

"Crash" Over Duncan

Women Drivers In Space Ships?

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A Duncan man who reported an 'explosion in the skies' over Crofton on the night of Sept. 26, now believes it was a collision of two space ships.

With the sighting here last Wednesday night of 'flying saucers' by 11 district residents, Vernon Stanley-Jones of Richards Trail is firmly convinced the explosion he saw was definitely a crash of two ships from outer space.

Mr. Stanley-Jones and his son Chris, 14, were driving up Lakes Road when they saw "a bright red flash and glow in the sky over Richards Mountain toward Crofton." Mr. Stanley-Jones said he first thought the Crofton pulp mill had exploded.

"It was fire red, so I knew it wasn't lightning," he said.

The RCMP were unable to trace any fires or explosions in the area.

Flying objects seen here last Wednesday night, he now believes, were space ships searching for the wreckage of the two craft he believes collided over Crofton four nights earlier. "After all, if any of our aircraft go down, don't we send our planes and ships to search for survivors and wreckage?" he asked.

Mr. Stanley-Jones who has done considerable research on UFOs said he believes "there is something out there we don't know about. We aren't the only people in the universe. There are millions of worlds. Why should we be the only ones? These objects have been reported for years all over the world."

He said he saw more flying saucers himself, two years ago, when he was one of the passengers on a YCA plane that reported "flying saucers" buzzing the plane. He has also sighted them on other occasions.

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