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... from his Cork tea firm ... leties of unlabelled tea. If Barry McGuigan comes up with the right answers then there is a genteel and assured future for him when he finally hangs up his gloves.

Mr Barry's party at the fight included his wife, Margaret, two Foreign Affairs officials, Mr Michael ... Rowan, who is also a former Ulster juvenile boxing champion, and an SDLP Belfast city councillor, Dr Joseph Hendron.

Parnell bust for Commons

A group of Irish businessmen in London have put up money to erect a bust in the House of Commons to Parnell. The leader of the SDLP, Mr John Hume, MP has asked the Speaker and the Services Committee of the House of Commons to find a spot for the statue cast in bronze by Breton sculptor, Mr Renard Yann Goulet, who lives in Bray, Co Wicklow.

The group which raised the money is led by Dublin architect, Mr Sam Stephenson, who now lives in London and includes publisher, Mr Kevin Kelly, and businessman Mr Pat Doherty.

Mr Hume said yesterday: "Parnell was one of the greatest politicians of his age and it is right that his memory should be marked in this way."—(PA)

FG man to chair Cork Co Council

Mr Michael Broderick (FG) was yesterday elected chairman of Cork County Council, defeating the outgoing Ms Vivian O'Callaghan (FF) by 22 votes to 21. Mr Broderick, a farmer from Buttevant, takes over after two years of Fianna Fail rule.

Labour voted for the Fine Gael candidate while Councillor Joseph Sherlock (WP) voted for Councillor O'Callaghan. Councillor Patrick McAuliffe (Ind.) abstained and Councillor Noel Collins (Ind.) voted for the Fine Gael candidate.

Smoking in public

just as if they were in an airline.

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carpet, bedspread or curtain harbours so much as a suspicion of someone else's extinguished carbon monoxide.

All this, because the evidence is also mounting that the nicotine bliss of strangers long departed can affect the innocent.

Mr Desmond drew stern reference yesterday to "passive smoking", that situation in which non-smokers are threatened by breathing the air polluted by the addicts around them. "While the health risks due to passive smoking are still being researched, it is clear that people suffering from certain forms of heart disease, angina, emphysema, bronchitis, asthma and chronic lung disease are all adversely affected by being exposed to an atmosphere filled with smoke."

Initiatives such as Jurys were to be welcomed, Mr Desmond said,

and he was also very pleased about the decision of Superquinn to declare "No Smoking" areas in their supermarkets. Quite apart from the health gain, there were financial assets.

"I know of one hospital that reduced its maintenance costs by 15 per cent simply by banning smoking," Mr Desmond said.

Just the same, he observed, it will be interesting to see what happens when the Bill finally hits the Dail floor.

There are no penalties if a resident of the eighth floor of Jurys does go mad and light up; no-one has provided for citizen's arrest or anything. But Mr Glynn said it was definite hotel policy to turn away a smoker if there were no other rooms left except one in the non-smoking area; in other words Jurys is prepared to sacrifice profit. Now that's commitment.

Pension Committees

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THERE IS NO CHANGE IN THE WAY PENSIONS ARE CLAIMED.

Claim forms are available at any Post Office.

REMEMBER: Old Age Pensions should be claimed in good time—up to 4 months before age 66 (or age 18 for Blind Pension).

AFFAIRS OF THE NATION

DONEGAL UFO

THAT unidentified flying object which appeared over Donegal last week was the first visit to Ireland by a Cruise missile. The object, spotted by a turf-cutting Garda and a farmer near Falcarragh, arrived from north of Tory Island and disappeared into the mountains to the west of Gortahurk.

The excellent description given by Garda John Gallagher indicates that it was a small sea-launched guided missile of the type called Harpoon, probably fired during exercise far out at sea.

Harpoons are what the U.S. Navy calls "fire and forget" weapons (needing no guidance from the launch platform after they have been fired). In this case they seem to have fired it, and forgotten that they were within range of the Oul Neutral Sod. The 12-foot sub-sonic missile (which usually carries a 510 lbs conventional explosive warhead aimed at blitzing enemy ships, but can carry a mini-nuke to devastate alien vessels) flies on a lo-lo-hi trajectory, under an inertial guidance system until it nears its target when it climbs to attacking height and switches on its radar to identify and dive on it.

The Donegal Harpoon, having gone off course, probably decided to attack Muckish Mountain when it made its routine mid-course correction in its flight path somewhere off the coast. The "whirlwind" described by Deputy Pat "The Cope" Gallagher as it passed

the witnesses was exhaust gas from its turbo-jet engine. No explosion was heard because the Harpoon, failing to find a radar profile of a Soviet ship in the hills of Donegal, would have run on until its liquid fuel was exhausted when it would have nose-dived into the nearest bog.

By far the most interesting thing in the Donegal close encounter was the reaction or lack of it - of Irish Defence Forces. Although the weather and time of day were good enough for turf-cutting, and a detailed report of the missile-sighting was made by a Garda eye-witness, there was no aerial search - despite the proximity of the Army's Finner Camp, where an Alouette chopper is kept on stand-by.

NICK Y TAMM

DIPLOMATIC INCIDENT

ONCE upon a time our Gallic friends were credited with infinite *finesse*, plentiful *politesse*, and superlative *savoir faire*.

Now it appears they cannot even take a hint.

Recently (*Phoenix* 27/4/84), Goldhawk mentioned that a certain *Monsieur* was stretching his diplomatic immunity a bit far in parking his GSI 655 permanently at the corner of Setanta Place, where it causes more traffic angst than you can imagine. But instead of the hint being taken, the same gent has now been joined by two other Frenchie Freeloaders, presumably from the nearby

Alliance Francaise. One of these drives a Renault 12, Reg. No. 355 GZE, and the other a R/18 which is not even registered. All float a CD plate of course.

Goldhawk's patience is legendary but some of his fans in the Setanta area are now

fit to be tied. It would be unfortunate indeed if a minor diplomatic *derangement* became a bit *de trop*.

BARRY'S BRAINWAVES

FULL MARKS to former Fianna Fail bright light, Barry Kelleher, whose 3-month-old insurance company, O'Reilly, Kelleher and McCarthy Ltd, pulled off one of the finest publicity strokes seen in Cork for a long time.

