

DATE 12/18/79

WITNESS NAME JACKSON; Captain Bisono

ADDRESS 90 Puerto Plata Police Dept.

CITY Puerto Plata STATE _____

COUNTRY Dominican Republic

UFO: ? NL DD RV CEI CEII CEIII

MISC. IFO "Strange Object" struck him in face @ lights causing car to crash.

PHOTOS: None

NUMBER OF WITNESSES 1 NAMES: _____

MIL POL PROF CIV

DATE RECEIVED 2/17/79 DURATION Unknown - 2 kilometers driving time

OUTSTANDING FEATURES? Intense light

FURTHER INVESTIGATION? YES

DATE EXAMINED JAN 1979

RESULTS Changed mind about interview after being told not to discuss it any more.

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Dear Dr. Hynek:

Enclosed you will find an article which appeared in an evening paper "Ultima Hora" on Dec. 19, 1978 and its' translation.

After reading the article, Nini and I decided to go to Puerto Plata for the weekend to interview Captain Bisono Jackson. Puerto Plata is a city that lies on the northern part of the island.

Through the Pepsi distributor of that area we had made an appointment with the Captain to have lunch. Upon our arrival in Puerto Plata my husband went to see the Captain to reconfirm our luncheon date but, unfortunately the man had changed his mind about seeing us and being interviewed. All subsequent attempts that we made to interview him were in vain. The Captain said that he had nothing to add to the statements that he had made to the press. Even though Nini explained that we were not seeking publicity but were investigating on the Center's behalf. He just refused to say any more. Nevertheless, we left our address and telephone number in case that he might change his mind.

Despite this we got an overall picture of the Captain. He is a man with a poor cultural background, the typical latinamerican police official that is portrayed so vividly in the movies. Apparently the man saw something unexplainable, crashed into the sugarcane plantation's fence and made the statement to the press. We suppose that this was a "faux pas" of the Captain and presume that a higher officer told him not to speak about it.

There are trying times in UFO investigations. Sebastian Robiou who was in the Dominican Republic spending the Christmas holidays with his family gave us some encouraging words that were well received.

I hope that you received the American Express check for the videocassette, tapes and the articles we sent.

Soon we shall send a report of a very interesting case that occurred on November 20th 1978 but, as yet have not received the first draft of the translation from Gitzen Messina so that we can correct it. My best to your wife and the Center's personnel.

Sincerely,

Joceline
Joceline D'Alessandro

POLICE CHIEF OF PUERTO PLATA SAYS THAT HE OVERTURNED IN CAR AFTER SEEING UFO NEAR HIGHWAY TUNNEL.

by Ramón Velázquez as appeared in "Ultima Hora", December 19, 1978.

An unknown object that is presumed to be a "flying saucer" caused the vehicle of the chief of the 14th company of the Police Department of Puerto Plata to have an accident. The police officer was unharmed when his car overturned.

Captain Bisono Jackson was driving to Santo Domingo, capital city of the Dom. Republic, when he was blinded by a strange luminous object.

Bisono Jackson lost control of his vehicle and fell into a trench on a sugarcane plantation, demolishing a nearby barbed wire fence.

On awakening he pulled out his service gun, a 45 automatic, but could see nothing since everything was in total darkness.

This event occurred in the early morning of last Thursday (Dec. 14, 1978) but today was when it was made public.

The commanding officer told his story to fellow policemen in Santo Domingo and the evening paper "Ultima Hora", had access to it.

Captain Bisono Jackson agreed this morning to relate his happening to the journalist of this newspaper.

He said that on Wednesday, he went to bed early (9:00 p.m.) because the next day he had to leave early to Santo Domingo to attend some business.

He was asked if he had consumed alcoholic beverages which he firmly denied, adding that he was a non-drinker.

He explained that at around 5:30 a.m. while traveling alone in his car he observed an unusual light.

"I thought that the car was on fire, and I got out to see what was happening", he stated.

Nevertheless, the intense light suddenly disappeared, and Capt. Bisono Jackson continued on his journey.

Two kilometers down the road, a strange object appeared at low altitude. "I didn't realize what was going on, since the lights suddenly blinded me", the officer said.

