, but not that."

Through the years I continued to tease him about the cuspidor and he continued to use it, which was his right. He was always good natured about it and so was I, but he was firm in refusing to part with it.

Years of good relationship and comradeship with my brother-in-law passed, and at 83 years of age, Dave left us. He had been ill for several years and he wanted to go and was ready. Dave was deeply religious and was ready to accept any New Age books and New Age thinking. He didn't discuss these things nor make any demonstrations of his beliefs but we knew how he thought.

Don returned to Illinois to Dave's funeral. I did not go.

Before his return home to Arizona, Don visited Dave's son and wife. They had thoroughly cleaned and carefully packed Dave's antique cuspidor; they asked him to bring it home to me. They knew of the years of joking about the cuspidor between Dave and me, and they wanted me to have it.

When I opened the package and saw the cuspidor we had joked and laughed over so many times I couldn't hold back the tears and put my head down on my arms and sobbed. I hadn't thought of it or wanted it as a possession, only to give it a more fitting place than to be used as a cuspidor.

For awhile I couldn't do anything with it but finally realized Dave wanted me to use it for the purpose I had always suggested -- for flowers; so I filled it with water and kept flowers and greenery in it. Within a few days dark brown spots began to appear on the outside. They even ran down the sides of the cuspidor! The deposit would get very heavy at times but I would wash it off and say nothing about it. After several weeks of this I emptied the cuspidor, took it to the garage to the laundry tray, filled the tub with hot water and clorox and soaked the cuspidor over night. I scrubbed it again thoroughly and then filled it again with water, flowers and greens. Again and again the same thing happened, thick dark brown substance running down the sides.

All this time I did not speak of this to anyone; though I finally realized that Dave was using this method to tell us he was often with us; and this was a very definite way of announcing it. At last I told my husband and he agreed with me that Dave had been trying to attract our attention. We were both glad to have Dave come to our home; but we believe the "dead" should come if and when they so desire; and that we here on planet earth should not ask them to come, leaving it entirely to their discretion.

A week or so after I told Don about this some friends visited us for a few days. They believe as we do about these things but before telling them about what we had witnessed, Don scraped some of the brown from the cuspidor and asked them to smell it. Immediately they identified it by smell as Beachnut tobacco -- the brand that Dave had always chewed -- and asked what the inquiry was about? We then told them the story as it is told here.

That night we got out the Ouiji board, We had not used it for many years because we understand it can attract evil spirits as well as good spirits. Don had never been able to have it work for him but he put his hands on the Planchette and immediately it began to move. Dave identified himself. He told us he had been trying to get our attention for a long time, to make us realize he was with us.

"It took you a hell of a long time to find out it was your brother coming to visit," Dave spelled out. "I just wanted you to know I'm not as dead as some people think!"

"We're getting tired of cleaning that tobacco off that cuspidor, so you can stop now," Don said.

"I cant promise to stop all at once," Dave replied, "as it was quite a process to get it started; but I'll do it as soon as I can."

The staining did stop in a few days and then Don realized we hadn't kept any evidence.

"Oh! I forgot. I wanted to take pictures of the stains so I could prove to the rest of the family it wasn't our imagination!"

In a few days the brown stream was running down the side of the cuspidor again and Don got his pictures. But there was only the one stain and that was the last, the last of the tobacco. But we know it will not be the last we will hear from Dave. He will come again we know, and we will always welcome his coming. Do they return? We know our loved ones return if we are receptive and welcome them.

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"IMPORTANT WORK WITH THE HA RITE"

How did Dave materialize tobacco juice from the Astral plane onto his beloved old cuspidor? By the usual combination of imagination and desire, we suppose. And perhaps Dave's desire was transmuted to the higher potency of directed will with the help of his Spiritual Teacher. Max Freedom Long reminded us of the mechanics of successful prayer in the Oct-Nov 1966 "Huna Vistas" Bulletin:

