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We are living in strange times. Even when, today, the daily technological advances astound us, as they instantly become the fulminating routine new tools for our scientists, and the store of advanced knowledge that enables us to put people on the Moon now comes within the reach of mankind, we still find ourselves faced by certain mysteries that require a satisfactory answer.

Among these mysteries are the numerous animal mutilations recently reported throughout the whole of this Island of Puerto Rico. We, as serious investigators, are astounded by the variety of cases occurring - cases and situations that defy all logical explanations. Thorough, diligent, investigations have been carried out by the Police, the Civil Defence, the Veterinary Services (though when they perceived the 'anomalous aspects' of the business the veterinary men disassociated themselves from the investigations!), by the serious Journalists, and by the Ufologists.

The facts have been established - but the question-mark as to WHO is doing all this - and - WHY - still hangs in the air. This question has not been totally answered, it is true, though there *are* certain details that seem to give us an answer to it.

Some folk say that the mutilations are done by predatory animals such as dogs. And that *could* be so in one or two cases, but up till now the evidence indicates that what attacks the animal victims (sheep, cattle, goats, etc.) is nothing ordinary, inasmuch as the physical signs that would be left in such attacks as those **are never found in these cases.**

The mystery becomes greater when, as in the majority of the cases, no traces whatever of human footprints or animal footprints or animal footprints, or vehicle tracks, can be found at the sites (except that **at times there do appear strange footprints or animals unknown in this country!**)

Other mysterious events that might - or might not - be connected with the mutilations both here and abroad, but that have become the standard pattern in these sorts of happenings, include numerous sightings of UFOs, of unidentified helicopters, and encounters with alleged alien human-like creatures or strange hairy creatures.

In putting out this Special Issue on Mutilations our objective **is not to sensationalize the matter in order to stimulate the sales of our journal**, as certain charlatans have said, but to bring to you, the public reader, a series of real events and features of consideration on this enigmatic matter, such as will enable you to better understand what is happening. With this end in view we include herein complementary material, from Puerto Rico and from abroad, that will enable you to make important correlations regarding the cases on the Island and the cases in other countries - particularly the USA. Likewise it is not our intention to create panic or fear, **and for that reason we have withheld certain facts that could be badly interpreted.**

It is our firm belief that the public have the right to know the truth, no matter how unpleasant it may apparently be - and more especially so if that truth implies that "something" or "someone" is intervening, physically, psychologically, or spiritually, in our world. The human race needs to know the truth, especially if it requires us to

adopt a totally new and revolutionary view of our own history, our own future, and our own reality.

We believe that there are official persons and organizations in our midst who know what is behind these mutilations, but we cannot prove it. For reasons unknown they remain silent about what is going on.

On the other hand, official Government organs have embarked on a campaign of disinformation and ridicule about the subject, but all that they have managed to achieve thereby is to make evident their own interest in covering up what is happening, and their total non-recognition of it. It has been a painful spectacle for us to see biologists and employees of such agencies as the Puerto Rico Department of National Resources and the Puerto Rico Department of Agriculture pulling out of their hats absurd and ridiculous "explanations" for what the eyewitnesses and the facts themselves have demonstrated.

Sadly, others - allegedly UFO researchers - have joined in the campaign of disinformation. This might be due to two things: (1) they might be in some way associated with the agencies interested in the cover-up, or (2) It may demonstrate their own total ignorance about a subject which they have not deigned to investigate seriously.

But the events that are continuing to occur have given a powerful reply to their statements.

And we take this opportunity to express our very special recognition to the reporter and announcer, Sr. Arnaldo García, of Radio Cumbre in Orocovis, who was an original informer for us of what was going on and who has, throughout, maintained a thoroughly professional attitude. We thank him immensely for his cooperation in our investigations.

Likewise we extend our thanks and recognition to the members of o the Orocovis Police Headquarters, who displayed great professionalism and collaborated with us at every moment, just as the eyewitnesses and general residents of Orocovis have done. To all of these folk we dedicate this Special Number. Likewise we express our recognition to the reporters Pedro Rosa Nales of Channel Four Television (WAPA TV), and Arnaldo Ginés of Channel 11, as also to Omar Matos, reporter of the weekly paper *El Diario*, - all three of whom at every moment gave serious and professional attention, just as we have done, to everything related to the mutilations and to the sightings of strange creatures and UFOs in the areas affected. This has enabled the public to achieve a clearer perception of everything.

