



MSI PATCH SHEET

Twining, Nathan



(2) PERIOD NO. July YEAR 1945

TABLE I

DATE	AIRCRAFT TYPE MODEL SERIES	MISSION SYMBOL	NO. LANDINGS	CLASSIFICATION OF FIRST PILOT FLYING TIME										COMMAND PILOT C	CO-PILOT CP	TO	FROM
				FIRST PILOT P	INSTRUCTOR IP	CONTACT	DAY		CONTACT	NIGHT		HOOD H					
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
1	C47D	S-2	2		7:00	6:30	1:30								RZ-Slow City	DPK	
2	C47D	S-2	1		4:25	4:25									Spokane	Rapid City	
4	C47D	S-2	3		9:30	6:30			3:00						DPK-YT-87	SV	
7	C47G	S-2	1	5:30		6:30									DPK	DPK	
11	C47G	S-2	3		5:40	3:00			2:40						2:00 DPK-CT	White Sands	
15	C47D	S-2	2	1:30	3:40	3:40	1:30										
18	CB25J	S-27	3	1:30	2:05	3:35	1:30								1:30 DPK-Bolling	DPK	
19	C47D	S-2	1		2:30	2:30									DPK-CV-Niagara	DPK	
20	C47D	S-2	1												Oshkosh Wisc.	DPK	
21	C47D	S-2	1	1:30	1:30	1:30	1:30								2:15 DPK - Oshkosh Wisc.		
22	C47D	S-2	2	2:10		2:10									Wash -	Patterson	
23	C47D	S-2	1		1:25				1:25						CO-Bolling	Washington	
23	C47D	S-2	2		4:45	4:45									DPK - Port Columbus		
17	C45F	S-10	1	1:10		1:10									DPK-Wa -	DPK	
17	C47D	T-24	1		1:30	1:30											
24	B17G	S-2	1		4:00	4:00									Oklahoma	Patterson	
25	B17G	S-2	1	6:55		3:55									Patterson	Oklahoma	
28	C47D	S-2	1												1:05	Cleveland	
29	C47D	S-2	1		1:00	1:00										DPK - Cleveland	
(30) TOTALS THIS SHEET				16	46	55	2	6						6	<div></div>		
(31) BROUGHT FORWARD FROM SHEET NO. 16				1043	445	1176	92	91	86	16	5	22	553				
(32) TOTALS TO DATE				1059	491	1231	94	91	92	16	5	22	558				
(33) TYPED NAME OF OPERATIONS OFFICER CERTIFYING				(34) CERTIFIED CORRECT - SIGNATURE OF OPERATIONS OFFICER				(35) GRADE									
GROVER Y. GARDNER				<div></div>				CAPTAIN									

FILE.

TUES. 7/8/47

Portland (Oregon)  
Second-Class Matter

## itions Bear 40 Signers

EM. July 8 (Special)—  
adum petitions filed  
ast Friday seeking to  
2-cent-a-package ciga-  
law of the 1947 legis-  
contain 13,040 signa-  
are sufficient, David  
in charge of the state  
is bureau, announced  
following a check of  
atures.

law requires 11,856  
res.

result of the referen-  
ne law will go before  
ers for approval or re-  
at the special election  
r 7.

## trillo Calls work Ban

INGTON, July 8 (INS)  
Caesar Petrillo, mu-  
"czar," Monday told  
his union will ban all  
radio broadcasts of mu-  
grams after next Feb.

to declared the move  
transcontinental broad-  
"big name" bands and  
individual stations want  
Harry James, Toscanini,  
he else" on the air they  
e to bring the celeb-  
the station.

musicians' boss also de-  
at his union will refuse  
records for recording  
es upon expiration of  
ent contract next De-  
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ning the policy halting  
broadcasts. Petrillo  
ould prohibit local sta-  
m transmitting musical  
s originating in any  
ation,

### tion on Own

ld a special house in-  
ing committee:  
ould only be fair for  
ion to stand on its own  
ter February 1, the  
is not going to permit  
ing chains to "feed  
ions."  
example, Petrillo said,  
s would be permitted  
for NBC in New York  
for no other station in  
try."

o complained that 603  
tions throughout the  
do not hire a single  
He demanded:  
would anybody do in-  
ion? All we see ahead  
on for musicians. What  
e have we? What else  
o? All we are doing is  
g our livelihood like  
se."

straint Denied

## Air Forces Deny Discs U. S.-Made

### Material Command Chief Says Probe Getting Under Way

If there is any such thing as a  
flying saucer, disc, washtub or  
luminous ball of any kind flying  
around loose it was not made in  
America. That was the official  
announcement from the army  
air forces Monday night in  
answer to the epidemic of re-  
ports from 40 states ranging  
from the Northwest to New  
England.