The Catholic and Protestant bishops; Beamish and Crawford MD, Tony Higgins, UCC President Tadh O Ciardha; Denis McCarthy of the IDA; Fianna Fail TD, Danny 'Flogger' Wallace and former TD, Jim Corr, all publicly endorse Barry's brainwave to raise £1 million through selling education and retirement policies, half the profits on which he will donate to "doing something about unemployment in Cork city".

But nasty brokers on the Mall say it's all designed "to do something" for Barry Kelleher.

Certainly, the bold Barry is a dab hand at publicity. His onetime pals in Ogra Fianna Fail, an organisation now crippled with debts, ruefully remember Kelleher's brief participation in politics and the time when Northern luminaries, such as Harold McCusker, were invited to a costly seminar in West Cork, in an attempt to "do something about the Northern problem".

Call Goldhawk at
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BY NICHOLAS SUTTON



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Impressed by both British and American attacks that the alleged object was NOT released by a naval vessel of either navy. Both expressed concern at the report and were apprehensive that the object might be an underwater device. No further info available from Cordia sources at this time.

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DETAILS OF THE MYSTERY

DONEGAL UFO

THAT unidentified flying object which appeared over Donegal last week was the first to be tracked by a Cruise missile. The object, spotted by a front-line anti-air warfare radar station at Faldrum, arrived from north of Tory Island and disappeared into the mountains to the west of Carrisburgh.

The standard description given by Garda John Callaghan indicates that it was a small, unpowered, rounded, single-finned object, probably fired during practice for one of its.

Barry says that the US Navy calls the bird target weapons tracking and guidance from the United States after they are down (red). In this case they seem to have fired it, and forgotten that they were within range of the Old Security Seal. The 12-foot, eye-shaped, missile (which usually carries a Stb the conventional explosion) exploded ahead of hitting enemy ships, but was carrying a mid-range to derivative laser thermal guidance system which it uses to target when it strikes its attacking target and launches an air order to identify and fire on it.

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The O'Reilly and McCarthy Ltd, Barry Kelleher and Charles MD, Tony Hatcher, DUC President, Tom O'Connell, Denis McCarty of the DCA, Parnassus Fall TD, Deputy Mayor and former TD, Jim Conroy, probably endorse Barry's insurance to an \$1 million through selling education and retirement products, but the profit on will be made to "young people" about insurance payment in Cork city. But Barry has been on the ball say it's all designed "to do something" for Barry Kelleher.

Obviously, the ball Barry is a job hand at publicity. His cousin Paul in O'Reilly's Fall, an organization now crisscross with extra, highly respectable Kelleher's ball participate in politics and the town when Northern horticulture, such as Howard McCarty, were invited to a copy center in West Cork, in an attempt to "do something" about the Northern problem.

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ALLEGED SIGHTING OF FLYING PROJECTILE, FALCARRAGH, CO DONEGAL - 09 May 84.

Sir,

1. ~~File sent to Op Int Sec re above refers.~~

2. Initial Report
 The first report on the above occurrence came when a reporter from Radio na Gaeltachta Rang Fionnabh lamp at 091245 May 84 asking for any info on the sighting of a V-shaped rocket by two men in a bay near Falcarragh, Co Donegal on the previous day.

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c. The Garda & the civilian it appears, had just arrived at the bag & were unloading tools from a car. The GGS was unable to pinpoint the loc of the body on the map but it appears to be near GR B900 200 SW of Goltahook.

d. as the two were unloading the car they both heard a "gushing" sound like a strong wind. The civ kept looking downwards but the GS looked up & saw an object which appeared to be grey in colour passing

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overhead. He described the item
as follows

Shape : Like the bottom of a
domestic (pressing) iron
with fins at the back.
(See sketch attached, flew
to 28 mph)

Length : 1 1/2 ft. but difficult to be
sure, as account of the height

Height : 600 to 800 ft up.

The time of the sighting was 081128 May 84

e. The object flew directly over
their heads at high speed.

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another person may also have heard the sound (name not readily available).

4. Concluding Points.

a. It seems fairly definite that the Garda did see some type of object in flight. This is likely to have been either a missile fired from either land or from a ship off-shore or else some form of drone launched for the purpose of ~~the~~ ~~of~~ ~~freight~~ ~~ships~~ ~~000~~ ~~of~~ ~~of~~ ~~84~~ control.

b. Some consideration must be

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given to the possibility that the object was launched by SV's for trg purposes. A map study of the terrain would indicate that its general configuration makes it suitable as "a range" for firing fairly long range projectiles. SV's however would surely have been aware of the likelihood of such trg being casually observed ~~at~~ even though the general area is thinly populated. A hand down on a Sunday (now working day) morning would be a much more likely time for ~~see~~ planning.

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c. If the object was travelling out of control ~~through~~ and either came down or hit one of the mtrns on its flt path then some evidence of this may emerge in the due course.

d. A heli search was carried out by the Aea Corps on the afternoon of 15 May but nothing was discovered.