In the name of TRUTH, very many thanks to all of you!
J.M.

NOTE BY EDITOR OF FSR.

So much for Jorge Martín's excellent and eloquent Introduction to this Special Issue on Puerto Rico animal mutilations, which began in the 1970s and are still occurring all over the Island and indeed intensifying. As soon as I can I shall follow up with my translations of the most spectacular of the truly hair-raising reports which he gives, especially from the Orocovis District.■

UFOs AND MUTILATIONS IN PUERTO RICO

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[The first eight of the thirteen pages of this article are a recapitulation of the beginnings of the cattle mutilation phenomenon in the USA, with the cases of the horses *Lady* and *Snippy* on Harry King's ranch in the San Luis Valley, State of Colorado, in September 1967. The sources used by Jorge Martín are the books *Mystery Stalks the Prairie*, by Roberta Donovan and Keith Wolverton (1976), and *Alien Harvest* by Linda Moulton Howe ('1989). I shall therefore confine myself now to giving the gist of the second part, dealing with the mutilations in Puerto Rico, which began in 1975. G.C.]

In 1975, as it is doing again today, Puerto Rico was suffering from a tremendous wave of animal mutilations (cattle, sheep, pigs, deer, goats, dogs, and various species of farmyard fowls).

All of these animals had deep, perfect, clear, cuts on their carcasses, and all their blood had been drained out, without any signs of any of it being spilled, and without anyone living or sleeping near by perceiving that anything whatever had occurred.

In some cases, radiation was detected, as with some goats owned by Sr. Hector Vega at Mocca (N.W. part of the Island). When this case was investigated by Sr. Luis Urbina, a technical radiation instructor for the Civil Defence authority, he found the area around the goats' carcasses gave a possible radioactive reading of .008 to .012 on his Geiger Counter.

An even more alarming case occurred on April 6, 1975, on the property of Sr. Buenaventuro Bello in Isla Verde, Carolina, right in the metropolitan area of the Island. [This case was reported on extensively in one of the five articles by FSR's then Correspondent there, the engineer Sebastián Robiou Lamarche in FSR volumes 22,23, and 25, but as nobody will now recall it I shall repeat it in detail again now, owing to its great importance. G.C.]

At 6.00am that morning Señor Bello was astonished at not hearing the usual early call of his 18 precious geese, which normally greeted him with a gagging reminder that it was time to feed them. Arising and looking out through his rear bedroom window he was horrified to see all his geese lying dead and laid out in a great circle. Telling his wife not to look out and not to go out, he went down to investigate.

Every goose had two deeply punched wounds 1/4" in diameter and about 1/4" apart. These holes, similar to those being found today in animals killed at Orocovis, Barranquitas, Morovis, Naranjito, and Mantí, were all exactly in the centre of a circle about 1 inch wide on which the feathers had been totally plucked. And he found that all carcasses had been drained of blood.

Bello was astounded. How could such a thing be? His home and premises were surrounded by a high metal

grill fence, so no dog or similar animal could possibly have got in. Moreover the wounds were in any case totally unlike bites by dogs or cats etc., *because they weren't bites*, and there were no scratches - merely strange holes in pairs. And a further abnormal detail was the laying out of the geese in a perfect circle. *No animal - but only some intelligent creature - could have done anything like that!*

Bello owned a beautiful young shepherd dog bitch. She would never permit anyone to get near the house. And yet this dog - which had been in the grounds during that night - along with the geese - had never barked or displayed the slightest indication that anything was happening that night. Furthermore, when Sr. Bello opened the door that morning, this dog, whining and deeply terrified, simply bolted into the house, and from then on she showed fear of the back patio and would refuse ever again to enter it.

Thoroughly alarmed, Señor Bello contacted the local Police, but what arrived was not a patrol car from them but one from Police Headquarters in the Capital, San Juan itself!