"Neither the AAF nor any  
other component of the armed  
forces has any plane, guided  
missile or other aerial device  
under development which could  
possibly be mistaken for a  
saucer or formation of flying  
discs," Maj. Gen. Nathan F.  
Twining, chief of the AAF air  
material command, told The  
Oregonian unequivocally when  
reached by phone at Kirtland  
army airbase at Albuquerque,  
N. M.

### Air Force Investigates

"Some of these witnesses evi-  
dently saw something," General  
Twining, a native of Portland,  
declared, "but we don't know  
what. We are investigating."

AAF laboratories at Wright  
Field confirmed General Twin-  
ing's statements to The Ore-  
gonian.

The navy and atomic energy  
commission also officially an-  
nounced they had no knowledge  
of or connection with the  
mysterious missiles.

One of the most promising re-  
ports, from Russell Baird, pilot  
of a photographic plane near  
Bozeman, Mont., collapsed when  
the pilot announced he had  
merely been "gassing around  
the hangar" and had no inten-  
tion of telling a story for pub-  
lication.

Another apparently fizzled  
out when national guard pilots  
from Spokane failed to find any  
trace of flying platters "big as  
houses" supposed to have flut-  
tered into the timber near St.  
Maries, Idaho.

### Reports Come In Yet

But more reports continued  
to come spinning in, most of  
them as elusive and varied as  
the reported missiles them-

## Three- 'Smoke





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September 5, 1956

## MEETINGS SCHEDULED (In addition to those previously listed)

LANGLEY AERONAUTICAL LABORATORY  
LANGLEY FIELD, VA.

AMES AERONAUTICAL LABORATORY  
MOFFETT FIELD, CALIF.

LEWIS FLIGHT PROPULSION LABORATORY  
2800 BROOKPARK ROAD, CLEVELAND 11, OHIO

Sept. 12-13	9:30 am PDT	Subcommittee on Automatic Stabilization and Control, Ames Laboratory
Oct. 1-3	9:30 am PST	Subcommittee on High-Speed Aerodynamics, NACA High-Speed Flight Station
Oct. 4-5	9:30 am EDT	Subcommittee on Aircraft Structural Materials, NACA Headquarters
Oct. 10-11	9:30 am PST	Subcommittee on Aircraft Structures, Ames Laboratory
Oct. 10-11	9:30 am EDT	Subcommittee on Aerodynamic Stability and Control, NACA Headquarters
Oct. 15	9:30 am EDT	Committee on Aircraft Construction, NACA Headquarters
Oct. 15	9:30 am EST	Committee on Power Plants for Aircraft, Langley Laboratory
Oct. 16-18	9:30 am EST	Subcommittee on Power Plant Materials, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, Tennessee - Including tour of Laboratory facilities
Oct. 17-18	9:30 am PST	Subcommittee on Flight Safety, NACA High-Speed Flight Station
Oct. 17	2:00 pm EDT	NACA Annual (election of officers) Meeting, NACA Headquarters
Oct. 23-24	9:30 am PST	Subcommittee on Icing Problems, IAS Building, San Diego, California
Oct. 24	9:30 am EDT	Subcommittee on Helicopters, NACA Headquarters
Oct. 25-26	9:30 am EDT	Subcommittee on Combustion, NACA Headquarters

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Twining — Bay



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**National Security Resources Board**

**STAFF REPORT TO THE CHAIRMAN**

**Fourth Quarter**

**F.Y. 1952**

**June 30, 1952**

**SECRET**

17 July 1947

Dear Earl:

I have received your letter in which you asked us to drop by at Wichita for a brief visit. With deepest regrets we had to cancel our trip to the Boeing factory due to a very important and sudden matter that developed here. All of us were considerably disappointed as Mr. Allen had planned a very fine trip for us; however, we hope to go out at a later time. Will remember your invitation and get out to see you just as soon as we can, as I am very anxious to see the XL-15.

I have been away quite a bit the last couple of weeks so have not had a chance to submit any information to you that you asked for in your round robin letter. I will get on this very shortly.

Best regards,

N. F. TWining  
Lieutenant General, U.S.A.

P.S. Unification looks  
like a sure thing now.

