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1971 (Approx date) Night So. of Broome, W.A., Australia

Type E

The wife of a well-known Australian singer, and her two teenaged daughters, observed a light by the side of the road while following her husband's car some distance behind. Thinking her husband may have stopped by the side of the road, they pulled to the side (her oldest daughter was driving). They found that the light came from the figure of a "man" who was bathed in a luminous glow.

"One hand was outstretched and from it to the ground, rather in the manner of a yo-yo, a ball of white light bounced up and down." Then the three witnesses saw that they were surrounded by thousands of small lights, arranged in rows as far as the eye could see. The daughter who was driving turned the car around and retreated over these rows of lights, which were extinguished upon each impact.

Investigator: Bill Chalker, for S.A. UFO Research.

Source: Oram, J., The Daily Mirror, Feb. 5, 1975; Sp. Report by Chalker, summarized in K. Basterfield's list of CEIII's.

Stewart and Lyle Leppke, doing their early morning farm chores, observed a lighted object in a cattle lot. When they flashed their light on it, they saw a diminutive figure, less than 2 ft tall, moving about near the object, which had small windows on it. They immediately went to the house to notify their mother, who called the sheriff; the object had departed by the time he arrived. The boys said the UFO hovered a few feet off the ground, and when it departed, tipped to one side and then sped rapidly away.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: Peabody (Kans.) Gazette-Herald, January 28, 1971, reprinted in DATA-NET V-5 (May 1971), vii-viii.

Richard Williams, his wife and his son, were driving toward Willard when they saw a low-flying object that "looked like a bat" coming toward their car. "On the middle of each wing there seemed to be a rocket or a jet engine, and it had red and white lights on each wing and on the tails." They thought at first it was a plane crashing. It was 25-30 ft in diameter and came to within 100 ft of the car and then took off toward Willard, in the east. There was a transparent "cock-pit" in the front of the UFO, through which could be seen the movements of "some kind of creature," silhouetted by a flashing light behind it. Multiple reports of sightings came from Tiro, Sandusky and other sections of Huron County around the same time.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: Mansfield (Ohio) News-Journal, January 23, 1971, reprinted in MUFON's Skylook #41 (April 1971), 6-7; Norwalk (ohio) Reflector, January 23 and 25, 1971, reprinted in DATA-NET V-4 (April 1971), 7-8.

71-04 February 2, 1971 Night Kiininki, Finland

Type C

A luminous object paced a car driven by Mrs. Sinikka Kuittinen and a companion, Mrs. Manninen; it disappeared from view, at which time the two women saw a creature, one meter tall, wearing clothes "vert-marron," which bounded quickly across the road in front of the vehicle, disappearing on the other side.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: LDLN # (August 1972), 10.

Two young men, P. Aliranta and E. J. Sneck, were working in the woods when Aliranta noticed a 15-foot metallic object, shaped like two saucers put together, and with four thin legs, descending in a clearing 50 feet away. As it landed, a little entity just under 3 feet tall glided to the ground from an opening in the underside; dressed in a green one-piece "diver's suit," it wore a helmet with a circular face plate. It approached the young men, walking on top of the deep snow, and Aliranta moved toward it with his motor saw in hand. Through 3 windows on the upper part of the UFO, 3 more entities could be seen. The humanoid retreated before Aliranta and was rising into the air under the object when the young man grabbed it by the heel of its boot with his bare hand; he found it burned like a hot iron, and he had to let go at once. (The burns were still visible on his right hand two months later.) As soon as the being was back in the UFO, it ascended with a slight buzzing sound or hum. Both men felt stiff all over and had difficulty in moving. Four landing leg-marks and small footprints were left in the snow.

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Investigator: /Kuningas and others of the Interplanterians Ass'n of
Helsinki.

Source: Kuningas, T., "The Humanoid at Kinnula," FSR XVII-5 (Sept.-Oct.
1971), 18-19.

Driving along an old road, Franklin Altamirano saw 3 strange figures walking toward him in the middle of the road. They were clad entirely in black, with black hoods over their heads with eyeholes through which the eyes glowed phosphorescently. As they made no move to get out of the way, the witness was forced to run onto the shoulder to ~~stop~~ turn around, at a distance of under 10 meters, to return to town, rather than pass them. Returning later to the site, he could find no traces; however, 3 days later, while driving over the same route, he again saw a similar entity, but moving in the opposite direction to the first occasion.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: FSR XVIII-4 (July-August 1972), 23-24 (qu. the Neuquen Sur Argentino, March 25, 1972).

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71-07 February 16, 1971 1800 Nr Straken, Sweden Type E.

Waiting for a bus, Åke Westerberg saw a little man in the middle of the road, about 50 ft away, just standing motionless. "I couldn't see his face; there was just a grey spot there." Westerberg stepped closer out of curiosity, and he heard the little figure growl; then there suddenly appeared a flash of white light so intense that he had to shut his eyes for a few seconds; when he re-opened them, the little figure had disappeared.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: FSR Case Hist. #4 (April 1971), 13-14 (qu. Norrlandska Social-Demokraten, Feb. 26, 1971).

