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Andrews Archives circa 1990



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- An investigation to secure aerial photographs and data from the Ministry of Defence in Great Britain, the police forces, and the secret air base Boscombe Down;
- A request to have the subject raised in the British Parliament;
- Evidence to correct details published in 2006 by Nick Pope, former UFO point person for the UK's Ministry of Defence, about his Government's involvement in crop circles; and,
- A Royal request to remove a decades-old communication from this Disclosure publication and website.





The Andrews Archives circa 1990

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Throughout this book are a sampling of crop circle types as identified in the Andrews Catalog.



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Introduction

"No government, organization or person has the right to control the pace of our advancing human consciousness by holding back the truth - honesty directs us to a better place"

Colin Andrews—2009

I have been researching crop circles for more than 25 years. During this time I have interacted with British authorities on the subject at many different levels of government and Royalty. I've been reporting on these interactions during lectures, on tape and in books since 1989.

Recently, a new and disturbing development has occurred, where officials are rewriting history as to the level of government interest and involvement with the mystery. This is done through the release from the National Archives of select or altered Military of Defence (MoD) classified documents.

I first saw this in effect with an article written by Nick Pope, formerly head of the MoD-UFO project. In his article Nick Pope claims that there was not substantial official interest or investigation in the subject of crop circles by the MoD, Houses of Parliament, County police, or the Royalty.



In his article Nick Pope specifically claims that:

- The MoD did not have an in-depth or lasting interest in the subject and he debunks many of the claims I have made regarding my government level interactions. Pope sites the Hansard record from the Houses of Parliament as evidence that the Military have not worked with any civilian research group on the crop circles mystery. I have proof that this is patently untrue which I will provide in this article.
- Pope claims there was no involvement with County police and shows an official record from Hampshire and Wiltshire police chiefs stating that their officers were not carrying out any official investigations. This is misleading if not outright false and I will provide evidence to that effect.
- Pope goes on to say that “he had to deny” any interest of the Queen or other members of the Royal Family in the crop circles. I will provide personal letters I received from Her Majesty the Queen and Prince Philip which show Pope’s statement to be false.
- Nick further says that the use of a government D-notice was never used to stifle media coverage of crop circle events specifically those at Operation Blackbird. A D-Notice is a government enforcement order to cease media transmissions of material considered to be a threat to national security. Well known television and radio presenter Dave Barrett’s experience to the contrary is included in this article.



Introduction

Nick Pope's claims have been reinforced with the recent release of MoD National Archive records under an extension of the Freedom of Information Act. The media reported extensively on the records release and some articles can be seen in this document. I know that these records are incomplete and in some cases false and will present the evidence in this report.

I don't believe the timing of Nick Pope's article and the MoD records release are coincidence. I can think of only two explanations for the incomplete and wrong information in both. Perhaps high level inter-governmental sharing of information on the subject has been on a need-to-know basis and not only the public but Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher and Nick Pope were being misled. Or perhaps the government is trying to rewrite history and downplay their interest and involvement in the subjects of crop circles and UFOs using Nick Pope to open the door to this approach. I wrote to Nick on September 15, 2006 to dispute his version of these historical events as I knew them.

To change the record on government involvement in the mystery requires that the record on my own involvement with the government be changed as well. Fortunately I have proof of my claims. I can demonstrate interest and interaction with local authorities in Wiltshire and Hampshire counties, the MoD, Nick Pope at the UFO Project Department, members of Parliament and the Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's cabinet, and the Royal Family.





Local Government In Hampshire & Wiltshire Counties, UK

“...many times the authorities were present to record a crop circle formation before the public and in some cases even the farmers were not aware the formation existed.”

I was employed in local government at Test Valley in Hampshire from 1974 to 1990. This proved to be a door opener into the Hampshire and Wiltshire Police authorities (and also into central government) who readily shared with me information they had collected on crop circles.

At the time, late 1980's and early 1990's, crop circles represented a completely new situation and were drawing massive numbers of people into the countryside. It would have been negligent if government per say, local and national, was not fully informed on the extent of the phenomenon.

I was actively investigating crop circles, was an electrical engineer, came from local government and was a credible affiliate. I worked with cooperative individuals at very high levels within the Hampshire and Wiltshire police aerial surveillance operations. The pictures in this document are all photographs given to me by these individuals in an official capacity.

Nick Pope has stated that any photo's taken from military helicopters were taken by interested individuals and not under



Colin receiving an award for his years of service for the Test Valley Borough Council.

the directive of police headquarters. This is simply not true. The police in Hampshire provided me with a direct telephone number to the commanding officer of the flight control operation at Lee-On-Solent.

I was given this access because I was receiving daily reports of newly arrived circles from private aircraft and helicopter pilots, the public, farmers, and others. I passed selected reports to the flight control operations who then directed official aircraft to take immediate photographs for their use.

Our joint cooperation was reciprocated with my receipt of their aerial photographs. With this arrangement many times the authorities were present to record a crop circle formation before the public and in some cases even the farmers were aware the formation existed.

Occasionally I would be on site to witness the arrival of the aircraft I had requested, as can be seen in this photograph. This level of involvement is far above individual interest and demonstrated unprecedented co-operation with private research efforts, as the times dictated, contrary to Pope's assertion or the official statement in Parliament.





**Colin and Pat Delgado with the UK Army
at Project Blackbird**

The Involvement Of The Military

“Throughout the late 1980’s and early 1990’s military aircraft over crop circles were commonplace and witnessed by all who visited the circles. Military aircraft were witnessed taking photographs and maneuvering over the formations regularly.”

I received extraordinary cooperation from military airbases throughout South Central England in my research as did other researchers such as George Wingfield.

For example, Wingfield revealed that he was part of a series of photographic expeditions on aircrafts provided by the Army Air Corp at Middle Wallop airbase for the purpose of taking close-up aerial photographs of crop circles in the Andover and Marlborough areas of Hampshire and Wiltshire. A senior member of the House of Lords was on board during at least two of those over-flights.

I am aware that much of the skepticism about my personal claims has arisen due to the lack of cooperation given by the military to some other crop circle and UFO research organizations. I can only reiterate that my local government position may have given me a slightly credible position, however, I think the real reason was



reason was that it never occurred to me that they would not be helpful. Consequently I was respectful, cooperative, persistent and fully anticipating reciprocation. This is considerably different than the poorly masked hostility in many approaches to the military of this kind.

I find it ironical that in the 80's and 90's I was accused of being a government cohort due to the help I was given and now I am accused of making up government involvement! How the wheel turns. I am openly accused on various websites of carrying out CIA or Rockefeller instructions to down play the crop circle and UFO phenomena when the exact opposite is the truth. Many instances of military presence at the crop circles and assistance provided to me with evidence to support my claims.

The Summer of 1985

In the summer of 1985 Busty Taylor discovered and photographed a set of five circles near Longstock in Hampshire. By the time Taylor landed his aircraft and arrived at the site for ground analysis military aircraft were already overhead photographing the formation.

The farmer of the field believed the circles were formed by the activity of military helicopters as his fields were in close proximity to the Middle Wallop army airbase and low level helicopter activity occurred frequently.

The farmer lodged a complaint at the airbase which instigated an investigation led by Lieutenant Colonel Edgecombe. The official report was sent to the MoD. Nick Pope plays down this report as an action taken to placate the public.

The Involvement of the Military

However, after Lt. Col. Edgecombe's investigation I telephoned the airbase asking to speak with him. During the course of our conversation I was invited to visit the airbase for further discussion. My visit resulted in being given a copy of Edgecombe's official report and photographs of the site, the same reports that was also sent to the MoD and was dismissed by Pope.

I agreed not to publish the report at the time but am doing so now. I am releasing this to demonstrate that Pope neglects to mention several important aspects of this report. He fails to mention that the Colonel was on board the helicopter that investigated the circles and had with him the Aircraft Accident Investigations Officer who were both baffled by what they saw.

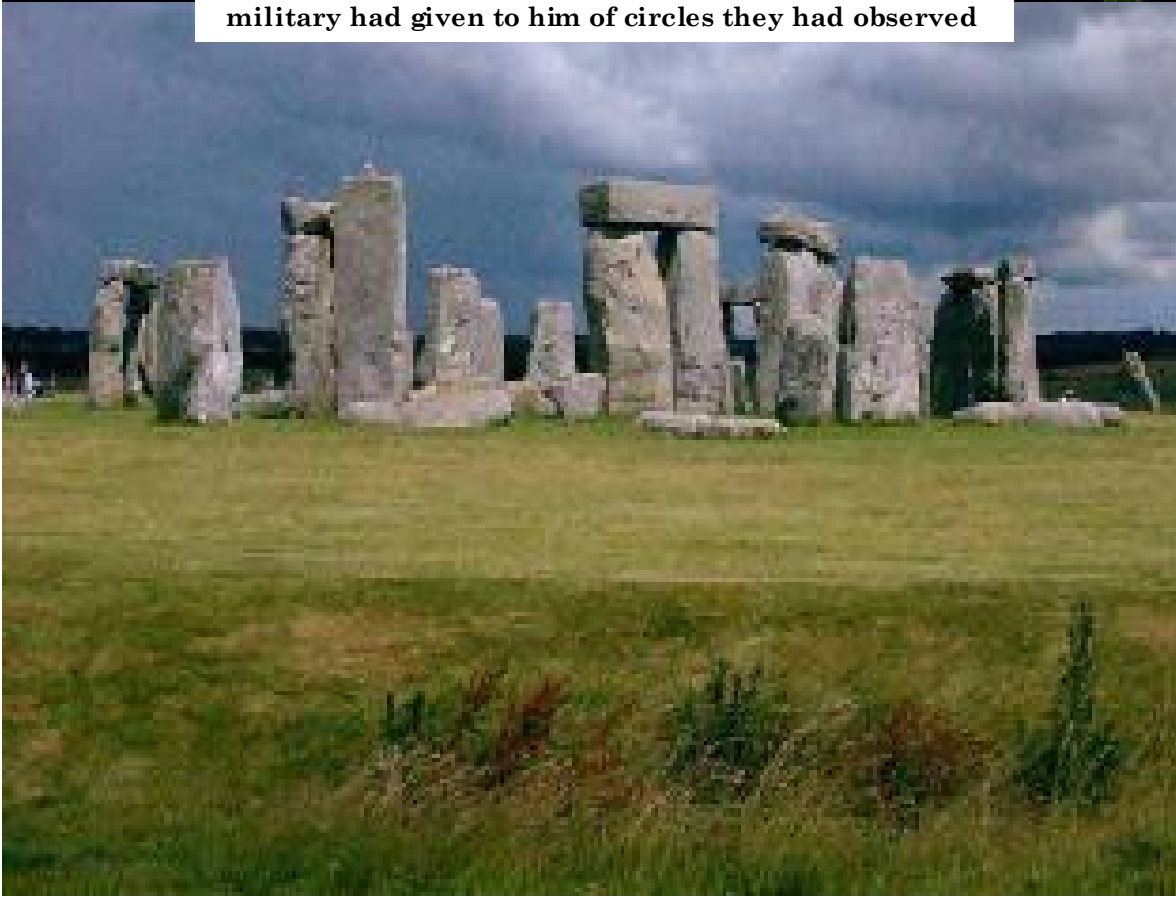
The report states that they could not find any tracks into or out of the field and one particularly inexplicable feature was a circle remote from the tractor tram lines which also had no tracks to it. They even question if it was caused by a UFO. The report ends by saying none of those present could offer a reasonable explanation for the circles but they were certainly not aircraft down wash.

I am not using this event as evidence that these crop circles were not man-made or that the military believed they were extra-terrestrial in origin. I am simply demonstrating that there was interest in the subject at very high levels.





Colin presenting one of the large color photos the UK military had given to him of circles they had observed



The Involvement of the Military

The Fall of 1987

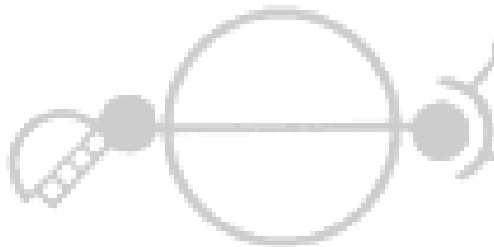
In the first week of September 1987 I was in conversation with the flight control tower at the Boscombe Down top secret air establishment requesting information on any new formations reported by their pilots.

I was in the habit of regularly checking with the airbase for this type of information. At this time they informed me of a set of five circles seen from the end of the runway. The circles were in Amesbury near Stonehenge.

In pursuing this report I was permitted access to a meeting with the head of the photographic division where personnel thumbed through serialized negatives to show me crop circle photographs they had taken.

Several were extremely valuable to me as they added significant information to the details of our own site work. For example one photo was taken one hour prior to our own visit to the same site.

In their photo the swirl pattern in the circle was counter clockwise and the plants were laid flat. In our photo of the same circle the swirl was clockwise and the plants were tufted. A change of this sort had never been witnessed before. I left Boscombe Down gifted with large prints of photographs that were of interest to me.





Colin, Pat Delgado, and the UK Army at Operation Blackbird

Operation Blackbird

The military were involved with several high profile surveillance efforts, the most prominent being Operation Blackbird in the summer of 1990. This was a three week long high-tech surveillance stake-out overlooking fields near Bratton and Westbury in Wiltshire. This was determined to be the most likely site for recording a crop circle being formed. There was a high degree of media coverage of this operation:

- The Royal Army Ordnance Corp, at the Deepcut Army base provided the best military night vision cameras available to be used during Blackbird. The equipment cost thousands of pounds.
- The Army also provided personnel with technical expertise to help with the surveillance camera operations which can be seen in the pictures on the same link as above. The two officers provided were deployed from TRG Wing, HQ CO4, and TRG BN at Depot RAOC, in Blackdown Barracks, Deepcut, Camberley, Surrey.
- Unbeknown to the public there was another covert operation being conducted by the army at Silbury Hill just 19 miles away from Blackbird. This site was deemed the second most likely spot to record a crop circle being formed. The Army procured footage of their operations which I asked for and was given at the end of our coordinated efforts. The CPR Archive contains the copies of this Army footage.



While we maintained a public presence at Blackbird with many media cameras present, Army personnel were using special image intensifier cameras along with mobile recording shoulder packs at the second covert site. Night-vision recordings filmed a team of hoaxers as they walked into the fields within touching distance of army personnel hidden in the crops around them. The Army also filmed a bright pulsing object over the field to the south of them during the covert surveillance operation.

Squaring up the Circles

In October 1989 the BBC aired a program titled *Squaring up the Circles*. The program focused on finding the source of the crop circles. Crop circles had appeared on MoD land in Heytesbury near Warminster over a period of years. During the production of *Squaring up the Circles*, the BBC went to this piece of property and enlisted the help of the military to uncover the source of the circles. The Army sent a team to make a crop formation which was then compared to the “real phenomenon”.

The formation they made had none of the classic features; it was messy, poorly constructed, asymmetrical, had broken and damaged plants, and entry and exit points were clearly visible. Next the military used a gazelle helicopter to hover at very low levels over the wheat field to observe crop damage caused by the down wash. Again, the classic features were not recreated. CPR Archives hold a copy of the BBC-2 program *Squaring up the Circles*, presented by Caroline Hall, aired October 27, 1989.





The Army Helicopters

The Army photographed a second group of circles which were taken by the same helicopter at Westbury/Bratton on the August 4, 1987. The Army photograph shows the circle bottom/right, swirled counter clockwise.

When Pat Delgado, Busty Taylor, Dr. Terence Meaden and I, entered the field to do research a few hours later, the circle was found to be much more complex than seen in this Army photograph and was then found to be swirled clockwise around raised tufts. Each circle was also enlarged by approximately two feet.

The Army helicopter took the photograph to the right. The bottom/right circle was found to have changed its ground detail just a few hours after the Army photograph was taken. There is a





Colin in his research center with pre-internet computers and video equipment.



The Involvement of the UK Ministry of Defence (MoD)

“Nick Pope underplays any lasting involvement or interest of the MoD in crop circles. I find this extraordinary!”

Many people may not be aware that the MoD has a departmental position that specifically responds to and investigates UFO's and related phenomena. My initial inquiries at the Ministry of Defence were about UFO sightings that occur in association with crop circles.

I was specifically interested to know more about UFO reports received at Boscombe Down air base as I was interacting with officials at the airbase in regards to the ground phenomenon. I also wanted to look at the crop circle-associated UFO files that had been processed and stored in the National Archives in London.

Shortly after I began my research I met with Ralph Noyes who formerly was head of the UFO project at the MoD. Ralph Noyes was promoted to Under Secretary of State, a high level position in the British government. We had several meetings to discuss reports I had submitted to the government, one of which



When he fully retired from government he was fascinated with the crop circle mystery and the UFOs seen near them and became a founding member and director of the Center for Crop Circle Studies (CCCS).

Noyes position in the UFO project at the MoD was some years later taken by Nick Pope. I had my first meeting with Pope in 1993 and corresponded with him also around 15 times during his time in this position. On July 27, 1993 I attended a meeting I was instrumental in setting up between Nick Pope and professionals from the U.S. who were interested in sharing information to better understand the UFO subject. Present at the meeting in London were myself, Nick Pope, Dr Steven Greer and Dr. C.B. Scott Jones, former US Naval Intelligence and advisor to late United States Senator Claiborne Pell, head of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

While Nick Pope towed the official line, over time it became obvious that what he believed personally was different. While he was spokesperson for the MoD on one hand, his personal view seemed to be that UFOs not only exist but are a real concern to national security. He also stated he believed they existed in large numbers.

Just before Pope retired from the MoD, I provided an introduction for him to speak at his first public lecture on UFO's at the New Hampshire MUFON conference in 1995 organized by Pete Geremia. At that conference Nick stated that as many as 5% of UFO reports investigated by the full apparatus of the MoD were thought to be totally unexplained – he went on to say they were probably extraterrestrial.

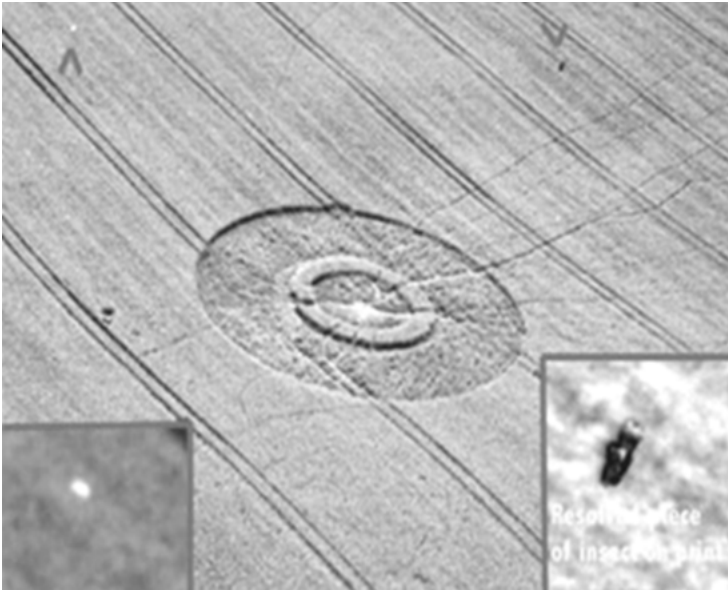




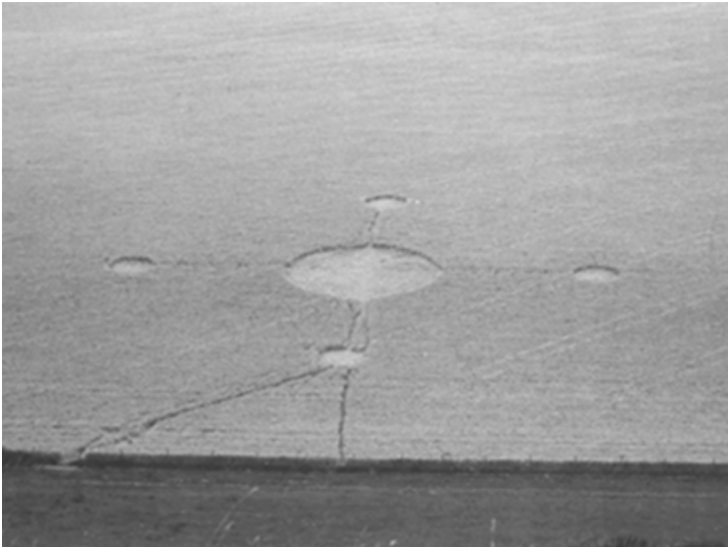
Ministry of Defence (A&AEE Boscombe Down) took these photographs of two unique designs near Winchester, Hampshire. The small design appeared on May 23, 1990, and the larger on August 4, 1990. Two days after Saddam Hussein invaded Kuwait and set fire to the oil wells, which started the first Gulf war. Significant in the fact that this same design was interpreted by Hopi elders as meaning 'Mother is Crying'.

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Photograph taken by the British Ministry of Defence (A&AEE Boscombe Down) at Cheesefoot Head, May 18, 1990. This circle was also filmed by Hampshire Police. *Copyright: A&AEE - Ministry of Defence*



Photograph sent to me by Denis Healey, former Secretary of State for Defence in Prime Minister Harold Wilson's Government. Denis Healey took the photograph at Alfriston, England, which was identical to the crop pattern photographed by the Ministry of Defence. He found the circles near his home in 1984. *Copyright: Denis Healey 1984*

The Involvement of the UK Ministry of Defence (MoD)

In Nicks' article he decries involvement of the MoD with crop circles. However, Nick himself, while working at Sect 2A at MoD, offered to mobilize aircraft into the Salisbury Plain 'military zone' at my request for UFO or crop circle reports should he feel the request was warranted. I never asked for such assistance from him but did use local assistance as detailed above.

Despite this extensive history Nick Pope underplays any lasting involvement or interest of the MoD in crop circles. I find this extraordinary!



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Who Briefed The Prime Minister?

“I discussed my findings in depth and stated my belief that there was more than a hint of ‘intelligence’ at work in the fields, and I did not mean human.”

Much controversy has been generated by my claim to have provided reports to the Margaret Thatcher cabinet. During the late 1980's I was asked by a retired Army Captain to provide data to Dr. Fisk the Chief Scientific Advisor to the Margaret Thatcher government to be the basis of reports sent to the Prime Minister and the Secretary of State for the Environment.

These reports were to help the government assess the scope and significance of the crop circle phenomenon. The reports and my involvement in creating them have been acknowledged in numerous official letters .

The Captain, whose name I am with-holding, visited my home in Andover, Hampshire and asked if I would provide specific details on my research conducted over the previous six years. At the time the general consensus was that crop circles were made by an unknown natural process, a conclusion I felt was limited. I discussed my findings in depth and stated my belief that there was more than a hint of ‘intelligence’ at work in the fields, and I did not mean human. We also discussed the unusual orbs that had been seen by multiple witnesses.

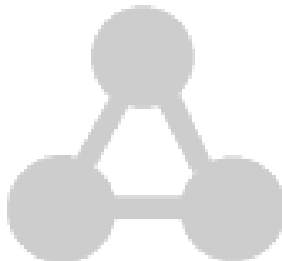
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I saw an orb for the first time as I waited for Dr. Terence Meaden to arrive at a circle site near Winchester, in 1986.

I provided my findings and additional data to the Captain. His staff prepared the subsequent reports which were sent to Nicholas Ridley, M.P., Secretary of State for Environment in Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's cabinet. These were routed via Lord Tony Dulverton. Copies were also forwarded to the Ministry of Defense, the Queen, the Governments Science advisor Dr. Fisk and Richard Ryder at the Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries and Food (MAFF).

According to the recently released records from the MoD, once in the late 1980's and once in the early 1990's, the public and the Prime Minister were told by the Home Secretary in the Houses of Parliament that the police forces of Hampshire and Wiltshire and the MoD had no interest in the crop circles and were not at that time filming or investigating them. This denial was repeated in Parliament and recorded in Hansard.

As I stated in the beginning of this report, the ground was prepared for today's UFO/crop circle research community to accept this deception with the pre-publication of Nick Pope's article alleging the same. Information and evidence I have presented here demonstrate that despite these claims to the contrary the military and police were deeply interested and engaged in the phenomenon.







Colin and Sir David Mitchell, M.P. in the fields



How Were Members of Parliament Involved?

“...for Nick Pope to say there was no interest or intent is misleading in the extreme.”

During the time I was providing data for official reports I also increased attempts to have questions raised in Parliament. Other UFO researchers were doing the same such as Jenny Randles and Paul Fuller as mentioned in Nick Pope's article. Months earlier I sent our first book *Circular Evidence* to Sir David Mitchell, M.P. (Member of Parliament), which he acknowledged.

