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ENGLISH SUMMARY

UFO Observation (pp. 34–35)

On 30 January 2014, a woman observed, in Riesa, a “large ball” in a grey sky, with a small ball underneath. It was just a light, no body, but without a halo as one would expect of a light. The edge was perfectly sharp, and the thing vanished in an instant. There were no other witnesses. As GEP can find no stimulus which resembles this report, it is classed as “Problematic UFO.”

Additional reports / part 10 (pp. 36–16)

Again, Hans-Werner Peiniger discusses mainly photo cases. The time exposure image of a very bizarre UFO, verbally described as “silent triangle with sharply defined edge”, and taken on 20 March 2014 at Gonderingen in Luxemburg, was positively identified as that of a plane. A strange case is that of the mother who spotted, on 10 March 2014, an object with green and red lights with four wings over Kronberg which, she thought, attempted to make contact with her 22-month-old child. It was definitely a plane. A security man observed, on 1 September 2013 at Freital, a cylindrical UFO, about 3 ft. long, which passed in a distance of 20 m from him. It was brilliant green, had a cupola and four small wings, and left a con trail. GEP identifies that as possible fireworks or bolide, an identification the witness does not accept. Images taken at night by a security camera on 12 December 2007 at Kefenrod show several “UFOs”. One was identified as lens reflexions, two (by superimposing a daylight image on the photos) as house windows, and one as the eyes of an animal. A woman took pictures of a storm front approaching on 29 June 2005 at Riefensberg, on which she had later noticed “a saucer-like object with a dark trail.” As the camera used a flash, this will have been an insect.

Brief Notes (p. 47–48)

- Obituary Dr Roger Lear – Lear, who surgically removed alleged alien implants, died on 14 March 2014.
- Austrian Press Archive on UFOs – A PDF archive with Austrian press articles, organized by DEGUF0 Austria, has gone online at www.deguf0.at/pressearchiv.
- Socorro UFO – a photo of the craft? – Anthony Bragalia has discovered the photo of a balloon which he thinks was used by students in 1964 to prank Lonnie Zamora into believing he had seen a landed flying saucer.
- Exhibition on an allegedly crashed saucer – The Galileo Park, in Sauerland, will host an exhibition from May 2014 to February 2015 showing alleged museum pieces of an alien crash in the former GDR. It is an art project, though.

Landing Traces in Germany, Austria, and Switzerland, part 3 (pp. 49–54)

An additional listing of reports on strange lights and objects that allegedly landed and left surface tracings. This part especially focuses on gelatinous meteors which were rather common in the 19th century.

A very unusual helmet (pp. 55–56)

The Ancient Astronauts Thesis works with the premise that something that looks like modern technology in ancient times actually does represent ancient or alien technology. The author shows a helmet of a 16th century suit of armour which resembles the modern image of a grey alien to show the simplicity of this assumption.

Reviews (pp. 57–64)

No English language books are reviewed in this issue.