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THE FLYING SAUCERS ARE BACK -- THIS TIME IN PHOTOGRAPHS.

A CHILEAN NAVAL OFFICER, COMMANDER [redacted] (OH-GOOSTICH VAHRS OH-RAY'GOH), SAYS ANTARCTIC EXPLORERS UNDER HIS COMMAND TOOK PICTURES OF THE FLYING SAUCERS AT THE SOUTH POLAR BASE OF ARTHUR FRAT.

HE SAID THE PICTURES SHOWED THE FLYING SAUCERS TURNING AT TREMENDOUS SPEED ONE ABOVE THE OTHER IN THE HEAVENS.

AND IN NEW YORK, A UNITED STATES NAVY COMMANDER, [redacted] OF THE DESTROYER BRISTOL, SAYS HE BELIEVED THE FLYING SAUCERS ARE VISITORS FROM ANOTHER PLANET.

[redacted] SAYS THEY HAVE BEEN SEEN OVER THE GUIDED MISSILES PROVING GROUND AT WHITE SANDS, NEW MEXICO. MCLAUGHLIN SAID HE SAW ONE HIMSELF IN MAY 1949, AND SHORTLY BEFORE THAT FIVE TRAINED OBSERVERS, USING PRECISION INSTRUMENTS, TRACKED A STRANGE OBJECT IN THE HEAVENS ABOUT 105 FEET IN DIAMETER.

[redacted]'S STATEMENT APPEARED IN THE MARCH ISSUE OF "TRUE" MAGAZINE. HE SAID HE WAS CONVINCED THE FLYING SPACE SHIPS WERE OPERATED BY INTELLIGENT BEINGS.

HOWEVER, ONE OF [redacted]'S CLASSMATES DISAGREED WITH HIM. HE SAID [redacted] WAS A RELIABLE OFFICER BUT THAT HIS CONCLUSIONS NEEDED URTHER INVESTIGATION.

THE CLASSMATE, COMMANDER [redacted]N, SAID HE WAS INCLINED TO ACCEPT THE AIR FORCE'S OFFICIAL EXPLANATION THAT THE FLYING SAUCERS WERE SKYHOOK BALLOONS USED BY THE AIR FORCES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS COSMIC RESEARCH.

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