Eventually I was able to arrange a meeting with Sir David Mitchell and took him into the fields to view a formation. I showed him the features we were investigating and explained the difficulty in identifying them as man-made formations. I also demonstrated why they did not appear to be randomly positioned as expected if they were created by a natural process such as whirlwinds.

After a second meeting with Sir David Mitchell he became convinced the government should be involved in researching the details and photographic evidence he had seen. He promised to discuss the phenomenon with other ministers.



How Were Members of Parliament Involved?

he was instrumental in ensuring that my reports reached the Deputy Prime Minister, Sir Geoffrey Howe. His efforts also led to a meeting with Minister of State at the Department of the Environment, David Trippier. Discussions between Mitchell, Trippier and his Chief Scientific Advisor led to the decision to approach the Natural Environmental Research Council to request an official research interest.

I was touched and honored to receive a glowing reference back from Sir David and later letters from him and Dr. Fisk to confirm progress in the government's willingness to proceed down the road of funding for official research into the crop circles. This avenue was closed down due to the fact that there were no PhD scientists who had studied the phenomenon and written a peer reviewed article at that time.

A later article written by William Levengood and published in the peer review journal *Nature* was not sufficient to reopen this door; however, for Nick Pope to say there was no interest or intent is misleading in the extreme.

While time has moved on and the hoaxing has continued to grow, there are still compelling facets to this phenomenon that I believe constitutes new grounds to re-open this avenue for investigation.





**Busty Taylor and Terrance Meaden
photographing an early circle.**

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BUCKINGHAM PALACE

10th May, 1990.

Dear Mr. Andrews,

Thank you for your letter of 2nd May, which has been shown to The Queen. Her Majesty has taken an interest in the mysterious crop circles for some time, and was consequently sad to hear that your results of years of research into the question are at risk through lack of funds. I am afraid, however, that Her Majesty cannot offer you any help personally in your search for fresh finance.

The Queen was particularly interested to hear about the telephone call from a farmer near Snettisham (where I live). I wonder if you would be indiscreet enough to let me have his name in case I know him and I could contact him about it. So far as The Queen knows, there have been no circles on the Sandringham Estate as yet. The Queen would have no objection to your making contact with her Agent at Sandringham, Mr. Julian Loyd. The address is as follows:-

Julian Loyd, Esq., CVO,
Land Agent,
Sandringham,
Norfolk.

Yours sincerely
Robert Fellowes

(ROBERT FELLOWES)

Colin Andrews, Esq.

What Did The Royal Family Want To Know?

“In this letter the Queen’s private secretary conveys the Queen’s personal long-time interest in the crop circles.”

There has been much debate as to whether or not the Queen and Royal family were interested in the crop circles. Since many circles appeared on their own land it would be surprising if they were not at least curious. In fact the interest of the Queen in the subject was evident in the late 1989 when she put *Circular Evidence*, on the Queen’s Summer Reading list.

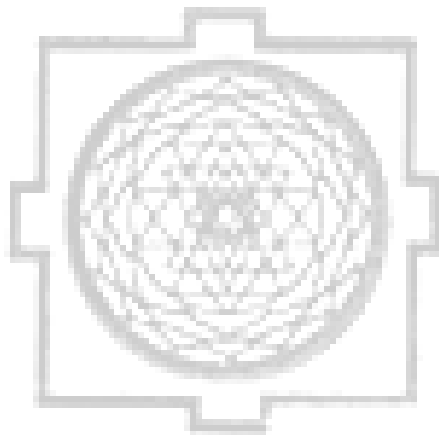
Pat Delgado and I also received an official request for the *Circles Phenomenon Research Newsletter* to be delivered regularly to the Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh at Buckingham Palace. On October 31st, 1989 I received a letter from the Duke of Edinburgh thanking me for keeping him informed, and requesting to be kept up to date with the research into the crop circles. .

Nick Pope states that he “had to deny allegations that the Queen and Margaret Thatcher had expressed interest in the phenomenon.” I wonder how Pope explains this personal letter I received from Her Majesty the Queen which completely puts to rest his public denial that she and the Duke had any interest in the phenomenon. In this letter the Queen’s private secretary conveys the Queen’s personal long-time interest in the crop circle mystery.

In 1991 the same retired Captain who requested my data for the Prime Minister relayed a request to me to show Prince Charles around one of the formations near his property. Prince Charles wanted me to explain the features we were convinced at the time were of a genuine phenomenon. Although a plan was set for such a meeting to take place an unfortunate leak to the media scuttled our meeting.

To this day I do not know how secret plans for me to show Prince Charles around the crop circles was intercepted by *The Daily Star*, a British national newspaper.

Our plans were reported in the June 28, 1991 publication resulting in their cancellation. Prince Charles had crop circles on one of his estates as did other members of Royalty and his interest was high. While Prince Charles could not enjoy first-hand exposure to the circles, Jonathan Deane Montigue, son of the 3rd Baron Montigue of Beaulieu accompanied me around the circles for two days. Jonathan's home is Beaulieu Abbey, which was dissolved by King Henry the VIII.



What Did The Royal Family Want To Know?



Charles is going round in circles

- CORN circles have received Royal patronage. For the mystery rings have just appeared in fields owned by Prince Charles.
- Now intrigued Charles has made a secret date with expert Colin Andrews for a mission to explore the phenomenon.
- The Prince is fascinated by Andrews' theory that the circles are messages from aliens.
- But do YOU know better? For the Daily Star today offers a £10,000 REWARD to anyone who can solve the riddle of the rings!

CASH IN: Tell us how corn rings form... and win £10,000

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CHARLES: Secret mission

In addition to my direct knowledge of Royal intrigue in the subject I also have indirect evidence that demonstrates the widespread nature of their interest. A friend of mine who sits in the House of Lords and is a close personal friend of the Duke gave me a copy of a letter the Duke sent to him from Balmoral Castle in October 1989.

In this letter The Duke confirms his personal interest in not just the crop circles but in associated UFOs activity. He refers to specific events that took place next to a formation at Cheesefoot Head in Hampshire which our mutual friend witnessed – the place where I saw my first circles in 1983. I also received a copy of a letter from the Duke regarding an event you will read about later in this article. In the letter you can see the degree of interest the Duke has in the circles and associated phenomena

In another correspondence between the Duke of Edinburgh and a friend of his the Duke sent a copy of *Circular Evidence* to his friend with a note mentioning his theory regarding crop circles. He believed at the time that it was possible that the causative energy creating real crop circles is closely aligned to that which Uri Geller works with.

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What Did The Royal Family Want To Know?

From: Brigadier Clive Robertson



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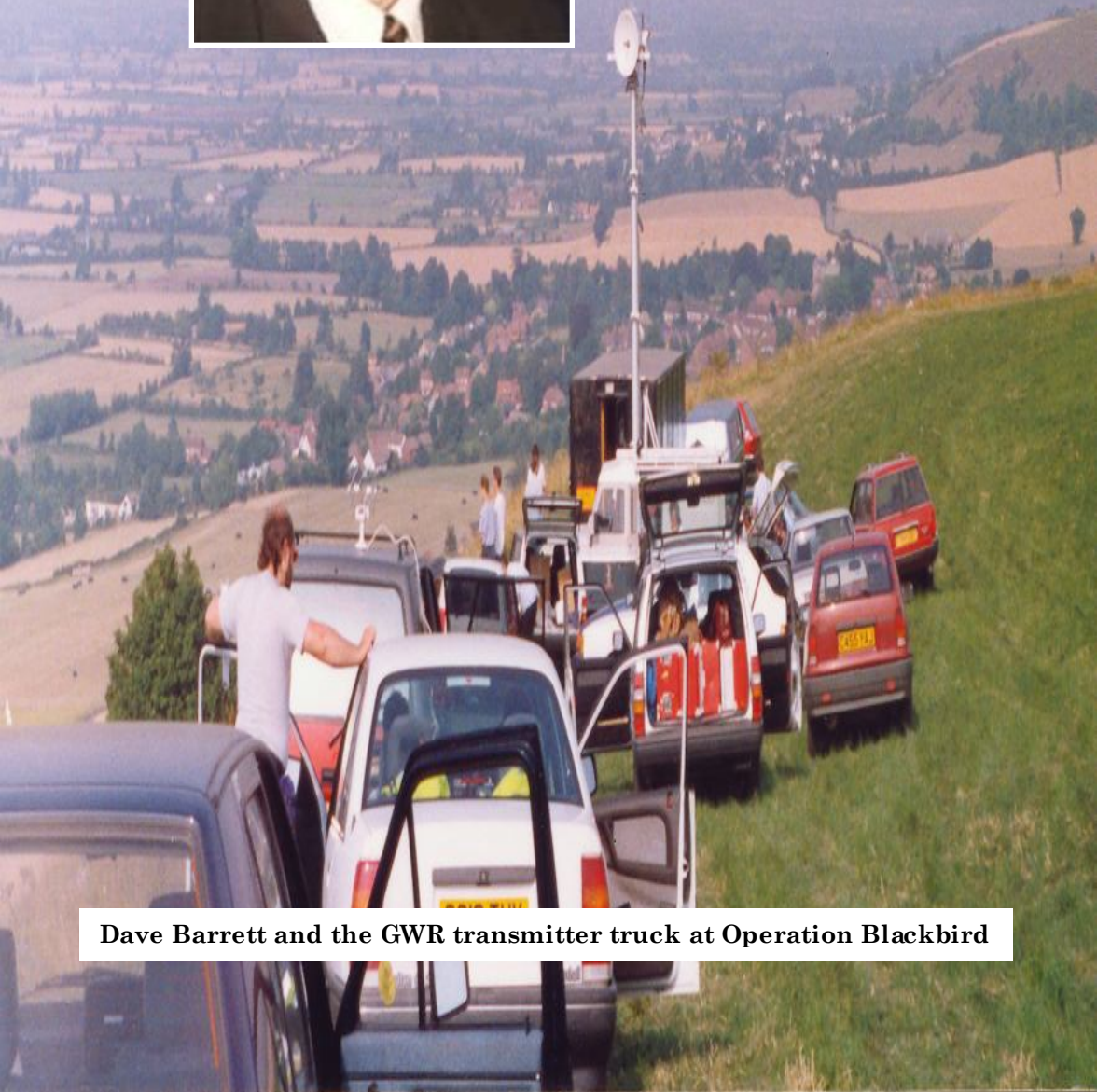
31st October, 1989

Dear Mr Andrews

The Duke of Edinburgh has asked me to write to thank you for your letter of 23rd October which His Royal Highness was most interested to read. Prince Philip would certainly like you to update him with significant developments on the Circles Phenomenon. Thank you again.

*Yours sincerely
Clive Robert*

Colin Andrews, Esq.,



Dave Barrett and the GWR transmitter truck at Operation Blackbird

The UK Government D-Notice Is Alive And Well!

“I have for so long wanted to ask you what really went on there that day for the government to take such drastic action.”

Dave Barrett

A British Government D-Notice was/is a military directive to stop publications and radio or television transmissions on grounds of national security concerns. Several years after Operation Blackbird, I learned from a well known radio and television presenter, Dave Barrett, that such a notice had indeed been issued during the live transmissions from Operation Blackbird.

According to Nick Pope, the D-Notice is no longer in use today, but I provide proof that this is not so. At the time Dave Barrett was with GWR radio based in Swindon, Wiltshire. Dave Barrett was back in the studio as the GWR outside broadcast vehicle and attempted to transmit 'live' from Blackbird when he received the D-Notice to stop.

The D-Notice was received as four military training aircraft were flying at low level directly over the heads of Pat Delgado and I as we were entering the center of the newly discovered crop circle which had occurred on the edge of the surveillance parameters.

In the center of the circle we found an advanced astrology board and concluded that somehow we had been tricked. Many people insist there was more going on here than we knew, including the soldiers who attended the site. When I met Dave Barrett several years later at a conference in Bristol, England he said: *“I have for so long wanted to ask you what really went on there that day for the government to take such drastic action.”*

I have no idea what instigated military interference with the media news. I suspect that the second covert operation occurring simultaneously with Blackbird may yet reveal important information regarding this. The story of what I know regarding the second covert operation at Silbury Hill has never been told. The purpose here is to dispel Nick Pope’s allegation that no such D-Notice was given.

Nick Pope states: “I was quizzed by several crop circle researchers who asked for details of what the MoD knew about the phenomenon. Some demanded that we take action to investigate matters, while others clearly thought we knew all about it, and were covering up. New theories and allegations abounded and I was often on the defensive. I had to refute the bizarre idea that the formations were caused by the testing of space-based laser or directed-energy weapons, and dispel suggestions that media coverage of the issue had been stifled by the use of D-Notices.

I recently contacted Dave Barrett via email to confirm that GWR radio did in fact receive the D-Notice. He recalled the event and replied that although his radio station sent a radio vehicle to the site “they were prevented from seeing the circle and the D-Notice stopped us reporting it.”



The UK Military D-Notice Is Alive And Well

As far as Nick Pope's claim that the government no longer issue D-Notices. According to a recent report (included) from The Times of London dated September 3, 2008 that appears not to be true either. The Times themselves were served a D-Notice when they tried to publish concerns about the Taliban in Afghanistan.





**Colin with Russian Cosmonaut Dr. Col.
Marina Popovich (right)**



International Agencies, Scientific Organizations and Governments

“Corso told me that in the course of his professional career he was shown pictures and reports of crop circles and witnessed them being passed to the National Security Agency (NSA) for study.”

My research into crop circles has sent me around the world and into the company of former high level officials in the US and Russian military and also the NASA AMES research facility, among others.

My discussions leave me to believe that governments from many countries have been concerned with the question of both UFO's and crop circles, regardless of what the public has been told. The following events which support my position took place during the past twenty-five years.

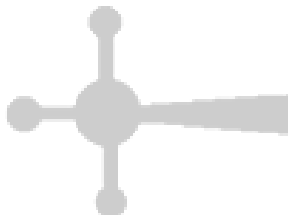
In 1991 I was part of a press conference in San Francisco with Russian Cosmonaut and pilot, Dr. Colonel Marina Popovich. With authority from the Russian government Dr. Popovich released photographs taken during Russian space missions of UFO's near Phobos, the moon of Mars.



I was asked to make a presentation in 1992 in Washington, DC, which was attended by President Bill Clinton's chief scientific advisor, Dr. Arlan Andrews from the office of Science and Technology Policy. Our discussions after my presentation were amongst the most enlightening in regards to the UFO that I have ever had. Its obvious to me that it's not the individuals that are holding back the day of open co-operation and ultimate advancement of our knowledge, it's a piece of paper on which is written a single word 'Policy'. An agreement made years ago by scared people who took it on themselves to protect themselves as well as the rest of us from the step beyond to an inhabited universe where ultimately we will go.

In 1993 a subgroup at the United Nations, *The Society for Enlightenment and Transformation* (S.E.A.T.), headed by Mohammad Rammadan organized a symposium on UFO and related subjects. In addition to myself Dr. Rauni Luukanen-Kilde, a former chief medical doctor from Iceland, and Dr. John Schuessler, Deputy Director of Mutual UFO Network (MUFON) an aerospace engineer with the space station Freedom, were the speakers. This symposium made it clear that there is International governmental interest in the phenomenon as witnessed by the current number of governments who are releasing their top secret UFO files.

In 1997, I spent ten days at an International Science congress in Hakui, Japan. Also present was Dr. Richard Haines from A.M.E.S. research facility. We spent much time discussing theoretical models for the construction of crop circles.





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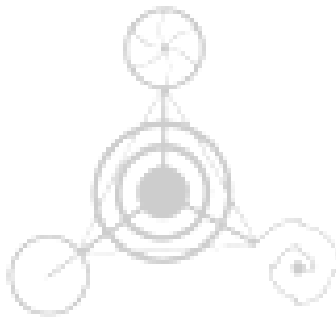


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In 1998, I was involved in several meetings with Retired Colonel Philip Corso who was part of President Eisenhower's National Security Council from 1953-1957. Corso told me that in the course of his professional career he was shown pictures and reports of crop circles and witnessed them being passed to the National Security Agency (NSA) for study. This was confusing to me because I didn't know crop circles were under investigation as early as the 1950's or perhaps he maintained a government presence after the Eisenhower years. This was never explained.

Corso went on to reveal that Prof. Allen Hynek was involved in analyzing the reports, later confirmed to me by an NSA operative. Prof. Hynek was an astronomer and ufologist who acted as scientific adviser to UFO studies undertaken by the U.S. Air Force in three consecutive named projects: Project Sign (1947-1949), Project Grudge (1949-1952), and Project Blue Book (1952-1969). Colonel Corso also told me that the NSA held the view that the crop circles were a form of communication.

I later received two diagrams from an NSA operative of complex crop circle designs found in Michigan. I could easily see why the NSA would view them as communication.



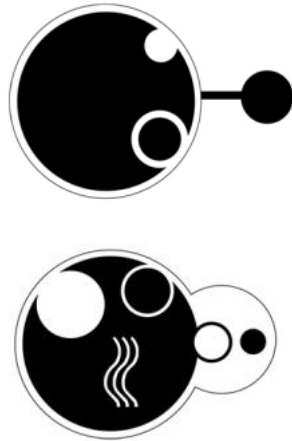


Colin meeting in Italy with retired Colonel Philip Corso (far right)



Prof. Allen Hynek

Crop circle drawings mysteriously passed on to Colin after his conversation with Colonel Corso regarding the NSA.





**Laurance Rockefeller briefing then First Lady
Hillary Clinton at his ranch in Wyoming**

Privately Funded Research Conclusions

In 2000, after two years of undercover research into the people believed making the circles in England between 1999 and 2000, the evidence again was totally compelling that approximately 80% were man-made.

In 1997 through 1999 I received funds from Laurance Rockefeller in the United States to accelerate specific research projects. This included a two-year investigation into claims of circle hoaxing in southern England. My conclusions were not popular.

I reported that of the circles studied in southern England during that two year period, 20% represented a genuine mystery while 80% were man-made. My television announcement of these results and the subsequent distortions of truth set off a firestorm of controversy. Some of the research I conducted with Rockefeller funds are part of the Rockefeller Initiative. This included UFO disclosure efforts within the Clinton White House.

In 2000, after two years of undercover research into the people believed making the circles in England between 1999 and 2000, the evidence again was totally compelling that approximately 80% were man-made. I looked at all the data from start to finish again and saw that there was one common denominator in all this and that was the highly mysterious events being witnessed by researchers and the public alike, and even by the people making them.

So the question then became: *"Why are they being made and to whose plan?"* A big jump from the original question and way

Privately Funded Research Conclusions

beyond what the media could work out for themselves, nor did they have the courage to head there. *"It's much easier to discount the old mystery....Even worse is that some know better, but don't have the courage or honesty to come clean about the deceptions."* It might seem strange to be talking about an important phenomenon in the same breath as showing evidence that many are man-made. We are starting at the beginning, where any detective has to and will finish up at a verdict when all the evidence has been gathered and thought through.

One thing is for sure and should be stressed at this stage. There is no advantage for any of us to create myths or new religions as we experience the realization that emotions are impacted significantly by what we see in these fields and/or, what we would like to believe. Emotion is I believe part of a much larger study and perhaps even key in understanding what could be described as the biggest social experiment in our time and just when we needed the lesson.

I know from personal experience that no one likes their belief system challenged and they sure don't like facts that force it. Well known people in this research are in vast denial with major parts of the puzzle and so to complete the task of understanding it, is impossible. Even worse is that some know better but don't have the courage or honesty to come clean. I know that for a fact. A full eight years after I announced the findings of the Rockefeller financed study, that only about 20% could not be explained, many who are in the public eye, refute even one circle is made by people. *"Extraordinary but let's continue in the next week or two,"* to move this forward without malice to those we don't agree with.

I have no axe to grind with these people, but feel compelled to open this debate again in the interest of making a clear case for my conclusion.

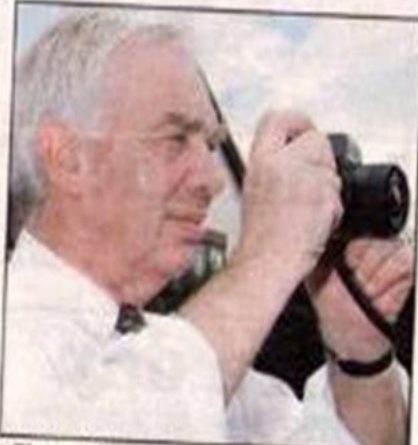


Field tests were conducted to see how crop circles might be faked.

Big money bid to solve crop circle mystery



An elaborate crop circle.



The truth is out there - private investigator Roy Compton from Chariton near Andover will be taking a close look at crop circles.

AMERICAN billionaire Laurance Rockefeller is backing a crop circle research project aided by two Andover experts.

Crop circle buff Colin Andrews, who will act as personal consultant to former US congressman Rockefeller, has enlisted the help of Chariton-based private investigator Roy Compton.

Roy, a former Andover CID officer, has been contracted to unearth any hoax circles.

"My role is to investigate these corn circles and try to eliminate those which are man-made. It's thought that a large number are man-made but there are a

so readily explained," he said.

Although Mr Compton's methods of sussing out any hoaxes are being kept firmly under wraps there's no doubt his police experience will help him in his search for the truth.

The project is already under way but Roy is unsure where and how long his research will take him.

"If everything went my way and I could speak to everyone I needed to, I could have things wrapped up in a

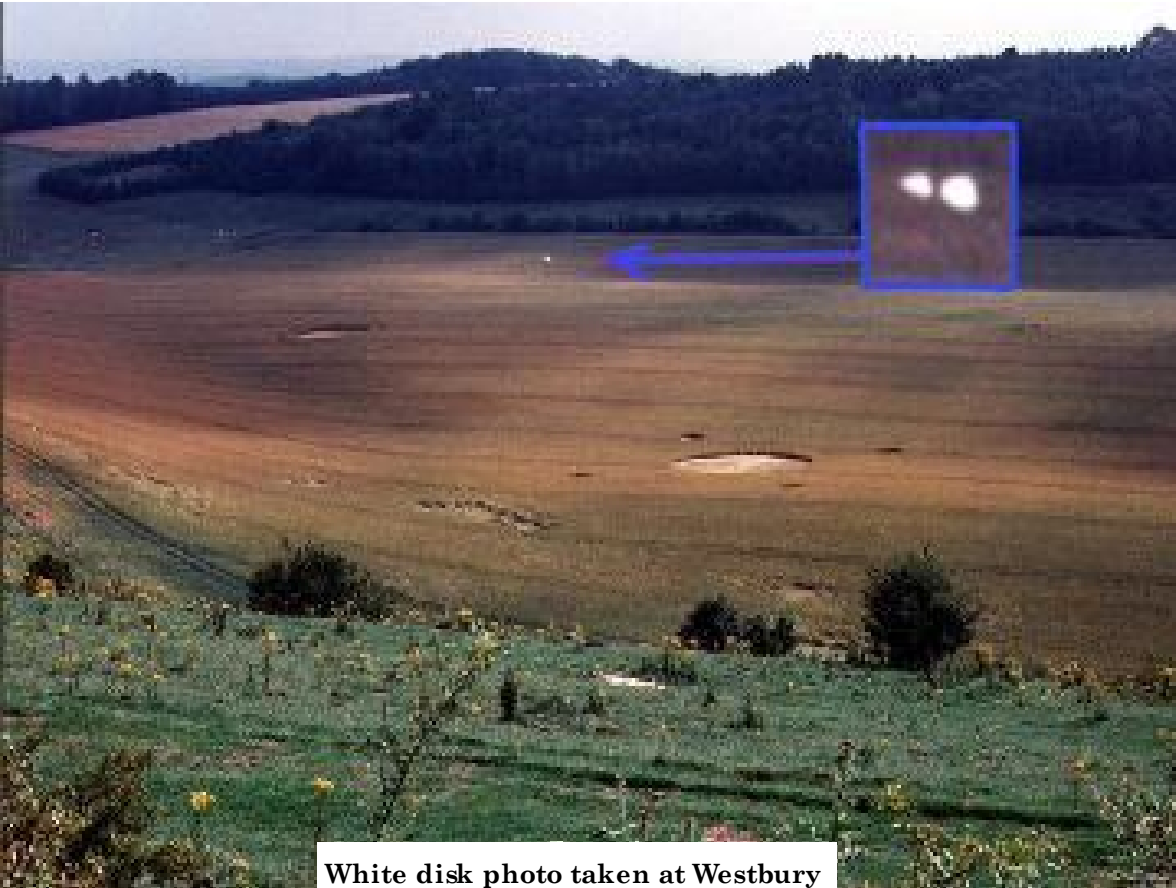
how these things work," he said.