After inspecting the scene, the Police advised Sr. Bello not on any account to enter the patio. Then they radioed to Headquarters, and soon after that several men arrived in a white minibus. They were clad from head to feet in white combination suits such as are used for dealing with radiation or bacteria, *and nothing was ever said to indicate who or what they were or from where they came.*

Further Police arrived and posted sentries all around the premises. Meanwhile the team were getting to work with all their electronic equipment and detectors and headed for the back patio. Half an hour later, Señor Bello received a mysterious telephone call from a university in the south of the USA (not identified) requesting him to

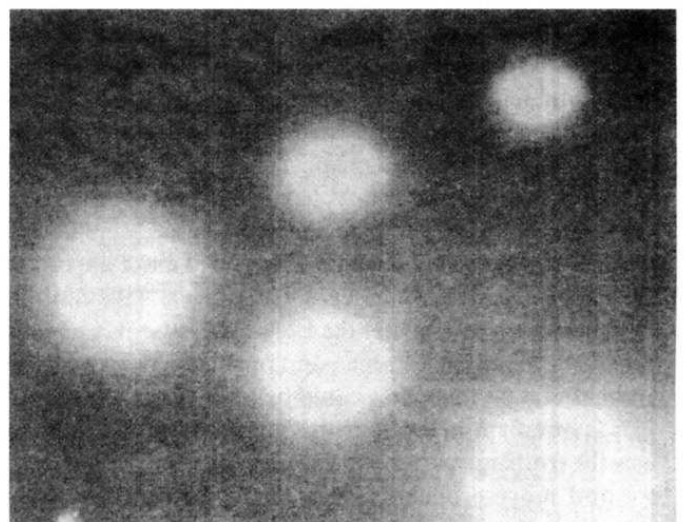
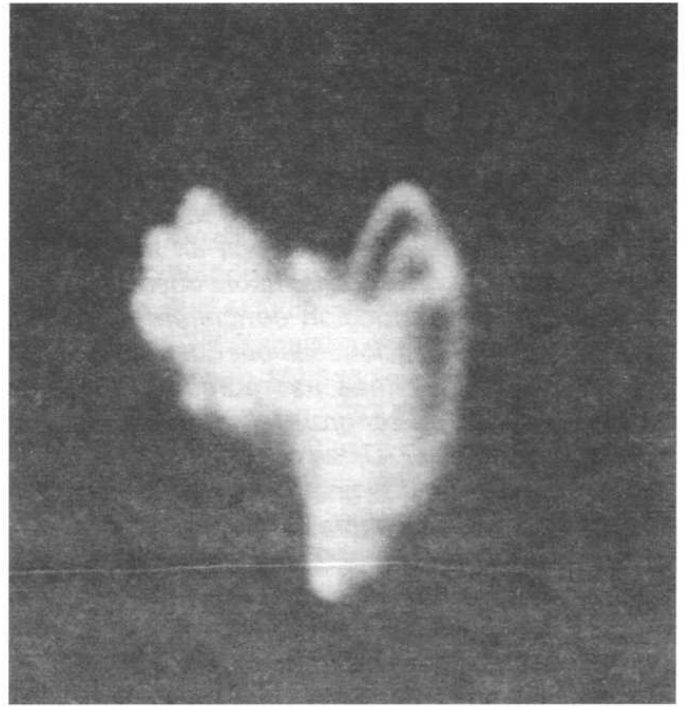


Fig. 1 Some strange white lights which flew by the mountains Sangre de Cristo.



**Figs. 2 and 3: Big Mama and her “baby”, Dec. 1976, and Feb. 1977
at Condado de Logan, Colorado, USA.**

send them some of the dead geese! And half an hour later the caller himself - with one other man - arrived and collected the bodies!

Both callers, smartly dressed in business suits, were clearly Americans and from the USA. They put the dead geese into plastic bags and were off again at once.

The Police and the men in the decontamination suits picked up the rest of the dead geese and, before departing, they installed some sort of detector device on the roof of the house which they said would indicate whether the killer or killers of the geese returned. Some days later, the men came back and took away this little black box, but gave no indication as to what it was or contained. They again told everyone to keep out of the back patio. And, one thing, said Bello, was clear: *these folk all clearly knew precisely what it was that they were up against - even if they didn't talk!*

Furthermore some more men in civilian clothing also arrived, without a word about their purpose or identities. They took up positions for several days in front of the house and were clearly from some Federal Agency or other. But Sr Bello still has no idea what they were on the watch for.