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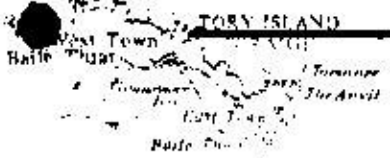
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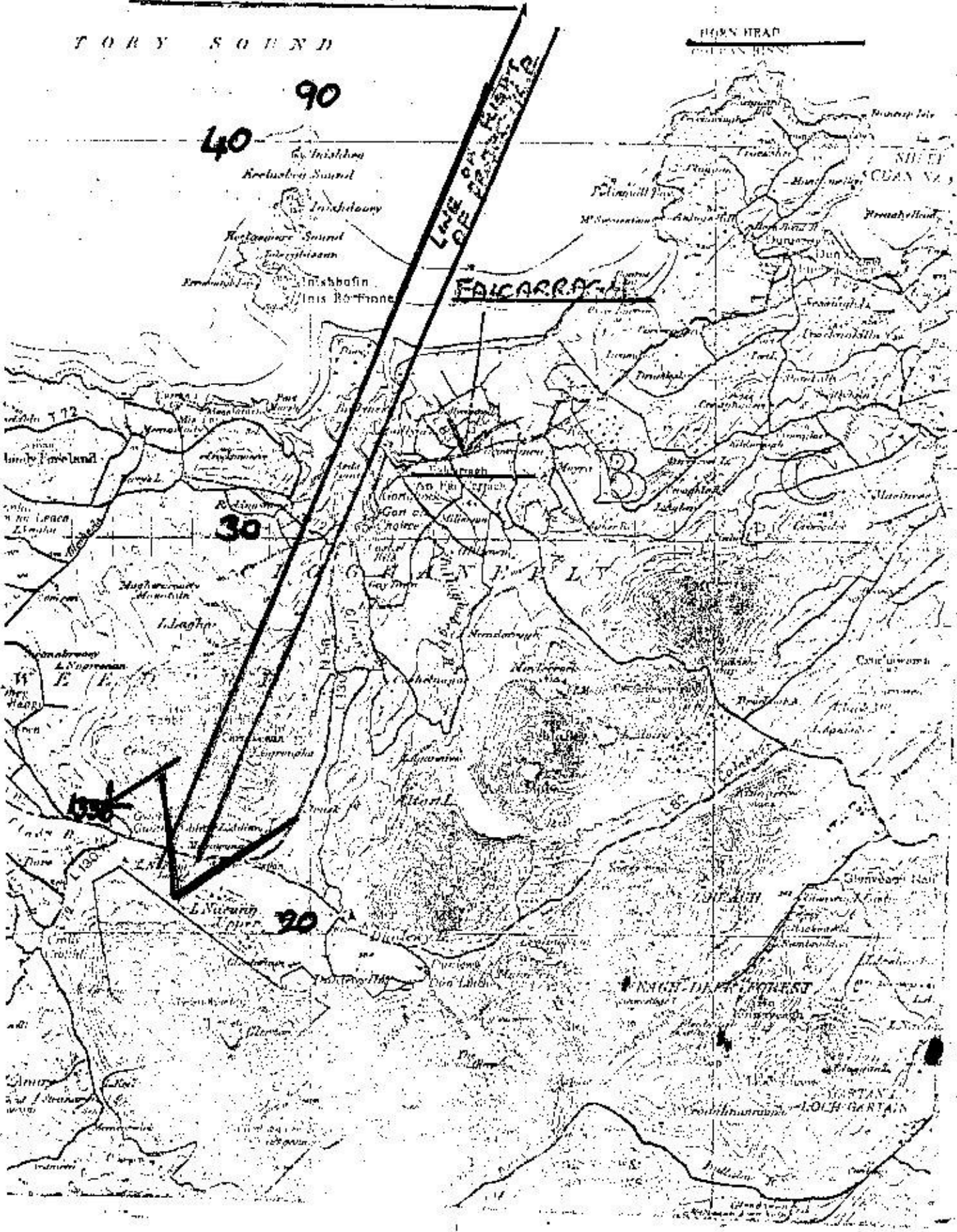


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OF PROJECTILE

U.F.O.

On 11 MAY it was reported that an U.F.O. was sighted ~~by a Garda and a farmer~~ flying over the Donegal Coast from a point North of Tory Islands ^{by a Garda and a farmer.} The object was described as being V shaped and flying ^{fast} at 600 to 1000 ft.

It was suggested locally that the object came from ~~as~~ a submarine though none was sighted.

This suggestion was endorsed by Mr. Pat (the Cope) Gallagher TD, who said that he would be pressing the Ministers for Defence & F.A. for statements.

The description of the object leads one to suspect that it may have been a target drone or an RPV. Some of which are V shaped, and travel in excess of one hundred knots with endurance of 2 or 3 hours. It is possible that one of these drones or RPVs was lost by its mother ship or an

AA exercise or intelligence gathering mission ^{in the G.I. U.K. zone} which

~~went wrong~~. The nearest Irish Naval Unit to

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at Eagle Island about 80 miles away. She saw

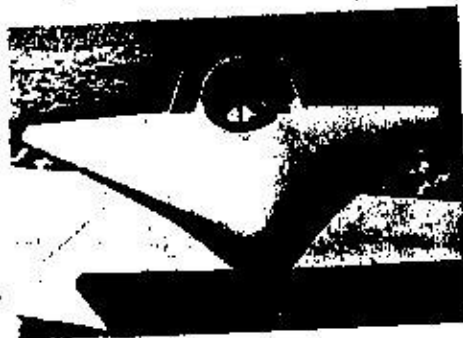
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TELEDYNE RYAN MINI-RPV

DESCRIPTION:

Teledyne Ryan announced a mini-RPV for a broad spectrum of applications for all branches of the armed services in the latter part of 1974. The delta-shaped, ducted-propeller driven vehicle, complete with fuel, will weigh between 54 and 84kg, depending upon mission. The makers describe it as a multi-mission design capable of providing, in addition to target acquisition and designation functions, a flexible range of surveillance, reconnaissance, weapons delivery, and EInt applications, but clearly the extent of these capabilities must be related to the ratio of payload to air-up weight that is achieved.



Close-up of the Teledyne Ryan Mini-RPV



Portability of Teledyne Ryan's new Mini-RPV, demonstrated by two-men handling, is a prime in addition to advanced technology that rigidity limits enemy detection through low radar cross-section, acoustic, and infra-red signatures. Prop-driven vehicle measures approximately 2.28m in tip. System may use conventional landing gear or short rail launch and automatic net recovery.

While launch and recovery operations for many tactical applications, including land and sea-based operations, would involve the use of a trainable launcher-cum-catapult with a net recovery system, other versions could be configured with conventional landing gear. Employing their experience with the numerous other drone and RPV activities with which they have been involved, Teledyne Ryan has

achieved a very low radar cross-section, about 120 knots.

STATUS:

Feasibility studies and initial development began in September 1974.

MANUFACTURER:

Teledyne Ryan Aeronautical, San Diego 92112, USA.

DESCRIPTION

Under various Department of Defense contracts beginning in March 1972, Aeronutronic Ford's Aeronutronic Division has designed, developed, and produced small, low-cost 'Mini-RPV's for battlefield reconnaissance, target acquisition, and laser designation. Both day and night versions have been, and continue to be, developed. Praeire IIB, the day version currently being manufactured, features an all-fiberglass/polyurethane foam construction. The conventional wing/tail/body design utilizes a mid-engine pusher configuration to clear the nose area for the TV sensor payload. Power plant is a Koibo Korp 8HP opposed twin cylinder engine giving a top speed of 137km/h (85mph) at 1500m (5000ft). Stall speed is 81km/h (50mph). Gross weight is 54kg (120lb). Guidance is by radio command. An earth's electric field autopilot provides attitude control when out of sight of the pilot.