Mr Andrews, who is currently in the USA, is a former fire-fighter and Test Valley Borough Council official.

He has compiled the world's largest database on the corn circles and is widely regarded as

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most crop- Andover Advertiser.



White disk photo taken at Westbury
by Busty Taylor



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The UFO & Crop Circle Connection

“Several times during the course of my research I was actually warned not to link UFO’s with crop circles.”

Crop circle reports have been accompanied by UFO sightings since the earliest records of the phenomenon. However many UFO researchers did not want evidence of this association in the public domain. Some did not want it because the emphasis on crop circles took the focus off their own UFO research. Others did not want the association because they believed that ultimately the crop circles would be proven man-made and they were afraid this would taint ‘legitimate’ UFO research. Still others were part of government disinformation.

Several times during the course of my research I was actually warned not to link UFO’s with crop circles. I was warned by prominent members of the British UFO Research Association (BUFORA) not to mention the two together in media interviews. When I did not comply BUFORA sent letters to the MoD warning of concerns over my and Pat Delgado’s claims regarding crop circles.

These are referred to by Nick Pope and in the recently released MoD UFO files at the National Archives. I was also warned by CIA operatives working at the Pentagon to avoid making this link. I wonder why there is such concern to do so?

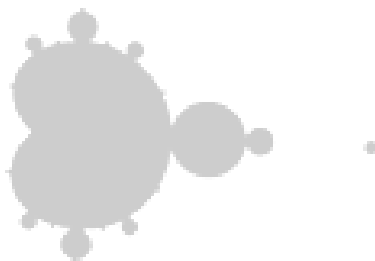
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I have compiled some reports that the MoD investigated or were apprised of in the early years of my research. The following report is one Pope speaks to directly in his article.

The Ghost Plane

On the 22nd of October 1987 a very bizarre event occurred in the air over southern England. A Harrier TR5 vertical take-off jump jet disappeared during a test flight over the Salisbury plain military zone in Wiltshire. As the jet approached Boscombe Down airbase, radio contact went dead and the aircraft went missing. A full land, sea and air search was launched.

The Harrier jet was eventually spotted by an American military aircraft flying from South Wales. The aircraft pilot spotted the jet flying on a set course and moved in along side it sending a radio report of his finding. The canopy of the plane was shattered and there was no pilot flying the Harrier indicating the pilot had been ejected out of the plane through the canopy.



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RIDDLE OF JET WITH NO PILOT

AIR experts were today trying to unravel one of flying's most baffling mysteries.

A Harrier fighter pilot "disappeared" over Wiltshire — and the aircraft flew on for hundreds of miles with no-one at the controls.

A massive air-sea-land search was stepped up for the pilot, whose last contact was a routine radio message to air traffic controllers at the top secret Boscombe Down air base near Salisbury.

The Harrier, on a test flight from Dunsfold in Surrey, took off at 5pm yesterday manned by a civilian test pilot.

Six minutes later, and without any hint of an emergency from its pilot, radio contact was suddenly lost high over Wiltshire.

By NIGEL PARKES

Other aircraft were immediately alerted, and finally an American military transporter

made visual contact with the Harrier 90 miles west of the south-west tip of Ireland.

The astonished American crew reported that it had no cockpit canopy, ejector seat — or pilot.

They shadowed the Harrier, following as it flew steadily on for 410 miles until it eventually went down 500 miles out into the Atlantic.

Despite a huge search involving aircraft, all shipping in the area, lifeboats and even mountain rescue teams, no trace of the pilot was found.

Air experts have as yet no idea why the pilot, an experienced British Aerospace employee, should have ejected leav-

ing the Harrier to fly on pilotless for an hour.

The pilot, who has not been named, is understood to be wearing a standard flying suit and not a full RAF immersion suit designed for sea crashes.

A Ministry of Defence spokesman in London said that the pilot suddenly lost radio contact.

The massive search for him concentrated on the flight-path taken by the Harrier from its last contact point over Wiltshire.

It was being intensified today and involved a Nimrod RAF reconnaissance aircraft and seven Royal Navy and RAF Sea King and Wessex helicopters

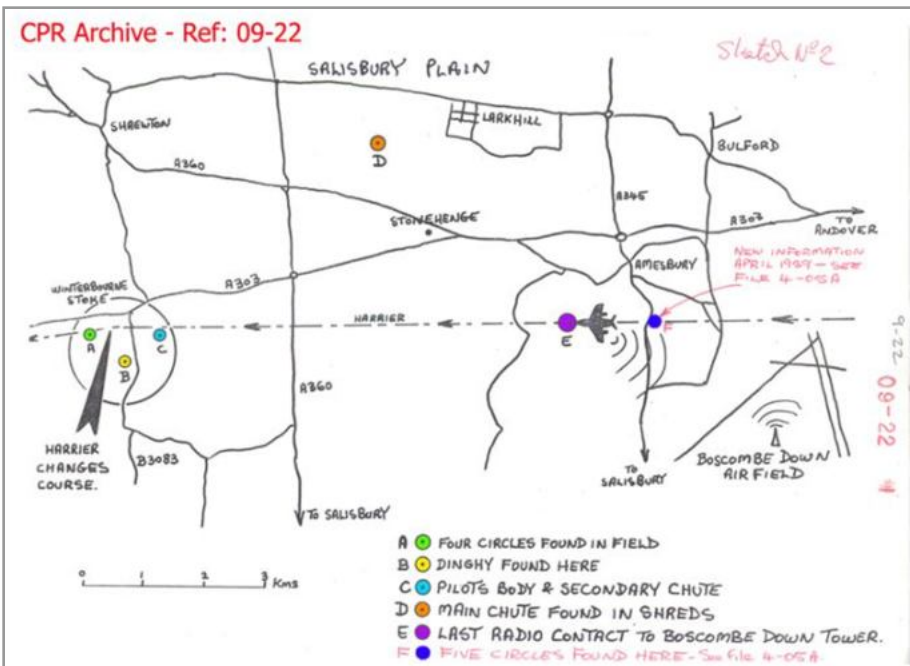


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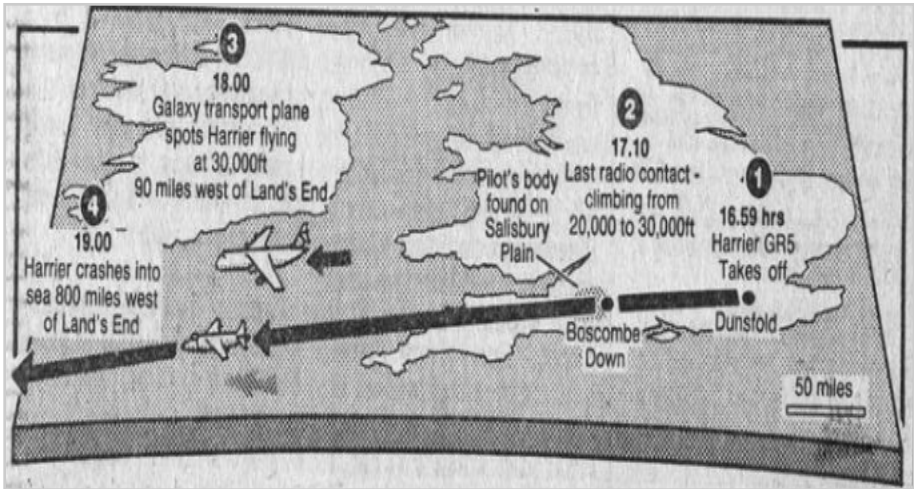
GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS

The media named the Harrier the Ghost Plane. The plane eventually ran out of fuel and crashed 300 miles out into the Atlantic Ocean. The plane had flown over three series of crop circles and the body of the pilot was later found very close to a set of circles. Although the presence of circles was not that unusual in that area at that time of year, a dead pilot was.

On November 2, I received a phone call from Squadron Leader Graham Davis which was followed by a phone call from Squadron Leader Pike, both from Prospect House division at the MoD. They were asking me to supply information about unusual effects ascribed to crop circles.

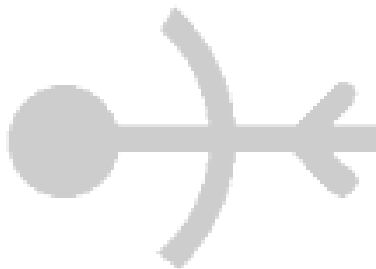


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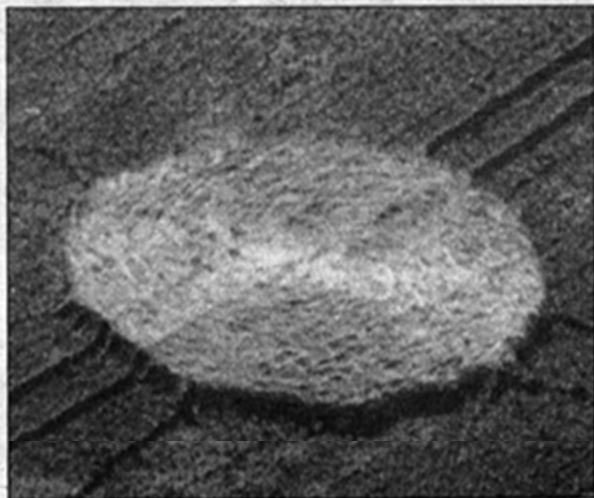


I shared associated electromagnetic anomalies and unusual aerial phenomena. They were investigating all possible explanations for the strange series of events including why the pilot was ejected from his craft through the canopy. An explanation was never found and the verdict was left open.

Nick Pope states, “I had to deny that the 22 October 1987 crash of a Harrier aircraft was caused by energies associated with crop circles and that these energies had caused the spontaneous firing of the pilot’s ejector seat leading to the man’s death (the body was found in Wiltshire not far from where some crop circles had appeared in the summer).”



UFO BLASTS TV CREW FROM CIRCLE OF CORN



PUZZLE: Giant circle of flattened corn

A SUDDEN blast of noise may hold the key to the mystery of flattened circles in cornfields.

It was recorded by a BBC TV crew at the centre of one of the circles, which some people say could be caused by UFOs.

There was no sign of a source for the sound, but the man they were interviewing said he felt an invisible force. Today viewers will have a chance of helping to solve the long-running puzzle when a tape of the sound and film of the drama are played on Daytime Live on BBC 1.

An incredible 270 giant circles, mainly in cornfields, were reported between May and September this year, against only 94 in 1988.

But the sound blast experienced by BBC producer David Morgenstern and his team is the first definite evidence of energy forces at work.

Technicians at Broadcasting House have spent weeks analysing the noise but still cannot identify it.

Interview

The blast happened during an interview with electronics engineer Pat Delgado, co-author of the bestseller *Circular Evidence* about the mystery.

He said yesterday: "It was so loud the sound engineer tore off his headphones and I felt myself being physically moved by the energy force.

"This could be the breakthrough we have been looking for.

"Something beyond our scientific knowledge is going on and we cannot rule out extra-terrestrial activity."

Producer Morgenstern said: "We picked up very powerful radio interference from the centre of the circle, but when we moved out it disappeared.

"BBC crews tend to be very cynical about this sort of thing but we were very taken aback.

"Now we want people to watch the film and ring us in with any information about crop circles they may have."

The team were filming in a cornfield near Silbury Hill, Wilts, site of one of the most ancient monuments in Europe.

The UFO and Crop Circle Connection

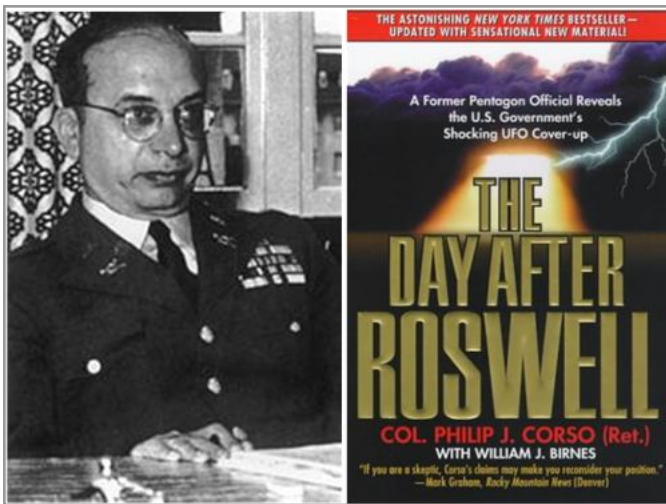
It is odd to me that Nick Pope is in a position to make a pronouncement of what did not cause this accident when the official inquiry could not. I am certainly not suggesting the crop circles or forces involved with the construction of some of them had any thing to do with these events.

However I find Pope's denial interesting. Was he not aware that the investigation had included this possibility? Or was he trying to divert interest away from the reality that official investigators did in fact pursue this line of inquiry, as any thorough examination would.



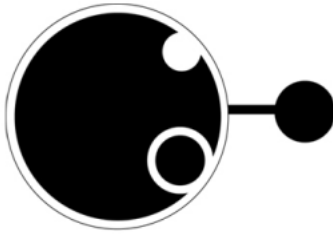
Crop Circles in the USA

As we detailed in a previous chapter, the late Colonel Philip Corso, who was on President Eisenhower's National Security Council from 1953-1957, and the Chief of Pentagon's Foreign Technology during 1961, told me that he was shown reports of crop circles that were received at the White House. These reports were handed onto the NSA for study.

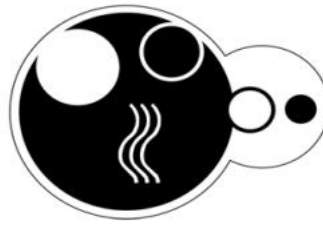


Colonel Corso details in his book, *The Day After Roswell*, how he managed extraterrestrial artifacts recovered from a crash at Roswell, New Mexico, in 1947. He says that he helped reverse engineer these artifacts which indirectly led to the development of particle beam devices, fiber optics, lasers, integrated circuit chips and Kevlar material. He further claims that a covert government group called Majestic 12 was organized under the leadership of the first Director of Central Intelligence, Adm. Roscoe H. Hillenkoetter. Among its tasks was to collect all information on extraterrestrial spacecraft.

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Andrews Catalog
T0455



Andrews Catalog
T0458

He also spoke to me about the governments theory and discussed complex formations seen in the United States. Since my meeting with him (and after his death), I have had it confirmed by an NSA operative that highly complex designs were discovered in the USA before they evolved in England during 1990.

These sketches were later sent to me by the NSA operative along with details surrounding the 1969 and 1976 discoveries in Michigan, USA. According to my source UFOs were "regularly" seen at the site of pattern T0455. I was also told that USAF Col. Alex Nielson visited the site with Allen Hynek. They visited eye witnesses at the second site T0458 who reported strange creatures holding devices like those seen by witnesses at Silbury Hill in England, years later.

The Silbury Hill incident was in the same fields that the British Army deployed special units to a covert surveillance project during the period of Blackbird in 1990.



Government Circles: Conclusions

“I think this horrible mish-mash of lies and deception is not all that it appears.”

The Duke of Edinburgh said, “If it is a hoax it is elaborate in the extreme and I am inclined to believe it is due to some kind of invisible force....! Could this force have anything in common with the force exhibited by Uri Geller?” People with curiosity and intelligence feel stimulated by the unexplained and apply their minds to reach greater understanding. We should not be surprised that everyone, the public, the military, the government and the Royal Family would be caught up in the intrigue of the phenomenon.

What is remarkable is the need to deny it. Its important here to note that our future is dictated by human consciousness and that is an invisible multiplexed holographic force which is driven by what we think and how we react. Any input to the hologram, whether by governments, religions or the like, dictates a directional deviation - that is a huge responsibility for our time.

The lessons to learn from all this is that blind loyalty and trust in Government much like the financial institutions, big business and even many religions has not served us well. Our apathy in not challenging these institutions has allowed distortions of truth due to mind-sets and agendas resulting in wasted precious time,

wasted precious time, effort and the loss of opportunity to expand our knowledge. In many cases those entrusted with the job of protecting and serving the people are those who have failed the people.

Remember that it was not just the public who were deceived. Questions in the House of Parliament reveal that Prime Minister Thatcher was deceived as can be seen in Hansard. Deception and spin is now the expected government reaction to questions they don't want to answer so why should we wonder that public servants would lie to us as well as to our senior representative - The Prime Minister and head of state, the Queen. It does not get much more concerning than that.

You may be asking yourself now WHAT IS THE TRUTH AND WHAT DO THEY KNOW? Or more importantly why do they need to deny interest?

I think this horrible mish-mash of lies and deception is not all that it appears. Personally I like Nick Pope and don't think he is purposefully misleading but has simply not been given all the facts behind what he was asked to represent as MoD spokesperson. I might be wrong, but I suspect this approach was arrived at by their fear of what might be behind the circles and UFO reports.

What was revealed is their disorganization, lack of know-how and even pure disinterest in keeping the public informed .

The advancement of human consciousness comes out of evolving experience and modified existence and that means science and knowledge must take us forward on a foundation of respect and factual reporting - that is NOT what we have had here.

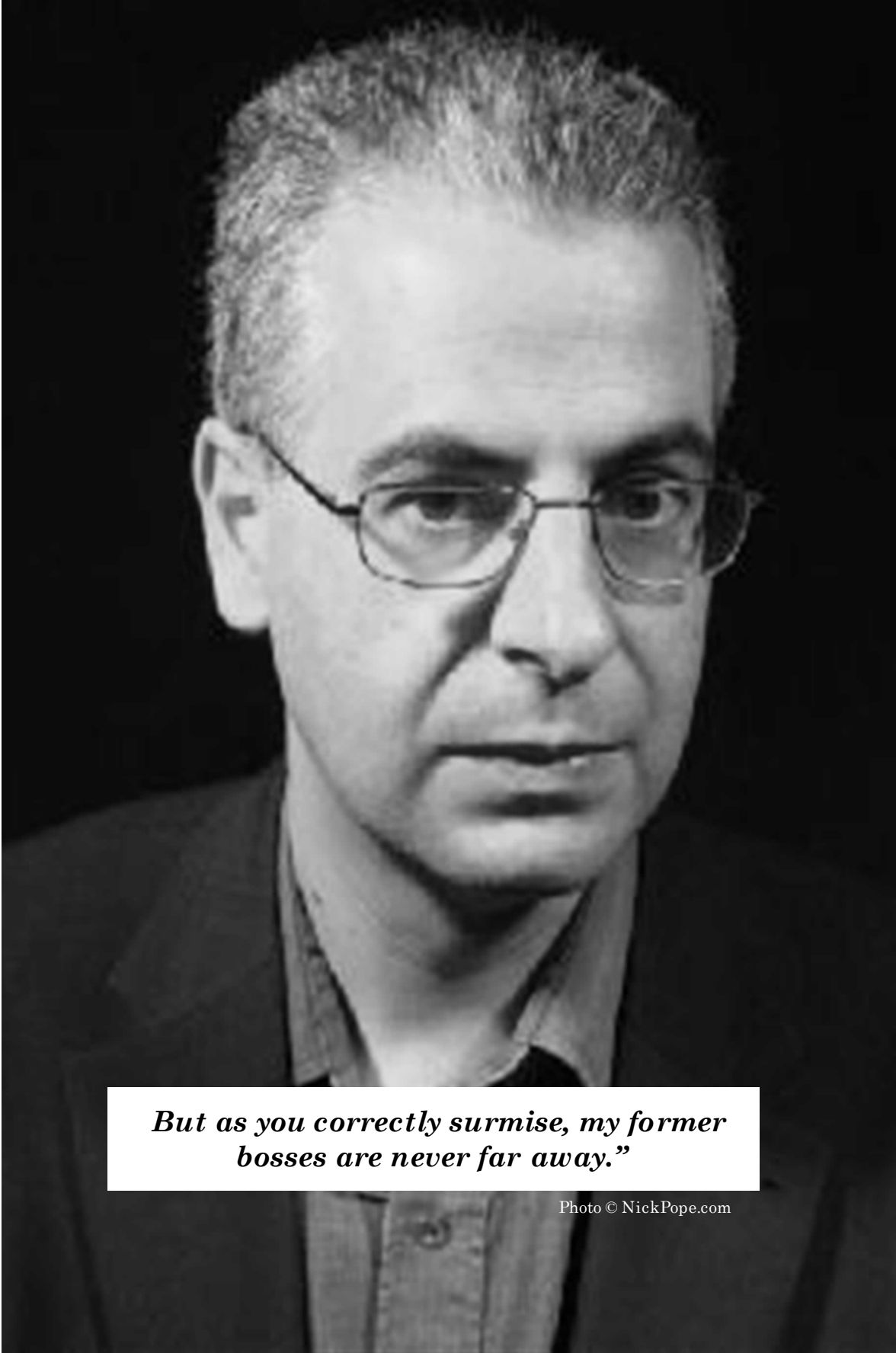
Government Circles: Conclusions

We have facts being distorted to reflect a mind-set thus subverting growth. We have to be able to imagine our future, embrace the truth and emotionally grow into it. Man, along with nature and the unknown universe are each playing a roll in closing the end of a cycle of the earths recent history and is preparing the window for our future.

We all have a part to play in this time and therefore we must all be talking to each other with honesty. I do believe that when we have reached the bottom of the barrel and have seen our collective failings, change will come.

YES, CHANGE IS HERE!





But as you correctly surmise, my former bosses are never far away.”

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Nick Pope Defends The MoD

“I do get the impression at times Nick that your previous bosses are somewhere in your wings? I can’t think they are too far away.”

Colin Andrews

Email: January 2009—From Nick Pope to Dave Haith:

“Colin Andrews and I have discussed this over the past few days, as his article implies I was involved in a cover-up. Some of the issues Colin highlights have arisen because the line between official and private interest (even within government, the military and the intelligence agencies) can be blurred

There are particular sensitivities and political difficulties when members of the Royal Family are involved. I agree that the MoD has downplayed its interest and involvement in the crop circle issue, as it has with the UFO phenomenon. This has been the policy for many years and it's no secret that I had to play my part in this when I worked for the government. Here's an article I wrote, setting out the official position: http://www.nickpope.net/crop_circles.htm

Best wishes,, Nick Pope”

*Email from: Colin Andrews to Nick Pope
January 23, 2009*

“Thank you for the copy to Dave Haith, Nick. I have not seen the article as printed in the newspaper, compared to what they have on their website. Is it the same? If so I thought it was very tame. Hardly worth three difficult days in helping them prepare it. As we both know, there is nothing new in this.

Nick, I think I will back off now on this matter, other than post e-mails/letters in other words feedback on my 'Letters' page. Would you object to me posting your reply to Dave, assuming he does not object also? Or would you like to make a response to me directly about this matter and then we can move on?

I do hold respect for you and your position, and as friends and some mutual colleagues will vow, when I first met you, I knew you were going to be a key person in the transition between that past and future ways of dealing with the UFO subject. I hold your courage in high regard. Having also spent many years inside the politics of local government, I observe your natural professional ability to work with the many interests. I just wanted you to know where I am coming from. You have and are taking on a pivotal position on the UFO matter. I do get the impression at times Nick that your previous bosses are somewhere in your wings? I can't think they are too far away.

This article did bring a very interesting e-mail to me yesterday from a well known person who tells me (Removed by request) about a U.S. president. Now there is another story! If you are willing to put a small response together, whatever you want to say, I will post and call that job done. Oh, what do you think of the newspaper article, assuming its different to the website? Have a good weekend. Colin”

Nick Pope Defends the MoD

Nick Pope email reply 24 January 2009:

“Colin, The article in the newspaper was, as I recall, identical to the online version. Space is always tight in The Sun, so stories are often edited down to brief summaries. But it gets the story out. The Press Association picked up the story and as a result it appeared in countless other media outlets (search for your name in Google News) <http://www.google.com/hostednews>

I have no objection to your passing my reply to Dave (or anyone else). I may put together a more substantive response and if I do, I'll forward it to you, with permission to pass it on/post it as you wish. I do what I can to keep the UFO issue in the public eye, e.g. another story in The Sun today.

*But as you correctly surmise, my former bosses are never far away,
Best wishes, Nick Pope”*



Colin inspecting an early crop circle formation

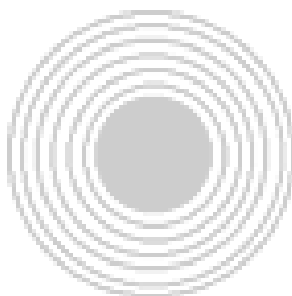
Documented Evidence For Government Involvement In Crop Circle Investigations

There is considerable documented evidence for the involvement of government in the investigation of crop circles and the approximately 4000 formations created in 50+ countries.