71-08 . February 18, 1971 0950 St. Charles, Missouri

Type A

Dr. J. W. Mueller, D.C. Martin Thoele and Theodore Thoele observed a cone-shaped, "cage-like" object, 10 feet wide by 10 feet high, tipped at an angle, approximately 400 feet above the street. The object was noiseless, and a string of lights extended down on what would correspond to three wires of the "cage" to a point mid-way between the tip of the cone and its base. The object was occupied by a single figure.

Investigator:

Source: MUFON's SKYLOOK #45 (August 1971), 13; Palmer's Flying Saucers (Fawcett summary), March 1972, 12, citing UFO Research Newsletter (Lore) I-5 (August-Sept. 1971).

71-09

February 22, 1971 Evening Turun Sanomat, Finland

Type D

On the same evening that at least 5 residents of Turun Sanomat saw a UFO, a resident of Turku encountered a strange entity dressed "like a vagabond;" the entity told the witness to follow him, which he did. Then the being disappeared "into the air," at the same moment the witness lost his memory. When he came to, he found himself standing in exactly the same spot, in the intense cold, more than an hour later.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: LDLN # (August 1972), 10.

71-10 February 26, 1971 2230 Brooksville, Florida

Type A

Robert Milcher, 18, and a 10-year-old boy saw a hovering UFO at least 50 feet in diameter, with red lights and a searchlight-like beam, which responded to flashlight signals. In a lighted dome, 6-10 occupants dressed in green coveralls were visible around a control panel; they waved to the witnesses. The latter felt a numbness and stinging sensation in their arms and wrists. When the UFO departed, it emitted a sound like a swarm of bees.

Investigator: William H. LeFevre, Florida UFO Study Group.

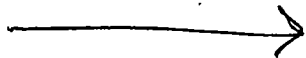
Source: Fawcett, G., "Ufonauts in the 1970s," Flying Saucers, March 1972, 12.

1971 Addenda

#1108 March 5, 1971 0110 Between Trénel & Condamine (Jura), France

Type C

M. Gilbert Camus, a radio-electrician, was driving to his shop in Savigny when he noticed lights at the right side of the road ahead. As he approached, he saw that these were a line of 8 bluish-luminescent rectangles (the longer side horizontal) on the ground in a marshy meadow beside the road. Above them he could then distinguish, in the moonlight, a flattened-hemispherical dome, apparently of dark metal, about 25 ft high & 50 ft wide. When he arrived near the object, he saw 3 "animals" on all fours, climbing up the roadbank; their heads were level with his windshield, so they "must have been of great stature." Their heads were like an ant's, with "a rounded lobe flanked by 2 other lobes swelling out like cheeks"; he saw no faces. In the meadow he could see about 20 more of these beings, some upright and others on all fours. His car had just passed them when it was filled with bluish-white light from behind, as if a "ray" had been projected at him. He ceased to control the car, which spontaneously slowed down to about 12 mph, then recovering its initial speed as he reached the outskirts of Condamine.



1971 Addendum

New

Ab. March 1971 Ngt Nr El Garrobo (Seville?), Spain

Type E

Vicente Osuna, driving home to Guillena, observed on one night the passage of an oval object that knocked out the motor of his car and left him feeling a strange malaise. On or around the same time he also observed, along the same route, "some strange heads, non-human, nor those of animals, illuminated by their own light."

(That's all there is to the account.)

Investigator: Ignacio Darnaude

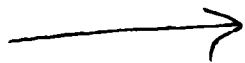
Source: LDLN #130 (Dec. 1973), pp. 20-21

Two young men, Brian Scott and Nick Corbin, were in the Superstition Mountains, near Apache Junction, to gather snakes. During the night, a light was seen coming over the mountains; it approached, and the next thing they knew, they were hastily leaving the campsite, following an unexplainable lapse of time.

Five years later, under hypnosis, Scott described how the object, emitting a purplish light from underneath, approached and hovered over them. He felt a "pulsating, pulling feeling" and the two young men were "lifted" up into the craft. Inside, they were ~~separated~~ separated, and Scott was led down a corridor ~~to a door~~ to a door which, upon approaching, "shattered;" inside, in a small room filled with mist, he encountered 4 or 5 similar creatures, 7 feet tall and with greyish skin similar to that of a crocodile, and with 3-fingered hands. Scott was stripped and placed against a wall panel very brilliantly lighted; the room was cold and ~~the~~ mist emerged from vents in the floor. A machine directly in front of him appeared to "scan" him, and a new entity, this one 9 feet tall, communicated telepathically with him, and asked why he was afraid. His mind was briefly transported to, presumably, the being's home planet. The beings who examined him had huge ears, no hair, and slit-like mouths; their feet were elephant-like, with three broad toes.

When the examination was completed, Scott was reunited with his friend and returned to the ground, with no conscious memory of what had taken place. However, both felt an unspecified terror of such degree that they immediately packed their gear and returned to town.

by a 7 ft
entity



Scott, under continued hypnotic regression, subsequently claimed to have been abducted on a number of other occasions, twice in 1973, and again in the fall and early winter of 1975, when his reports were under investigation. Other strange occurrences took place in his home in southern California, and there was ~~at least~~ one occasion when he was caught perpetrating a hoax.