The TV sensor package also developed by Aeronutronic Ford contains a high resolution camera with 4:1 zoom capability sightline. Pointing and stabilization is provided by a coelostat mirror optical system which provides 360° azimuth and +5° - 75° elevation coverage. An International Laser System's miniature laser provides target ranging and designation through a common optical path with the TV. Total weight of the sensor system is 11.3kg (25lb). The Praeire IIB carries the sensor system in a nose module which rotates 180° after runway or catapult takeoff of the aircraft to place the optical dome underneath for viewing. The dome is made of plastic. Night versions of Praeire are called Calere and utilizes FLIR (Forward-Looking Infra-Red) for full night time capability. To meet the needs of future Mini-RPVs, Aeronutronic Ford has developed a miniature FLIR sensor which weighs only 2.7kg (6lb) and includes three fields of view. Aeronutronic Ford has also developed an electronic warfare payload for the Praeire Mini-RPV for tactical communications intercept and jamming.

CHARACTERISTICS:

Praeire IIB:
Gross take-off weight: 54kg
Wing span: 39.6cm
Length: 99.5cm
Mission duration: 4hr



Aeronutronic-Ford Praeire IIB mini-RPV carries a stabilized TV sensor and laser target designator. The former is housed in the round turret on the forward fuselage. After take-off this part of the fuselage rotates so that the TV sensor is directed downward.

Maximum altitude: 3000m
Maximum speed: 137km/h at 1500m
Minimum speed: 81km/h at 1500m
Mission radius: Radio line-of-sight
STATUS:

In December 1976 it was revealed that a Praeire IIB mini-RPV had been used successfully in recent tests of the US Army's new Cannon-Launched Guided Projectile (CLGP) (2537.111) at the White Sands Missile Range. The Praeire laser target designation system enabled gunners to pinpoint the tank target and accurately fire a laser-seeking artillery 'smart shell'. The mini-RPV loitered near the tank at an altitude of about 500m, acquired the target in its television sensor system, which displayed the

target on a ground-based console. An operator at the console then directed fire from the RPV to the tank, and the artillery fired from a 155mm howitzer at a range of miles). A direct hit on the turret was scored.

Praeire IIB is the fourth in a series of RPVs developed by Aeronutronic. It was designed and developed under DoD AF contract, with further developments carried out by the US Army as part of its RPAODS (Remote Aerial Observer/Designator System) program.

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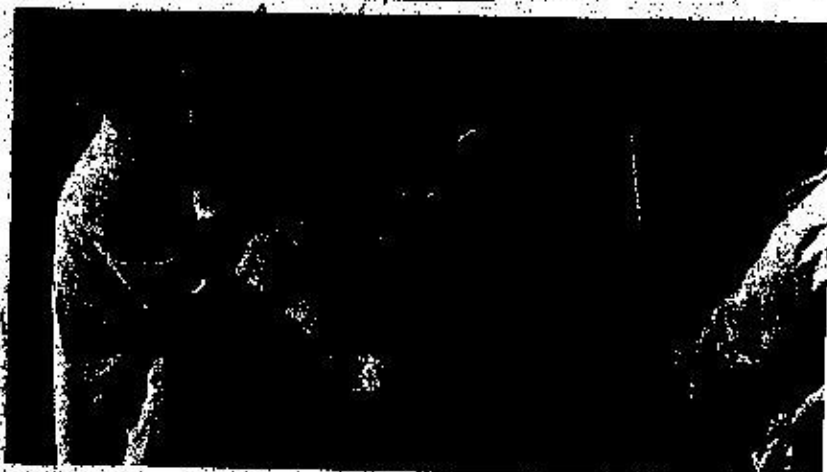
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Mystery missile causes concern

Following the sighting on Tuesday of an object which flew through the sky over Donegal, a general belief has been expressed that foreign powers might be using the knowledge of the fact that Donegal is a strategic point to their advantage.

Although the sighting of the object was reported by a local resident, it is believed that the object was a missile of some kind. The object was seen flying through the sky over Donegal at about 10.15 p.m. on Tuesday night.

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REPORTED SIGHTING OF A MISSILE-SHAPED OBJECT flying through the air near Carrahork last week has increased fears that foreign powers are using the seas off Ireland for training war games.

There has been no official comment so far from the Irish Government on the incident, but an Irish helicopter combing the observed track of the object into the mountains from the coast on Tuesday.

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But everybody is not pulling these strange allegations down to being twinkling meteorites, flickering gasplices of the work of hoaxes, or those surfacing from mysterious hallucinations.

Two Irish peers, who sit in the House of Lords are so sure that there is life on other planets that they are demanding a U.F.O. full debate on U.F.O.s.

And they are supported by a Dublin-based group of sky watchers who believe we are the victims of a great cosmic cover-up.

THERE is a race of superior beings up there somewhere and they are keeping a very close eye on each and everyone of us.

That's the firm belief of two Irish peers, Lord Clonsilla and the Earl of Cork and Ovens, who say that Dominions throughout the world are operating a massive cosmic cover-up.

Lord Clonsilla, 65, is a Dublin-based, right-wing, conservative Tory peer, who has a long record of writing a column in the Irish Independent and other newspapers.

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TOP SECRET?

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SKYWALKER

more than 50 years she is now convinced that there is no other danger.

"I don't know but that we are being survived and possibly even being aided by other beings," he says quite matter-of-factly.

UFO sightings have almost become a local phenomenon to be and often so widely that we have had to refer to them as the "local legend."

As a former member of the U.S. Air Force, I have seen a lot of things that are not supposed to be there. I have seen things that are not supposed to be there. I have seen things that are not supposed to be there.

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The widespread belief in
the existence of UFOs cuts
across social and class
barriers.

William Brinley Le Poir
Trench, the eighth Earl of
Clancarty, who grew up in
Bellinacree, Co. Galway,
says that he is positive that
beings in flying saucers
landed at Edwards Air
Force Base in California in
1953.

"When they landed they
met with President
Eisenhower and a United
States Air Force pilot who
was there as a technical
adviser," the 70-year-old
peer says in all seriousness.

"I have spoken to the pilot
about this encounter and
have absolutely no reason
to disbelieve him," he says.