"Important work with the Ha Rite is being done by various HRAs and the reports are such that I urge all of you who can to run some tests. You will recall that the HA rite is one upon which stress is laid by secret teaching in the Four Gospels -- these teachings being uncovered by decoding the outer version of the supposedly historic life and work of the God-man, Jesus. The code word, HA, means four or 40 or any larger number, even 400. It also means 'to breathe with force', and so we see that heavier breathing to accumulate mana is the basis of this Prayer Rite, and that the breathing may be done in a matter of four complete breaths, then a momentary pause, then a repetition. The repetition may be carried on and on, the belief being that if the High Self is given enough mana to work with, it can swiftly bring about or materialize the answer to the prayer, the latter being a steadily held mental picture of the desired condition. (Excluding with great care from the picture the present condition which is not wanted.) The mental picture is called the 'seed' in the CODE, and even if it be small as a mustard seed, it can be 'watered' by the steady sending of mana in the HA Rite and so made to 'grow' into something much desired. If there be such a thing as the 'Prayer of Miracles', the Ha Rite prayer is the best candidate for the honoe." (Huna Vistas, PO Box 875, Vista, California 92083.)

CLIPS, QUOTES & COMMENTS —

"THE HUMAN CHURCH"

Associate Clara Donatoni has sent us for review a copy of the stirring 1966 book by ex-Father William H. DuBay, published by Doubleday & Co., New York, \$4.50. DuBay made national news in 1964 by asking Rome to remove Cardinal McIntyre from his Los Angeles diocese because the Cardinal was pointedly ignoring the racial crisis. Instead, of course, Father DuBay was removed.

One paragraph from his book will suffice to show why, page 69 in the chapter, "Race Is Grace":

"The church cannot contribute to the development of secular society without undergoing development itself. It will remain a drag on the progress of democracy until becomes more democratic. The failure of the church to give effective ethical leadership in the racial struggle of America is representative of its performance in similar situations throughout the world. It is not a question of whether the church is exercising effective leadership. Its great size and power make its leadership extremely effective. But effective for what? It would not be so bad if the church merely chose to neutralize its political power, as some American bishops think they are doing; but leadership is never neutral, power is always being employed, for good or ill. And the most effective kind of leadership is silence about truth, especially the truth about injustice. The failure of the church to raise a strong cry against racism in Europe and America perpetrated one of the greatest crimes against humanity committed in the name of religion. Never has cowardice in leadership been more destructive."

Some of you will remember Cardinal McIntyre as one of the top American churchmen invited to witness the Flying Saucer landing at Edwards Air Force Base in California in 1954. He was a bishop then. Meade Layne received this information from Gerald Light by letter in April 1954 after the metaphysical teacher accompanied the bishop and two others to the Air Base. Associates have written to the churchman asking for confirmation of the 1954 landing of UFOs but receipt of the letters has not been acknowledged by the Los Angeles diocese.

MAKING THE HUMAN AURA VISIBLE TO EVERYONE

On Oct. 19-20-21, 1967, Raymond Hudd's "Space Age Center" of Chicago presented borderland scientist Joseph Mayberry in a series of three lectures: "Evidence of Extra-terrestrial Visitation", "Mystics of the Sierra Madres", and "The Human Aura, with Demonstration of the Aura Amplifier". It was this last subject which was of especial interest to us as borderland scientists and we must thank BSR Associate Joseph Panciano for sending us a brief review of the

lecture-demonstration as he saw it.

"The Joe Mayberry lecture on the Aura Amplifier attracted the most people, about 70 persons. Two persons, a man and a woman, were tested in the cabinet one at a time from 20 to 25 minutes each. The man of 52, when placed in the cabinet, apparently had erratic thoughts, as the screen of the color TV receiver showed a lot of variations of color, not any one color more dominant than any other one. This went on full time. The woman, on the other hand, had a predominant lavender color, even though there were variations of the other colors.

"When she was told to think of the planet of love, Venus, the color changed to green and blue, a bit of yellow, back to green and blue and finally back to lavender. The woman, according to the colors, appeared to be more on the spiritual side of life than the man. Everyone was fascinated as they kept staring at the changing colors on the screen.

"Based on the questions that were asked, I would say that most people were convinced of the authenticity of the Aura Amplifier. There were none of the skeptical, irritating questions that are generally asked in a demonstration of this type. The proof was in the seeing of the colored aura. Mr. Mayberry mentioned that this machine was only a crude type and that he had gone as far as he was able to go, having invested \$20,000 in it. He said he would give the information on the amplifier to someone who would be interested in carrying out further research on it without exploiting it. He mentioned that a large hospital in Los Angeles had made an offer to work with him.