Mr. J. E. Schaefer  
Boeing Airplane Co.,  
Wichita, Kansas

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24 MAY 55

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James S. Lay, Jr., Exec.Secy  
Exec. Office of The President  
National Security Council  
Washington

Memo for C/S, USAF, Subj US Policy  
Control of Armaments. At dir/of  
Pres. invites Gen.T. to meeting of  
Nat'l Sec Council in Broadcast Rm of  
White House, Thurs, 26 May 55 at  
10 a.m. Confidential

"Col Sherrill"

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BOEING AIRCRAFT COMPANY

SEATTLE 14, WASHINGTON

WILLIAM M. ALLEN  
PRESIDENT

Dear General:

How would the following suit you -- leave Dayton the morning of July 16, arriving in Seattle that evening. Spend Thursday, July 17, at the Plant, and devote July 18, 19, and 20 to relaxation and refreshment, such as golf, fishing, etc. Please believe me when I again say that you will be doing the undersigned and some more of us around here a real favor by coming. We need to get away for a few days.

If the above dates are not satisfactory, let me know and we will agree on some others. As soon as you can conveniently do so, let me know how many will be along and we will start making plans accordingly.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,



Lt. General Nathan Twining  
Air Materiel Command  
Wright Field  
Dayton, Ohio

June 2, 1947

10 June 1947

Mr. William M. Allen  
Boeing Airplane Company  
200 W. Michigan Street  
Seattle, Washington

Dear Bill:

I have received your note in which you mention our arrival in Seattle on July 16 and the schedule for the days to follow. This looks mighty good to me, and as far as I am concerned we will consider it "laid on". Can see nothing to interfere with it. Both Craigie and Shep will be with me.

If anything comes up to the contrary I will let you know at once. We are all looking forward to this meeting with you, and you can be sure that nothing will interfere with the plan.

Sincerely,

M. F. TWining  
Lieutenant General, U.S.A.

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BOEING AIRCRAFT COMPANY

SEATTLE 14, WASHINGTON

WILLIAM M. ALLEN  
PRESIDENT

July 7, 1947

Dear Nate:

I want to get a little further information regarding our proposed get-together. Could you let me know how many will be in your party so that we can arrange proper hotel accommodations, etc.? In your last letter you said that Bill Craigie and Shep will be with you and I hope that still holds good. I assume that you will have a couple of crew members also.

I have assumed that you will arrive the evening of July 16, and that we will spend July 17 at the plant. We should work in a ride on the B-50 that day, if possible. I thought the next day, Friday, July 18, should be spent playing golf, and that we should get aboard the boat late that afternoon and head up the Sound. Saturday, July 19, and Sunday, the 20th, we would spend fishing, getting back to Seattle the evening of the 20th.

I hope that this all meets with your approval and that no hitch will develop in your plans. We have everything set and are looking forward to the chance for a little relaxation with great enthusiasm.

This past week end we had the pleasure of having General Spaats with us. We didn't catch any fish but we did have a lot of fun.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

*Bill*

William M. Allen

Lieutenant General N. F. Twining  
Headquarters, Air Materiel Command  
Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio

July 7, 1947

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# BOEING AIRPLANE COMPANY

WICHITA DIVISION

WICHITA 1, KANSAS

Cable Address:  
BOEINGAIR

July 10, 1947

In Reply Refer to

JES:cw

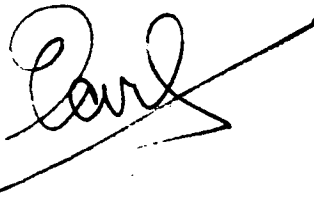
Lt. Gen. N. F. Twining  
Commanding General  
Air Material Command  
Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio

Dear Nate:

I have just learned that you, General Craigie and Colonel Shephard were contemplating a trip to the west coast. I wondered if your itinerary would be such that you could stop off in Wichita for a brief visit, if not over night. On several occasions recently you have expressed an interest in stopping off here whenever the opportunity presented itself. Would this trip to the west coast present such an opportunity? We would be delighted to have you either on your outgoing or return trip. I just want you to know that the latch string is still out. We expect to fly the XL-15 next week. It is at the other end of the scale from the B-50 and might offer something of interest by way of contrast, if nothing else.

Best regards and good wishes always.

Sincerely yours,



Vice President

JESchaefer:cw  
cc: Gen Craigie  
MPCrews  
Sebac



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8/6

Gen. B. W. Chidlaw  
Cmdr, ADC, Ent AFB  
Colo. Sprgs, Colo.