Lord Clancarty, who now
lives in London's
fashionable Belgrave,
maintains that the beings
arrived at the air base in five
flying saucers and they
demonstrated their super-
natural abilities to become
invisible then reappear.

He says: "It was agreed at
the meeting that this
encounter should be kept a
secret as it might prove too
much of a shock for
mankind."

"It was decided that the
news should only be
broken to the general
public over the course of
many years."

"I believe this has been
done with the making of the
film 'Close Encounters of
the Third Kind'."

Before you start laughing
at Lord Clancarty's beliefs,
you must realize that he has
spent 30 years researching
UFOs, written seven books
about their existence and
has had countless talks



• IS IT OR ISN'T IT? This purported sighting
turned out to be a fake.

with UFO spotters and
scientists.

"I am an expert on the
subject and know exactly
what I am talking about," he
says. "I am positive the
British Government and
indeed other Governments
throughout the world are
keeping files on thousands
of sightings, but they are
being stamped 'Top
Secret' for fear of their
contents frightening the
public at large."

Policy

The sky-watching peer
continues: "There are
literally hundreds of
sightings in Britain alone
every year, and I accept that
the majority of them can be
explained by aircraft,
balloons and tricks of the
light."

"But there is still a solid
body of unexplained
evidence which cannot be
dismissed lightly."

"It is Government policy
to try and ignore these
sightings and keep news of
their existence secret."

A colleague of Lord
Clancarty, the Earl of Cork
and Orrery, who is
descended from the Boyle
family of Lismore Castle,
Co. Waterford, is also
vigorously pursuing the
subject of UFOs.

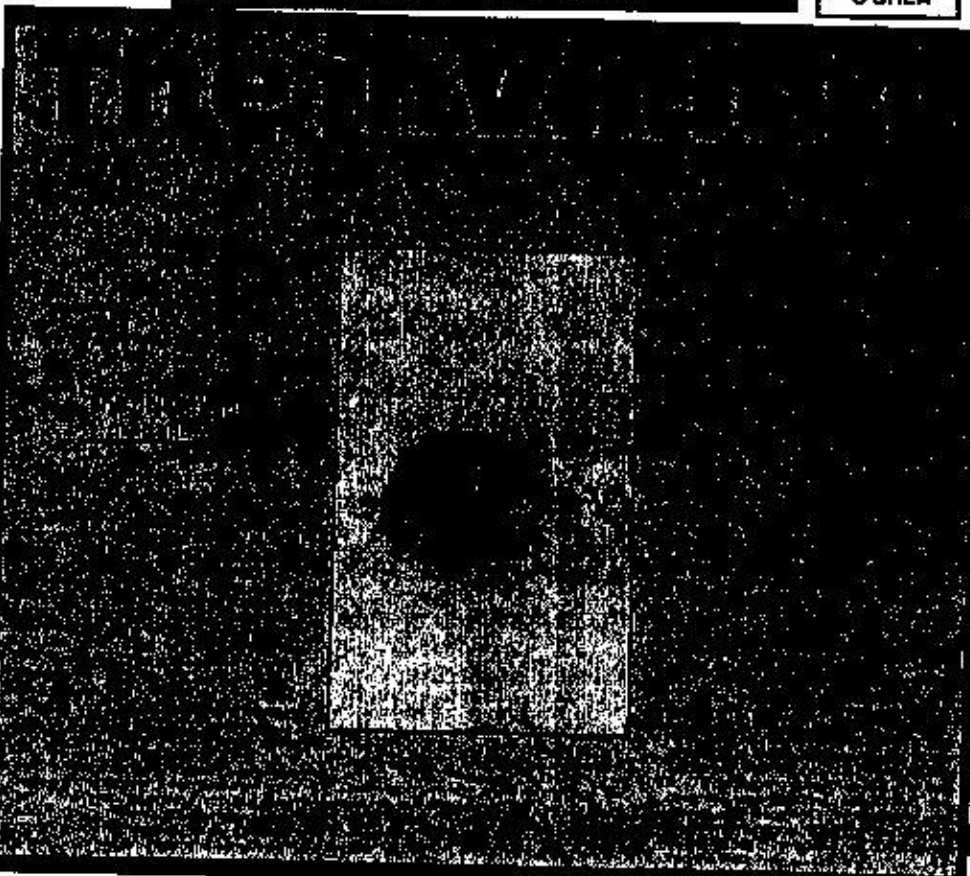
A fortnight ago in the
House of Lords he asked
was there a cover-up of
reports of sightings of
unidentified flying objects.

But much to the earl's
disappointment he was told
that no sightings of UFOs
were classified for security
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By
CATHAL
O'SHEA



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Flaming

Subjects in sky sighted

A giant meteorite was seen by several people around the county. It had the light of a harvest moon, according to meteorologist, who said Clare mountains are...

The Dunstun observatory, which Weyman said the object calls about a flaming object traveling in a northerly direction.

From descriptions it would appear to be something like a meteorite or fireball. It is surprising how low one can see the object travel across the sky. It can appear to be coming in a horizontal plane.

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E. HERALD
13/11/50

FLYING SAUCERS

ON reading your headlines of Saturday concerning the flying saucers. I would like to tell you that I saw a brilliant white orb of light travelling rapidly across the sky due East from Knocktopher on Saturday, 2nd inst., at 4.10 in the afternoon. It had every appearance of a meteorite, but it must have been exceptionally large to have been so brilliant in the afternoon. — J. F. HOOD, Boher, Thomastown, Co. Kilkenny.

E. HERALD
14/11/50

Was It A Flying Saucer?

FOUR people who saw a bright object flying at a great speed across the sky over Westport last night are wondering if it was a Flying Saucer.

Hugh Berry, B.E., a young engineer, said that about 8.15 o'clock he and his brother, Patrick, and Miss Lizzie Nellis, Quay Road, Westport, and Guard Canning, were standing at the Octagan when they saw a "ball of fire" cross the sky.

"At first it was coloured red with a tail of fire out of it. It stopped in its flight, reversed its direction, turned blue and then suddenly flew straight up and disappeared.

"The whole flight lasted ten seconds," Mr. Berry added.

E. MAIL

20/11/50

"Flying Saucers"

Sir—Reading so many accounts of Flying Saucers, I would like to give my opinion of same. It has been stated that they travel through space at 5 miles per second or 18,000 miles per hour. This statement I take to be true. There is no metal manufactured on this earth or any other that would stand up to this speed. Then if it not solid, what then? I believe what these people have seen are flying dead atoms.—H. Owens, Castleview House, Rathfarnham.