"The equipment consists of a cabinet where the person sits, a Scanner which is placed over the cabinet, two electronic panels, and a Motorola 17in. color TV receiver. Prior to this a color projector was used but was not reliable, so color TV was substituted. It takes seven to 10 hours to set up the equipment, since it requires this much time to make the large cabinet light proof."

Mr. Ponciano also forwarded to us an 8½ page brochure of descriptive material on the Aura Amplifier published in mimeo form by the Mayberrys, father and son. If you'd like a copy of this yourself we suggest you send a small donation to them to help carry on their research. Their address is: Aura Amplifier, 106 W. Maple Road, Linthicum Heights, Maryland 21090.

Raymond Hudd has invited us to appear on his Space Age program for the Labor Day weekend in Chicago, 1968. If you'd like more information about the lecture program and the weekly space contact sessions at the downtown Lawson Y.M.C.A., write to Raymond Hudd, Director, Space Age International, Box 3383, Merchandise Mart, Chicago, Illinois 60654.

MIND OVER MATTER or THE PRINCIPLE OF INDETERMINACY

On Sept. 17, 1934 a prominent German physicist, Werner Heisenberg, gave a now-historically significant talk in Hanover, Germany. His subject was "Recent Changes in the Foundations of Exact Science". Among other things Heisenberg stated that: "Classical physics (of the 19th Century) dealt with the behavior of matter in space and its change in time. . . One was led to the tacit assumption that there existed an objective course of events in space and time, independent of observation; further, that space and time were categories of classifications of events, completely independent of each other, and thus represented an objective reality, which was the same to all men."

If I understand Heisenberg correctly he was saying that classical physics placed man outside the course of natural events. Man could not disturb the logical sequence of natural law, say, by the pressure of his presence as an observer or participator in life. But Einstein blasted a hole in that dike of complacency with his special theory of relativity.

"The tacit assumption of physics has been proved wrong by the experimental investigations," Heisenberg said, "In fact there lies between what we have just called 'past' and what we have just called 'future' a small but finite time interval. Its duration is determined by the position of the observer who is deciding on 'past' or 'future' and by the location of the events whose course in time is being investigated. . . Our experiences (as physical creatures) can only be made in space and time. On the other hand, the mathematical expressions suitable for the representation of experimental reality are wave functions in multi-dimensional configuration spaces which allow of no easily comprehensible interpretation." That is, in terms of our familiar, three-dimensional world. So, physics moved into metaphysics with atomic research!

"Out of this schism there arises the necessity to draw a clear dividing line in the description of atomic processes, between the measuring apparatus of the observer, which is described in classical concepts, and the object under observation, whose behavior is represented by a wave function. . .

MAN THE DISTURBER OF NATURE

"The effect of the means of observation on the observed body has to be conceived as a disturbance, partly uncontrolled in, so to speak, the region of the dividing line. This part of the disturbance, uncontrollable in principle (for man is the one free agent in nature), assumes importance in many different ways. To start with, it is the reason for the appearance of statistical laws of nature in quantum mechanics (laws of chance). Further it imposes a limit on the application of classical concepts; for the accuracy up to which it is useful to employ these concepts to describe nature intelligibly is limited by the so-called uncertainty relations. . . "

In other words, if it weren't for man's wilful behavior or misbehavior, classical physics could accurately predict the course of events. But Heisenberg takes a positive view his species.

"Finally, this uncontrollable part of the disturbance provides a wonderful method, which can be explored down to the finest detail (Man, Know Thyself!) of fitting together at the dividing line. . . . An appreciation of this fact also helps to dispose of an objection frequently made against the finality of quantum mechanics; namely, that behind the interrelations statistically formulated by it, there may be hidden yet another system of determinist natural laws concerning hitherto unknown defining data of nature. . . ."

And we call this "other system of determinist natural laws" Occult Science. You dont need even a college education to study and practice it.

(Philosophic Problems of Nuclear Science, eight lectures by Werner Heisenberg. A Fawcett Premier Book (paper back) 60¢.)

"DOES MAN INFLUENCE THE ELECTRON?"