Gives detailed rpt on AF "Rocketry  
meet at Weapons Trng Center at Y  
Will submit complete analysis to H  
Feels there is need for a 2d Weapo  
Trng Center SECRET.

8/11 - To: 1) AFODC. Info. 2) AF  
Prep reply for sig C/S, USAF  
C/S has the original. JCS.

*4/7 - Lt and 1st Ma*

8/11

James S. Lay, Jr.  
Exec. Secy., National  
Security Council  
Washington

Memo For: C/S, USAF (Other Servi  
Chiefs) to attend NSC meeting in C  
Rm of White House, Thurs, 12 Aug  
at 8:30 am. 1 Attach. SECRET Cp  
No. 40 (Agenda). DCS/O, AF.

8/11 - To: AFOPD. Attn: Col Kinsey  
Info and/or file. C/S has seen  
JCS.



MAIL LOG FOR GEN TWINING  
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17 Aug 1954

DATE

NAME & ADDRESS

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Mr. C. E. Wilson  
Sec of Defense

& others  
Cy of Memo to Sec of AF/ subj: "Coordinat  
of Economic, Psychological & Political  
Warfare, & Foreign Info Activities" (NSC  
Action No. 1197 & Foreign Info Program &  
Psychological Warfare Planning" (NSC acti  
No. 1198) TOP SECRET (Cy 4 of 12 copies)

8/17 - To: (1) AFCVC (2) AFODC (3) AFOP  
(4) OSAF. Note and return to OSAF.  
JCS

8/13

Mr. C. E. Wilson  
Sec of Defense

Cy of Memo to Sec of AF and others, Subj:  
Guidelines under NSC 162/2 for FY 1956  
(NSC 5422/2) TOP SECRET (Cy 4 of 19 cop

8/17 - To: (1) AFCVC (2) AFODC (3) AFOP  
(4) OSAF. Note and return to OSAF  
JCS

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New Mexico

August 29, 1950

Agriculture and Forestry  
Interior and Insular Affairs

Honorable W. Stuart Symington, Chairman  
National Security Resources Board  
Washington, D. C.

DECLASSIFIED  
DOB: [redacted]  
6 Jan 4 20 June 1974  
By [redacted] Date [redacted]

Dear Stu:

There was so much controversy about the B-36 a year or two ago that I hope you will check carefully the recent air maneuvers conducted by Brigadier General Clarence Irvine of Carswell Air Force Base, who was formerly in charge of the Walker Air Force Base at Roswell, New Mexico. <sup>primary responsibility for coordinating</sup> <sup>all aspects of command planning as it concerns the</sup>

You will remember that I mentioned to you one time my interest in General Irvine and you agreed that he was a star college. I went through Dallas Sunday night and had two hours between planes (I should have had 3 1/2 but the plane from Mexico was late and I didn't get out until 2:30 in the morning to fly into Washington). I had a chance to visit with General Irvine and got a brief glimpse of the flight made by the B-36's. Naturally, I don't know all the circumstances. I know that Irvine was delighted beyond words with the way the B-36 performed on this mission over the North Pole. He suggested that you get in touch with Glenn Martin who would probably know the details and that you would get a great deal of personal satisfaction because it will demonstrate the correctness of your theories on the use of this plane. General Irvine indicated to me that if the data he had gathered on this flight had been available to the Congressional committees when they were discussing the relative merits of the B-36, it would have put an end to much of the conversation.

Assistant Executive

I hope you will check into this recent maneuver from Carswell. I was not familiar enough with what was going on to catch the importance of some of the things done, but I know that he put twice as many ships in a certain spot than people thought he could and he had wonderful luck with the whole operation.