E. H. H. 9/18/30

Would You Believe It? Flying Saucers Photographed Over Dublin!

"Herald" Staff Reporter Flying Saucers have been in the news for some time and have been reported seen over all the capitals of Europe—with the possible exception of Dublin.

A German illustrated weekly, "Weltbild," published the omission.

It prints what it says is a photograph of flying saucers in the sky over Dublin.

There is no clue as to when the photograph was taken. Did you see any flying saucers lately?

Though many plausible theories have been advanced to account for the strange phenomena known as flying saucers. The origin of these mysterious, disk-like or saucer-like objects is still widely conjectured. The story of the phenomenon—or, at least, a portion of it—was first named by John Martin King near Denton, Texas, in 1905. He saw a dark object high in the sky moving at a peculiar velocity and he called it a "flying saucer."



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One of them is Mr. Donald E. Keyhoe, a former information officer of the aeronautics branch of the U.S. Commerce Department, who, after thoroughly investigating hundreds of reports of flying saucers, declared at the end of 1944 that for the past 700 years the same kind of thing has been going on by being intelligent specimens from another planet. According to an article by Mr. Keyhoe, published in the magazine, "True," a U.S. Army Air Force investigation, which was conducted in 1944, 1945, and 1946, has not yet been completed.

Soon, flying saucers were being sighted all over the world, especially in the United States, where reports of them came from all parts of the States. Many descriptions of them were given, they were of various shapes and sizes, some had wings and some tails, while many of them spun like circular saws or dived through the air with flames shooting from the rear. But all the accounts were agreed that they moved at prodigious speed and unobscured like no man-made machine. Hence the theory, which quickly

Before that, from the year 1896, there were frequent reports of mysterious lights in the sky of all kinds of objects seen in various parts of the world. Subsequently, from 1905, many New Zealanders, the first of whom were credited with the discovery of oval-shaped disks, clear-shaped and even triangular bodies, seen by the heavens. The real mystery of the flying saucers, as reportedly

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Before that, from the year 1762, there were frequent reports of mysterious lights in the sky or of round objects seen in daylight in various parts of the world.

Subsequently, from Germany, New Zealand, the East Indies and the United States, came stories of oval-shaped discs, cigar-shaped and even triangular bodies seen in the heavens.

The real mystery of the flying saucers, as reputedly observed during the last three years, began soon after reports from Sweden, in 1946, of strange luminous objects flashing across the sky led to speculations about Russian "ghost rockets" and experiments with secret weapons.

The first indication that they were something more than that, or that they might be originating in some other part of the world — if not some other world entirely — came in 1947, when reports were received from San Francisco, Mexico and Sydney, Australia.

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Hence the theory, which quickly developed, that these strange craft, if they were not a secret invention involving an entirely new principle, must be of extraterrestrial origin.

Current experiments in rocket propulsion in America lent some credence to the first speculation, which was officially denied.

As for the second, more than one man is prepared to stake his reputation on it.

One of them is Mr. Donald E. Keyhoe, a former information officer of the aeronautics branch of the U.S. Commerce Department, who, after thoroughly investigating hundreds of reports of "flying saucers," declared at the end of 1949 that for the past 175 years the planet earth has been under systematic observation and examination by living intelligent specimens from another planet.

According to an article by Mr. Keyhoe, published in the magazine, "True," a U.S. Army-Air Force investigation, which was conducted under the title, "Flying Saucers," kept every flying saucer sighting at the rate of twelve per month.

This investigation, however, led to a very different conclusion. It was: "Air Force studies of 'flying saucers' lend no support to the view that they come from another planet."

After two years the technicians and intelligence officers engaged on the problem were inclined to put the whole business down to one of three things: or a mixture of all three: hoaxes, mass hysteria, or misunderstanding of perfectly natural phenomena. Subscribers to this view include Dr. H. Spenser Jones and Professor Auguste Piccard, who has been up in the stratosphere to a greater height than most men and who regard the "Flying Saucer" as aphantasy.

Other scientists have held that they are nothing more than optical illusions or "spots before the eyes."

To the psychologist, at least, it is one of the most interesting phenomena ever recorded.

history of the phenomena of delusion—goes back at least to 1878, when a farmer named John Martin living near Denison, Texas, saw a dark object high in the sky, moving at a peculiar velocity, and likened to "a large saucer."

E Herald 29-12-49

Definitely Not "Saucer Shaped"

Hamlet, North Carolina, Thursday.—An airman gave chase when a strange object, similar to a balloon or blimp, was reported flying erratically over this district.

An eye-witness thought he saw a man drop from it. The pilot who chased it said it was from 20 to 30 feet in diameter—but definitely not "saucer-shaped." He was unable to overtake it, but caught one glimpse of it, and it looked like a large metal ball.

The object was first seen flying over the town by the town fire chief and another man.

The local weather station suggested it might have been one of the balloons released by "met" men to test the atmosphere.

But the pilot would have none of it. "It was much bigger," he said.

Footnote—Yesterday the U.S. Air Force announced that after investigation it had found "flying saucers."

The mysterious white objects which people had been seeing for the past two and a half years all over America were, said the report, the products of mass hysteria, jokes, or misunderstanding of natural phenomena. There was no question of the objects coming from another planet.

that we may be liquidated before the spring. If it is true that these super-beings have watched us for 175 years, they are either unable to do anything else but watch, or are not sufficiently interested to have closer acquaintance with us. When one regards the mess we are making of things on this planet, the latter conclusion seems to be the more reasonable one! It also lends point to the observer's belief, that the watchers are much more intelligent than we are. If they have a better method of living than we have, they must have decided to keep it to themselves, having, apparently, from their flying saucers accumulated sufficient evidence to show that we have not yet learned how to use sensibly the good things that have been vouchsafed to ourselves.

ing of clearing us out in order to provide for their overflow population.

The United States Air Force refuses to believe that the "flying saucers" come from another planet, and is much more inclined to suspect that they hail from a certain terrestrial Power, which is frankly seeking world domination. The author of the article, however—he rejoices in the suspiciously Irish cognomen of Dan Keboe—sticks to his guns. He says that these foreigners from outer space have been keeping an eye on us for 175 years, and asserts that the U.S. Air Force has been receiving and evaluating reports on the mysterious "riders in the sky" during the past two years at the rate of twelve a month. Which does not seem to prove anything.