This evidence takes many forms from correspondence, news reports, eyewitness testimony, drawings, photographs, government reports, and private research .

The evidence presented here spans from 1985 to the present and is by no means the complete picture of what has really occurred.

Some of this documented evidence has been requested to be removed from this publication and I have honored these requests as best I can.



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July 1985

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1988

First report submitted by Colin Andrews to Secretary of State for Environment - copied onto the Queen and Chief Scientific Advisor to Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher.

January 30, 1989

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February 21, 1989

Letter to Nicolas Ridley, M.P., Secretary of State for the Environment from George de Trafford.

March 3, 1989

Letter to George de Trafford from the Secretary of State for the Environment with reference to Colin Andrews reports.

June 2, 1989

Colin Andrews letter to the Parliamentary Secretary, Mr. Richard Ryder.

June 8, 1989

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament. Re- Richard Ryder at MAFF

June 27, 1989

Letter from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament. Thanks for copy of *Circular Evidence*.

June 27, 1989

Letter from Secretary to Prime Minister Thatcher regards *Circular Evidence* and copied on to Ministry of Defence.

Documented Evidence Index

June 28, 1989

Letter from Parliamentary Secretary Richard Ryder at MAFF by Radio and TV presenter Dave Barrett.

June 30, 1989

Letter from The Queen to Bloosmbury Publishing, thanking them for Colin Andrews and Pat Delgado's book *Circular Evidence*.

July 26 & October 17, 1989

Hansard record of questions and answers in the British Parliament.

August 9, 1989

The Times of London Newspaper announce Circular Evidence chosen for the Queens Summer reading list.

September 9, 1989

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament. Regarding Andrews meeting with him and a report with photographs needed to show Ministers.

September 26, 1989

Letter from the Duke of Edinburgh.

October 1, 1989

REMOVED - AT PERSONAL REQUEST

October 31, 1989

Letter from the Duke of Edinburgh asking for updates.

May 3, 1990

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament. Contact about Sir Geoffrey Howe, Deputy Prime Minister.

May 10, 1990

Letter from Her Majesty the Queen to Colin Andrews with regards long time interest in the crop circles.

July 10, 1990

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament. Meeting with David Trippier, Minister of State, Department of the Environment.

July 16, 1990

Letter from Chief Scientist, Dr. Fisk to Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament, suggesting that a crop circles study is needed.

August 3, 1990

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament with copy of a reply to Dr. Fisk, Chief Scientist from the Natural Science Research Council.

August 21, 1990

Letter to Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament from Chief Scientist, Dr. Fisk.

September 17, 1990

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament. Further letter to Chief Scientist Dr. Fisk.

October 31, 1990

Letter to Pat Delgado (C.P.R.) requesting annual subscription for the CPR Newsletter.

December 3, 1990

Letter to Pat Delgado (C.P.R.) from the personal secretary to the Duke of Edinburgh .

June 28, 1991

The Star Newspaper – Prince Charles visit with Colin Andrews about crop circles.

January 7, 1993

Letter to Dr. Arlen Andrews, Chief Scientific Advisor to President Clinton, regarding their previous meeting.

Documented Evidence Index

July 9, 1993

Letter from Nick Pope, Ministry of Defence to Colin Andrews. Secret meeting in Virginia, USA and planning meeting in London.

July 10, 1993

Letter from Colin Andrews to the President Clinton's office regarding a meeting related to UFOs.

July 13, 1993

Letter from Nick Pope, Ministry of Defence MoD to Colin Andrews.

January 5, 1994

Letter from Nick Pope, Ministry of Defence (MoD) to Colin Andrews. Viewing of certain UFO documents at the Public Records Office.

January 24, 1994

Letter from Nick Pope, MoD to Colin Andrews. UFO reports from Boscombe Down and reports can be viewed at the Public Records Office.

September 15, 2006

E-mail to Nick Pope from Colin Andrews, contesting the accuracy of the 2006 article stating there was no involvement of the government in the crop circles and that the Queen and Royal Family had no interest, etc.

September 3, 2008

Times of London served with Government D Notice

October 20, 2008

Metro News – Newspaper and Internet article about the U.K. Governments release of secret UFO, crop circle files.

October 20, 2008

The Sun Newspaper – U.K. release of secret UFO, crop circles documents.

October 21, 2008

Wiltshire Gazette Newspaper and Internet article – Prime Minister Thatcher told don't be fooled by crop circles.

January 12, 2009

Government D Notice confirmed by Radio and TV presenter Dave Barrett.



Colin and Pat Delgado conducting an early investigation

Government Field Report

August 5, 1985

Lt Col Edgecombe report to the MoD regarding five circles near Longstock, Hampshire, England.

UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE (UFO?)

1. On Monday 5 Aug 1985 Mr [REDACTED] FARM, GOODWORTH, CLATFORD who farms near the AAC Centre, Middle Wallop telephoned to report some extraordinary depressions in a field of near ripe wheat, and asked, "What on earth we (THE AAC) were up to now?" I took the Aircraft Accident Investigation Officer (AIFSO) Maj [REDACTED] REME with me and went to inspect the scene.
2. The site, Grid Reference 346392 was a vergin, un-weather damaged, near ripe field of wheat. We found the following:
 - a. An exactly circular hole in the wheat in which the wheat had been laid flat in a clockwise twist 40 ft in diameter. (As if a plank had been put with one end at the centre and then swept round in a complete circle). There were one or two stalks of wheat standing which had sprung upright again. The wheat on the edge of the circle was completely upright and undamaged.
 - b. Four separate, smaller circles approx twelve feet in diameter, exactly similar to the larger one. These were set in a precise square, NORTH/SOUTH and EAST/WEST, with their centres 43 paces from the centre of the large circle.
 - c. There were absolutely no tracks in the wheat. To have set the holes in such a precise pattern manually would have required a tape measure or string, and the users would have been bound to leave tracks in the wheat.
 - d. All but one of the holes touched onto the main furrows in the wheat, and could therefore be approached from the edge of the field without leaving tracks. However there was no way of moving from one to the other without leaving tracks in the wheat, except by going some 200 yards to the edge of the field, and then back down another main furrow. One of the smaller holes was completely isolated.
3. Maj Garrow took some polaroid photographs which are included with this report. Mr [REDACTED], a semi professional photographer, took some 120mm colour photographs. I subsequently took Mr [REDACTED] and we photographed the scene from the air. By that time some half a dozen sight-seers were on the scene and a track, which had not been there when we were on the ground, had been made out to the isolated hole.
4. Present at the initial viewing were:
 - Lt Col [REDACTED] AFC AAC
 - Maj [REDACTED] REME
 - Mr & Mrs [REDACTED] (Farmer [REDACTED])
 - Mr [REDACTED] (Farmer [REDACTED])
 - And two othersNone of us could offer any reasonable explanation.

[REDACTED]

Aug 85

[REDACTED]

Lt Col
802 Avn Stds HQ DAAC

NOTE:

Reference to 'sight-seers' in #3 above: One of these 'sight-seers' was in fact Busty Taylor, visiting his first crop circle, followed soon after by myself and my Dad.

GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS

August 5, 1985

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Photographs taken by Army Air Corp (A.A.C.)
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Government Field Report

CIRCLES IN THE CORN INVOLVEMENT OF LT COL (RETD) Section 40 AFC

In 1985 Lt Col Section 40 then SO1 STANDARDS/NIGHT SAFETY HQ DAAC, was contacted by a local farmer asking what the AAC had been doing to his corn. Taking the Technical Accident Investigation Officer (AIFSO) with him he visited the area which was about 2 miles from Middle Wallop. It turned out to be a perfect set of circles in the corn.

Neither he nor the AIFSO could find any sensible explanation for the rings except to state categorically that it was nothing to do with helicopters. Col Section 40 submitted a factual report to MOD, accompanied by good photographs, stating what they saw and their inability to explain it.

A local man, Mr Colin Andrews (author of Circles in the Corn) a member of a group who had been investigating the circles for some years, also turned up on the scene. He invited Col Section 40 to attend a meeting at which any theories could be put forward for the meeting to shoot down. Col Section 40 was asked to attend as a helicopter agent to debate the inevitable "It's HELICOPTERS" theories. This he did and found the meeting to be very sensible and level headed. He told the chairman the gist of his report.

Col Section 40 became intrigued and that year, 1985, passed the word round to UK based AAC units to let him know if they saw any circles and give him the Grid Ref. There were one or two responses and then interest waned.

Col Section 40 was subsequently approached by BBC TV Pebble Mill, who were making a film about the circles, to again be the helicopter agent and debate the helicopter theories. This he did, and laid on a demonstration with a helicopter in long grass to conclusively illustrate the facts. This was all filmed and shown on TV. Lt Col Section 40 continues to take an inactive interest in the circles and would be delighted to be given a satisfactory explanation for them.



July 1985

Newspaper article about Mr. & Mrs. Jack Collins UFO call.

lutely nothing — except the circles.

Pursuit

Two police patrol cars sped to Stockbridge Down days before the circles appeared — in pursuit of a UFO.

Shaken pensioners Jack and Pat Collins spotted a brilliantly lit object hovering over desolate downland as they drove home at night.

Jack, of Fox Lane, Stanmore, Winchester described it as "A perfect circle".

"It was a huge circular thing and it was divided out like the spokes of a wheel," said Pat.

"Around the outside of it there were very bright lights, like huge light bulbs, and other lights in the sections.

"It was so bright — like something out of a fairground."

Jack, who had been driving their car, put his foot down when he spotted it hovering about 30 feet above the open fields.

File

The couple were so shocked at seeing the fiery circle they called the police.

Two cars from Andover raced to the scene — they found nothing, despite a 20 minute search of the open, rolling country.

A police spokesman said such sightings were noted in a UFO file.

He said they had never been asked to investigate the cornfield circles. "We have always recorded them as unexplained phenomena."

It seems to be mechanically created because the edges are so cleanly defined," says WATSUP member Steve Dyer. "Yet the corn is not actually broken at all."

Andrew McKenna probes a mystery that has left UFO experts baffled

The circles always appear on sloping or hilly fields — as if they were meant to be seen.

Strange

Steve said: "What is strange is that it's not just a Hampshire phenomenon. It has been reported worldwide since the 1950s.

"If there's any kind of 'set up' it's on a global scale and it seems rather obscure to think of a hoax on that scale."

"I'd love to say it was an elaborate hoax, but somehow you've got to

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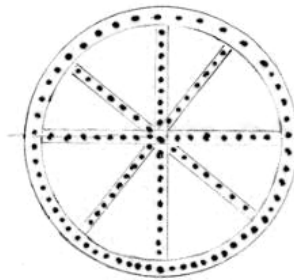
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Later I interviewed Mr. and Mrs. Collins myself. The five circles photographed by the Army on July 31 were found very close to the reported UFO sighting. A second set of circles, again identical were also found near Alresford on July 6th, the same day as the UFO report.



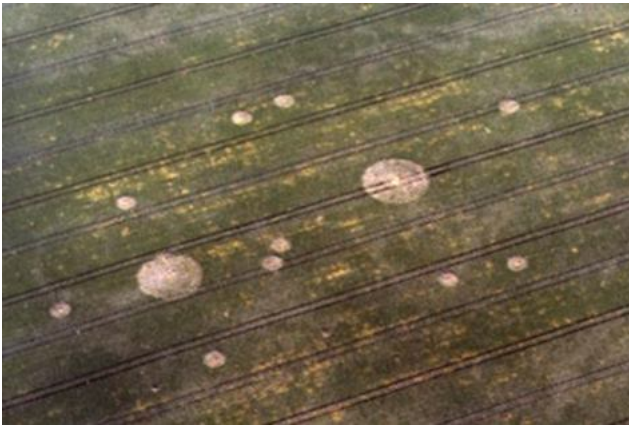
File 355 - Mr and Mrs Jack Collins Sketch of UFO at 10.45 PM July 6th, 1985. Hampshire Police HQ dispatched two police mobiles on receipt of 999 call from the Collin's at approx. 2315hrs 6th July 1985. CONFIDENTIAL - CPR ARCHIVE REF 1985-011

Mrs. and Mr. Jack Collins at the location of the UFO.

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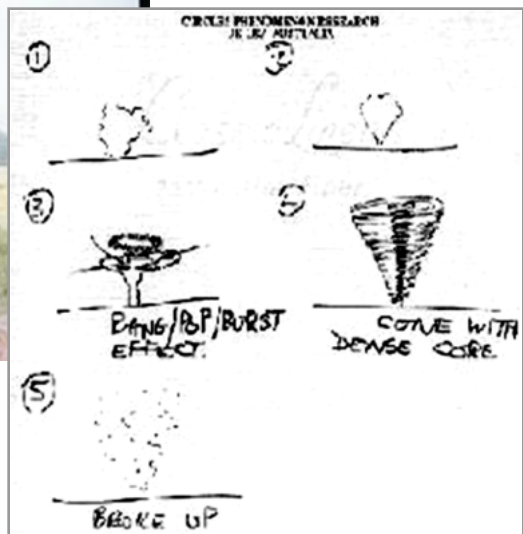
**Wiltshire
Police**

Photo taken by Wiltshire Police at Avebury Truslo, May 10, 1989 in fields where strange phenomena were seen during 1987 by the farmer Roy Lucas.
(Sketch below)

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1987 farmer Roy Lucas witnessed two strange events in the same fields the Police took the photos seen above during 1989.



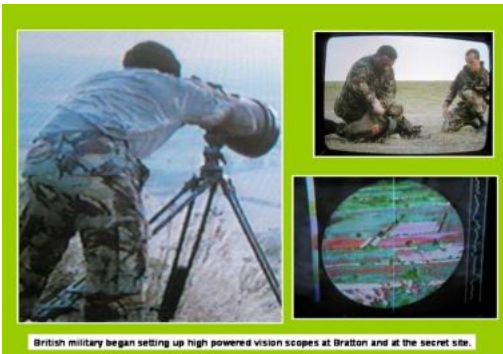
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Wiltshire Police air surveillance unit photograph, taken May 28, 1989 on Allington Down, Wiltshire. Ten circles and the first so called small grapeshot circles ever seen.

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British military began setting up high powered vision scopes at Bratton and at the secret site.

Army filmed a large UFO with night vision camera's as part of Operation Blackbird.



Frames from the actual Army film.

Still frame taken from low light camera footage.

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The Queen and Duke of Edinburgh were given my recording of the strange sound which was heard by a whole team of us as it rotated around our heads at Cheesefoot Head. Other bizarre things happened which to this day baffle.



This police photograph shows the largest of the two circles in which the midnight incident occurred. Pat Delgado (right) was forced out of the circle by a force that bent him over at an impossible angle and the rest of us huddled together as this weird sound sped around us several times.



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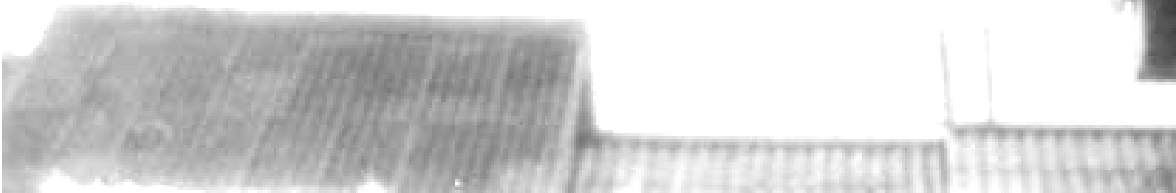
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Possible UFO photo presented
at the press conference



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*Possible UFO photo
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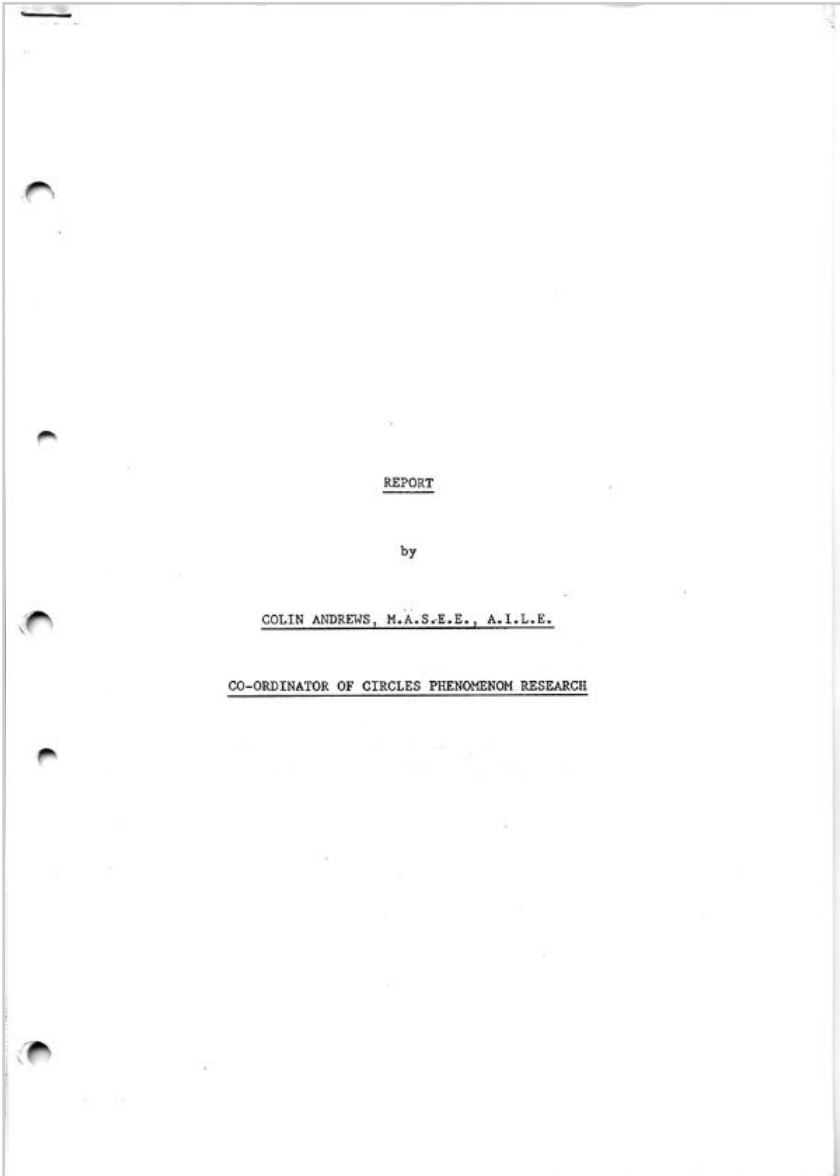
Phobos



Possible UFO?

1988

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First "Crop Circles" Report

This report has been prepared by Colin Andrews M.A.S.E.E., A.I.L.E.
Co-ordinator of CIRCLES PHENOMENON RESEARCH. (C.P.R.)

What are these circles?

The "circles" are areas of flattened vegetation most usually found in cornfields around harvest time. The first circle to arouse much interest was reported in July 1976 in a field at Headbourne Worthy near Winchester, similar to that in Plate 1. Within the circle the wheat stems had been flattened to the ground in a spiral wheel effect. The crop all round remained totally unaffected.

Since that time in 1976 further circles have been reported and the graph (Plate 2) shows that they are appearing in ever increasing numbers, till this year when it will be noted there were 96 "events" all, bar one in Leicestershire, were in Sussex, Hampshire, Wiltshire, Berkshire and Oxfordshire.

Some circles have been reported in other countries, but nothing by comparison with the awe-inspiring magnitude of the activity in Southern England.

The single circles were followed by ever increasingly complex formations. The first of these was a quintuple one, a large central circle surrounded by four smaller ones, each with a diameter of 13ft (See Plate 3). New forms are being discovered each year and Plates 4, 5, 6 & 7 show clearly the complexity of the patterns - especially Plate 4 showing the triangular group which appeared at Corhampton (Hants). This was one of two such identical impressions and both appeared during June 1988 within eight miles of each other. The plants in both took on an extra-ordinary pattern, they began to grow into a cartwheel (easily identifiable from the air) with 48 spokes and 7 concentric rings - the outer ring of each of the 3 circles was 10 meters across. Agronomists had never before seen this behaviour in plants.

All this expanding activity suggests that whatever is causing these "events" is evolving and at a very fast rate.

It would appear that there is a quite unique mystery.

GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS

Up till now C.P.R. has funded all the research from their own pockets. This includes the light aircraft for air surveillance needed to spot the circles and the thousands of miles of motoring visiting the sites or the owners of the fields where the circles have appeared, who very often are considerably disenchanted by having an area of wheat flattened, however if next year the upward trend in the frequency of "events" is maintained they will be unable to cope. During the last few days (early December) an approach has been made by the Japanese who are taking this phenomenon extremely seriously and are prepared to invest whatever it takes to get their hands on this "new energy" if that is what it is. C.P.R. do not want to let something that they have worked for and which is British to get 'stolen' by the Nipponese but for them to continue they must have Sponsorship. To do the task justice it needs 2 full time researchers and a list of their equipment with approximate cost is at Appendix A.

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First "Crop Circles" Report

What is C.P.R.?

Circles Phenomenon Research is made up of a group of professional people encompassing several disciplines but mainly at the moment Scientists and Engineers who are trying to get to the bottom of the mystery.

For 5 years they have been investigating every circle or series of circles that get reported and have created a databank with all their findings. They have had a significant break through in recent months when a network of geomagnetic force was found in a consistent pattern on or leading to/from the circles. This energy field is, not surprisingly, absent from the circles made by kids for a hoax, nor is it considered possible for say University Students to change the molecule structure of standing wheat in geometric patterns on 94 occasions between May and September all over Central Southern England. Anyway, what would be the point?

Other theories that have been examined include:

Helicopter downwash

Whirlwinds and other associated hydro dynamic phenomenon

Animal behaviour

UFO directly or indirectly

Geo magnetism

Ball lightning

Hydromagnetic vortices

Fertilizer misapplication

Plant disease

Ley energy

Chlorophyll

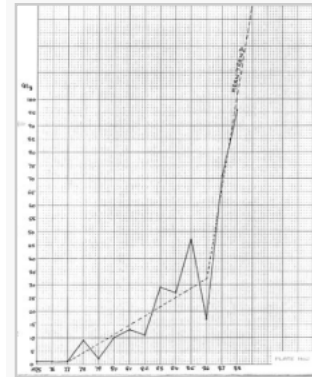
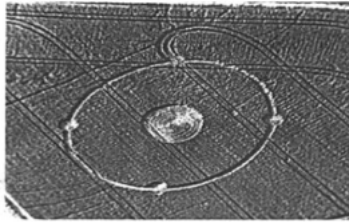
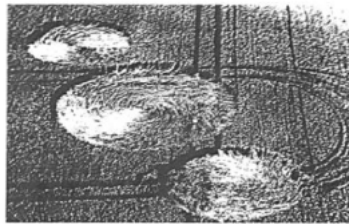
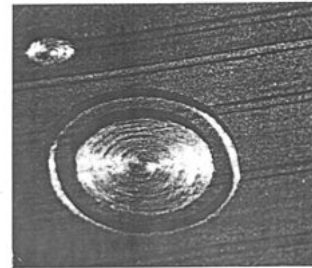
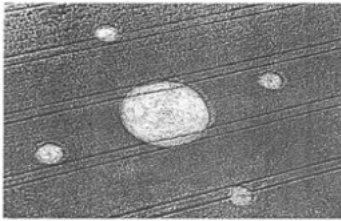
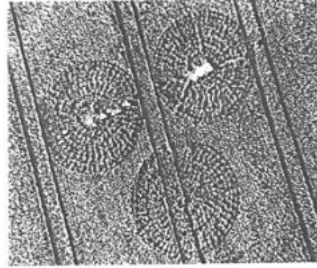
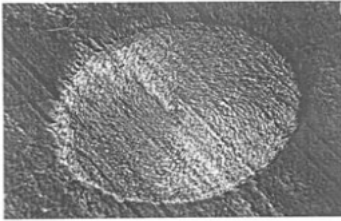
Many of these can now be eliminated but much more work is required on others. C.P.R. group is tending now to think that it is possible that we are being given a demonstration of a source of energy beyond the experience of man's knowledge today and that were it possible to discover the means by which the energy is created and controlled we might have in our possession the capability to fulfill our energy needs without the environmentally devastating effects produced by the power stations we have used to date.

