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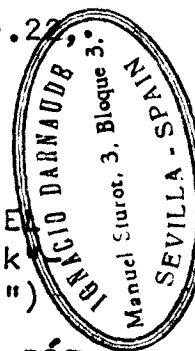
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whence we all come. As the Soviet Union opens up, the ranks of those who seek explanations for UFOs and for the riddles of antiquity expand, and the pace of publishing in these areas quickens. Countless new magazines deal with the UFO phenomenon, sprouting like mushrooms in a rain-drenched forest. In trying to bash these heresies, Kondratov, Shilik, and their ilk have their work cut out for them. ■

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long, constructive comment suggested parameters for statistical studies and an exchange of information. A comment about tourism was not unexpected but reveals a naive view of the places where circles are located, especially in Canada. As for people who enjoy being "in the spotlight," it is a fact that many owners of fields with crop circles avoid publicity and do not even report the circles for fear of ridicule. On the other hand, souvenir stands at crop-circle sites in England and Canada have been set up (and some field owners are charging admission).

The survey shows that agriculturists are less than experts on the phenomenon of crop circles. Their expertise in examining field markings, however, makes them useful sources for investigations and research. Ufologists probably have the most extensive backgrounds for crop-

question why, the psychological question who, and the mechanical question how. If the circles (and triangles and rectangles and spirals) are caused by aliens, then we can ask what is their motivation (though realizing that we have no way of comprehending extraterrestrial logic). If the crop circles are weather effects, why have they appeared recently in such numbers? If they are a rare phenomenon, then they should not have increased so dramatically in number. If they are so common, then why would they concentrate in England, and why have some farmers with many decades' experience insisted that the circles resemble nothing in recent memory? ■

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We are sending the newspaper articles you requested under separate cover.

We were able to find some other articles in both the Dallas Morning News and the Dallas Times Herald on other dates in 1897 concerning the airship. They are the following:

"Flight of the Airship", Dallas Morning News, April 17, 1897. Includes two drawings.

"High in the Heavens", Dallas Morning News, April 18, 1897.

~~"The Great Aerial Wanderer", Dallas Morning News, April 19, 1897.~~

Dallas Times Herald, April 17 and 20, 1897.

If you would send us \$2.50, we will reproduce these articles for you.

Sincerely,



(Mrs.) Lucile A. Boykin, Department Head,
Texas History and Genealogy Department

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May 27, 1970

Ignacio Darnaude Rojas-Marcos
Av. Manuel Siurot, 3 (Bloque San Leandro)
Sevilla, Spain

Dear Sir:

We have enclosed the receipt which was made to show your payment had been received.

On the date of the mailing of references requested this receipt was made. We regret the delay in mailing it to you.

We trust you will receive the material very soon or that it may have arrived.

Sincerely,



Mrs. Lucile A. Boykin, Department Head
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June 5, 1970

Ignacio Darnaude Rojas-Marcos
Av. Manuel Siurot, 3 (Bloque San Leandro)
Sevilla, Spain

Dear Sir:

We have not received the last amount of money for two dollars and fifty cents (2.50) on a Bank of Dallas. The receipt mailed to you recently, May 27, 1970, was for the money received earlier for papers processed which should have reached you by now.

Our experience has been that money sent through banks or international money orders take many weeks to clear. However, the Houston Bank amount appears to have cleared our city auditor favorably. We have recently spent several hours attempting to obtain foreign money on another agency.

As soon as your last request dated June 1 and April, 1970, comes we will mail the material. I think you understand our situation here. We have recently had an abundance of similar requests. Library policy does not permit us to process the material until the money is on hand.

We regret sincerely any inconvenience this has caused you. You may want to send a tracer on your last request. It is equally possible that it will arrive tomorrow after our letter leaves here to come to you.

Sincerely,

Lucile Boykin

(Mrs.) Lucile A. Boykin, Department Head
Texas History and Genealogy Department

Cash Date June 26, 1970 L 99169
 Received from Ignacio Darnaude Rojas-Marcos \$ 2.50
Two + $\frac{50}{100}$ DOLLARS
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 Fines on Pictures \$ Deposit Card No. \$
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September 8, 1970

Senor Ignacio Darnaude Rojas-Marcos
av. Manuel Siurot. 3 (Bloque San Leandro)
Sevilla, Spain

Dear Senor Darnaude Rojas-Marcos:

We have received your letter of August 18. We are very sorry about the delay in your receipt of the copies which you requested. These copies were sent to you on July 20, 1970. It is library policy that all foreign mail be sent air mail, so we are unable to ascertain exactly why this delay has occurred.

Because of the delay that has occurred we are sending you duplicate copies of the newspaper articles of April 17, 18 and 19, 1897 of the Dallas Morning News and April 17 and 20, 1897 of the Dallas Times Herald.

We are assuming that you have already received the other articles which deal with the airship and which you requested at an earlier date. (These articles would have been dated April 16, 17, 19, 20 and 21, 1897 of the Dallas Morning News.)

We have reason to believe that you have received duplicate copies of the same articles, those articles appearing on April 17 and 19 in the Dallas Morning News. In looking through our files we found these particular dates mentioned in your original request for copies which we received in April, 1970.