In support of Heisenberg's 1934 hypothesis we have this news item from the Los Angeles "Herald-Examiner", Sept. 5, 1967, sent in by Associate Bob Beck:

"A mystifying, seemingly 'psychic' effect of man upon the electron, a part of the atom, is reported by a Seattle scientist to the American Physical Society. Dr. Helmut Schmidt, German-born research physicist at the Boeing Scientific Research laboratories, Seattle, has reported that in his carefully done experiments with moving electrons he found significant evidence of some influence of man upon the motions of the electrons.

"The established scientific law about such particles as the electrons, called 'quantum mechanics', makes not the slightest allowance for any human influence upon the electrons in the kind of experiment that was made (guess Schmidt never heard of Heisenberg's lecture). Electrons are the smallest material particles, each having one unit of electric charge, known to scientists. In the hydrogen atom, one electron keeps revolving around one proton, a heavier and oppositely charged particle. Dr. Schmidt used the device called the Geiger-Muller tube which detects any electrons entering it, such as the electrons of the cosmic rays present and rushing through space. The experimenter just pushes the button to start the tube operation. Electrons were entering the tube 10 per second on the average.

"What was found was that the man's position relative to the tube, when he pressed the button, affected the electrons' rate.

"According to the accepted 'quantum statistics' law, a man's or a woman's personality, shown in the position reatively to the electrons' recording tube, should make not the slightest difference

in the click-click-click registerings of the electrons.

"Reports Dr. Schmidt: 'The results show -- with a very high statistical significance -- that there does exist a Not-Yet-Understood weak correlation between a statistical process and the experimenter who initiates the process.'

"Dr. Schmidt was asked: 'Do you think that the electrons have some kind of simple mind that tunes up with the human mind? Or do you, like Dr. Joseph B. Rhine of Duke University, hold that the human mind from a distance can change future events, such as the rate of electron click-clicks in the Geiger-Muller tube?'

"'I am reporting to skeptical physicists, you know. I do not offer any explanation of the fact I have observed,' Dr. Schmidt replied cautiously."

THIS IS A MORAL UNIVERSE

There is another very good reason for scientist Schmidt's refusal to discuss or even accept the obvious implications of his discovery, responsibility; that is, moral responsibility for the results of his acts. He would say, I suppose, that this is a behavior problem. Behavior problems fall in the realm of morals and ethics. These are the concern of religion and philosophy, not pure science! So, discoveries like those of Dr. Schmidt will not be embraced with any enthusiasm by orthodox science. Present day scientists do not want their zeal for research to be cooled or hindered by thoughts of moral responsibility toward their fellow man, much less animals and other forms of sub-human life. As the Venusian gal Borealis Telano commented to our Associate, Rolf, back in 1953: The best we can hope for at the present time is to get you people to love or at least tolerate one another. To expect you to recognize life, conscious life, in the lower forms, and love it, is too much to ask of mankind now.

MIND OVER MATTER, THE PRINCIPLE OF RESPONSIBILITY

From Senator Fulbright's mailbag, as published in I.F.Stone's "Weekly" and "Life Science":

"Dear Senator Fulbright: I went to Vietnam a hard-charging Marine 2nd Lt., sure I had answered the plea of a victimized people. That belief lasted about two weeks. Instead of fighting Communist aggressors I found that 90% of the time our military actions were directed against the people of South Vietnam. We are engaged in a war in Vietnam to pound a people into submission to a government that has little or no popular support.

"Much has been written about the terror tactics used by the Viet Cong. The real terrorists in Vietnam are the Americans and their Allies. I don't deny that some of the accusations against the VC are true, but from my own experience the terror and havoc that we spread makes the VC look like a girl scout picnic. Can you imagine what an isolated village looks like after it has been hit

by over five hundred of our 750-pound bombs in a matter of seconds? Women, children, old men, cattle and every living thing struck down without ever knowing from where the destruction originated? (Our American B-52 bombers releasing this total destruction at six or seven miles altitude, like Flying Saucers, are unseen and unheard by unsuspecting people on the ground below them.)

"This particular village ceased to exist because it was in a VC dominated area. Intelligence reports said that it might have been used as a North Vietnamese regimental headquarters. We never found any dead soldiers, but as it is the custom in VC controlled areas, all the dead were listed as VC killed in action.