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Appendix 'A'

<u>Equipment in order of priority</u>	<u>Estimated Cost</u>
	£
1. Magnetometer & recorder	3,200
2. Oscilloscope	1,500
3. Chart recorder for (2) above	900
4. Modified cardiograph & recorder	4,500
5. 60 feet aluminium tower	1,000
6. Infra red camera - high quality image intensifier	2,000
7. Video recorder for (6) above	900
8. Weather and security proof site surveillance enclosure	3,300
 <u>Non-urgent requirements</u>	
9. Night glasses (binoculars)	2,400
10. Theodolite	1,400
11. Photocopier	1,000
12. Colour processing equipment	3,000
 <u>Manpower</u>	
13. Two Researchers to carry out the Field Work and Surveillance, co-ordinate the Group resources and do the administration	30,000p.a.

First "Crop Circles" Report



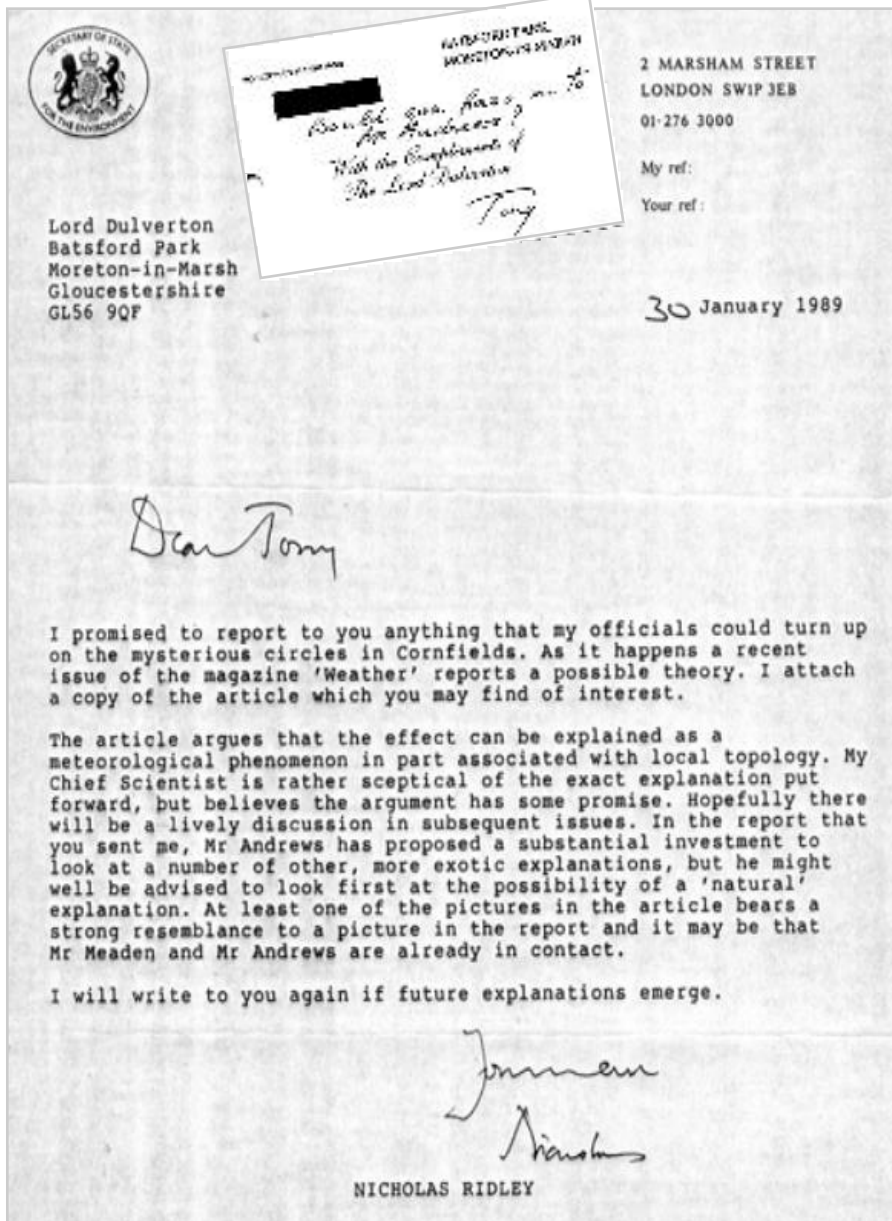


Colin and Dr. Terence Meaden during Operation White Crow

Correspondence

January 30, 1989

Secretary of State for Environment Nicholas Ridley to Lord Tony
Dulverton about the Colin Andrews report.



February 21, 1989

Letter to Nicolas Ridley, M.P., Secretary of State for the Environment from George de Trafford.

The Hon. Nicholas Ridley, M.P.,
Secretary of State for Environment,
Westminster, W.I.,
London,
ENGLAND.

Ta' Majsiet,
Tal-Balal,
B'Kara
MALTA.

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21st February, 1989

Dear Mr. Ridley,

I am aware of the interest you have taken in the investigations being conducted by Colin Andrews and his Associates in an endeavour to solve the mystery of the Cornfield Circles.

I have recently spent a few days with Mr. Andrews and have demonstrated to him the depth of our knowledge and comprehension of these events, and aspects of their greater significance.

I have been advised to write to you to request a meeting so that I can explain the nature of what is actually occurring, how, and why.

It is important that your Government should be made fully aware of certain aspects of these events, particularly since there is now an apparently growing and inquisitive public interest in the matter which you will no doubt have to face one day.

I would also welcome the opportunity to discuss plans for establishing a Research and Education Centre near Avebury, on part of the property (just now offered to us) of The West Kennett Farm Estate. Pending proposals for the conversion of the main farm buildings into a hotel, are, we understand, now subject to Clause 14 of the Environment Act.

There is, therefore, a degree of urgency involved. I am ready to come to London at the earliest date convenient to you, but preferably not through 6 - 12 March.

Yours sincerely,

George de Trafford

Correspondence

March 3, 1989

Letter to George de Trafford from the Secretary of State for the Environment with reference to Colin Andrews reports.



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George de Trafford
Ta' Majsiet
Tal-Balal
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Malta

3 March 1989

Dear Mr de Trafford

Thank you for your letter of 21 February addressed to my Secretary of State requesting a meeting. I have been asked to reply. My Secretary of State is aware of this phenomenon and has seen some of Mr Andrews' reports as well as the extensive article in January's issue of Weather. I do not believe at this stage a meeting would be necessary. My Secretary of State welcomes the news that you will have a centre for these studies, and wishes you every success with your project.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P J Saunders', written over a vertical line.

P J SAUNDERS

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The Parliamentary Secretary
Mr R Ryder
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2nd June 1989

Dear Mr Ryder,

As co-ordinator of the Scientific Research Programme currently being conducted into the cause of mysterious ground markings appearing across southern England and in a number of other parts of the world, I feel it is my duty to inform you of a major escalation of this unexplained phenomenon.

During the last 21 days a total number of 63 circular areas of compressed vegetation have been discovered in the counties of Hampshire and Wiltshire. As of this time, only 3 of these are located in Hampshire, the remainder are in 4 major pockets in the vicinity of Avebury in Wiltshire. Both myself, as co-ordinator of this research group and Dr Terrance Meaden, head of the Tornado and Storm Research Organisation, with whom we are working closely, both feel that very detailed analysis of the affected plants should be conducted as a matter of great urgency as the events are occurring in a whole variety of cereal crops and consequently will enter the food chain. Amongst the vast amount of data now gathered in Andover, several occurrences have resulted in the affected plants growing into extraordinary patterns, this strongly suggests a molecular change has taken place. Until such time as conclusive evidence is found that there is not a form of molecular contamination within these plants the affected crops should most certainly not be harvested. Precise locations will be provided on request. I would urge you to take immediate steps to safeguard the public and ban the harvesting of the crop pending detailed analysis. Attempts are being made to raise the matter in the House in the very near future. While certain correlations do exist in the research data we are a long way off resolving the cause of these extraordinary and most complex formations. I cannot overestimate the urgency I place on this communication. A great deal of information is held and will be made readily available to your Scientific Advisors on request.

I am the electrical expert for the local Authority but I am working very closely with Pat Delgado, a retired NASA engineer, Dr Terrance Meaden head of the Tornado and Storm Research Organisation, Dr Adrian Lions, an optical specialist, Prof Archie Roy, Head of Astronomy at Glasgow University, Dr Mark Glover, chemical analyst and many others including research groups from Japan, Malta and France.

Continued/2..

Correspondence

Continued/2

The Parliamentary Secretary
Mr R Ryder

2nd June 1989

A brief history is that myself and Pat Delgado discovered these circular areas in central Hampshire in the early 1980's and contacted Dr Meaden who is a vortex expert and since that time we have expanded the research group to encompass an extremely wide range of expertise. It may be prudent to make mention of the report which Nicholas Ridley received and to the fact that Dr Meaden, whilst having shared at one point the view that stationary whirlwinds were the cause, is now abandoning that theory and has moved his theoretical ground towards that which we currently hold ie. a spectacular form of aerial phenomenon is involved which will require a great deal of research before we can be sure that there is nothing potentially malevolent involved..

Yours sincerely,



Colin Andrews

cc. David Mitchell MP
Nicholas Ridley MP
The Lord Harrington

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Photos. &

This is a photograph of a circle that appeared on Monday 29th May 1989 near Winchester.



One of the first “glyph” formations

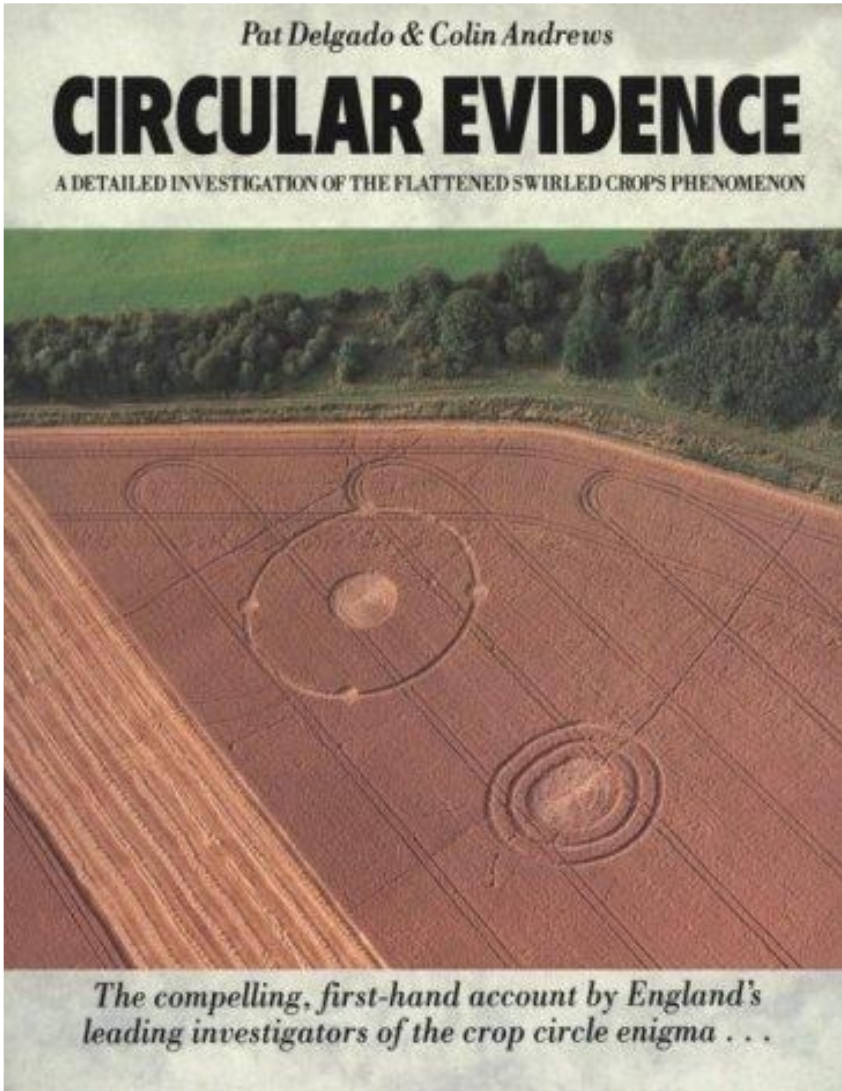


Correspondence

June 8, 1989

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament, from Richard Ryder at MAFF.

	<p>From: David Mitchell, M.P.</p>
	<p>HOUSE OF COMMONS LONDON SW1A 0AA</p>
<p>8 June 1989</p>	
<p>Colin Andrews Esq MASEE AILE Circles Phenomenon Research Sarum 57 Salisbury Road Andover Hants SP10 2LL</p>	
<p>Dear Mr Andrews</p>	
<p>Thank you for sending me a copy of your letter to Richard Ryder at MAFF, dated 2 June.</p>	
<p>I have asked the Minister's Private Office to ensure that I receive a copy of his reply to you and hope that you will find this helpful.</p>	
<p>Yours sincerely</p>	
<p><i>David Mitchell</i></p>	



Over 100,000 copies of this book were sold in Germany alone, and more the 250,000 around the world.

Correspondence

June 27, 1989

Letter from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament. Thanks for copy of *Circular Evidence*.



From: David Mitchell, M.P.

HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

27th June 1989

Dear Miss Michel,

Thank you very much indeed for sending me a copy of *Circular Evidence*, which I find fascinating to read.

I have written already to Ministers about this matter and am awaiting a reply.

Yours sincerely
David Mitchell

Miss Caroline Michel
Bloomsbury Publishing Ltd
2 Soho Square
W1V 5DE

June 27, 1989

Letter from Secretary to Prime Minister Thatcher regards *Circular Evidence* and copied on to Ministry of Defence.



10 DOWNING STREET
LONDON SW1A 2AA

From the Private Secretary

27 June 1989

Dear Ms Michel,

Thank you for your letter of 22 June to the Prime Minister enclosing the book, *Circular Evidence*, by Pat Delgado and Colin Andrews.

I am afraid it is not possible for the Prime Minister to comment on this publication, although I am sure she will note it with interest. However, I will pass it to the Ministry of Defence for information.

Yours sincerely,


CS Slocock

CAROLINE SLOCOCK

Correspondence

June 28, 1989

Letter from Parliamentary Secretary Richard Ryder at MAFF.


Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food
Whitehall Place, London SW1A 2HH

From the Parliamentary Secretary (Commons)

C Andrews Esq
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"Sarum"
57 Salisbury Road
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SP10 2LL

28 June 1989

Dear Mr Andrews

Thank you for your letter of 2 June enclosing a picture of a distinctive pattern of lodging in a cereal crop. It appears to me that this is much more likely to result from a combination of wind and local soil fertility conditions in a cereal stand prone to lodging. It seems unlikely that there is any contamination which would render the crop unsuitable for harvesting.

Yours sincerely,
M.A.P. Hill
for RICHARD RYDER
*(Approved by the Parliamentary Secretary
and signed in his absence)*



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Royal Correspondence

June 30, 1989

Letter from The Queen to Bloomsbury Publishing, thanking them for Colin Andrews and Pat Delgado's book *Circular Evidence*.



BUCKINGHAM PALACE

30th June, 1989.

Dear Miss Michel.

The Queen has commanded me to thank you for your kindness in sending her the copy of the book "Circular Evidence". Her Majesty will be most interested to read about the phenomenon of the swirled crops, and was most grateful to you for bringing the book to her attention.

Yours sincerely
Robert Fellowes

(ROBERT FELLOWES)

Miss Caroline Michel.

June 27, 1989

Letter from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament offering thanks for a copy of Circular Evidence.



From: David Mitchell, M.P.

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Correspondence

June 26 + October 17, 1989

Entered into the official Hansard record of questions and answers in the British Parliament.

Cornfield Circles (Hansard, 26 July 1989)

Mr Colvin: To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department if he will call for a report from the chief constables of Hampshire and Wiltshire on their investigations into the cornfield circles in Hampshire and Wiltshire; what is the estimated cost of these investigations; and if he will make a statement.

Mr Hurd: I understand from the chief constables of Hampshire and Wiltshire that there have been no investigations into the cornfield circles by their officers.

Cornfield Circles (Hansard, 17 October 1989):

Mr Colvin: To ask the Secretary of State for Defence whether any official assistance has been given by service personnel to civilians investigating the origin of cornfield circles in Hampshire and Wiltshire; and if he will make a statement.

Mr Archie Hamilton: I am not aware of any official assistance having been given by service personnel to civilians investigating the origin of crop circles.

August 9, 1989

The Times of London Newspaper announcing that *Circular Evidence* was chosen for the Summer reading list of the Queen.

The Book Trust's annual selection of holiday reading for the Royal Family this year has a heavy slant toward Prince Charles's supposed interests. Besides Ben Elton's "green" novel, *Stark*, there is Heathcote Williams's conservationist plea, *Sacred Elephant*, *The Illustrated Flora of Britain and Northern Europe*, *The Faber Book of the Sea* and the recherché detail of Norman Longmate's *Defending the Island: From Caesar to the Armada*. The weirdest choice is *Circular Evidence*, in which Pat Delgado and Colin Andrews speculate that circles of flattened corn in southern England are evidence of extra-terrestrial visitors.

Hermione Gingold's *How to Grow Old Disgracefully* may amuse the Queen Mother, but who in the Royal Family is going to need Keith Waterhouse's *The Theory and Practice of Travel*? It is a pocket book of travellers' disasters intended "to cheer up the wait at the airport".

The Times of London
August 9, 1989
'Queens Summer Reading List'
"Circular Evidence"

Correspondence

September 9, 1989

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament, regarding a field report to show to appropriate Ministers.



From: David Mitchell, M.P.

HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

9 September 1989

Colin Andrews Esq MASEE AILE
[REDACTED]


Andover
Hants [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Andrews

I was glad of the opportunity of meeting you and going through matters again. I agree that the matter of the circles is something which the Government should assist in investigating and I shall make representations to the Minister concerned. In addition I look forward to receiving photographs which are most effective in demonstrating firstly that it is not crop lodging because the crop is all neatly turned and laid and secondly that the circle is too scientifically a circle and not generally an area of the falling down of crop. Also the extraordinary photograph that shows satellite circles would be most effective in demonstrating the points you are making.

As soon as I have these photographs I will write to the appropriate Minister. If it is possible it would be helpful if I could have three sets of each photograph so that I can approach more than one Minister.

Yours sincerely


(Dictated by Sir David
but signed in his absence)

Correspondence

September 26, 1989

Letter about the Duke of Edinburgh.

I was staying with my uncle, [REDACTED] this weekend and while I was scouting around in his study my eyes alighted upon a much thumbed copy of 'Circular Evidence'. [REDACTED] electronics business and wondering whether it was his interest in electronics or agriculture that induced him to buy it, I picked it up. A letter fell out addressed to [REDACTED] from Prince Philip saying something along the lines of, 'Thought you might be interested to see this. If it is a hoax it is elaborate in the extreme and I am inclined to believe it is due to some kind of invisible force....'. He then said he'd never been able to entirely dismiss the Uri Geller phenomenon and could the two have anything in common. That was about it. I just thought you might like to know.

I hope you are both well and coping with the tides of foreign journalists after all your hard work with the British crowd. Hope to see you soon.

Best Wishes,

Addressed to Colin Andrews
26 Sept 1989.



Royal Correspondence

October 1, 1989

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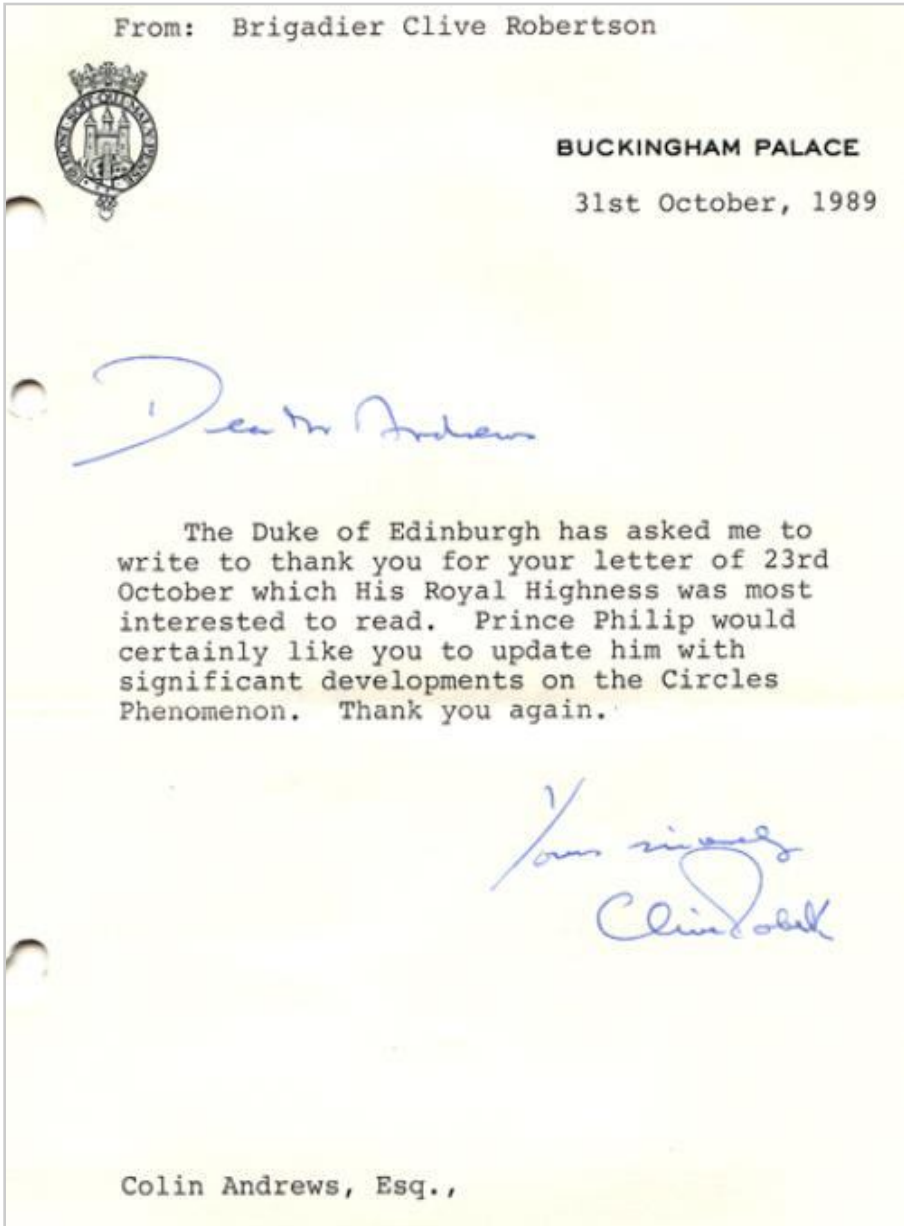


Colin and Pat Delgado at the Operation Blackbird press conference

Royal Correspondence

September 31, 1989


Letter from Duke of Edinburgh asking for updates.



May 3, 1990

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament about contacting Sir Geoffrey Howe, Deputy Prime Minister.

(1459)

 From: David Mitchell, M.P.

HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

3 May 1990

Colin Andrews Esq
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Dear Mr Andrews

Thank you for your letter of 16 April and I am sorry that it has been so long since we were last in touch about the circles in wheatfields and I have to say that I understand how frustrated you feel and that I am beginning to feel the same in the difficulties I am having in progressing this matter with Government Ministers, none of whom wish to take responsibility for investigative work.

Finally I approached Sir Geoffrey Howe, the Deputy Prime Minister, to ask him to indicate which Minister should have responsibility and he has pointed me in the direction of the Department of the Environment from whom I am, again, getting unsatisfactory responses which has led me to ask to see the Minister personally.

I will keep you posted.

