

UFOs. A single page of general information. It can be used as a handout for groups or classes.

CENTER BULLETINS, back issues. While the earlier issues are primarily of historical interest, the later ones contain more interesting subject matter. 1974: Feb., May, July, Oct., Dec. 1975: Jan., April, June, Aug., Nov. 1976: Feb., June, Set., Dec. 1977: Spring and Summer.

PHYSICAL TRACES OF UFO SIGHTINGS. (app. 3200 entries, 75 pages)

A computer print-out listing all known UFO sightings with which physical traces are associated from the CENTER'S data bank, UFOCAT. This index of cases, with no verbal description, is offered now because the first edition of PHYSICAL TRACES ASSOCIATED WITH UFO SIGHTINGS by Ted Phillips is now out of print, and the second edition is far from ready. (A UFOCAT Codebook (page 5), is essential for interpreting the coded information.)

IN PREPARATION

ENCOUNTER AT KELLY, AND OTHERS OF 1955, Isabel Davis and Ted Bloecher (expected October, 1977)

Beginning with a vivid account of the 1955 all-night "siege" of a rural Kentucky family, the authors describe the results of their investigations into especially interesting reports of Close Encounters of the Third Kind.

ALSO UNDERWAY

A catalog of occupant/humanoid sightings, by Ted Bloecher and Dave Webb (possibly Dec 1977); a technical report on Delphos, KS by Ted Phillips; a study of animal reactions to UFOs by Hal Heaton; and a study of electro magnetic effects on cars by Mark Rodighier.

THE EDGE OF REALITY, J. Allen Hynek and Jacques Vallee. Chicago: Henry Regnery Company, 1976. (301 pages hardback, 309 pages paperback)

Hynek and Vallee hypothesize about the nature of UFOs and present some ideas of scientists currently considering the problem. Though several case studies are presented, much of the book is in dialogue, the approach the authors used in their collaboration. The global nature of UFO reports and the attitude of the U.S. Air Force are also discussed.

THE UFO CONTROVERSY IN AMERICA, David Michael Jacobs. Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 1975. (362 pages hardback, 332 pages paperback)

Based on a doctoral dissertation, this definitive work details the controversy from 1896 through 1973, using previously unavailable U.S. Air Force documents and a wealth of published and unpublished materials. It is excellent, and basic to understanding recent public history of UFOs.

FLYING SAUCERS AND THE STRAIGHT-LINE MYSTERY, Aimé Michel. New York: S.G. Phillips, 1958. (284 pages)

Details the wave of UFO sightings in France in 1954, as extracted by Michel from local newspapers, the plotting of those sightings occurring within a 24-hour period on maps, and the discovery that in many instances the sightings fell in a straight line. Advances the theory of "orthoteny" to explain the coincidence. An appendix by Lex Mebane, who helped translate the book, describes many sightings reported in the U.S. in 1957.

SPACE-TIME TRANSIENTS AND UNUSUAL EVENTS, Michael Persinger and Ghislaine Lafrenière. Chicago: Nelson Hall, 1977. (247 pages)

An assembly of 6,060 unusual events, including 1242 UFO reports, showers of unusual materials, unusual astronomical and geophysical events, which have been plotted on maps and charts, and analyzed. Possible contributing factors are discussed.