Investigators: Al Lawson, for MUFON and CUFOS, and Dr. William McCall

Sources: Personal communications from Idabel Epperson, January and March, 1976; personal communication from Lester Steward, November, 1975; case material submitted to CUFOS, courtesy Dr. Hynek; Roberts, C., in Anaheim (Calif.) Bulletin, February 13, 1976.

The anonymous witness, an aboriginal ~~native~~, had gone into the kitchen for a glass of water. He saw a little face pressed against the kitchen window. "It had no face and it looked like a small saucer." Then the man was levitated horizontally and "sucked out" through the window by an unknown force, and fell at the bottom of the back steps on his back, unhurt but terrified. His wife, hearing the pane of glass breaking, entered the kitchen in time to see her 5' 2" husband disappearing horizontally through the lower pane, which was 4.5 feet from the floor. To jump through it would have been impossible, as it was 32" wide and only 10" deep, and fronted upon the kitchen sink; the distance to the ground outside was 7 feet. "The man was terrified, yet he could not run from the object (being) out of fear. He went to it." This strange occurrence took place only hours after a number of people in nearby Kempsey had observed a strange bright light in the sky.

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Investigator: Miss Patricia Riggs, for the Macleay Argus.

Source: Buckle, E. "Defenestration at Kempsey," FSR XVIII-4 (July-August 1971), ~~20-22~~ 20-22 (qu. The Macleay Argus, April 8, 1971); also reprinted in DATA-NET V-7 (July 1971), 17-18, and APHO Bulletin, May-June, 1971, 3-4.

71-13 April 14, 1971 2000 Mr Evans City, Pennsylvania

Type A

, Marion L. and Dennis D. (names confidential),

An engaged couple/saw a yellow-white light flying near their car, which dropped behind a nearby hill. They drove in that direction on a dirt road, and found a luminous object hovering just above the ground over a ploughed field, 80 yards away. Shaped like a large bowl inverted over a smaller one, it had rectangular, vertical windows in the upper half, and round ones below the rim, and was 25-30 ft in diameter. A reddish, flickering glow was visible inside the upper windows, and Miss L. perceived two human-like figures silhouetted in them; the figures appeared to be about 10 feet tall. Frightened, the witnesses drove away.

Investigators: Robert A. Schmidt and D. Hillman, for UFORI, Pittsburgh.

Source: Schmidt, R.A., "Callery UFO and Occupants," FSR XVII-4 (July-August 1971), 3-5; NICAP Investigator, May 1971, 3 (giving the date of occurrence as April 18, 1971).

A Greenacre woman, Mrs. F. (name confidential) and her 10-year-old daughter, were going home in a taxi. On passing Roberts Park, they saw an object hovering over the flood-lighted field where youths were playing football. The field lights formed a kind of "ceiling" over the field and it is unlikely that had they looked up, they could have seen anything.

The object was "football-shaped," the interior light being "the saddest blue imaginable," the top portion being transparent and the bottom "greyish metallic, like gun metal," with 3 large transparent holes. The object tilted downward, revealing 3 tall humanoid figures, over 6 ft in height, in the transparent upper half of the UFO. One pointed down at the witnesses and then turned toward a rectangular, lighted ~~area~~ area. Mrs. F. asked the cabbie, a Greek, to stop, but he accelerated away, drove straight to her home and left in a frightened state, without collecting his fare.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: UFOIC Newsletter #31 (June/July 1971), summarized in K. Basterfield's list of Australian CEIII references.

HumCat # 1836 .

May (undated), 1971 After 0200 Waluka, New Zealand

Type B

The witness (unidentified) was having a late cup of tea when he glanced out his window at the nearby beach and observed three men chatting. They seemed to be "shrouded in a grey mist." Through the branches of a macracarpa and pine trees shone a bright red light from a spherical object. A "silver strip" appeared on the water and appeared to light the way back for the men to get on the red ball." Then the strip disappeared and the red object moved off, slowly at first, seeming to bounce along in the air at low altitude. It then gathered altitude as it approached a nearby aerodrome, soaring very high until it went out of sight.

Investigator:

Source: Canadian UFO Report, II-3, p. 25

71-15 May 8, 1971 0330 Houston, Texas

Type E

The witness, a lady member of APRO, went to the window at 3:30 a.m. and saw 3 small figures about 5 ft tall walking by in single file. All wore light blue sports shirts and dark trousers, and had "pale complexions and mousy hair," appearing to be "intently engrossed."

Investigator: None.

Source: APRO Bulletin, May-June 1971, 4-5.