Sincerely yours,

/s/

Clint  
Clinton P. Anderson

Senator

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NO	FROM	OCCASION	DATE
1	Comdr, TTrng Wing, Keesler	Ceremony for B/Gem Kirkendall	31 Jul
2	George Washington University	Convocation for Pres of Korea	30 Jul
3	Carter McGregor	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
4	Rhea Howard	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
5	H. W. Fillmore	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
6	Lloyd C. Thomas, Mayor	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
7	Lyndon B. Johnson	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
8	Frank Ikard	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
9 A	Sec. Wilson	Luncheon for Mr. LeBaron	29 Jul
0 A	Sec. Wilson	Luncheon for Dr. Hannah	28 Jul
1 R	R. J. Hofmann	Visit Cheyenne's Frontier Days	Jul
2 A	Norman E. Haig	Aviation Exposition of Aero Club	24-25 Jul
3 R	Russell W. Nichols	World Championship Model Plane Comp.	24-26 Jul
4 R	Col Everett H. Ware	Posthumous award to Mrs. Dean L. Ray	22 Jul
5 R	Col Peter W. Agnall	Tops in Blue show at Bolling	19 Jul
6 R	Benjan Ourisman	Military Service Day	19 Jul
7 R	Cong Judd of Minnesota	Aquatemial Celebration	17-21 Jul
8 A	Sec Wilson	Luncheon for Field Mar Alexander	16 Jul
9 R	Col J.A. Gunn	AFROTC graduation at Bryan AFB	16 Jul
20 R	Resv. Officers Association	Cocktail party for Col Thurmond	15 Jul
21 A	E. H. Chamberlin	NACA meeting	15 Jul
22 R	John T		

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NACA June 3, 1948

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or  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Cambridge 39, Massachusetts

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Smithsonian Institution  
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for Research and Development  
Department of the Navy, Room 2w 63  
Washington 25, D. C.

Major General Edward M. Powers, USAF  
Assistant Chief of Air Staff-4  
Headquarters, U. S. Air Force  
Department of the Air Force  
Room 4 E 1072, National Defense Bldg.  
Washington 25, D. C.

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Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air)  
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U. S. Weather Bureau  
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Administrator of Civil Aeronautics  
Room 5800-B  
Department of Commerce  
Washington 25, D. C.

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Department of the Air Force  
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ATLANTA, GA. NOTICE

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In honor of Field Marshall Earl Alexander of Tunis  
the British Minister of Defense

THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE  
REQUESTS THE PLEASURE OF THE COMPANY OF

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accepted by General Twining  
phone AT a Luncheon  
on Friday July the 16th  
at one O'CLOCK

R. S. V. P.  
THE PENTAGON

M. W. Asselt  
Ext. 55261

Room 3E-980  
The Pentagon

18

16 July

29 Dec 1954

Twining Box 72

Dr. Clayton S. White  
Lovelace Foundation for Medical  
Education and Research  
Ridgecrest Drive and Gibson Avenue  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Dr. White:

As you know, the Scientific Advisory Board to the  
Chief of Staff, United States Air Force, was established in  
1946 to assist us with the many scientific problems relating  
to the fulfillment of the United States Air Force mission.  
Since that time, the work of the Board has been of incalcula-  
ble value to us.

Dr. Theodore von Karman, Chairman of the Scientific  
Advisory Board, has recommended to me that your know-  
ledge, experience, and judgment would be very helpful to  
the work of the Board. Consequently, I am pleased to in-  
vite you to accept an initial appointment as a member of  
the Scientific Advisory Board for the year beginning 1 Jan-  
uary 1955. May I add that we in the Air Force hope sincere-  
ly that you can join us in the work of this important group  
and will welcome your counsel and guidance as we face the  
difficult and complex tasks ahead.

If you find that you can accept this appointment, an  
early reply would be very much appreciated in order to  
facilitate arranging security clearances necessary to clear  
the way for your full participation in the work of the Board.

Sincerely,

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N. F. TWINING  
Chief of Staff, United States Air Force

Similar letters of Initial Appointment for one year sent to:

Professor Taylor	Mr. Wooldridge
Dr. Cottrell	Dr. Miller
Dr. Ramo	Mr. Schairer

~~SECRET~~

Col Cook/2497/bm  
AFMRS

(3)

30 December 1947

SUBJECT: Flying Discs

TO: Commanding General  
Air Materiel Command  
Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio  
attn: TSDIM

1. Reference is made to three inclosures, memoranda from your office to this headquarters, subject as above.
2. It is Air Force policy not to ignore reports of sightings and phenomena in the atmosphere but to recognize that part of its mission is to collect, collate, evaluate and act on information of this nature.
3. In implementing this policy, it is desired that the Air Materiel Command set up a project whose purpose is to collect, collate, evaluate and distribute to interested government agencies and contractors all information concerning sightings and phenomena in the atmosphere which can be construed to be of concern to the national security. It is desired that appropriate recommendations be forwarded to this Headquarters, wherever action is indicated which falls outside the field of the Air Materiel Command.
4. It is suggested that the activities of this project include the preparation and distribution of an initial report, as recommended in Inclosure 1, and that subsequent reports be issued on a quarterly basis. Supplementary reports should be issued at more frequent intervals should the need for same be indicated. This project is assigned priority 2A, with a security classification of "restricted" and Code Name of "SHOW". Where data of a classification higher than restricted is handled by the project such data should be classified accordingly. A complete interchange of data should be effected as recommended in Inclosure 1.

