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Further to the announcement on E-circ 29, Richard Fleet has monitored this star for about 1 year and observed three outbursts with a approximate interval of 100d. Apart from the outbursts to mag 12.5 there may also be small fluctuations near the minimum of mag 15.

A preliminary chart is being sent by snail mail.

CI CYGNI

The suggested fading of CI Cyg mentioned on E-circ 29 has been confirmed. M.D.Taylor, Wakefield, reports:

"Monthly TA notes have extreme range 10.7-11.13 (1987 Jan to May).

The eclipsing phase has a min calculated for JD 2446967

(= 1987 Jun 20) so this range looks slightly less than the GCVS range of 0.8 mags. (P=855d)."

Recent estimates:

May 19, 11.2 (M.Gainsford); June 4, 11.1 (Gainsford); 17, 11.5 (G.Hurst); 21, 11.5 (Hurst).

Daily monitoring is required during this important phase in this star's activity.

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