Michael D. (name confidential), 15, was on his way home after camping out with two other boys; while crossing a grassy field, alone, he saw a bright object slowly approaching at low altitude, passing over some high-tension lines that crossed the field. He crouched down in some tall grass as the object landed, with a "bounce," 100 feet away. The silvery object was "higher than it was wide" and had a "walkway" that ran around its circumference, and red & white revolving lights on the top.* A door "came down" out of which emerged a "huge" figure, who was hunched over, had long arms, and wore shiny, light-reflecting clothing. In one hand it held a glowing box. Walking in a "stiff-legged, bouncing" motion, the humanoid giant approached the grass where Michael was hiding; frightened, the boy sic'd his dog on the figure, who turned and re-entered the UFO. A few minutes later it took off. His companions returned a short time later and found Michael, still in the grass, moaning and very frightened. At the site the next day were found 7 holes in the ground, 2.5" wide at the top and a foot deep.

Two days later, Michael and several other members of his family saw a bright disc-shaped object, which had chased his sisters in a car as they drove up the long driveway to their house.

* Insert: The object emitted a humming noise.

Investigators: John Carlson and Bruce Maccabee, for NICAP.

Source: Special report by the investigators, courtesy J. Carlson;
NICAP Investigator, May 1972, 1, 4; op. cit., Sept. 1973, 2, 4.

1971 Addenda

July 12 or 13, 1971 2300 Notre-Dame-du-Nord (Quebec), Canada

Type E

M. Gaétan Paquin, a young man in his twenties, was just arriving at his home when he saw "a completely white being of human form, with a pointed nose, slanted eyes, and a little puckered mouth" standing near him, seen in profile (source has sketch.) "His height did not exceed 4 ft. He had no hair, and nothing that resembled clothing. He was very, very visible in the darkness--there was no light, for the sky was overcast and the electricity was out that night." He appeared to be transparent, and M. Paquin had the impression that a stone would have passed right through him. Frightened by this apparition, M. Paquin fled.

Investigator: Jean Ferguson (for UFO-Québec.)

Source: Ferguson in UFO-Québec #9 (1977), p. 11.

1971 Corrigenda

(HumCat #1116)

Add the following abstract:

May 30, 1971 1405 Dannes (Pas-de-Calais), France

Type B

Mme. X, cutting some grass for her rabbits, perceived half a mile away, in a large chalk quarry, a dark object like a turned-over basin, hovering near the ground. Near it a small being with a large head was moving about; after about 10 minutes, he was "sucked up" into the object, which at once took off. No traces were found.

(The editor of LDLN suggests that at the distance of this observation, one could hardly tell whether a being was small or large, or what his head was like.)

Investigator: René Bazin, for C.E.P.S.

Source: LDLN V/1 (March '72), p. 3.

1971 Addendum

New Early Summer (June?), 1971 Dawn Iowa City, Iowa Type A

An unidentified nurse was driving to work one morning when she saw what appeared to be an "egg-shaped cage" suspended from a long line that came down from the sky. Enclosed behind vertical bars on the object was a figure of a man dressed in a shiny, form-fitting outfit; he was too far away to be able to see features, but it appeared thick-chested, and his arms and legs were proportionally thicker than that of a normal person. He moved about inside the cage and the woman felt that he was definitely looking down at her. A newspaper delivery boy and a laundry delivery man are also reported as having observed the object and its occupant, and all described that the face area of the figure seemed to be darker than the shiny suit. A report appears to have been made out to the police.

Investigator: Brad Steiger

Source: Steiger, B. Gods of Aquarius, Harcourt, Brace Jovanovich (N.Y.C., 1976), pp. 11-12.

Miss Esther Clappison, noticing a light outside her home, went to the window and saw a rectangular window, illuminated from within by a white light, on an object whose shape she could not make out, which rested on the ground. In the window was a man less than 5 ft tall, dressed in an olive-green outfit that completely covered him, even his face. He seemed to be aware of the witness observing him from a distance of approximately 200 feet; he used his body and arm to apparently conceal some sort of control panel. He was also trying to attract the attention of another humanoid figure outside of the object, visible in the light from the window, who was stooped over and picking up something from the ground--apparently rocks, since he "picked up" and didn't "scoop up." Although she tried to move closer to get a better look, Miss C.'s dog would not let her, and although trembling and cowering, he forced his mistress back inside the house. After the object left, the grass at the landing site was charred black over an area 20 ft in diameter. (A drawing on the cover of FSR Case Histories #16 shows two figures inside the object.)

Investigator: William K. Allan for APRO and FSR.

Source: FSR Case Hist. #10 (June 1972), 4-5; FSR Case Hist. #16 (Aug. 1973), 6-7; APRO Bulletin, March-April 1972, 1 & 4.

71-18 June 15, 1971 2055 Alton, IllinoisType **A** B?

Tony Wilkens, a young veteran, told Alton police that a 50-foot "velvety silver" UFO with radiating green lights hovered outside his second-story back porch; two humanoid occupants of the craft "made contact" with him by mental telepathy (it is unclear as to whether they emerged from the object to do so); they gave him a formula that would provide "the universe at his fingertips," which he wrote out for the police; they also invited him to take a ride in the object, but he refused. They promised to return on August 3, but by that time the witness had been committed to the State Mental Institution, at Alton.

Investigator: Neal C. Butler, for APRO.

Sources: Alton Evening Telegraph, June 16, 1971, p. 1; reprinted in MUFON's Skylook #45 (August 1971), 11; personal communication from Mrs. Rosetta Holmes (undated).

