

the material furnished the panel by the U.S. Air Force. Included herein is a brief history of this report written by Ann Druffel, who was instrumental in bringing about the declassification of some of this material by the CIA.

OFFICIAL UFO REPORTING PROCEDURES, Packet #1

JANAP (Joint Army-Navy-Air Publication) 146-C (1954, 26 pages)

This directive from the Joint Chiefs of Staff is the third revision of "Communication Instructions for Reporting Vital Intelligence Sightings from Airborne (CIRVIS) and Waterborne (MERINT) Sources," and indicates the continuing high level interest in the UFO subject.

JANAP 146-D (1959, 20 pages)

This document updates JANAP 146-C, to include Canada.

JANAP 146-E (1966, 6 pages)

This is the directive now in force; though unclassified, copies are not available from the Joint Chiefs.

OFFICIAL UFO REPORTING PROCEDURES, Packet #2

MERINT (Merchant Intelligence) Radiotelegraph Procedure (undated, 2 pages).

This order from the Secretary of the Navy details procedures for immediate reporting of all air- and water-borne objects which appear to be hostile, suspicious, or unidentified, and was to be posted in the radio room and on the bridge of every ship at sea.

AFR (Air Force Regulation) 200-2 and AFR 80-17 (1954 and 1966, 13 and 17 pages).

The first was an Intelligence regulation, establishing procedures for reporting information and evidence pertaining to UFOs and the Air Force responsibility in this regard. The second, which superseded the first, was a Research and

BOOKS

THE COMING OF THE SAUCERS, Kenneth Arnold and Ray Palmer. Amherst, WI: privately printed, 1952. (192 pages)

✓ Arnold's own description of the episode generally considered to have begun the last 30 years of concentrated sightings of UFOs; an account of his attempts to investigate the bizarre and dangerous events at Maury Island; comments on the Project Saucer report; many sightings mentioned with specific details; some general and historical discussion. Fascinating reading.

BEYOND EARTH: MAN'S CONTACT WITH UFOs, Ralph Blum with Judy Blum. New York: Bantam, 1974. (248 pages)

✓ A detailed, on-the-spot account of the UFO encounter in Pascagoula, MS in October, 1973, along with general information on the UFO phenomenon presented in an interesting manner. A useful appendix includes addresses of UFO study groups and a selected bibliography.

UFO EXIST! Paris Flammonde. New York: Ballantine Books, 1977.

✓ A wealth of general UFO information with much ancient and modern historical material, it treats especially well the last 30 years of UFO accounts. Well-written, with many photos and copious references.

UFOs: INTERPLANETARY VISITORS, Raymond E. Fowler. Jericho, NY: Exposition Press, 1974. (365 pages)

✓ Mr. Fowler has efficiently investigated UFO sightings in New England for 25 years. He presents the evidence he has gathered in a systematic way and goes on to deal with the question of governmental cover-up and with the phenomenon in general.