Before their departure, one of them again advised the Bello family not to go near the back patio, and even went so far as to say that their best policy would be to quit the premises altogether, *as there was something in the patio “that could be highly dangerous for Sr. Bello's wife”*. He refused to tell them officially what it was, but by various indirect means he gave them to understand that it was a *high level of radiation*.

The Bellos accordingly made immediate preparations for moving their home. Meanwhile, in the next few days, the German shepherd dog began to appear weak and ill and when a veterinary surgeon was called to examine it a few days later, he said it had cancer - “due no doubt to something it had eaten”. The animal was beyond help,

so Bello consented to its being put down with an injection.

And he was left wondering: how on earth could such a beautiful and healthy young animal so speedily be brought to a terminal cancer? High radiation was evidently the answer.

REPORTS BY FSR'S FIRST CORRESPONDENT IN PUERTO RICO, THE ENGINEER SEBASTIÁN ROBIOU LAMARCHE.

FSR's Consultant at that time, Sr. Sebastián Robiou Lamarche, of a local UFO Investigation group then active on the Island (C.E.O.V.N.I), managed to get copies of the X-ray photos of the geese and also of the autopsy reports by a certified pathologist whose name was not disclosed. The report confirmed that the wounds were deep punctures, set in pairs, each 1/4 inch wide and about 1/4 inch apart.

The wounds had penetrated to a depth of over an inch into the bodies of the geese and had removed internal organs. Most strange of all, the wounds *converged* inside the body, and, also, in the very moment that they were being made, seemingly, the walls of the wounds were being cicatrized, no doubt to avoid any loss of the blood, *all of which had been drained away*.

(These details agreed with what has been found in the cases of the cattle in Colorado, USA, as investigated by Wolverton, by Linda Moulton Howe, and by the pathologist Altschuler, and it holds true also for all the many, many further cases that have occurred throughout Puerto Rico from 1880 until now. Whatever had entered the bodies and made the perforations *had* to be a sharp-pointed object and moreover one that *emitted great heat*, affecting the texture of the flesh.)

Another notable and disturbingly anomalous fact is that, when owners have touched the incisions on the dead animals or birds in Puerto Rico, or have touched peculiar liquids that came out of the bodies, *they have felt severe*

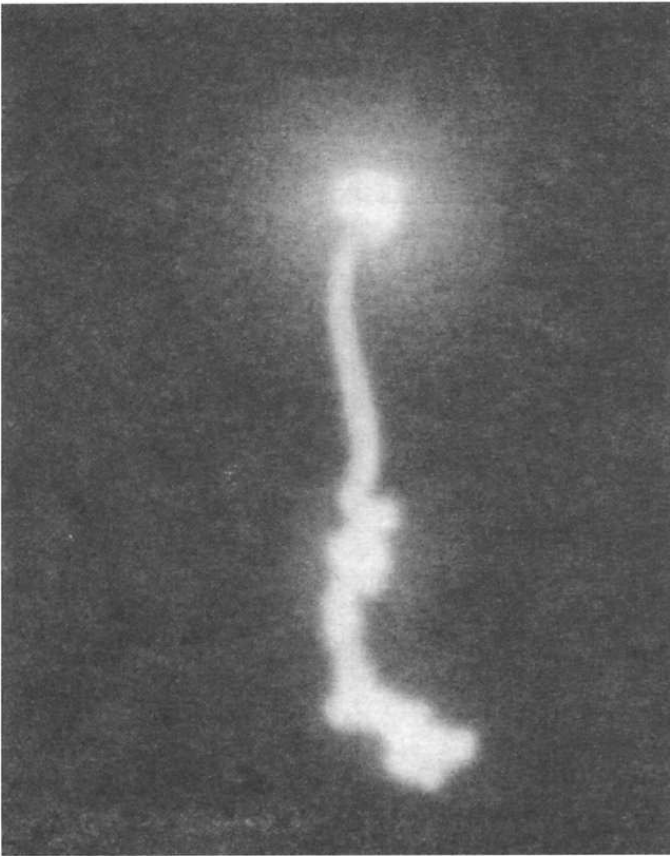


Fig. 4 UFO photographed in 1967 , at Condado de Logan, Colorado, USA.