It is strange that none of the visitors seems to have crashed in the earth's atmosphere. Of course, they may have perfected a much safer method of flying than we have yet evolved, but our advice to the public is not to worry until it is proved beyond doubt that these "saucers" contain living entities. Above all, they should refuse to be stampeded by scare stories over the radio, as happened a few years ago when Orson Welles threw an outsize scare into a large part of the United States by this means.

GARDA SIOCHANA

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SARDA SIOCHANA

Dear [redacted]

Attached copy correspondence from Tralee, together with cutting from "Cork Examiner" referred to therein, is forwarded for your information.

We do not propose to make any special inquiries in the matter here.

Yours sincerely,

[redacted signature]

[redacted] Director of Intelligence,
Dept. of Defence,
Parkgate,
DUBLIN.

Read by the hands who do not intend to take any action

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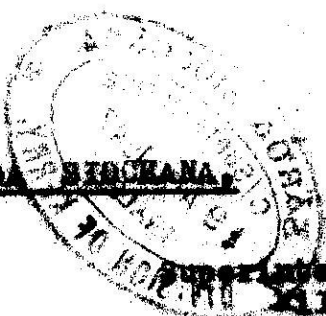
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An toifigeach i bhfeighill, Office of Director of Intelligence, Píomh-Oifigi an Airm.

Tá ordaithe dhom ag an gCoimisinéir an comhfhreagarthas a ghabhas leis an mbliantuarisc seo a chur chughat mar eolas.

C. D. Keane
RD-CHEANNPHORT.



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Superintendent's Office, Killarney

19th August 1947.

The O/Supt. ...
Trails ...
Rocket-like objects seen by ...
...

Subscribed ...
Press report of the ...
4th 1947. I beg to state that at 10.30 p.m. on the evening of the 11.7.47, the date in question, I was in Killarney ... when leaving the village I saw the object in question flying through the air at a great height and at a great speed ... The object had a head like a ball of fire and a trailing tail of fire six or seven feet long diminishing in intensity tailwards. I am satisfied that this was what has been commonly known in the country as a shooting or falling star, but it was a remarkably bright one. In the past I have seen somewhat similar objects flying through space and have regarded them as shooting stars.

In my opinion the Pressmen in Killarney like to keep abreast of the times and now that the age of "Flying Saucer" has arrived they liked to keep in the news, particularly where any money can be made out of it.

I have been in touch with the Supt., at Waterville, who is making a separate report on the matter


Supt.

THE CORK EXAMINER, MONDAY, AUGUST 4, 1947.

**ROCKET-LIKE
OBJECTS**

**Seen By Priests In
County Kerry**

Fr. Patrick Begley, of Carlisle, who is at present staying in Killarney, reports (says an Examiner correspondent) that on Thursday evening when going to Ross Castle he saw an object floating through the sky. It looked like a rocket and fell into the Lower Lake at Ross Bay. When the object hit the water a blue light lit the sky. He was accompanied by Fr. Michael Begley, of the Mill Hill convent.

On the same evening Fr. J. Kitt, of the St. Ann's Mission, Cork, was sitting outside his hotel at Waterville and saw an object in the sky coming in from the sea. It was observed for a last pace.

Both priests are now in Killarney and wonder if there is any connection between their two experiences.

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The Superintendent states that although he cannot be certain whether the story be true or false he himself does not believe it.

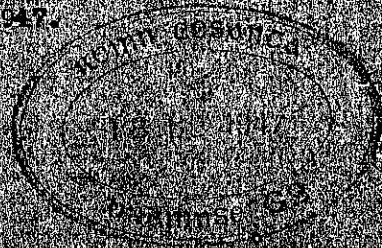
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Southern Command Headquarters,
Cottbus Barracks,
Camp

17th July, 1947.



To:
Director of Intelligence,
Department of Defence,
Herbert Park.

Re: Missing appearance of Thomas Dico at Camp Cottbus
on 15th July 1947.

Enclosed herewith please find report from three witnesses together with a statement from the responsible command.

The action is being taken in this case pending your instructions on the matter. It is noted that the Department's report of 15th July is enclosed to be given to the effect.

[Redacted signature]

LIEUT. COLONEL

ADJUTANT GENERAL, TRAINING AND OPERATIONS,
SOUTHERN COMMAND.

A. G. D.

Enclosure (1/2)

Ref. 2324/47.

Óifis an Cheana phuir, [redacted]

184 Iúil, 1947.

An Coimisiúnir "C.3".

Maidir le rud ar samhail pléitín (disc) a deirtear go bhfeachthas san aer ag Cathair Saibhín, Co. Chaisrelche, ar an 11ú Iúil, 1947.

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Ar an 10.15 i.n. 11/7/47 bhí an Garda [redacted] agus [redacted] ag Cathair Saibhín nuair a tacaigh fear darab síne [redacted] ag Cathair Saibhín air agus éinnis sé go raibeadís fear d'itáil rud éigin ar samhail pléitín (disc) ag teilgint frí an aer os cionn an bhailé mhóir ar timcheall a 6.30 i.n. an tráthnóga sin. Chuaigh an Garda Léifhreasach chuig an tríd fear i gceist agus do chreataigh sé iad i dtuaisle an seoil. Is iad sinneacha na bhfear i gceist ná [redacted] Cathair Saibhín, [redacted] Cathair Saibhín, agus [redacted] Cathair Saibhín.

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Ar an 12/7/47 tógadh ráidhneál ó gach duine de'n tríd. Tá eolúnna de na ráidhneál seo scrúdaítha. Deir [redacted] agus [redacted] bhfeachas rud éigin leathas a raibh déanamh crúna air ag teilgint frí an aer os cionn an bhailé ar timcheall a 6.30 i.n. ar an 11/7/47. Deir [redacted] nach bhfeach sé féin tudaocht go raibh sé i lathair nuair a d'bhairt duine éigin: "Look at the thing flying in the air" agus é ina sheanmh beagán i lár an bhailé.