"I also saw thousands of pounds of rice dumped in rivers and otherwise destroyed because some small unit commander decided there was too much rice in this particular village for the number of people living there and therefore the surplus must be going to the VC. Here is some 2nd Lt. with a degree in Literature suddenly making himself an expert on Asian agriculture and family consumption patterns. These people had worked for months to bring in a rice harvest and their American 'defenders' had come along and destroyed it in a matter of minutes. They certainly aren't going to be thinking of us as saviors. This scene was repeated dozens of times during my tour.

"I wanted to tell you that there are many, many of us in the military who oppose this war and appreciate your efforts to bring out the truth and get this thing stopped. We are not very vocal because it is all right for a military man to speak out in support of the war, but to speak out in opposition would subject us to very serious repercussions. All three of my friends who went to Vietnam with me came away sharing my feelings. At one time I thought I would make the military my career. But I could not live with myself if I stayed in the service of my own free will, and was sent to Vietnam again to brutalize these poor people."

HURRICANE BEULAH EVENS THE SCORE

Of our own free will we have been disturbing Nature for several years now in Vietnam, upsetting the natural balance of electrons and protons in physical matter; so, Nature restores the balance by a corresponding reaction here in America. Vietnamese stood helplessly by as patriotic American soldiers dumped their food in the river. In southeast Texas on Wednesday, Sept. 20th, Texas farmers stood helplessly by as Hurricane Beulah dumped millions of dollars worth of ripe tomatoes and citrus fruit in the Rio Grande. The state agriculture commissioner said that \$50 million worth of grapefruit, ready for market, was knocked off the trees by wind and rain.

A couple of years ago in Vietnam we moved at least 10,000 Vietnamese from their homes and villages in the so-called Iron Triangle and put them in concentration camps. Our military leaders wanted the area cleared for fighting. I wondered then how long it would be before Nature would return the same kind of ruthless deal to

the Americans who approve and pay for such actions.

LET'S LOOK AT THE CATASTROPHE RECORD

Grand Island, Nebraska (UPI) June 17, 1967

"Floodwaters swept through this city of 25,000 Friday and more than 5000 flood evacuees crowded into churches and other public institutions. Mayor Howard Peterson flew over his city and said damage would run into the millions of dollars. The mayor termed it a 'one in a hundred years flood'."

Fairbanks, Alaska (AP) August 17, 1967

"Floodwaters began to ebb slowly Wednesday in this devastated Alaskan city, where half the 30,000 residents were homeless and all business was paralyzed. More than 14,000 refugees were being cared for at a half-dozen evacuation centers within a radius of 25 miles. Another 1000 had been flow out."

El Centro, Calif. Imperial County News, August 17, 1967

"Property damage totalling about a half-million dollars was caused by the violent windstorm which swept Imperial valley late Monday night and early Tuesday."

Texarkana, Texas. (UPI) August 24, 1967

"A chemical fire and two fireball explosions in a string of derailed freightcars injured 10 persons and force 6,700 to be evacuated before firemen extinguished the flames Wednesday."

Los Angeles, Calif. (Times) August 24, 1967

"Violent thunderstorms sailed through four Southland counties like an invasion armada Wednesday (or like American bombers devastating Vietnam cities and countryside? RHC), unleashing barrages of lightning, heavy showers and tornado-like winds. In their wake were flash floods, brush and grass fires, blinding sand storms and wind-toppled trees and powerlines."

Pacific Northwest. (UPI) August 24, 1967

"A weak storm front moved across the fire-scarred Pacific Northwest Thursday with gusty winds and electrical storms that added to the misery of an area where rampaging blazes already have consumed nearly 100,000 acres of forest. . . The threat of new conflagrations came as a blow to weary fire fighters who have been battling for almost two weeks in an effort to control hundreds of lightning-caused blazes in five Western states and British Columbia."

Brownsville, Texas (UPI) September 21, 1967

"Hurricane Beulah set off 27 death-dealing, destructive tornadoes Wednesday in a drive from Brownsville toward the open range country of south Texas. The tornadoes killed four persons and injured 15. . . 16,000 persons were in shelters in Corpus Christi

and several thousand others moved in with relatives. An estimated 30,000 spent Tuesday night in shelters along the coast."

Harlingen, Texas (AP) September 26, 1967

"Floodwaters from the Rio Grande, on a record rise with water from Hurricane Beulah's massive rains, toppled another floodway diversion dam Monday and buried fashionable Harlingen homes. About 5000 persons fled for higher ground."