Yours sincerely

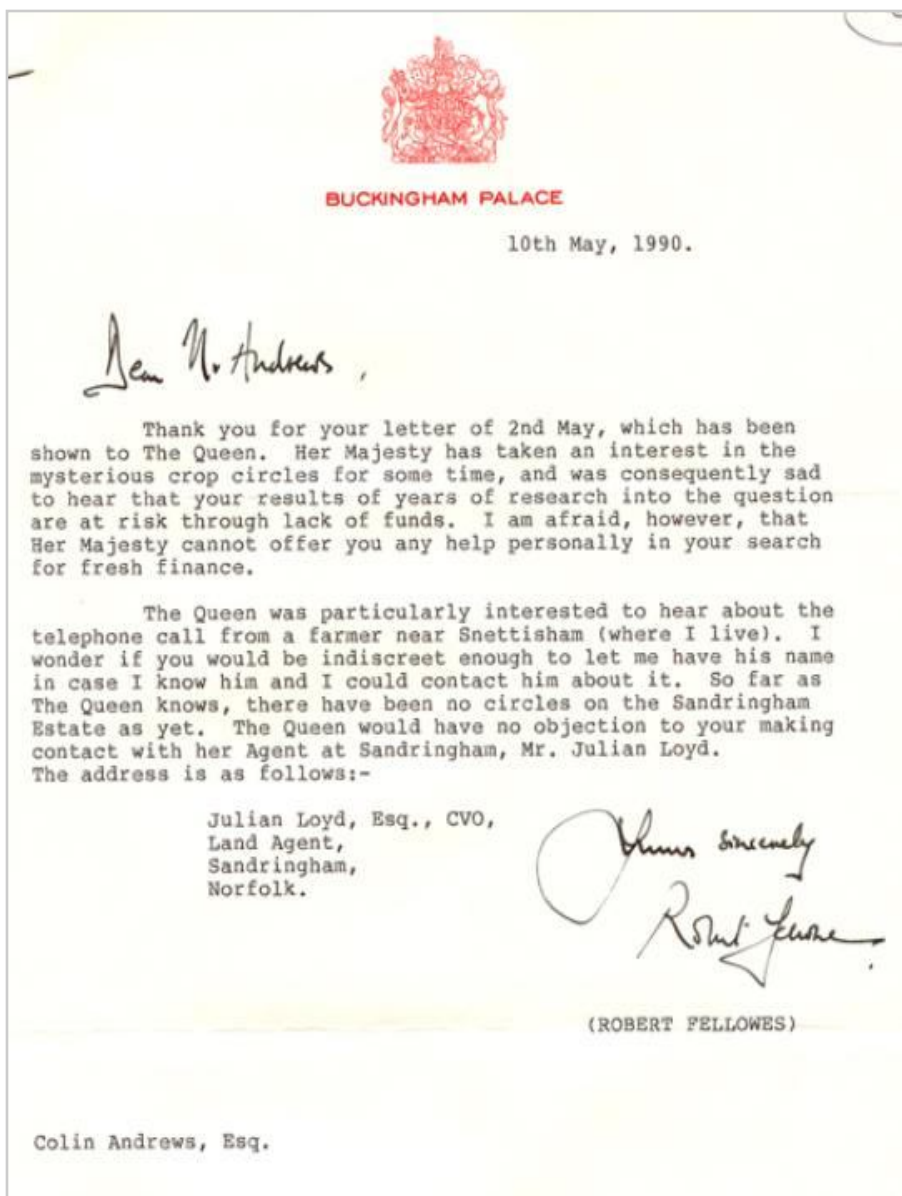
David Mitchell



Royal Correspondence

May 10, 1990

Letter from Her Majesty the Queen to Colin Andrews with regards to her long time interest in the crop circles.





Ralph Noyes (retired from the MoD) ,
Pat Delgado, Timothy Good, and
Colin during Operation White Crow.

GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS

July 10, 1990

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament regarding a meeting with David Trippier, Minister of State, Department of the Environment.



From: David Mitchell, M.P.

HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

10 July 1990

Colin Andrews Esq
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Dear Colin,

Just a line to say thank you for the care and trouble you took in taking me on a viewing expedition to see circles in corn fields near Winchester. It was obviously very helpful to me to observe these at first hand and to have the opportunity of culling your knowledge of the background to so many of the circles.

As promised I have now been to see David Trippier, Minister of State at the Department of the Environment, and have had a useful discussion with him and his Chief Scientific Advisor.

I must say that over the passage of time whilst you have investigated this phenomenon you have managed to do so in such a responsible way that the whole matter is now being viewed in a much more serious and scientifically interested way.

Having discussed it with the Minister he has agreed that an approach should be made to the Natural Environmental Research Council to see if they will take an official interest in what is going on and support some further research. As you know the decision must be for them as to whether they will take up this suggestion but since you have changed the climate so responsibly over recent years I think it much more likely than ever before that additional serious investigation will be undertaken.

Yours sincerely

I suggest we keep in touch

David Mitchell

Correspondence

July 16, 1990

Letter from Chief Scientist, Dr. Fisk to Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament, regarding the need for a crop circles study.

From the Secretary
Dr Eileen Buttle



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16 July 1990

Dr D J Fisk
Chief Scientist
Department of Environment
Room A314
Romney House
43 Marsham Street
LONDON
SW1P 3PY

Dear David,

Thank you for your letter of 3 July on the topical phenomenon of 'circles' in wheatfields, an issue which deserves, as you as, some academic rigour.


NERC is indeed charged with carrying out fundamental research on natural phenomenon and a properly cast grant application on the topic would be considered. Whether the proposal won support would depend entirely on the quality of the science put forward as judged by peer review. The nature of that science would determine whether it is appropriate to NERC or AFRC, but the applicant could rely on us to deal with that administrative issue.

Yours truly,
Eileen

August 3, 1990

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament with copy of a reply to Dr. Fisk, Chief Scientist from the Natural Science Research Council.

From: David Mitchell, M.P.



HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

3 August 1990

Colin Andrews Esq
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Dear Mr Andrews,

Mr D J Fisk the Chief Scientist at the Department of the Environment has very kindly sent me the attached copy of the reply he has received from the Natural Environment Research Council which he believes is "very positive".

He says that as the phenomenon has had wide coverage he is hopeful that it will now attract the interest of scientists in the academic community.

Progress, albeit slow, does indeed seem to be being made.


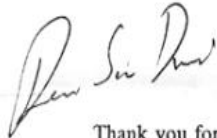

Yours sincerely

David Mitchell

Correspondence


August 21, 1990

Letter to Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament from Chief Scientist, Dr. Fisk.

	<p>Department of the Environment RoomA314 Romney House 43 Marsham Street London SW1P 3PY Telex 22221 Direct Line 01-276 8369 Switchboard 01-276 3000 GTN 276</p>
<p>Sir David Mitchell MP House of Commons London SW1A 0AA</p>	<p>21 August 1990</p>
	
<p>Thank you for your letter of 3 August which asked what would be the next steps following Dr Buttle's letter on Circles in Wheatfields. The Natural Environment Research Council would require a proposal for funding from a scientist at a "well founded" laboratory proposing a programme of work. It has not been clear to me from previous correspondence I have seen from Mr Andrews whether any professional scientists have been involved in the studies to-date, but if they have they should find Dr Buttle's letter most helpful.</p>	
 <p>D J FISK Chief Scientist</p>	

September 17, 1990

Letter to Colin Andrews from Sir David Mitchell, Member of Parliament, and a letter to Chief Scientist Dr. Fisk.



From: David Mitchell, M.P.

HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

17 September 1990

Colin Andrews Esq
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Dear Mr Andrews,

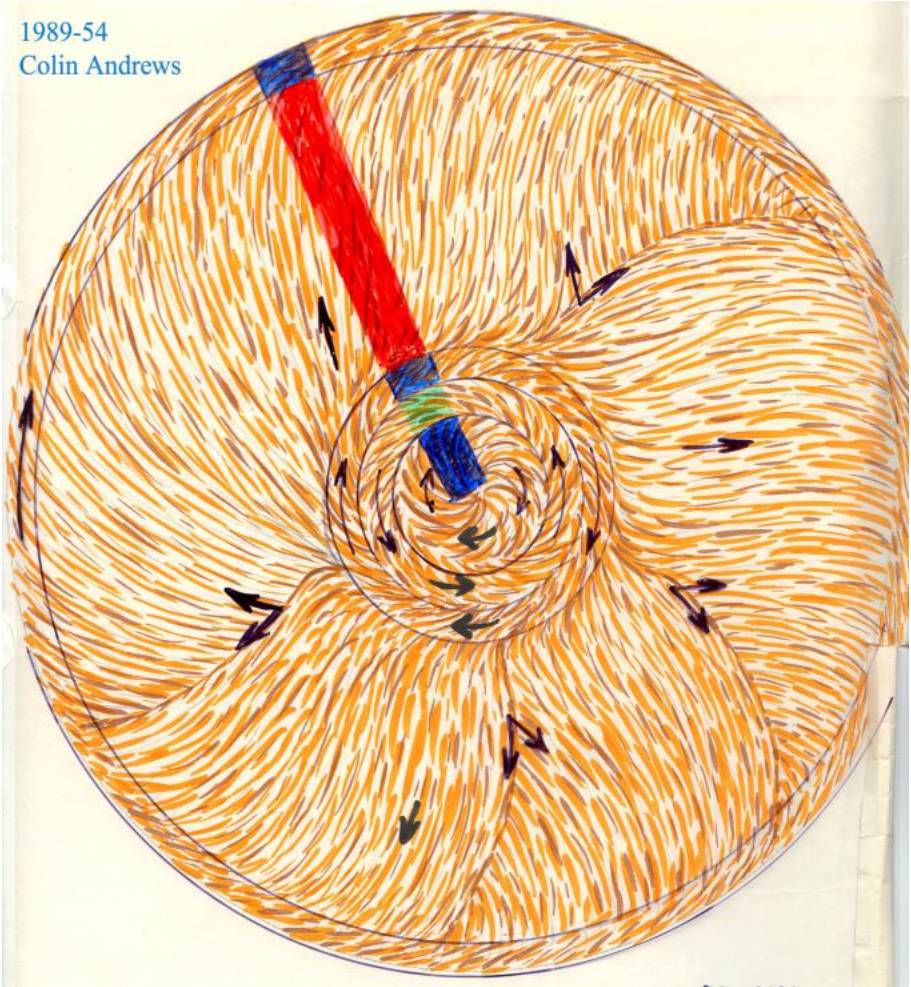
Further to my letter of 3 August, I am enclosing a copy of a further letter that I sent to Mr D J Fisk the Chief Scientist at the Department of the Environment together with the reply I have now received from him.

I would be grateful for your comment on the letter of 21 August before considering how next to proceed.

Yours sincerely

David Mitchell

1989-54
Colin Andrews



Overlapping swirl-pattern diagram.

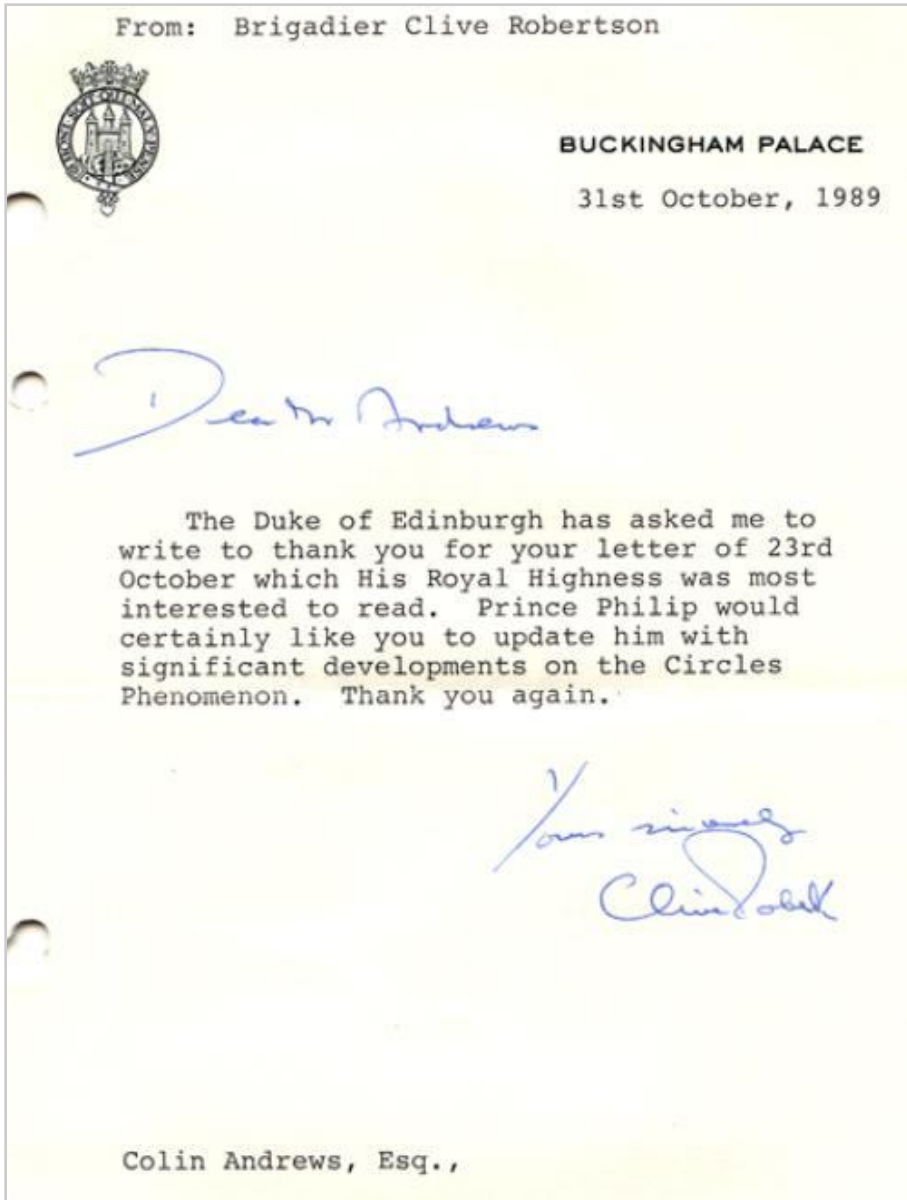


Colin and Reg Presley attempting to obtain disclosure documents

Royal Correspondence

October 31, 1990

Letter from The Duke of Edinburgh to Colin Andrews requesting updates about crop circles.



Royal Correspondence

December 3, 1990

Letter to Pat Delgado (C.P.R.) from the personal secretary to the Duke of Edinburgh.

From: Brigadier Clive Robertson



BUCKINGHAM PALACE

3rd December, 1990

Dear Mr Delgado

Thank you for your letter of 20th November and for your kind offer to come and brief The Duke of Edinburgh about the crop circle mystery. As Prince Philip has your latest book and is extremely busy at the moment having been abroad for almost a month, I think it would be best to leave any discussion for the moment.

Thank you again for your offer - it is certainly a fascinating subject.

Yours sincerely
Clive Robertson

Mr Pat Delgado



Colin in 1989 reviewing the potential patterns of the latest circles

June 28, 1991

The Star Newspaper – Prince Charles visit with Colin Andrews about crop circles.



Charles is going round in circles

- CORN circles have received Royal patronage. For the mystery rings have just appeared in fields owned by Prince Charles.
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CASH IN: Tell us how corn rings form... and win £10,000

Golden Fortune — Centre Pages

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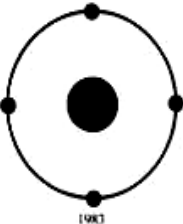
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CHARLES: Secret mission

Correspondence

January 7, 1993

Letter to Dr. Arlen Andrews, Chief Scientific Advisor to President Clinton, regarding their previous meeting.

USA OFFICE [REDACTED] Branford CT [REDACTED] Tel/Fax [REDACTED]		UK OFFICE [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Andover Hants [REDACTED] Tel/Fax (0264) [REDACTED]
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CIRCLES PHENOMENON RESEARCH
UK - USA - CANADA - AUSTRALIA.

To THE WHITE HOUSE
FAX (395)-37A.

Date: 7th January 1993

Dear Dr Andrews


You may recall a brief discussion we had at a lecture I presented at the Forteen Club in Washington last year.

I am the author of the best selling book 'Circular Evidence' and a leading researcher into unusual ground markings which are occurring in England and around the world.

I am currently moving the largest data base in the world, on this subject to my US office in Connecticut. I will be flying back to the States some time in the next two weeks and hoping to stay for some months.

In view of our discussion a few months ago, I wondered if it might be possible to meet with you at some time in the coming months. Perhaps we could meet mid way, or perhaps an opportunity for an Englishman to visit your White House ?


You could fax the above number in UK until Monday 11th January.

Yours sincerely

Colin Andrews
Colin Andrews M.I.I.E.E. A.I.L.E. Best Selling Author, Broadcaster, Researcher & Founder CPR.

GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS

July 9, 1993

Letter from Nick Pope, Ministry of Defence to Colin Andrews.
Secret meeting in Virginia, USA and planning meeting in London.

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Mr C Andrews CPR International [REDACTED] Branford Connecticut 06405 USA	Your reference L 471 Our reference D/Sec(AS)12/3 Date 13 July 1993	
<p>Dear Colin,</p> <p>Thank you for your letter dated 9 July.</p> <p>I was interested to hear what you had to say about the meeting in Virginia, and the briefings you are setting up. I should say, however, that the Ministry of Defence has no real part to play in the crop circle debate. Our only reason for showing an interest in this subject is because of the perceived link with the UFO phenomenon. Even here, I should point out that our role is very limited; we look at sighting reports as they come in, with a view to judging whether or not there is evidence of any threat to the UK. While many sightings remain unexplained, there has been no evidence to date of any such threat.</p> <p>We are always interested to see the results of serious research, and are happy to explain our policy and views on the UFO phenomenon; I would, therefore, be happy to meet you and your colleagues on 27 July, although in view of our limited role I very much doubt that it would be worth Dr [REDACTED] and Dr [REDACTED] travelling over here specially. This, of course, is entirely up to them.</p> <p>Perhaps you could telephone me in due course so that we can make the necessary arrangements.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Yours sincerely, <u>Nick Pope</u></p>		



**Synthia Andrews in 1993 searching for
“ground truth” in the fields**

GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS

July 10, 1993

Letter from Colin Andrews to the President Clinton's office regarding a meeting related to UFOs.

CPR REF (QUOTE): L ⁴⁷¹~~472~~

FILE: **F152**

To: The Executive Office of The President - The White House
From: Colin Andrews - CPR International - US Office.
Fax #: [REDACTED]
Our Fax/Tel # [REDACTED]
Faxed at approx: 3:15 PM
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Dear Sir / Madam

I am re faxing a communication addressed to the President dated May 24th which has received no response from your office.

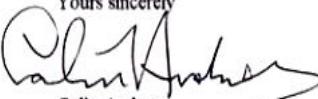
I am engaged in discussions with your military intelligence and others and will shortly be flying to London to meet with the British Ministry of Defence regarding the same subject matter.

I urgently need to know with whom I should talk regarding advise and council on the subject of Unidentified Flying Objects and the Mystery Crop Circles, about which I am considered to be the World's leading expert.

The results of recent tests and procedures have involved the observing of strange aerial phenomena and has urged me to seek urgent council and advise from your offices.

Please acknowledge receipt of this communication.

Yours sincerely




Colin Andrews



GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS

July 13, 1993

Letter from Nick Pope (while he was at the MoD) to Colin Andrews, explaining the UFO/crop circle interest of the MoD.


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Correspondence

January 5, 1994

Letter from Nick Pope, Ministry of Defence (MOD) to Colin Andrews. Viewing of certain UFO documents at the Public Records Office.

From: N G Pope, Secretariat(Air Staff)2a, Room 8245



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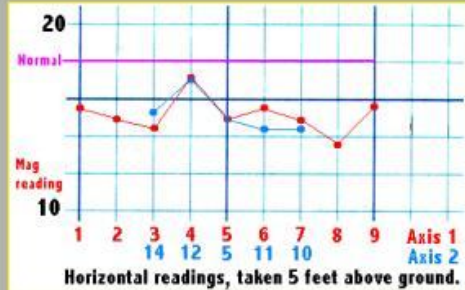
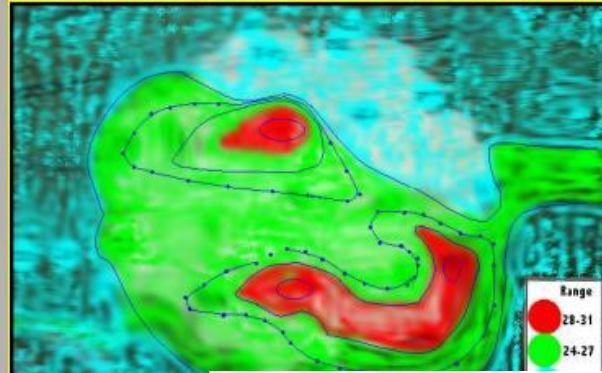
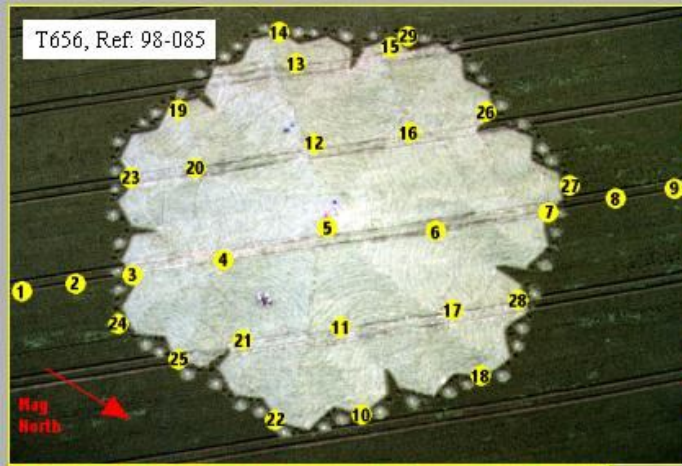
You may be interested to know that the total number of UFO sightings reported to the MOD during 1993 was 255. I have attached a map showing the geographical distribution of these sightings. The crosses should not be seen as representing the exact position, but give an idea of the general location.

You may also wish to be aware that a further two UFO files should now be available for viewing at the Public Record Office. The references of these files are AIR 2/16918 and AIR 2/17318.

I hope this is helpful, and I wish you and everyone at CPR International all the best for 1994.

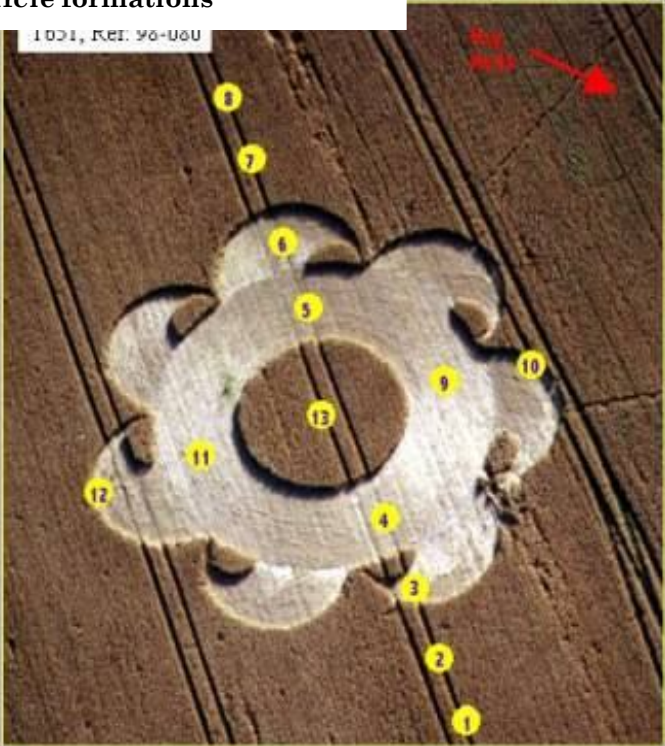
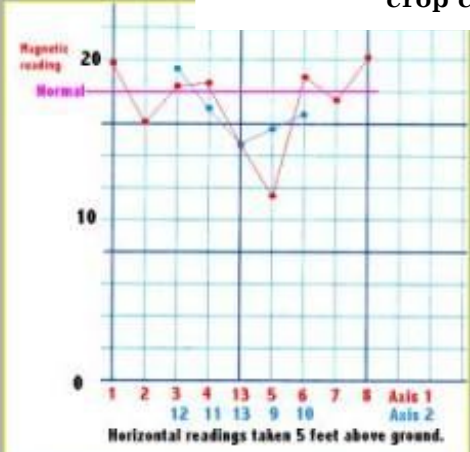
Yours sincerely,
Nick Pope

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Sample magnetometer survey test screens of crop circle formations

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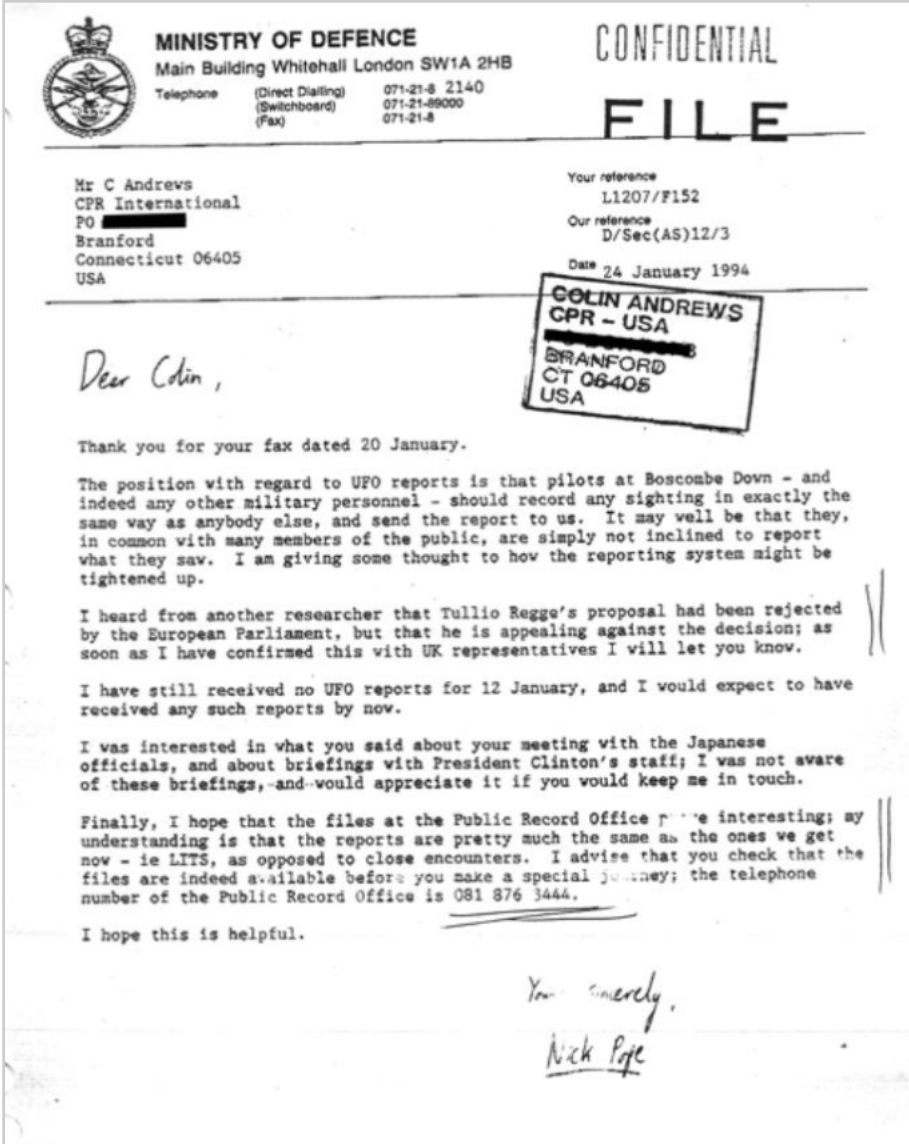


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Correspondence

January 24, 1994

Letter from Nick Pope, MOD to Colin Andrews. UFO reports from Boscombe Down and reports can be viewed at the Public Records Office.



GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS

September 15, 2006

E-mail to Nick Pope from Colin Andrews, contesting the accuracy of Nick Popes 2006 article stating there was no involvement of the government in the crop circles and that the Queen and Royal Family had no interest, etc.

From [REDACTED] Colin Andrews
To: [REDACTED] Nick Pope
CC: [REDACTED]
Subject: British Government involvement/interest in crop circles.
Date: Fri, 15 Sep 2006 19:40:49 +0000

Hello Nick

I hope this finds you well, back there in UK.

It has taken me a while to come across an article written by you and posted on the 'Circlemakers' web site, explaining the official MOD situation, regards crop circles.

I must make some corrections to your 'official' statement. The Queen DID have an interest. I spoke with her secretary several times and reports were submitted to her through a back door contact, retired military Officer, Captain [REDACTED] and handed from me personally. Buckingham Palace also wrote to C.P.R.I. asking for the CPR Newsletter to be sent for the Queen and Prince Philip's attention, which we did monthly. The royal house-hold had other interested parties including Lord Montague at Beaulieu Abbey (*The following is added 2009-0103 by CA:... who visited my home with his son, and who I showed around the circles in Hampshire and Wiltshire for several days - END*).

There are others who are not subject of your statement which I have no need to mention here.

You will know Lord [REDACTED], as I do. Before he became involved with the [REDACTED] he and I met regularly in my home and elsewhere and he showed me personal correspondence he also had with Prince Philip. Lord [REDACTED] was a regular attendee in the House of Lords and made official inquiries which confirmed that Prime Minister Thatcher had discussed crop circles in her cabinet. I also personally submitted two reports that I was asked to submit by the same back door contact. These were given to Nicolas Ridley, M.P. personally by the contact. These reports were responded to with notes sent back to me from other Member of Parliament, and Nicolas Ridley on behalf of the Prime Minister.

I had a number of meetings over a period of a couple of years with Member of Parliament, i.e. Sir David Mitchel. He was able to assist me with inquiries I was making about the circles and government interest and or involvement. As can be seen from a photograph on my web site (www.cropcircleinfo.com) Sir David Mitchel, M.P. asked if I would take him to see one of the circles, which I did near Winchester, Hampshire.

None of this might be in the 'OFFICIAL' record but I can assure you they are facts which I am prepared to publish and have notes and reports supporting them in my own files.

I think for the public record, you might want to take a look at your statement and perhaps adjust it accordingly. You have my permission to publish my email, which I standby in its entirety.

Best wishes as always.

Colin

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COLIN ANDREWS -
C.P.R. International
PO Box [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] USA.



Pilot Busty Taylor (a key member of the original research team) on yet another crop circle photo flight



September 3, 2008

Times of London served with Government D-Notice.

Government D Notice

<http://www.timesonline.co.uk/tol/news/world/asia/article4663850.ece>

From The Times

September 3, 2008

Government issued notice to stop Afghanistan reports

Anthony Loyd

It was not merely the Taliban, the hostile tribes, the bombs, mines and even more hostile terrain that haunted British commanders as they planned their most audacious and complex operation in Helmand to date.

They already knew that carrying a delicate, multimillion-dollar cargo of machinery along 75km (47 miles) of Speaking to The Times in Kabul in July, officials involved in planning the operation said that British commanders preferred instead to wait until next spring's poppy harvest, a guaranteed point of low ebb in the Taliban's activities, to launch the convoy.

In spite of these misgivings, Nato came under pressure from Washington to secure visible progress in the Kajaki hydroelectric project to safeguard future funding lines before the US presidential elections.

Since 2004 almost \$28 million had been spent by the Louis Berger Group (LBG), the American company contracted by the US Government to fix and maintain the Kajaki plant's two existing turbines and install a third. Overall, the project — including future work such as the addition of a powerhouse and the reconstruction of transmission lines — had a total of \$100 million dollars earmarked from USAID, the American development agency.

But the Kajaki project ground to a halt two years ago when British troops deployed in the area and became embroiled in regular clashes with insurgents. The crucial third turbine sat in Kabul and, with no improvement in security, USAID funding lines were under threat.

LBG's schedule for completing the installation of the third turbine had been set originally for June 2007. As a result of the delays the completion date was reset to September 2008. LBG said that if any part of the critical machinery carried in the British convoy was damaged or destroyed it would take between nine and twelve months to reorder, delaying further installation work on the third turbine until at least 2010.

Better, therefore, they argued, that the British convoy attempted the route this summer, so that any damaged equipment could conceivably be replaced in keeping with the new time-line.

Questions were also raised about strategy. The overarching gambit behind the Kajaki project was to influence locals into supporting the Afghan Government with the enhanced electricity supply. However, insiders pointed out that much of the Kajaki Dam's existing power output was already controlled and taxed by the Taliban as it travelled through districts held by the insurgents. The installation of a third turbine was thus unlikely to undermine Taliban authority in the short term, and could actually boost it.

When The Times tried to publish a story reporting these concerns among US and other Nato officials, the article was blocked by a Ministry of Defence D notice, on the ground that it would endanger forthcoming operations.

As British troops, dust-covered and exhausted, return from Kajaki having completed the operation, critics of the British mission in Afghanistan should give them the credit they deserve for having successfully completed the most daring, ambitious and complicated operation in southern Afghanistan since they were deployed there.

Equally, however, those claiming that all is well that ends well should remember that the Government allowed its men to be risked in a questionable operation at an especially vulnerable moment, silenced the press in order to do so, and that the long-term implications of the Kajaki operation remain as yet unknown.

Media Coverage

October 20, 2008

Metro News – Newspaper and Internet article about the U.K. Governments release of secret UFO, Crop Circle files.

METRO.UK.CO NEWS

MoD bans crop circle photos over UFO fears

Unknown

by JOEL TAYLOR - Monday, October 20, 2008

Taking pictures of crop circles was seen to boost UFO fears Military chiefs tried to stop armed forces helicopters flying over and photographing crop circles in case UFO enthusiasts thought they were taking them seriously, it has emerged.

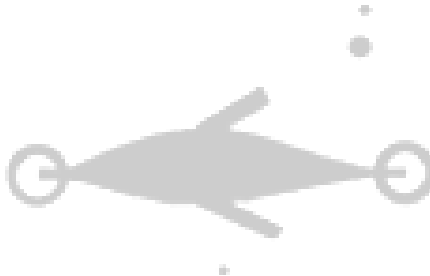
The MoD warned Army and Navy personnel after the Centre for Crop Circle Studies questioned its alleged study of the phenomenon.

'The UFO lobby will see this as active investigation of UFO-related activity (as they view crop circles),' the 1991 MoD memo said.

But both services refused the request, arguing officials were being 'over-sensitive'.

<http://www.metro.co.uk/news/article.html?>

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October 20, 2008

The Sun Newspaper – U.K. release of secret UFO, Crop Circles documents.



Military snapped crop circles

By VINCE SOODIN

Published: 20 Oct 2008

THE Ministry of Defence tried to stop military helicopter crews photographing crop circles for fear that this contradicted the official line that it had no interest in the phenomenon, secret files revealed.
In 1991 the Centre for Crop Circle Studies wrote to the department highlighting cases where military aircraft had apparently hovered over fields where the elaborate patterns had appeared – and on at least one occasion taken pictures.

This concerned the MoD so much that it wrote to Army and Navy chiefs asking them to ensure this did not happen again.

But both services refused, saying they would “not be taken seriously” by air crews if they issued such an edict and suggesting the department was being “over-sensitive towards the UFO lobby”.

The MoD request, dated August 1 1991, read: “The fact that photographs have been taken from Army Air Corps helicopters puts us in a difficult position, even if this was done during routine training flights.

“The MoD’s position with regard to UFOs is that we do not devote time or resources to investigation of such reports unless an incident has any defence significance.

“For the AAC to involve themselves in this way erodes this position as the UFO lobby will see this as active investigation of UFO-related activity (as they view crop circles).”

A senior officer in the Army Air Corps wrote back the next day.

The letter read: “Frankly I am reluctant to start firing off edicts about what AAC pilots can and can’t do when they spot crop circles beneath their helicopters - I am pretty sure that I wouldn’t be taken seriously if I did.”

The Navy’s reply was similarly robust, asking: “Are we not being over-sensitive towards the UFO lobby here?”

It continued: “It seems odd that we should impose an artificial constraint on servicemen to avoid association with crop circles simply because of the antics of the lunatic fringe.”

Nonetheless the MoD felt it was able to reassert its official position to crop circle enthusiasts.

On August 7 1991 the department wrote back to Ralph Noyes, honorary secretary of the Centre for Crop Circle Studies.

An unidentified Whitehall official insisted: “I should state at the outset that the Ministry of Defence has no interest in crop circles, and is conducting no research or investigation into this phenomenon...”

“There can be no question of MoD resources being used to support investigation of the crop circle phenomenon.”

<http://www.thesun.co.uk/sol/homepage/news/ufos/article1832614.ece>

Media Coverage

October 21, 2008

Wiltshire Gazette Newspaper and Internet article – Prime Minister Thatcher is told to not be fooled by Crop Circles.

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Wiltshire.co.uk

Don't be fooled by crop circles, Thatcher was told

7:57pm Tuesday 21st October 2008

TOP secret papers compiled after Wiltshire became a crop circle hotspot have revealed that the MoD did not believe aliens were the culprits, and told Mrs Thatcher so.

During the late '80s and early '90s there was a flurry of UFO sightings and crop circles across the county.

But the papers, recently published by Government for the first time, show that the MoD and official UFO investigators pour scorn on the sightings, dismissing them as misidentified pop festival light shows, American military jets refuelling and hot-air balloons.

In the early days of the crop circle phenomenon, the MoD claimed crop circles were a naturally occurring phenomenon, but when it became apparent in the late 80s that they were not, the military changed tack.

In 1989, at the height of crop circle mania, the secret papers reveal that when Mrs Thatcher, pictured, expressed curiosity over the phenomenon and interest in the work of the early crop circle researchers, the semi-official Government UFO researchers wrote to her to warn her not to be taken in.

The British UFO Research Association, which had close links with the MoD, told Mrs Thatcher they believed the circles were highly suspect.

That line became official MoD policy on crop circles, but when multiple circles and formations appeared, the MoD was forced to change tack, and blamed people.

One farmer near Avebury complained of crop circles appearing in his fields, and blamed RAF helicopters.

One RAF chief wrote to MoD chiefs: "He believed that the damage may have been caused by hovering helicopters and asked us to take a look.

"This was definitely not the case, and I personally suspect hippies with scythes."

http://www.thisiswiltshire.co.uk/search/3779590.Don_t_be_foiled_by_crop_circles_Thatcher_was_told/

October 21, 2008

Wiltshire Gazette Newspaper and Internet article – Crop Circles and UFO reports released.

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LATEST NEWS

Crop circle and UFO reports released

8:57am Tuesday 21st October 2008

By Gazette Reporter »

The Ministry of Defence launched an investigation into a flurry of UFO sightings across the West in the late Eighties and early Nineties, according to secret papers released yesterday.

Incidents included bizarre spacecraft making crop circles, mysterious burning lights seen for miles and triangular shapes flying over two West cities. But anyone hoping for Government acknowledgement of extra-terrestrial life visiting Britain in the release of the files under the National Archives' 15-year-old rule is going to be disappointed.

The MOD and official UFO investigators pour scorn on the sightings, dismissing them as misidentified pop festival light shows, American military jets refuelling and hot air balloons.

The period covered by the latest publications deals with the crop circle mania between 1987 and 1993, when the fields of Wiltshire were full of researchers, ufologist and worldwide media.

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Media Coverage

The British UFO Research Association, which had close links with the MOD, told Mrs Thatcher: "We have been studying the circles since they first appeared in 1980 and can provide documented evidence that demonstrates just how much of what Andrews and Delgado (the two leading cropies at the time) are claiming is highly suspect.

"These circles appear throughout Britain, have done so for many years, and are no threat to anybody."

That line became official MoD policy on crop circles, but when multiple circles and formations appeared, the MoD was forced to change tack, and blamed people.

One farmer near Avebury complained of crop circles appearing in his fields, and blamed helicopters from nearby RAF Odiham. The circles were investigated, and one RAF chief wrote to MoD chiefs: "He believed that the damage may have been caused by hovering helicopters and asked us to take a look. "This was definitely not the case, and I personally suspect hippies with scythes!"

The MoD couldn't explain one report which will excite modern-day crop circle researchers. In July 1991, a driver and his wife pulled off the A350 south of Warminster and watched, spellbound, as a bright whirlwind created a crop circle in front of them.

The MoD report read: "Four whirlwinds, spiral from centre of circle – bright white.

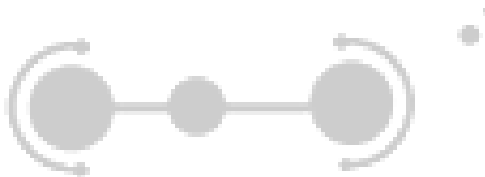
"Swishing noise (distant). Moving around each other in a form of a circle and then disappeared."

The released papers also detail mass sightings by hundreds of people of the same mysterious phenomena often miles apart. On August 4, 1987, hundreds of people reported seeing strange triangular-shaped objects and lights travelling over Devon.

First sighted in Exeter and then Plymouth, the MoD later told witnesses the lights were probably from US military jets refuelling.

The papers also reveal how people from all over Britain, including the West Country, sent in sketches of UFOs they saw, and even the aliens who they claimed emerged from them.

http://www.thisiswiltshire.co.uk/news/headlines/3777027.Crop_circle_and_UFO_reports_released/



January 12, 2009

Government D-Notice confirmed by Radio and TV presenter Dave Barrett.

Government D Notice

GWR Radio and the Government D Notice



Dave Barrett

January 12, 2009

E-mail to Colin Andrews
From: DAVE BARRETT

Hi Colin

I now live abroad so its not so easy to contact me by phone but please feel free to email if you need anything else. As I recall it was somewhere near Alton barns, a crop circle had been discovered with some mysterious item found in the centre of it. We sent the radio car but were prevented from viewing it and a D notice stopped us reporting on it, it was when I was on GWR in Swindon.

All the best
DAVE

Media Coverage

GWR radio was one of the first of many media to visit Operation Blackbird. Their outside broadcast vehicle (seen with the mast tower above) was in position and ready to cover the moment that Colin Andrews and Pat Delgado entered the field to look at the new crop circle formation which appeared in front of the bank of special cameras. Looking through binoculars from the control vehicle (black structure) the report was that there was something in the center of the circle. This followed reports from observers at 4am that morning, that a triangular array of lights hovered over the field. As dawn broke, Colin and Pat entered the field. TV camera were kept out of the field as four military aircraft suddenly came in from the east and flew at low level directly over their heads. GWR radio were about to go live to air when the station received a D-Notice from the MoD to stop all transmissions.



Crop circle hoaxers are liars, say experts

washingtonpost

News Print

Engineers rubbish corn circle hoaxers



The Washington Post article discusses the scientific community's dismissal of crop circle claims. It features a portrait of a man, likely a scientist or expert mentioned in the text.

'Signs' before

Finnish call Bradford researcher's crop circle expertise



Bradford, who said he was getting into the... of some circles to... of ancient civil...

The Circlebusters



All the 'Signs' point to a thrilling night as the movers experts gear up to solve the cornfield riddle

A DOUBLE RICE... EXPERTS... GEAR UP TO... CORNFIELD... RIDDLE

Hartford Courant

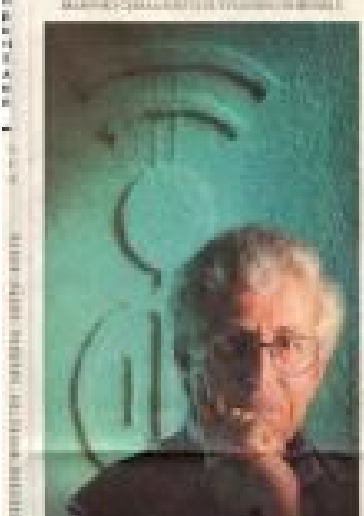


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Colin Andrews Biography

“Crop circles offer an exceptional keyhole into the fascinating realm of how our mind interacts with an intelligent and conscious universe.”



Colin Andrews is best known for his research into the crop circle subject since 1983. He provides the only continuity between the past research era and the present, along with his friend and colleague, Busty Taylor. His long view of both the genuine phenomenon and the human-made phenomenon provides unique insight into the subject. His research results indicate the intelligence behind the phenomenon is interacting with both crop circle researchers and many of the people who make the hoaxes.

He has publicly stated since the late 1980's that the phenomenon indicates a future period of human chaos. The period indicated, supported by current trends, can be changed with human awareness and he believes there are serious eco-political implications and that the future direction of the planet is at the center of the phenomenon. In the final analysis Andrews believes the phenomenon is challenging people to a higher level of consciousness.

Some native elders agree with Colin's assessment which is supported by the 2012 Mayan Prophecy, which his latest book, along with his wife, speaks: *The Complete Idiots Guide to 2012*. Colin's twenty-five year investigation continues with growing urgency for openness and honesty in government and private research, respect for divergent opinions and co-operation between investigators in all areas.

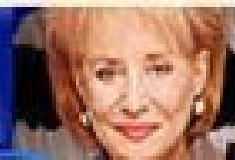
Biography

Colin Andrews is an electrical engineer by profession and was a principle official in British Regional Government during the 1970's and 80's. He became involved in the crop circle mystery in 1983 when he saw an arrangement of five circles in a wheat field near Winchester, England. Intrigued by the engineering aspects, he began investigating the circles with Pat Delgado, a retired NASA engineer and Busty Taylor a light aircraft pilot. During his years of research he advised Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's cabinet on the mystery, supervised the largest crop circle surveillance project in 1990 named 'Operation Blackbird', and amassed the largest data base in the world on the subject. 'Operation Blackbird' was an effort to film a genuine crop circle forming. It was sponsored by BBC and Nippon television and was authorized to take place on Ministry of Defense land and with British Army assistance.

In 1996 Colin was asked by Laurance Rockefeller to provide information for the Rockefeller Initiative. The Initiative provided the United States government with the 'best available evidence' regarding the UFO with the purpose of opening public dialogue. Colin continued to receive funding in 1999 from Laurance Rockefeller to conduct a two year investigation into crop circle hoaxing. He put together a team who studied the construction patterns of man-made crop circles that had been commissioned by various commercial and media interests. In addition, members of his team infiltrated several circle-making groups uncovering new information regarding the level of anomalous phenomena experienced by the hoaxers while making circles.

Using man-made circles as a base, Andrews studied the formations that appeared in England throughout 1999 and 2000. His research data brought him to the unpleasant conclusion that 80% of all the circles he studied showed "unassailable" signs of being man-made. The remaining 20% showed all the signs of being part of the genuine phenomenon he had encountered 20 years earlier. The publication of this data was largely rejected at the time. Today, the majority of honest, unbiased researchers have come to believe the truth of Colin's assessment.

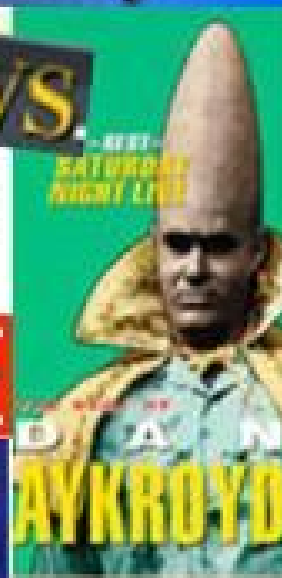
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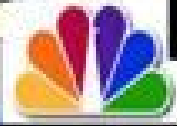
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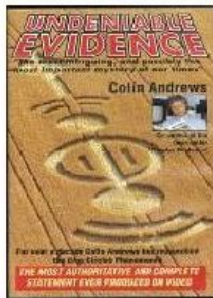
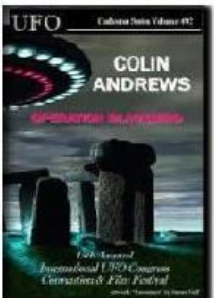
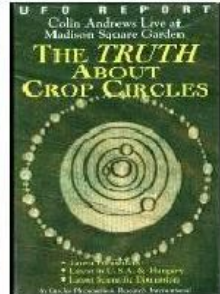
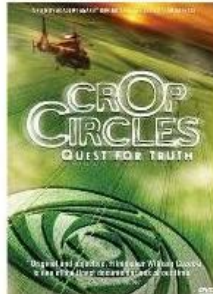
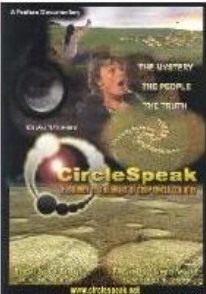
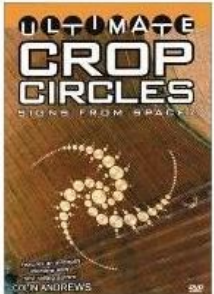
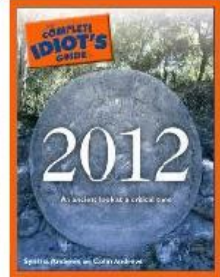
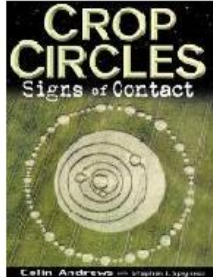
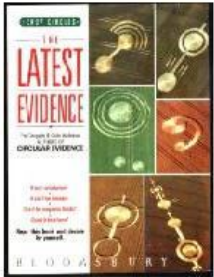
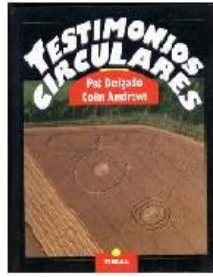
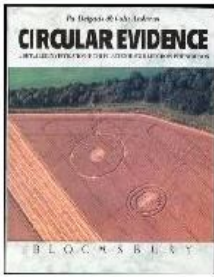
Publications and Cinema

Circular Evidence, 1989. Co-authored with Pat Delgado, this was the first book ever written on the subject. It became an international best seller. It was also chosen by Queen Elizabeth for her prestigious "Summer Reading List", the first time a book of this kind has ever been selected. *Crop Circles: The Latest Evidence*, 1990, was also co-authored with Pat Delgado, this was the popular update to *Circular Evidence* and sold over 100,000 copies in Europe alone. *Crop Circles – Signs of Contact*, 2003 co-written with New York Times best selling author, Steve Spignesi covering new aspects of the research. The book includes a full catalogue of crop patterns recorded by Colin between 1983 and 2003, which has also been self published separately and called The Andrews Catalogue. *Undeniable Evidence-* 1990, the first crop circle video ever produced, which showed stunning aerial footage of the phenomenon, and links the mystery to eco-political changes. *The Truth About Crop Circles* – 1995, the live presentation made at Madison Square Garden, New York. Andrews was consultant for Mel Gibson's Disney block buster movie *Signs*; and Marcus Thompson's British movie *A Place to Stay* which was shown at the Cannes Film Festival in 2002.