Bhí giotai sna páipéiríochta nuachtá eile le raibhe sin a raibh "flying saucers" nó bhfeinidil ag teilgint frí an aer ina lán áiteacha ag áirdeamh Tuairiscírt Airíon acht b'fhéidir nach raibh an t-eolas seo faighte ag na daoine seo ar an 11/7/47. Tá mbeadh is eisteach nach mbéadh si-ré níos mó feoil an rud, atá ráidhte go bhfeachthas ar an 11/7/47. Bhí Gardaí thart timcheall an bhailé mhóir i rith an tráthnóga - is eolúigh a bhí ann - agus is eolúigh nár shuaidéar focal faoi go dtí gur labhair [redacted] leo. Is eisteach, freisin, agus an eiread deolán agus a bhí ar an loxad nach bhfeach níos mó nó beirt an rud a deirtear a bhí thuas san aer. Ar an dtuaisle eile fir dolgháidle leasch an Súilleabhánach agus an Dubhdineach agus ní'í an t-ionradh orra go bhfuilleadar tugtha d'innaint árdag.

Acht maidir le [redacted] ní chuir fian thairis ó nach ndéanfadh sé rud mar seo do shuaidh. Gorta thann sé giotai i gcóir na bpáipéar nuachtá anois agus arís agus táir níos feara é ar uain an méid a foillseáidh ar do. Bíonn an céard eolúna ar aithneal ag a thairt.

Tuairiscíoch d'ádh bailéin ó shoin scríobh [redacted] giotai faoi trídíirí spáinneacha a bhí ar leis ag déanamh eirligh ar iengaireacht thart timcheall ar chéiteí gúige nuadhan agus nuair a rinneadh an seoil do thairidí fuertas nach raibh ann bhunúsach leis. Tá mhara agus go scríobhfaidh [redacted] rud eibhíneach ar bith dá nglacfaid na páipéirí nuachtá naidhe ó agus mar sin tá seans ann gurebh a a chuir an Súilleabhánach agus [redacted] suas leis

Acht maidir le [redacted] ní
chuirfimid thairis é nach ndéanfaidh sé rud mar seo do sham
Scríobhann sé glotal i gcoir na bpáipéar nuacht a eisic ag
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[redacted] glota faoi trídáirí a d'innseadh a bhí dar leis ag
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tuairis nach raib don bhunachan leis. Tá abras eam go
scríobhfaidh [redacted] rud aibéilseach ar bhith dá gceist
na páipéir nuacht a d'innseadh é agus mar sin té seann am go
é a chuir [redacted] agus [redacted] agus leis
an seol seo a chumadh. Ar an ádhair sin ní féidir líon
a bhíth ainnite pé seo a bhfuil an seol fíor nó aibéilseach,
aist ní chreidim féin é. Cuirseadh an sceal i n-íul do lu
an airm i gceoláigh thair an ghuthán ar an 11/7/47.

M. J. W. S. J. C. C.
[redacted] Connal

Oifig an Gheannphuir, rt,

850 Tuil, 1947.

An tOifigeach i gCeannas, Seannasáocht an Bóisirt,
Dún ó Gaileáin,
CORAIGE.

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the matter mentioned therein. I am sorry to hear that you are having difficulties in this regard. I will do my best to assist you in this matter. I will be in touch with you again in a few days.

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Statement of [REDACTED]
Osheroiveen, taken at his residence [REDACTED]
on the 18th, July, 1947.

I remember yesterday evening I was standing near the Library at the junction of the Bridewell Road, New Market Street, Church Street, and Fair Field, about 8.30 p.m. Summer time. I was speaking to [REDACTED]

There were several people in the vicinity at the time. We were both looking North towards Castlequin, when suddenly my brother-in-law called my attention to an object which was flying in the air. Immediately I noticed the object flying in the air. It was like a large plate, I would say about 12 feet in diameter, with a dark rim and silvery white in the inside. It was flat in the air, and came in a North Westerly direction towards the town, and passed over the old R.I.C. Barracks, and went in a South Easterly direction after passing the town and disappeared in the clouds. I had a view of this object for less than a minute. I would say it would be travelling at the same speed as a motor car. It was very calm at the time and it was bright and visibility good at the time. I did not notice anything hanging from it or no light from it. It attracted the attention of a big crowd at the time, and they were asking me where it was and it had disappeared before a lot of them could see it. I did not notice who the people were at the time, as my attention was taken up by this flying object. This was the first of its kind that I ever saw. I often saw the Balloons from the Observatory and I am satisfied it was not any of the Observatory Balloons.

I have heard this statement read over to me and it is correct.

Signed:

Witness: [REDACTED] Gds.

Date: 12/17/47.

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Statement of [REDACTED]
Cahereiveen, at his residence on the 12th June, 1947.

I reside at the above address. I am a shopkeeper and farmer. I remember yesterday evening, 11/7/47, about 6.30 p.m. Summer time, I was standing at the cross outside the Cahereiveen Library. I was speaking to [REDACTED] from [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. There were several people passing up and down at the time, it being Fair evening. As I was looking towards Castlequin I saw a circular object moving along in the air. It was moving from North East towards the town and was very low, I would say lower than Cloughanlinshan Mountain. It was moving fairly fast, I would say faster than a motor-car, and it was flat and was like a big wheel or large plate. I would say that the rim was white and it was hollow in the centre. There weren't any lights or anything hanging from it. It was moving along in a circular motion. I had only a view of it for a few seconds. It was I that drew the attention of the other people to it as it was I that saw it first. It was very calm at the time and was bright and visibility was good. It came along over the old barracks and in a S.E. direction towards Teeromeyle. It disappeared into a bank of fog. There wasn't any noise from it. I have heard this statement read over to me and it is correct.

Signed:-

Witnessed by [REDACTED] Gda.

Dated this 12/7/47.

Copy/ Statement of [redacted], taken, at his residence at [redacted] on the 12th July, 1947.

I reside at the above address. I remember yesterday evening. About 6.30 p.m. I was standing outside the Cameron Library. I was speaking to [redacted] and [redacted], and I was also speaking to [redacted]. I heard some one in the crowd saying "Look at the thing flying in the air". I started to look in the direction in which they said they saw it. I could not see anything. I heard some of the people saying they saw it. I cannot say who said they saw it. There were a lot of people passing up and down at the time.

I have heard this statement read over to me and it is correct.

(Signed) [redacted] Cards

Witness:- [redacted] 12/7/47.