Los Angeles, Calif. (Times) October 16, 1967

"Major brush fires erupted Sunday on two sides of Los Angeles County, destroyed 28 homes in the Chatsworth Reservoir area, threatened hundreds of other homes there and forced more than 300 persons to be evacuated from their homes in Whittier. . . The giant fires were whipped to blowtorch-like intensity by Santa Ana winds of up to 50 m.p.h. and burned more than 10,000 acres. Other blazes erupted in Ventura and San Bernardino counties, burning more than 16,000 acres."

Do you suppose the "blowtorch-like intensity" of these local fires compares with the effects of the Napalm jellied-gasoline bombs we've been using since 1964 in Vietnam? Probably. And on Monday morning, Oct. 16, some Los Angeles motorists got a taste of what our fire-bombing of Vietnam highways has been doing to traffic there for the last three years. "A gasoline tanker and trailer were returned in a tunnel connecting the Harbor and San Diego Freeways and burst into flames Sunday evening, killing two men and closing the San Diego Freeway overnight." The next morning, rush hour traffic jammed to a dead stop because of this accident and backed up for ten miles! I think the most interesting catastrophe headlines to date, revealing the karmic link-up we're talking about, were in the LA "Times" for Monday, October 30th:

"U.S. JETS STRIKE HAIPHONG-HANOI AREA FOR SIXTH DAY"

"BRUSH FIRES ERUPT IN FIVE COUNTIES"

By Tuesday, thousands of Southern Californians knew what it was to be under threat of attack. According to the "Times": "The most disastrous fire in Orange County history flamed southward Monday night along the Santa Ana mountains after destroying more than 50 homes. Towering flames, lashed out of control by fierce Santa Ana winds, roared toward the El Toro Marine Air Station after whipping through foothill communities east of Anaheim and Orange and blackening 35,000 acres. Thousands of evacuees from fire-ravaged towns (our bombers have by now flattened every sizable village and town in North Vietnam) flocked into two emergency centers and to homes of relatives and friends as 1000 fire fighters sought to make a stand against the blaze. Orange County officials estimated the structural damage at more than \$2 million. Dozens of schools remained closed throughout Monday, and at least 30,000 youngsters stayed away from classes. . . ." Dr. Schmidt! Does all this represent a weak or a strong correlation between "a statistical process and the experimenter who initiates the process"?

DR. ROGERS NEEDS A THIRD MIRACLE

"What do you think of Dr. Rogers in Vancouver? I'd like to visit him for a somewhat chronic condition that Susie Jessel and Dr. Ruth Drown took care of temporarily but it never did leave. Also, why not ask for Dr. Rogers' other two miracles write-up for the Round Robin Journal?"

R.B., British Columbia

If you want to visit Dr. Rogers now, R.B., it would have to be in jail. If we cant accomplish a third miracle and get him out with our letters and prayers, he'll have plenty of time to write!

WE HEAR FROM A CANADIAN FIRE CHIEF

"At a recent jury trial held in Vancouver, Dr. E.E. Rogers was sentenced to one year in Oakalla Prison Farm. He was found guilty on a charge of a 22-month old boy dying of starvation. He had this boy as a patient for only six weeks. The Pathologist's report stated that the boy had died of starvation over a period of a year. The jury found him, Dr. Rogers, guilty and the Judge was committed to sentence him. Evidence given showed that Dr. Rogers considered the child a terminal case from the start and told the child's father this, but, said he would do what he could to help him. A witness testified to this effect at the trial. Notwithstanding the above evidence the jury found Dr. Rogers guilty.

"I have known Dr. Rogers for over 30 years and can testify for the wonderful results to many, many people with chronic complaints that he has cured. Dr. Rogers has written the finest book on health in my opinion, that has ever been written and I have read dozens by the world's most eminent doctors. He was awarded an Honorary Award by the Optometrists of America, the highest award they can give to anyone, for his contribution to Optometry in 1958.

"A large number of his friends and patients in this area are sending letters to the Canadian Parole Board (Executive Director of National Parole, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada) for his immediate release. We have been informed that this should help, so if you would suggest this similar action by all your subscribers and members we would greatly appreciate any help you can give us in this way. Dr. Rogers sends his personal regards and I wish you every success."