However, he stated that it was a round object that had "hooks" on its' side. The object emitted orange, green and red lights that dazzled the Captain. Bisono Jackson explained that he became unconscious and his car crashed into the fence of a sugarcane field.

"I was unconscious for a while" said the police commander. "When I came to I grabbed my gun and went to see what was happening."

Captain Bisono Jackson said he saw in the surroundings a "small man" whom he asked to call the police station in Puerto Plata and report his accident and to tell them that he was continuing his journey to Santo Domingo.

Bisono Jackson had to leave his car where it had crashed and later upon returning from Santo Domingo, pulled it out of the trench with the help of several persons.

From the place where the incident with the UFO occurred the officer had to hitch-hike on a cattle truck to the nearest town (Santiago).

The officer said, "I am not a man of fantasy nor do I read things about "flying saucers".

Capt. Bisono Jackson stated that he has nightmares and wakes-up thinking that he is seeing the colored lights that blinded him momentarily at the Llanos de Perez, Puerto Plata.

Comandante PN Puerto Plata Dice Sufrió Vuelco Tras Observar "Plato Volador" Cerca del Túnel

Por Ramón Velázquez

Un objeto desconocido, que se presume era un "platillo volador", hizo volcar el vehículo del comandante policial de la 14 compañía, con asiento en Puerto Plata; pero el oficial salió ileso.

El capitán Ernesto Bisonó Jackson se dirigía en su auto a la capital, cuando fue deslumbrado por el extraño objeto luminoso.

Bisonó Jackson perdió el control del vehículo y se estrelló en una hondonada, dentro de un cañaveral.

Cuando despertó esgrimió su arma de reglamento, una automática calibre 45; pero todo estaba en tinieblas.

Este hecho se produjo en la madrugada del pasado jueves; pero fue hoy cuando trascendió.

El oficial comandante lo contó a compañeros de armas en Santo Domingo, y

ULTIMA HORA tuvo acceso a la misma.

El capitán Bisonó Jackson accedió esta mañana a hacer un relato del acontecimiento a periodistas de este diario

Dijo que el miércoles se acostó a las 9:00 de la noche, porque tenía que salir temprano al día siguiente para Santo Domingo a realizar ciertas diligencias.

Se preguntó al oficial si no ingirió bebidas alcohólicas, lo que negó rotundamente, expresando que no es amigo de tragos.

Explicó que alrededor de las 5:30 de la madrugada mientras se desplazaba solo en su automóvil, notó una iluminación desusual.

"Yo creía que el carro me estaba cogiendo candela y me desmonté a ver qué pasaba", expresó.

Sin embargo, la luz intensiva desapareció de repente y el capitán

Ernesto Bisonó Jackson prosiguió la marcha.

Dos kilómetros más adelante, un extraño objeto hizo su aparición en el espacio, muy bajo.

"Yo no pude darme cuenta muy bien, porque las luces me dejaron ciego de momento", dijo el oficial.

No obstante, declaró que pudo ver que se trataba de un objeto redondo, con "ganchos" por los lados.

El objeto despedía luces anaranjada, verde y roja, que deslumbraron al capitán.

Bisonó Jackson explicó que perdió el conocimiento y su automóvil fue a estrellarse en un cañaveral.

"Yo duré un rato sin sentido", dijo el comandante de la 14 compañía de la Policía Nacional.

"Cuando desperté eché manos a mi pistola y fui a ver qué pasaba".

El capitán Bisonó Jackson declaró que

vió en los alrededores a un "hombrecito", a quien pidió que llamara a la Policía de Puerto Plata para que le comunicara que él había tenido un accidente; pero que había seguido su viaje a la capital.

Bisonó Jackson debió dejar el carro donde cayó, y lo sacó auxiliado de varias personas cuando regresó de Santo Domingo.

Del lugar donde se le apareció el "Objeto Volador no Identificado" (OVNI), el oficial salió en "bola" en un camión cargado de vacas que pasó hacia Santiago.

"Yo no soy hombre de fantasías ni de estar leyendo cosas de platillos", dijo el oficial.

El capitán Bisonó Jackson declaró que todavía cuando duerme se despierta sobresaltado, creyendo ver las luces en colores que lo enceguecieron momentáneamente en Los Llanos de Pérez, Puerto Plata.