Dr. G. A. de la Motta and Dr. A. Arocha observed two men clad in black suits with red ties and black berets, get out of a car 500 yards from the house; the men proceeded to put on orange belts. Suddenly a circular, bell-shaped shining object descended from the sky to within 2 feet of the ground; about 90 feet in diameter, it changed rapidly in color from orange to blue to white. Then it put down a small staircase, and the two men entered the object; then it vanished into the sky "at an impressive speed."

.. Investigator:

Source: FSR Case Hist. #10 (June 1972), 9 (reprinting Dr. de la Motta's letter from Madrid to the Caracas Folha de Tarde, in the issue for July 22, 1971).

Alain G. was camping with three adolescent boys in a grotto about ten km. from Rocamadour when he heard the breaking of branches outside his tent. They had all retired and, concerned about possible prowlers, he looked out his tent window and saw a human-like figure, foggy white, like a phantom, walking down a path toward the boys' tent. The farther away the figure moved, the less distinct it became. Stunned, he ran out of his tent and down the path toward the other tent, but the figure had disappeared. He got the boys up and they explored the immediate area on foot, finding nothing; they got into his car and drove several kilometers in both directions but saw nothing unusual.

Investigator:

Source: Mesnard and Bigorne, ibid., p. 57 (primary source not cited).

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*Between July 5 and 8, 1971

The witness is not Alain Gamard, according to Jean-Luc Rivera.

August 17, 1971 0200 Palos Verdes, Cal.

Type E (G?)

"John Hodges" and "Pete Rodriguez" had just got into H.'s car when they saw in its headlights 2 "brains" on the road about 6 ft away. Of a bluish color, they were surrounded by a localized mist. One was the size of a human torso, and had something red on it; the other one was "the size of an overgrown softball." Frightened, the young men took off for home. Under hypnosis in 1976, H. recalled that the larger brain had spoken to them telepathically, saying "Take the time to understand yourselves--the time draws near when you shall need to. You shall not remember this incident until we meet again." (He later remembered that the brain had "floated up" towards them before it spoke.) He also recalled that after he had arrived home and was still sitting in the car, he had a "dream" or vision of being in a large room with the brain, where there were control consoles all along the wall, and several gray-skinned, bald humanoids with 6 webbed fingers and toes & thin-lipped mouths, about 7 ft. tall. On a TV-like screen were pinpoint's of light, which the brain told him were places on Earth where there was "too much power." He was also shown 3-D pictures of atomic explosions, and of a planet destroyed by "too much power." After feeling a "buzzing" sensation, he found himself back in his car. He thinks the experience was a "holographic projection", because he noticed that behind him all was black.

Investigator: Ann Druffel (for MUFON).

Source: Druffel's report, "Encounter on Dapple Gray Lane."

Jan-Ove Sundberg was in the woods above Foyers Bay when he saw in an open place in the woods a grey-black cigar-shaped object about 30 ft long with a curved standing portion at one end, so that it had the profile of a huge smoothing-iron. Three greyish entities of normal human size then appeared out of a nearby bushes and stood together; they were dressed in what looked like diver's suits and helmets. They approached the UFO and entered it by a door in the upper part of the curved portion; then the object rose vertically to a height of 50 ft and took off rapidly in a near-horizontal trajectory. Sundberg took a picture as the last UFO naut was boarding; this was sent to Dr. Harder of APRO.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: Holiday, F.W., "Exorcism and UFO Landing at Loch Ness," in FSR XIX-5 (1973), 3-7.

71-21 September (12), 1971 Night Aznacollar, Spain

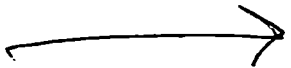
Type B

Juan de la Palmareno, an 81-year-old peasant acting as night-watchman in a melon field, saw a vessel "as big as a bus" land near an old well-hole; from it, ~~xx~~ many (perhaps over 50) blue-uniformed men without head-gear disembarked. Most of them went down into a depression in the field, but 5 or 6 stayed behind, and one of these shone a light into the witness's eyes. He went into the village to report this, followed for much of the way by two men with a light. Marks were said by the witness to have been left at the landing site.

Investigators: Manuel Osuna, Felipe Laffitte, Ignacio Darnaude, for Centro de Estudios Interplanetarios (CEI).

Source: Darnaude, I., "An 'Army of Humanoids' Stated to Have Landed in Spain," FSR XX-3 (Dec. 1974), 19-20; Ballester Olmos, V-J, A Catalogue of 200 Type I UFO Events in Spain and Portugal, publ. privately by CUFOS, 1976, 35.