D.J. Wisheart, Fire Chief
New Westminster, B.C., Canada

How's about taking the time and trouble to let the Canadian Parole Director know that somebody cares about what happened to Dr. Rogers. I know from personal experience in rehabilitation work at the Honolulu prison that both prisoners and prison officials are moved to positive action when outsiders show their continuing interest and concern about those unfortunate enough to have been placed behind prison bars for any reason. . . Dr. Rogers' book, "Philosophy and Science of Health", \$5 a copy, Lee Foundation for Nutritional Research, 2023 W. Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee, Wis. 53201.

FLYING SAUCER DETECTOR

A new Associate, Roger P. Perrinjaquet is producing a neat little UFO detector. It has a compass needle, contact points, one-transistor circuit, buzzer, powered by a 9 volt battery and housed in a plastic case, 4x3 $\frac{1}{4}$ x1 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. It functions on the principle that nearby UFOs cause wild fluctuations in the earth's magnetic lines of force, causing wild swings of compass needles. When the buzzer sounds, run outside and look up for the invader-visitor. The UFO detector costs \$7 and is delivered by airmail from: GEOS, 1214 Vernier, Geneva, Switzerland.

BSRA BUSINESS

Our efforts to amend the BSRA charter to conform to Federal requirements concerning non-profit corporations have not succeeded. State law requires an affirmative vote of at least two-thirds of the membership for such a proposed change to become effective. Only 91 members responded last spring, all affirmative, but we would need at least 400. Beyond that the Secretary of the State of California is rather offended that we should endeavor to change our charter using Federal guidelines and without consulting his office. This is an infringement on the sovereign authority of the State of California! Looks as though it will require the services of a legal eagle to take us through this jungle. We don't see one around, nor the money to pay him; so we'll continue our borderland research on the same old basis as we have for the past eight years.

Membership dues. A dozen members have responded on our proposal to raise dues from \$5 to \$6 a year to help take care of increased postal rates and other expenses, paper, supplies, repairs to equipment. 10 are for increasing the dues and continuing to publish the Journal at seven or eight issues a year. One was for continuing at the \$5 rate and only six issues a year. One was for raising the rate to \$7 a year. The trend is definite enough to indicate the approval of the increased rate of \$6 a year. Our brand of information is unique enough the majority of members would rather have it oftener.

GUIDE LINES FOR SPACE CONTACT

Instructions contained in the July-Aug Journal have been expanded into a UFO talk which examines in detail both sides of the Flying Saucer Contactee picture. Contacts with the good guys and bad guys from outer space make exciting reading and listening. We call the talk "Who Flies the Saucers?" In 1954, Ramon Natalli, of the Inner Circle, told us that a new type of humanoid was being developed by certain of the Visitors, ready to move in and take over should present mankind prove a total failure. The contact stories indicate that the humanoid development is well along. The collective death-wish of Americans, at least, is obvious in the continued expansion of the war in Vietnam, leading eventually to direct confrontation with China. Unless men of goodwill can somehow stop the military maniacs in Washington and Peking from carrying out their present plans for using atomic weapons, the end is

clear. If we have so little appreciation of our planetary schoolroom that we intend to blow it up, others who have been wanting to get in here anyway may be allowed to do so -- and make more constructive use of the place. "Who Flies the Saucers" is a review of some of the significant UFO contacts and an attempt to analyze and compare various reasons for their being here. Some are encouraging. Some are discouraging. On tape only at present. Monaural, 3 3/4 speed, 5 in. reel, 1 1/2 hours, \$4.50 plus tax.

SPACECRAFT FROM BEYOND THE SUN Even as the Flying Saucers are here to make an examination for the record of the last days of this Piscean civilization; so are they here to oversee the birth of a new Aquarian Age civilization! This mimeo talk by the Director of BSRA is an examination of the significant prophetic material about this critical period, 1966 through 2000 A.D. This includes a review of the coming of the Masters -- and the so-called Reappearance of the Christ -- from Alice A. Bailey's "A Treatise on Cosmic Fire", and the coming of a new Sun into our solar system as described by a Jupiter Flying Saucer captain to Dino Kraspedon in Brazil in 1952. If this prophecy is true, we will be living in a binary solar system in the New Age. 48 pages, 8 1/2 x 11 mimeo, illustrated. \$1.25

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