

towards the end of his life in 1965, his claims became less acceptable to his loyal group of 'co-workers'; this being the reason she left him in 1963. She concludes, however, that many of his claims - especially the earlier ones - were absolutely genuine, and one reason she has written her part of the book is to set the record straight, thus much unpublished material drawn from her private correspondence with Adamski is brought to light.

My part of the M/S includes two accounts of personal encounters with alleged extraterrestrials in our midst, which took place in Arizona and New York in 1963 and 1967 respectively, during tours with the Royal Philharmonic and London Symphony Orchestras- (I am also a professional violinist). I describe some unpublished contacts Adamski had which were witnessed by people I have interviewed, and include, for example, an instance in which one witness claims to have seen Adamski actually on board a spacecraft.

I cite a number of cases which parallel Adamski, which have yet to be published, including that of a highly-respected doctor in Mexico who claims to have physically examined a live extraterrestrial. Absurd though this may seem, I know the doctor to be a man of integrity, and full details of the account will be published. So stunned was the doctor by his experience that he went to New York and related it to a special meeting of some United Nations delegates, organised by the Under Secretary of Economic and Social Development (with whom I have discussed the case).

I deal with some of the little-known confirmations of Adamski's claims by U.S. government agencies - notably the State Department - and cite instances when he met various U.S. Air Force high-ranking officers, officials from the Atomic Energy Commission, NASA - and even President Kennedy. I include two chapters on the remarkable colour movie film of an Adamski-type UFO, taken in 1965 by Mrs Madeleine Rodeffer and GA at Silver Spring, Maryland, which film I have been studying since 1967. This has been shown to a specially-convened meeting of the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Science & Astronautics, and at the headquarters of NASA. It has been authenticated by an optical physicist for the Eastman-Kodak Co. of Rochester, N.Y., with whom I have many discussions. I list the many interesting experiences with officialdom which have befallen Mrs Rodeffer since Adamski's death in 1965 (which occurred during his stay with her). All these details will be published for the first time.

I discuss all the objections to Adamski's claims, and the many controversies and contradictions surrounding this extraordinary man. I explore the latest information pertaining to the Moon, Mars and Venus (with a chapter on each) and show that although many of Adamski's allegations were ridiculous, there are strong grounds for believing that much of what we are told about our neighbouring satellite and planets has been distorted, citing reliable scientific testimony in support of this thesis. I also bring forward new evidence that Adamski himself did not believe that all the planets in our solar system were inhabited by thriving indigenous civilizations, as he had maintained in his writings.

Finally, I deal with Adamski's little-known and rare books published years before the famous ones, and show that he was either a charlatan who embroi-