Paulo Caetano Silveira, 27, a typewriter repairman, found his car being followed by a red-luminous disc while driving to his home in Itaperuna. At Tombos he reported the matter to the local police, but they did not take him seriously. Calmed, he started off again; this time, at a small village named Serraria, he encountered a black object on the road that turned red-luminous and then blinding white, and his car engine died. The object, slightly larger than a Volkswagen, had small windows and an open door; near it were standing 3 little chubby beings approx. 20" tall, with fair complexions and slanted eyes. They wore one-piece, sky-blue coveralls with high collars, and "Roman helmets" with spikes; they carried vivid red and blue lights and moved in a stiff, mechanical way. Two bright beams of light were focused on the witness's car; its doors popped open. These beams pulled the witness from the car into the machine, whose interior was brilliantly illuminated by white light, with little in the way of furnishings; inside were five more similar creatures. Then he heard "an infernal din" commence and believes the object flew some distance with him, but he was losing consciousness. The next thing he was aware of was being carried out and laid on the road beside his car; the UFO then rose vertically and hovered a moment before shooting off laterally at staggering speed. The witness was left in a state of shock and nearly blind; 5 days later he still could not see well and was extremely nervous. His watch had lost 15 minutes.



Before any publicity on the above was known, Benedito Miranda, a truck driver, perceived a strong beam of reddish light coming from something that blocked the road ahead of him; his car slowed down and stopped. He saw an object about the size of a Volkswagen car; in it a door opened and three

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diminutive beings 20" tall jumped down; they wore "Roman-type" helmets and carried dazzling lights. With a beam of yellow light they raised him 150 ft. from the ground, where he floated for about 15 minutes. When the headlights of an approaching car came into view he was gently lowered back down to the ground and the object and its strange occupants vanished. He drove back into Itaperuna and reported to the police, who sent him to SAMDU Hospital to be examined.

Investigator: See previous case.

Sources: Same as Case 71-22.

71-24

Various

September 25, 1971 0530 Wantage (Oxford), England

Type C

The first encounter with a tall, hairy creature occurred at 0530; no details are available.

Later in the day, Miss Linda Milne saw a tall hairy creature going into the woods near the old Wantage Canal.

Two anonymous 14-year-old boys said they were chased by it; when they threw stones at it, it ran towards them. They scaled a fence and the creature did likewise. Later, they observed a disc take off from the same field. At the time, there were many reports of UFOs in the area.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: Llewellyn, J.D., "UFOphenomena, Banbury 1971," FSR XVIII-1
(Jan.-Feb. 1972), 20-21

1971 Corrigenda

September 25, 1971 0000 Nr Itaperuna (Minas G.), Brazil

Type B

Benedito Miranda appeared at the Itaperuna police station at 2 AM and made the following deposition:

On the bridge over the Carangola River, 2.5 mi. from Itaperuna, he encountered a round object in the middle of the road. As his car approached it, 2 "men" about 31" tall emerged from it, pulling out of their belts an elongated instrument like a flashlight, which emitted a beam of light varying in color between blue and red-orange. They pointed this at Miranda, and he rose into the air, totally paralyzed. He attained a height of 150 ft above the ground. After 5 minutes a car was seen approaching, and the beings slowly lowered him into his car again. Then they reentered the object, which flew off at "incalculable" speed.

Miranda cannot remember making this deposition, though he recognizes the signature as authentic. All that he can remember is that at midnight he stopped on the Carangola bridge and got out of his car to check the steering mechanism. Then he lost consciousness, and came to only at 0630, in the car, his clothes dirty, his eyes swollen and burning, and his body "hurting all over", especially the left arm, whose hand was numb and tingling, and which had red spots on it near the elbow.

Investigators: SBEDV.

Source: SBEDV Special Bulletin (1975), pp. 54f.

Len Delman, a lorry driver, saw what he took to be a man in a white suit in the road directly ahead of his lorry; he hit the brakes, coming to a screeching halt, believing he may have hit the man. He jumped out and went behind his lorry, but found no one; coming around front he saw, in the headlights, a "spaceman" 7-8 ft tall, with big, staring eyes 8-12" apart and extending to the sides of the head, and a pack on his back from which two tubes led to the head. When he sounded his horn repeatedly, the "thing" jumped 3 ft in the air, ran across the road and leapt over the hedge. With two other lorry drivers who came upon the scene, Delman watched a disc-shaped object take off from the field where the figure had disappeared.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: Same as Case 71-24.

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71-26; Sept. 30, 1971 0200 West Malling (Kent), England

Mr. Ron Foreman heard a loud noise outside followed by a "whoosh"; the television cut out & the room lights went dim. He opened the back door and found a 7-foot-tall "creature" standing there, in a silvery suit with transparent helmet. It "glided" away over a fence, but later returned with a 2nd entity surrounded by a haze of light. Mr. Foreman went for the police.

Investigator:

Source: BUFORA Journal III/6, p. 29.

71-26 September 30, 1971 0200 West Malling (), England Type ?

E-M effects, "luminous beings" are reported by Ron Forman. Peter Rogerson comments, "inconsistencies." Requires additional data, especially a copy of the source material cited by PR.

Investigator: Unknown.

Source: Notes from Peter Rogerson, citing BUFORA Journal III-6, 29.

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71-27 October 11, 1971 0300 Itaperuna (Rio De J.), Brazil

Type C (B?)