Fig. 5 UFO photographed at site of mutilations in Ashdown, Arkansas.

pains in their hands, or a tremendous heat, lasting for days, and even the skin of their fingers has changed colour for a few days and become inflamed. However human medical science has found no reason for these effects.

Furthermore, although the holes in the birds and animals are of such a very small size, nevertheless entire organs - such as liver, stomach, heart, etc., - have vanished from the bodies. In some cases it has been verified that the brain has vanished from within the animal's or bird's skull, AND YET THE SKULL HAS NOT BEEN OPENED.

As the reader can see, this problem of the anomalous mutilation of animals that is occurring throughout the world is not something that can be set aside and got rid of that easily with the assertions that officialdom is always giving - namely that it is all due to predatory animals - coyotes, wolves, pumas, vultures - or - as in the caes in Puerto Rico - to dogs and mandril apes!

This simplistic explanation might indicate to us three possible things:

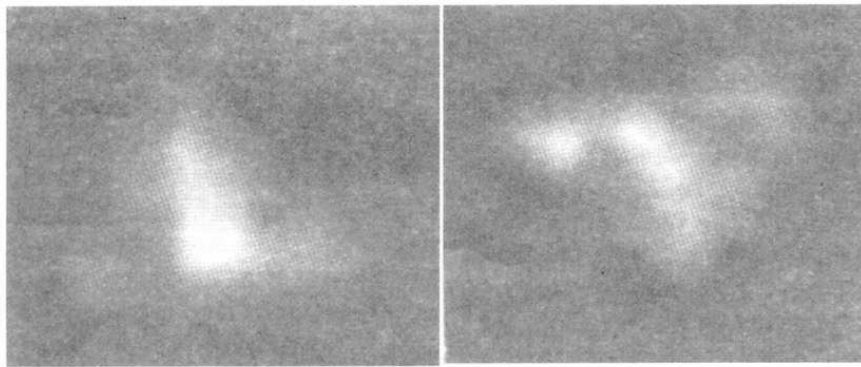
- The persons who devote themselves to proffering these explanations are folk suffering from a vast ignorance about such cases, as evidently they know nothing of the facts as presented by us here above. So, in that event we should simply excuse them for their statements.
- The statements are part of a concerted plan, at Governmental level, to deceive and manipulate public opinion regarding the reality of this phenomenon and about its connection - maybe - with the UFO

phenomenon (which they certainly would not wish to have to discuss directly inasmuch as they would then be having to admit that the UFOs and the Aliens are real!). Another possibility, may be, is that there are secret Government experiments, carried out with unknown objectives.

- The Government and its officials may be doing all of this in good faith because, although they know that everything we have said above is true, they *wish to avoid public alarm*. Were this the explanation for such conduct, we could understand it. But what we cannot tolerate is the fact that often, in order to achieve their ends, the Government's representatives, along with professional "detractors of such cases", direct their attacks at the personal reputations and the credibility of the eyewitnesses of these happenings, or the reputations and credibility of the investigators whom we have appointed to report on them.
- In this article we have presented important material at a scientific level. We trust that this material will be carefully studied and analyzed by both professionals and laymen before any of them leap to emitting hasty opinions upon the subject.

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NOTE BY TRANSLATOR, G.C.

To these I must add, because they are most certainly totally unknown to anybody in Puerto Rico today, the undermentioned five articles by FSR Consultant Sebastián Robiou Lamarche which I translated and published in FSR. They show that, so early as the years 1973, 1977, 1978, and 1979, I was already reporting in depth on Puerto Rico. (One of the articles even deals with the CHUPACABRA!).

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STOP PRESS: CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE ROYAL KIND.

U.K. readers may have seen an astonishing article which appeared on pages 30-31 of the *Daily Mail* of Thursday, April 25th, 2002. The headline is: **CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE ROYAL KIND.**

The article, by David Clarke and Andrew Roberts, is extracted from their new book, *Out of the Shadows*, to be published by Piatkus Books on May 9th, cost £17.99. The Daily mail invites readers to order it for £15.99 (p&p free in the U.K) by phoning 01476 - 541 - 001.

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The article goes on to discuss the role of Mountbatten in persuading the public to take the subject of UFOs seriously, while of necessity concealing his own level of conviction and belief.

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