With your receipt of the five articles that I am sending you today, your file on the airship incident in Dallas should be complete, as we have sent you all of the articles which pertain to this occurrence.

Again, I apologize for all of the problems that have come up over this matter. We are terribly sorry for the delays caused you and for the necessity of your writing us so frequently. We are sorry that we were not able to serve you more effectively. Should you desire other information in the future we will attempt to make our service more prompt.

We do hope that we can be of assistance to you in the future and we hope

Senor Ignacio Darnaude Rojas-Marcos

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that you will "finally" receive the copies which you requested.

Sincerely,

Lucile Boykin
(Mrs.) Lucile A. Boykin, Department Head
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AV. MANUEL SIUROT, 3 (Bloque San Leandro)
SEVILLA

January 26th, 1.970

"Dallas Morning News"
A.H.Belo Corporation
Communication Center
Dallas, Texas 75222
USA

Dear Sirs,

I am sending to you enclosed copy of the pages 92-93 of "Flying Saucers Are Hostile" (Award Books, New York, 1.967), of Brad Steiger, referring to a crash of a spaceship happened near Aurora, Texas, on April 17, 1.897. The news appeared on the "Dallas Morning News", edition of April 19th, 1.

Please send me, previous payment of its amount, a XEROCOPY of the page of Dallas Morning News, edition of April 19th 1.897, which includes the above mentioned news about a spacecraft crashed in Aurora.

Thanking you in advance I remain, dear Sirs,

We do not have equipment for making a Xerocopy. A copy may be ordered through the Dallas Public Library, by giving them date + Page reference. This, I believe, has or was proved to be a leaf.

*Downtown Brad
50¢ plus tax, per
copy*

Yours faithfully
Juan C. Vannando
Francisco



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August 12, 1975

Mr. Ignacio Darnaude
Av. Manuel Siurot, 3 (Bloque San Leandro)
Sevilla, Spain

Dear Mr. Darnaude:

Please be advised that reproductions of the list of articles set forth in your letter of the 2nd instant are available for U.S. \$1.00 each. The total cost, therefore, would be \$8.00.

The reproductions will not be Xerox copies. Instead they will be prepared from microfilm copy and will consist of white lettering on a black background. The condition of the original newspapers at the time of the microfilming was not always good, Consequently, the quality of the copies which we can prepare will not always be good.

If you decide to request the reproductions, you should make your remittance payable to the Dallas Public Library.

Yours very truly,

L. D. Bockstruck

L. D. Bockstruck, First Assistant
History and Social Sciences Division

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Cash Date April 27, 1970 **L 99103**
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October 7, 1975

Ignacio Darnaude Rojas-Marcos
Av. Manuel Siurot, 3 (Bloque San Leandro)
Sevilla, Spain

Dear Mr. Rojas-Marcos:

We are enclosing a set of reproductions of pages from both The Morning News and The Times Herald of April 1897 regarding the unidentified flying object at Aurora, Texas.

Your original letter setting forth the exact dates of the issues you requested has been misfiled. Because I am unable to locate your letter, I may not have included all of the issues you required. If you will compare your list with the ones I selected and notify me of those which are missing, I shall prepare them.

Yours very truly,

L. D. Bockstruck

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History and Social Sciences Division

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Mr. Ignacio Darnaude Rojas-Marcos
Av. Manuel Siurot, 3
Sevilla, Spain

Dear Mr. Darnaude:

We have tried on several occasions to reproduce page 4 of 18 April 1897, page 8 of 20 April 1897, and page 7 of 21 April 1897 of The Dallas Morning News without having any success. The reproductions came out as white pages with no print. The poor quality is due in part to the rather bad condition of the original newspapers at the time of filming.

We have prepared typed copies of some of the these articles in their entirety. The last consists of five columns of text and includes interviews with local residents who claimed to have seen the airship as well as stories from other newspapers across the nation. It is too extensive, however, to transcribe.

Our reel of microfilm for The Dallas Daily Herald of 17 April 1897 has disappeared. If it is not located within the next few days, we shall order a replacement. When we have the film, we shall endeavor to reproduce the story in this issue.

Yours very truly,

L. D. Bockstruck

L. D. Bockstruck, First Assistant
History & Social Science Division

NEWS CONCERNING "THE AIRSHIP" OF 1.897

- < DALLAS MORNING NEWS, Dallas, Friday, April 16th, 1.897: "Sighting the Air (2 columns)
- < DALLAS MORNING NEWS, Saturday, April 17th, 1.897: "Flight of the Air Ship (3 columns)
- < THE DAILY TIMES HERALD, Dallas, Saturday, April 17th, 1.897: "The Airship"
- < DALLAS MORNING NEWS, Sunday, April 18th, 1.897: "High in the Heavens" (6 columns)
- < DALLAS MORNING NEWS, Monday, April 19th, 1.897: "The great aerial Wanderer (5 columns) (North Pole Story)
- < THE DAILY TIMES HERALD, April 20th, 1.897: "Air Ship seen by Fort Worth people last night" (one column)
- < DALLAS MORNING NEWS, April 20th, 1.897:
- < DALLAS MORNING NEWS, April 21st, 1.897: "Believers in the Airship" (one column)