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REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING...MARCH 3, 1989...7:30 P.M...at the MEDINA COUNTY VOCATIONAL CENTER...1101 W. Liberty St. Medina, Ohio...two miles west of Square on SR 18 (W) We convene in the Charles E. Hawley Conf. Room...

MEETING AGENDA: Newsclips from around the world..2. Articles from MUFON, CUFOs etc. publications..3. Slides/recordings..4. RELIGION & UFOs..presented by Richard Lee..

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PANTHEON OF UFO RESEARCHERS

The attrition, within less than three years of pioneers in the field of UFO research numbering four, is noted.....Dr. Allen J. Hynek, founder of the Center for UFO Studies (CUFOS) and former Air Force consultant, in 1986...In 1988, Jim & Coral Lorenzen of the Aerial Phenomena Research Organization (APRO)..APRO was the oldest major group in existence until Coral's untimely death...Donald E. Keyhoe, 91, left us in Dec. 1988...He headed the National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena (NICAP)..APRO & NICAP no longer exist. They'll be remembered in the annals of UFO history...as well as their leaders...

Below left: *Dr. J. Allen Hynek, eminent astronomer and chairman of the Center for UFO Studies, Evanston, Illinois. (Fortean Picture Library)*

Below: *Major Donald Keyhoe, Director of National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena. (Fortean Picture Library)*

NICAP...1956-1969
DIRECTOR



Coral and Jim Lorenzen, among the foremost and longest-established investigators of Flying Saucers in this country, head the oldest organization and periodical functioning without interruption in this field. The Aerial Phenomena Research Organization has operated for more than a decade and a half. (Courtesy of the Aerial Phenomena Research Organization)



APRO...1952-1988

EARL J NEFF
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March 25, 1989

Dear Grant Cameron,

This is just a very short note to tell you I have not forgotten the promise I made to you relative to making you a tape of Bob Groves' information he gave me about Wib Smith.

Incidentally, I do own the book, "The New Science". Bought it years ago.

What I have been doing is asking everyone I felt might give me information about the friends of Mr. Smith who visited my late friend Larry Moyers in Akron.

The only ones I could recall were the Buchanans. I've been very, very busy since job ended! Thank you for your letter of Jan. 23rd and the enclosed money.

As soon as I can I will try to get the tape made. Enclosed you will find FSIC's bulletin for March. I will speak to them on April 7th '89. Title of lecture is "38 years of intimate relations with folks in ufology". Mrs. Fitch told me their son has all of Wes' files.

Best wishes Earl over

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Wilbert B. Smith, born 2-10-10
Lethbridge, Alberta.

Obtained B. Sci. & M. Sci. degrees
in Electrical Engineering from
~~Univ. of Columbia~~

University of British Columbia.
In 1935 joined radio sta-
tion C.T.O. R. Vancouver -

He remained 4 yrs. beco-
ming chief engineer -

RESIDENCE:

In June 1942 he married
Murl James.

1950-Resid was 10 Lotta St,
City View, on outskirts
of Ottawa, in

3 children

His friends who visited
Larry Moyers home were
the Buchanans (Eddie & Buck)
Lex (Leslie?)
Murl Smith (Mrs W.B. Smith)

Apparently James Smith,
Wilbert's son ~~took over~~
lived at 10 Lotta Ave;
the family residence.

Muriel Smith (wife of
Wilbert) also used.

180 Mac Laren St. # 1002
Ottawa 5, Ont. Canada
as an address for a
letter dated 7-2-68

Later the Ottawa F.S. Club
was renamed The
Ottawa New Science Club

This group believed in channels
and mediums. - -

Somewhere, in my materials
I have the book, New Science,
written by WBS. I'll look
for it

P.S. Your photos don't reproduce well.