

"In brief, what we saw were not just vestiges of an ordinary forest fire. Could it have been a meteorite? With considerable difficulty, forcing our way through upturned roots, we examined conscientiously the entire clearing. We were looking for the crater which should have been formed if a meteorite had fallen. There wasn't any.

"Sometime in the past, I had a chance to study the methods of biolocation at the Institute of Mineralogy, Geochemistry and Crystallochemistry of Rare Elements, of the USSR Ministry of Geology. Equipped with a couple of metal frames, my companion and I found that some sort of radiation was emanating from the ground at that particular spot. Of course, on the basis of this alone I cannot state positively that an interplanetary ship from an unknown civilization had made a landing on the bank of a taiga creek."

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Purchases of Foreign Equipment for Seamen's Hospital at Archangel

The Northern Steamship Line has appropriated more than 400,000 rubles in hard currency for its clinic. The money has been used to purchase the latest diagnostic equipment in England, Japan, West Germany and Switzerland. This has made possible the opening and equipping of a diagnostic department and of two dental offices at the hospital. A large quantity of disposable syringes have also been

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