Paulo Caetano Silveira was awakened from sleep, as if by "a mental shock." From his bed he saw a light in the garden; he went to the kitchen where he saw, through the window grating, the same object that had stopped him on September 22 (see Case 71-22), hovering a half-meter from the ground about 3 meters from his house. Paulo Caetano saw several small figures beside the craft, who pointed a small box-like implement in his direction; the witness and the small figures remained eyeing each other, with no movement, for 10 minutes, at which point Paulo Caetano's head began to ache. The craft and its occupants then left, but the witness was unable to sleep.

Walter

Investigators: Dr. [REDACTED] Buhler and other members of SBEVD.

Source: Buhler, W., "Itaperuna, 1970-1971," FSR Special Issue #5
(November 1973), 11-25.

November, 1971Hillsboro (Marion), Kansas

Type G

While driving near Hillsboro, "luke" saw a silver saucer-shaped object descend and hover about 12 feet over a nearby field. Going closer to investigate, he saw a hatch open and a ramp descend to the ground. Two beings, about $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet tall and with large, bald heads, wearing white robes, came down the ramp and communicated with "luke" telepathically, giving him a "feeling of calm and security." He asked if he could see the inside of the ship and the two entities escorted him aboard; inside, the ceiling was brightly lit and the floor had an acrylic-like finish, while banks of computer-like instruments lined one wall, and a master control panel contained five rows of four buttons each. Two high-back chairs, on invisible swivels, faced the control panel. After his tour, "Luke" was escorted back down the ramp, and the ship soared out of sight.

"Luke" claims not to have seen either of the beings again, but says he has ~~contacted~~ "made contact" astrally since his experience.

Investigator: Richard Palacios

Source: Jon Roe, "Are you ready for another close encounter?" Wichita (Kans.) Beacon, June 2, 1978.

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November (date unknown), 1971 1700 Westbrook, Connecticut Type A

A woman (unidentified) driving home from shopping saw a silvery object pass close overhead and land in a nearby swamp. It passed close enough for her to be able to see several entities through windows in the object. She went into the house at 5:02 and was promptly sick at her stomach; the next thing she knew was that it was 5:20 and her husband was arriving home. She was greatly disturbed by this loss of at least 15 minutes.

Investigators: Dave Ward and Hal McCarthy, for APRO.

Source: Personal communication from Ron Simjian August 2, 1975.

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November (early), 1971 Evening Ipu (Ceara), Brazil

Type B

Shortly after a number of observers saw an intensely bright saucer-shaped object flying over O Iguato, a farmer in Ipu, a village located in the same state (Ceara), said the object landed on a rocky hill near his farmhouse; out of it jumped "three little beings." The incident seized the farmer, Raimundo Nonato, "with such a violent nervous crisis," the witness made straight to the local police to report his story.

Investigator: Unknown.

Sources: FSR Case Hist. #11 (August 1972), 13 (qu. O Dia, Rio de J., Nov. 9, 1971); FSR Special #5 (Nov. 1973), 23 (qu. O Povo, Fortaleza (Ceara), Nov. 8, 1971).

Trudy Van Riper was awakened by her cats "growling and carrying on;" when she opened the door they hid under the living-room couch. When she looked out the window she saw an "elliptical moon" lighting up her backyard and part of the pasture beyond. Going to the front door, she discovered a strange little vehicle sitting on her lawn, which resembled a Volkswagen without fenders or doors. From the top emerged 3 small men dressed in dark garments, one of which communicated with her telepathically,

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saying, "Are there any pigs in that field? They are hungry." Then she saw near the men two peculiar animals covered with fuzzy hair, standing erect. She went back into the house and when she looked again the UFO was airborne, and the "moon" was gone. Later she learned that several pigs had been lost at a nearby farm.

Investigator:

Source: Fate, December 1972, 14-15 (letter from the witness).

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1715 Lucerne Valley, California

Type C

Three hunters found several 12-14" circles imprinted in the soil about 12' feet apart, suggesting to them UFO landing marks; they set up camp nearby. About 5:15 p.m., a large yellow-white light was seen to land near the site; then a smaller yellow-white light (or perhaps 2 lights) emerged from the same spot, and traversed to the derest area below the mountains much faster than a man could travel. When one light began to approach the hill where they camped, one suggested trying to signal with their flashlights; the other rejected the idea, and their apprehension increased when they heard the braking of branches nearby and an untelligible cry, although they actually saw no beings. They left the area in haste.

The next day at the site they found two holes 2" in diameter, identical to the ones they had noted in the "landing mark" triangle.

Investigator: Ann Druffel, for NICAP and DATA-NET.

Source: DATA-NET VI-11, 6-13; NICAP Investigator, October 1972, 2.

The third incident involving Paulo Caetano Silveira (see Cases 71-22 & 71-27) occurred in the company of his friend, Elvio B _____. While the two were driving ~~back to Itaperuna from Natividade de~~ back to Itaperuna from Natividade de Carangola, Paulo Caetano's car began to malfunction; he pointed this out to his friend, he replied that he was drowsy and wanted to sleep. As before, the car was displaced off the road and stopped, and the same object again appeared about four meters away, hovering just above the ground. The red beam again focussed on the car, the door opened, and P.C. was transported to the object, accompanied by the same type of entity as described perviously. (This time the being was dressed in pink.) The witness was examined by a machine that extended from the ceiling; blood samples were taken and he was shown several panels, on one of which was displayed the town plan of Itaperuna; the second panel seemed to show an atomic explosion. The whole episode lasted no more than five minutes, at which time he recalls being back in the car. His friend, on the other hand, claimed that when P.C. said they were being followed by an object, it was nothing but a bus; he could in no way support the encounter with an object, although he could not account for his finding the car by the side of the road, the door open, and his friend on the ground nearby in a swoon. P.C. was taken to SANDU Hospital again, where doctors found a wound on his arm. Police could find no trace of blood in the car.