Media

Andrews has appeared on numerous well known television and radio programs around the world including 60 Minutes, 20-20 with Barbara Walters, Good Morning America, Sightings, Unsolved Mysteries with Robert Stack, Coast To Coast with Art Bell, Histories Mysteries, The Shirley Maclaine Show, Dan Aykroyd's Out There, The Sally Jessy Raphael Show, BBC's Daytime Live, The Ray Martin Show, National Geographic, Nippon TV's Thursday Special, The Gloria Hunniford Show, History v Hollywood, American Movie Classics with Mel Gibson and M. Night Shyamalan, CNN Live Today, The Learning Channel's Looking for a Sign, Discovery one hour special, CBS Gateway to the Unknown and many more. He has lectured extensively throughout the world to a wide range of audiences including the special interest group 'U.N.S.R.C..' at the United Nations, and The Hakui Museum Project in Japan.

GOVERNMENT CIRCLES - COLIN ANDREWS



Awards

"The Toby Award" from New Heaven New Earth for his 'honesty and perseverance' in the face of character assassination during his research of the Oliver's Castle video,. The video showed a crop circle being made by UFO's and was claimed by many to be genuine. Colin's investigation revealed it to be an elaborate hoax, intended to undermine the genuine crop circle mystery. The Maverick Award from the Bay Area UFO Congress for pioneering scientific research into the Crop Circles.

Current Projects

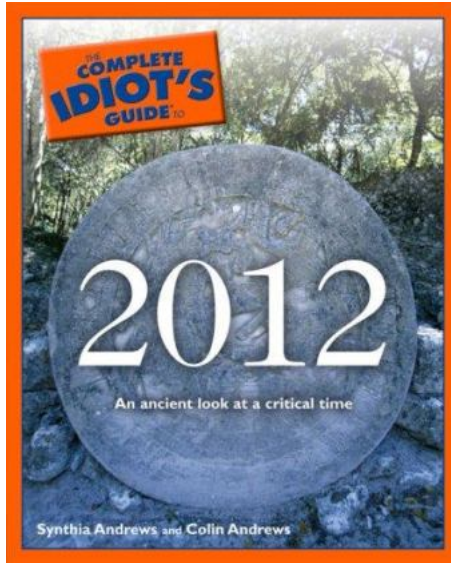
The *Andrews Archives* is currently being preserved by Archive House Publishing and is being made available as publications, DVDs, and via online downloads. When completed this one-of-a-kind historical record will be made available to researchers and historians who want to study the crop circle mystery and its history. As a "working archive" Archive House and Colin welcome any additions you may have to the archive, such as photos, video, or other related documents.

Circular Evidence the Movie: Renegade Pictures. This movie is under contract and tells a story based on the deeply moving experiences Colin has had while researching the mystery. His research has profoundly affected all aspects of his personal life and career, as well as deeply impacting member's of his family.

Colin and his wife Dr. Synthia Andrews, co-authored the new book *The Complete Idiots Guide to 2012* for Alpha books. It was published in various countries in October 2008. Colin is also an accomplished photographer, having shown in art galleries across the United States. His photographs have appeared in numerous television programs, magazines, newspapers, etc. He uses his photography to highlight the importance of nature and the dire need for preservation and conservation on our planet.

He and his wife reside on a small farm in rural Connecticut.

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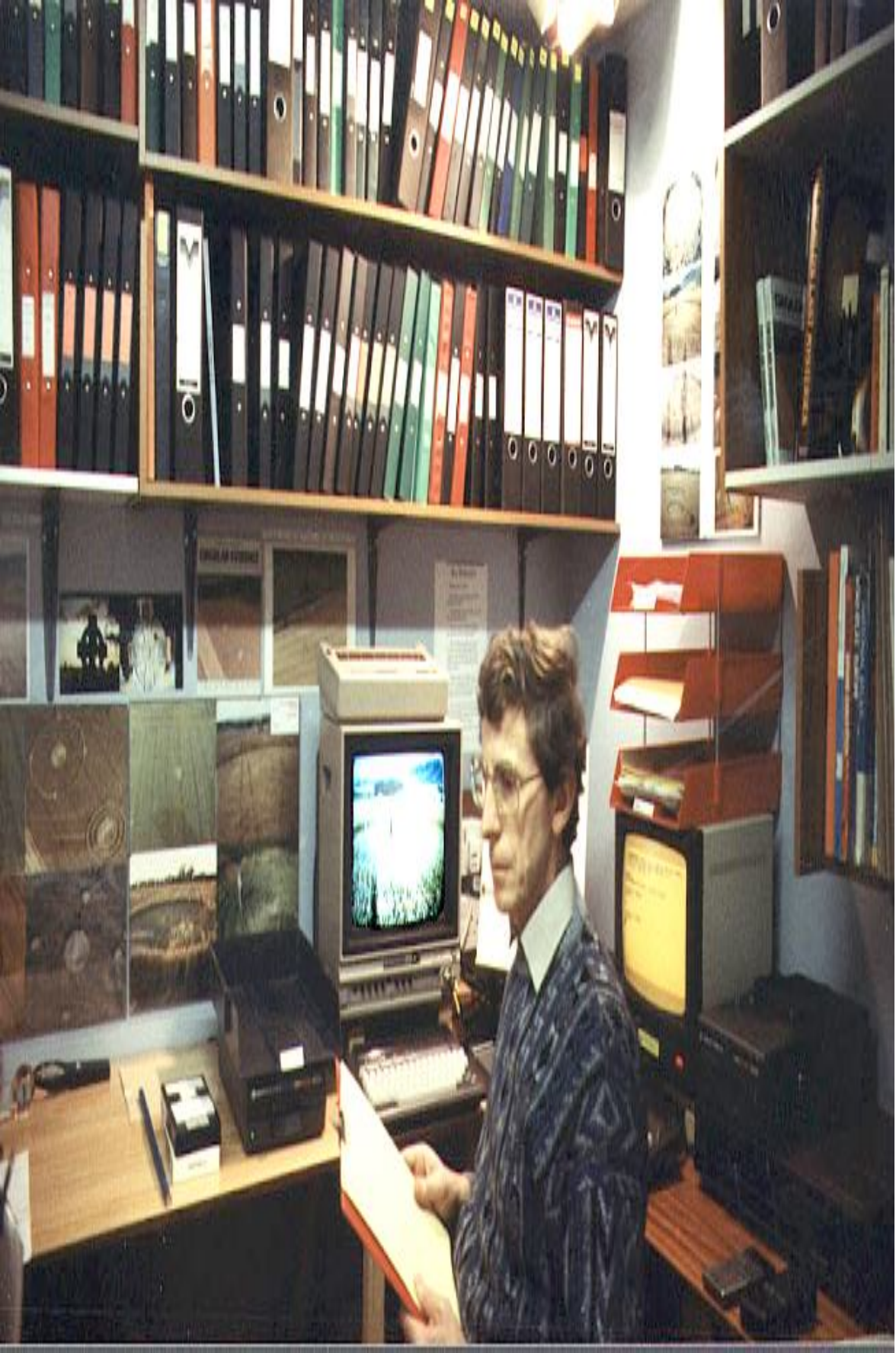


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The new book *The Complete Idiots Guide to 2012* has now been published. Synthia and I have been given help from native people, scientists and well known writers on this subject. Our eyes have been opened and we have changed through the process of writing this book.

The book ranges from native prophecy through new age channels and scientific collaboration. We weed misconceptions from facts. The journey into 2012 encompasses earth changes, sustainable living and a journey into our own souls. We hope you enjoy the expedition.





Publications and New Media

Colin and Pat Delgado published the first book (*Circular Evidence*) about crop circles and it soon became a global bestseller. Since then Colin has presented lectures at hundreds of institutions, Universities and public venues in many countries around the world. Many of these have been filmed and are available from the venue organizers.

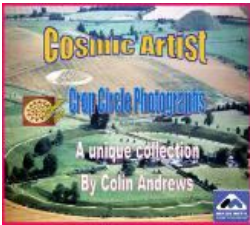
Some of the television documentaries he has appeared in can also be obtained from the appropriate TV network. Recommended in the USA are Discovery, TLC and The History Channel, in the U.K. from the BBC and Japan from NTV.

Colin's archives now store over 1,000 hrs. of video, 40,000+ photographs, and over 10,000 related research documents and correspondence.



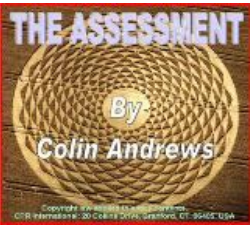
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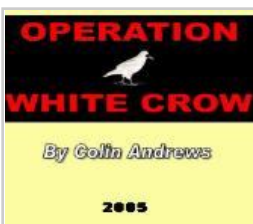
THE ASSESSMENT

The presentation which first described the infamous 80/20 formula and the extent and role of the man-made circles and their makers.



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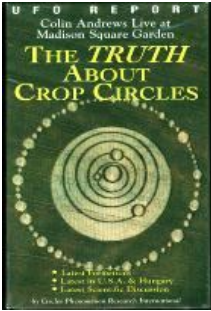
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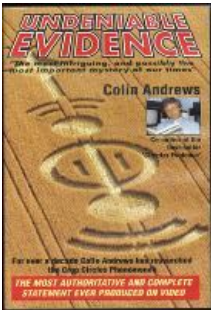
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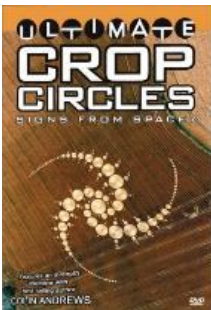
THE TRUTH ABOUT CROP CIRCLES

Colin is shown live at Madison Square Garden. This was the presentation which set in motion the link between UFO's and crop circles. Soon on DVD and available for digital download.



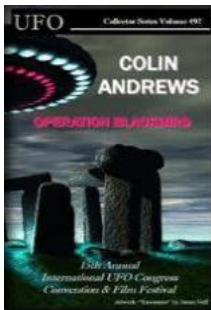
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This was the first crop circle video ever produced. Both a classic and all time best seller. Soon on DVD and available for digital download.



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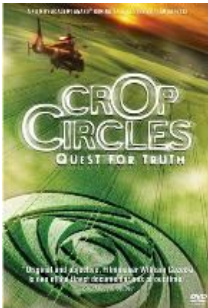


UFO CONGRESS PRESENTATION

A presentation by Colin at the International UFO Congress in the United States during 2006.

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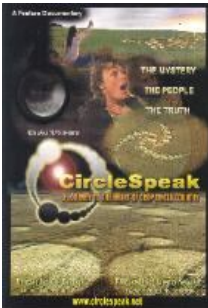
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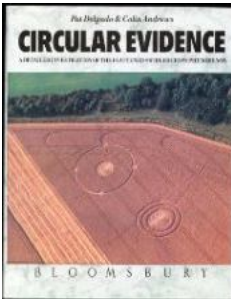
A docudrama which features the land of the crop circles and the people both involved and affected by their formation. Colin is both on camera and behind the scenes.



SIGNS—the movie

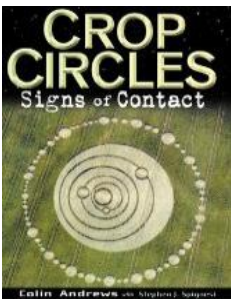
The block buster Mel Gibson movie 'Signs' for which Colin acted as advisor, providing real data and photographs. He also took part in numerous media interviews during the launch of the movie.

BOOKS & E-BOOKS



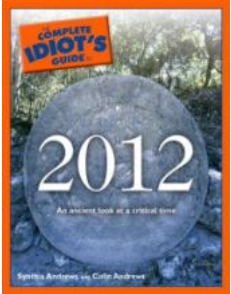
CIRCULAR EVIDENCE

By Colin Andrews and Pat Delgado, this was the first book detailing the original crop circle research. It was published in 1991 and sold over 100,000 copies worldwide. Soon to be re-released.



CROP CIRCLES: SIGNS OF CONTACT

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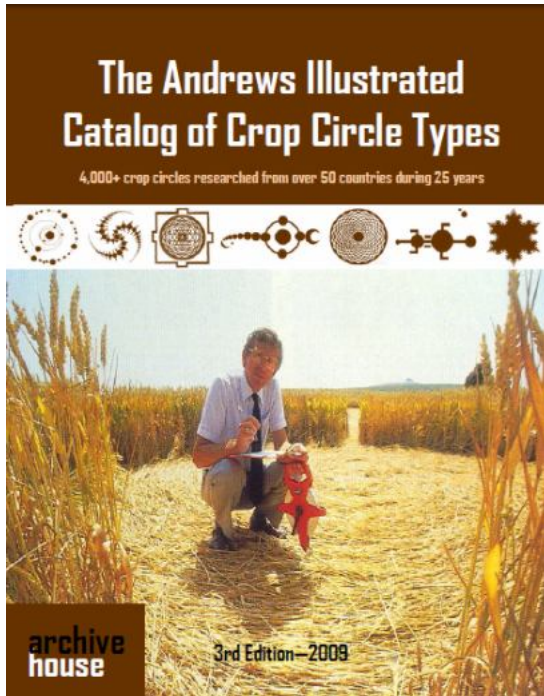
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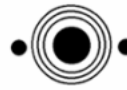
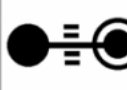

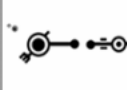
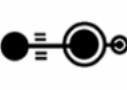




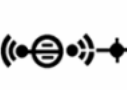


































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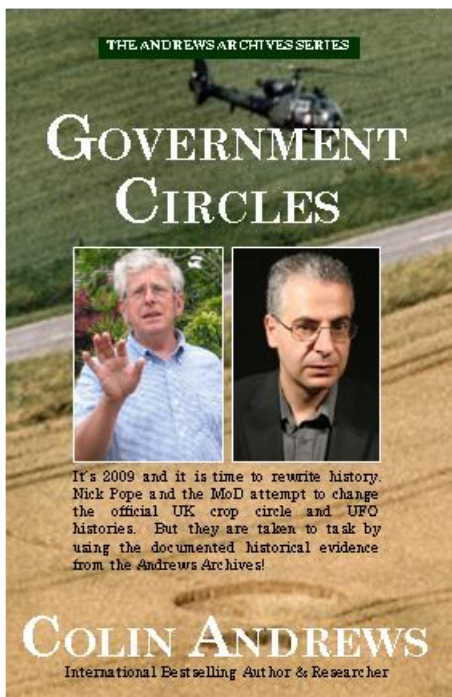
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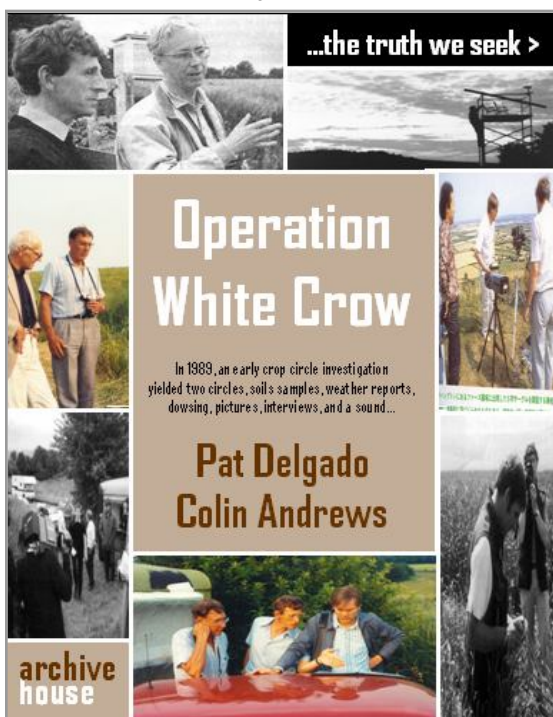
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Colin and Pat Delgado participate in one of many videos recorded in the fields



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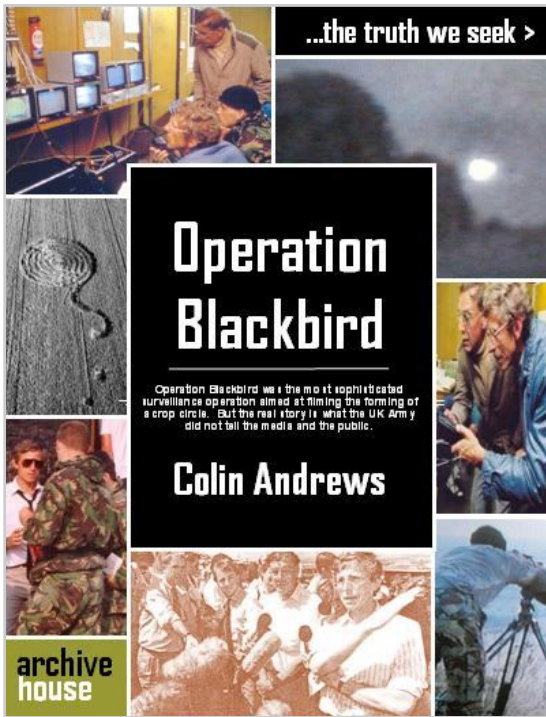
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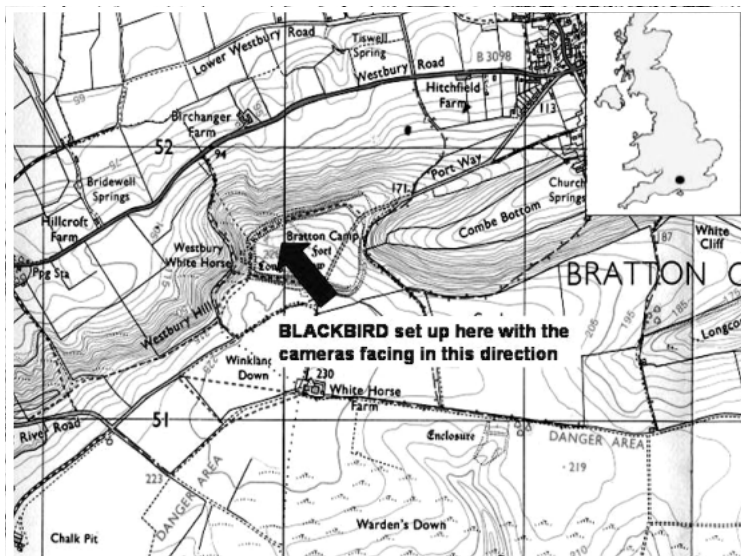
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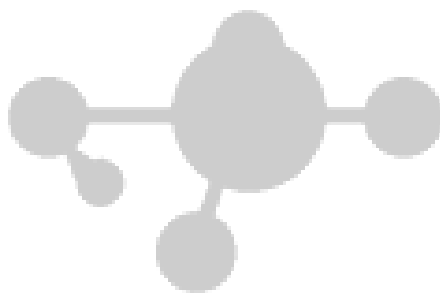


The “orb” over the fields at the secret location which the UK Army filmed during Operation Blackbird





Richard Adams, George de Trafford, Busty Taylor, and Pat Delgado during an early dowsing experiment



The Mowing - Devil :

Or, Strange *NEWS* out of

Hartford - shire.

Being a True Relation of a Farmer, who Bargain'd
with a Poor Mower, about the Cutting down Three Hal-
Acres of *Oats*, upon the Mower's asking too much, the *Far-
mer* swore, That the Devil should Mow it, rather than He
- And to it fell out, that that very Night, the Crop of *Oa-
t* shew'd as if it had been all of a Flame; but next Mornin-
g appear'd so neatly Mow'd by the Devil, or some Infernal Spi-
rit, that no Mortal Man was able to do the like.

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- has not Power to fetch them away.





Colin and Pat Delgado at the first book signing of *Circular Evidence*.



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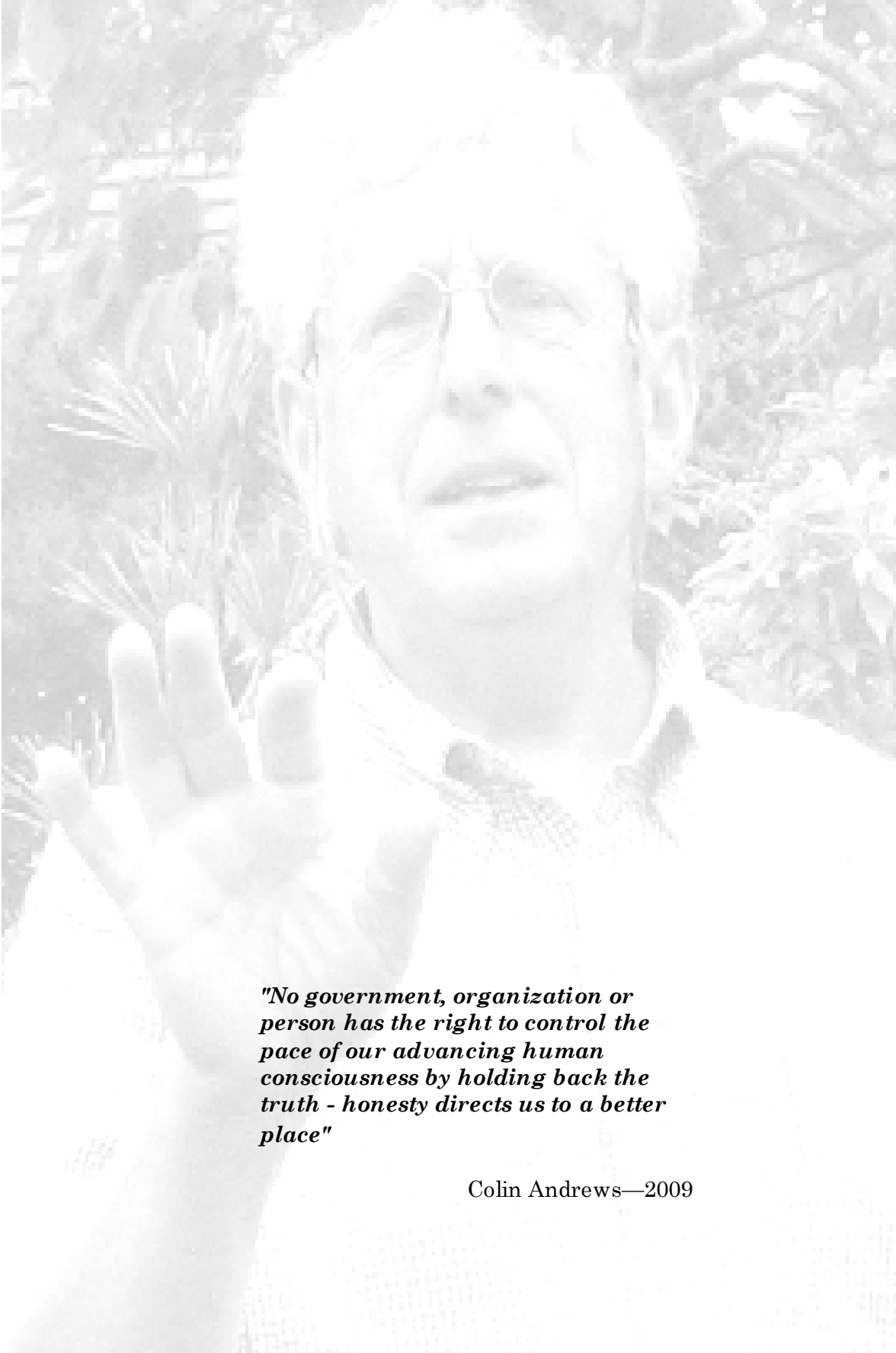


The circles started out small and natural...





...and 20 years later they grew into acre-spanning displays



"No government, organization or person has the right to control the pace of our advancing human consciousness by holding back the truth - honesty directs us to a better place"

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