Investigators: Same as Cases 71-22 and 71-27.

Sources: Ibid.

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71-33 December 5, 1971 1900 Rio Carangula (Nr. Itaperuna), Brazil Type G

Paul Castano Silveira's fourth "contact" occurred near the bridge over the Caranola River outside Itaperuna. He was invited inside the object and heard its occupants "jabbering" with each other unintelligibly, although he never observed their lips move. He did understand their message that they were on a mission of peace, preparing people for eventual contact.

Investigators: See cases 71-22, 71-27 & 71-32.

Sources: Ibid.

Psychic Uri Geller is reported to have entered a UFO and to have emerged with a pen that had dematerialized earlier. Details are vague and a connection with UFO entities dubious. (Perhaps this should be omitted from the list.)

Investigator: Andrija Puharich.

Source: Puharich, A., Uri (Anchor Press/Doubleday, 1974), 119; Psychic Magazine, September-October, 1973, 11; Ibid., May-June 1974, 13-17.

Two youths, Tom Yates (15) and Glen Schiller, were parked near a golf course "keeping watch for unusual phenomena," when they saw a figure of humanoid appearance, closely surrounded by a mist-like aura, floating through trees about 20 yards away. It had a dog-like head, pointy ears and a long nose; the head was brown in color, with no eyes or mouth visible. Although it was clear of the ground, they could see no legs. The young men said it appeared to be 6 ft tall, with a body of "lumpy appearance." It headed in a direction away from Waikerle, and the two moved their car about 300 yards towards the golf course, at which time they saw an object "about the size of a semi-trailer" and in the shape of a half-dome, resting on the ground; windows were seen on its surface and a row of lights encircled it, while several "spotlights" pointed upwards. After watching it for about 15 minutes, the object appeared to "dissolve," disappearing in 10 seconds. The entire incident lasted approx. 30 minutes.

Investigators: Members of the S.A. UFO Research group.

Source: Special report, summarized in Keith Basterfield's list of Australian CEIII references.

Manuel da Silva e Souza, the manager of an airfield at Itaperuna, observed on the ground a transparent egg-shaped object, lit up by a powerful bluish light. The witness approached to within 150 feet of the object, which was about 8 feet high and less than that in width, and could see a humanoid figure less than 3 feet tall who walked around the UFO once, then stopped and

seemd to be looking at the witness for a minutes or two. Then the being rose up into the air above the craft, and entered it feet first. De S. could see two other similar entities seated inside the transparent object. After the first had entered, these others put their hands on something beside them, and the craft rose into the air and flew off. The incident had lasted no more than 4 minutes.

Investigator: Dr. Walter Buhler, et al, for SBEDV.

Source: FSR Sp Bulletin #5 (November 1973), 22.

1971 Addendum

New Late December, 1971 0200 Brushy Creek area, Missouri Type E

Reggie Bone, his wife, and two other couples were driving down a deserted road early in the morning around Crhistmastime, when they saw a figure walking up the road toward them in a "frogman"s outfit, complete with flippers (or something similar) and carrying something in his hands. They could not see his facial features, and the wetsuit covered his body and did not appear wet. The nearest body of water was Black River, about a quarter-mile away and not easily accessible to that part of the road. Temperatures were below freezing and the witnesses were so taken aback by its appearance that none of them said anything for several miles; then one said, "Did you see that?"

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Note: Bone was one of the observers in the sequence of/sightings that commenced in that area in February 1973.

Investigator: Jerome Clark, for FATE.

Source: Clark, J. "The Brushy Creek UFO Scare," FATE, Nov. 1974,
105-106.

Senora Evita Ochores, a goat-herder, saw a UFO with a curved top and a flat bottom bearing a brilliant light, which made a "sizzling" sound, that hovered above Tulancingo and then landed about 150 feet from her. The noise ceased, and a door opened; inside the object she could see by a reddish light several figures clad in white one-piece suits, with hoods fitting closely about the face. Their noses were slit-like, and she could see no mouths. Three or four of them, carrying instruments of some sort, got out and walked about, taking soil samples; they remained in the neighborhood of the UFO for about half an hour before reboarding the UFO. Then it rose up, with a sizzling noise, and took off at great speed. Landing mark traces of two skids and three legmarks were found at the site. Numerous sightings of the object were made by residents of Tulancingo, Pacheco, and other points.

Investigator: Ignacio Valdez and Emile C. Schurmacher.

Source: Schurmacher, E.C., "Mexico's Phantom Flying Saucer," Saga's 1973 UFO SPECIAL, 32-35, 46, 48 & 50.