BY COMMAND OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF:

P 97034

1. Incls

1. Memo dtd 23 Sept '47  
from AMC to AC/AS-2  
(Gen Schulgen)

L. C. CRAIGIE  
Major General, U. S. Air Force  
Director of Research and Development  
Office, Deputy Chief of Staff, Materiel

OFFICE SYMBOL	2.	3.	4.	5.
GRADE AND SURNAME OF COORDINATING OFFICERS	Memo dtd 24 Sept '47 from AMC to AC/AS-2 (Gen McDonald)	AFOTN Lt. Donald (AFMRD)	AFSPR Smith AFMRD	AFOPQ Wright by Smith

3. Memo dtd 19 Dec '47  
to Gen Craigie

4. R&R from Dir of Intell/7/2 Dec 47

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HEADQUARTERS  
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GENERAL, AIR MATERIEL  
COMMAND, ATTENTION  
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TSDIN/HMM/1g/6-4100  
WRIGHT FIELD, DAYTON, OHIO

TSDIN

DEC 19 1947

SUBJECT: Flying Discs

TO: Chief of Staff  
United States Air Force  
Washington 25, D. C.  
ATTENTION: Director, Research & Development  
Major General L. C. Craigie

1. Confirming the recent conversation of the undersigned with Major General L. C. Craigie, 9 December 1947, attached as listed below are copies of the reports from this Headquarters concerning Flying Discs.

2. Comments of Headquarters, Air Force on these letters have never been received by this Command. Continued and recent reports from qualified observers concerning this phenomenon still makes this matter one of concern to Headquarters, Air Materiel Command. Intelligence Department of this Command is continuing the collection and analysis of all available reports.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

*H. M. McCoy*  
H. M. McCoy  
Colonel, USAF  
Chief of Intelligence

2 Attach:

cc ltr to CG, AAF, dtd 23 Sept 47  
subj "AMC Opinion Concerning  
"Flying Discs"  
cc ltr to CG, AAF, dtd 24 Sept 47  
subj "Flying Discs"

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AFQIR-CO/Col Garrett/lwd/4544  
18 Dec '47

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Basic Ltr fr Hq. Fourth Air Force, Hamilton Fld, Calif., dated 5 Dec '47,  
subject: Flying Disc.

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Dept. of the Air Force, Hq. USAF, Washington 25, D. C.

22 DEC 1947

TO: Commanding General, Fourth Air Force, Hamilton Field, California

1. The marks appearing on the photographs inclosed in basic letter  
are believed to be defects in the film, paper, or camera and not pictures  
of "flying discs".

2. It is requested that no further investigation be made of this  
incident.

FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF:

DOUGLASS W. EISEMAN  
Lt. Colonel, U.S.A.F.  
Executive, Air Intelligence Requirements Div.  
Directorate of Intelligence

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HQ. AAF  
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Douglas W. Eisman

File ref:  
B/L fr Hq. Fourth Air Force, Hamilton Fld, Calif. dated 5 Dec '47  
subj: as above

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	Col Garrett	C. F. CABELL			
		Brig. Gen., USAF			

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HEADQUARTERS FOURTH AIR FORCE  
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, A-2  
Intelligence  
Hamilton Field, California

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DEC 5 1947

12-131

SUBJECT: Flying Disc.

TO: Chief of Staff  
United States Air Force  
Washington 25, D. C.  
ATTN: Director of Intelligence

X-201-1000

1. The attached photographs were forwarded to this office by a very reliable source of information, obtained from a Mary L. Herren, 1728 S. W. Bidwell Avenue, Portland 2, Oregon. She advises these photographs were taken some time between November 5th and 12th, 1946, in the vicinity of Jefferson, Oregon, and points out the formation in the photographs as being objects she did not recall seeing herself but she thought might possibly be flying discs.

2. The objects referred to appear in the sky area of each accompanying photograph. The uniformity of the markings would tend to indicate that the camera or film used to take these pictures was possibly defective. No incidents of flying discs have been reported from that vicinity on or about the inclusive dates named above.

3. Mrs. Herren has requested the return of the negatives. If desired, this office will obtain the negatives and forward them at your request.

3 Incls:  
Photographs.

DONALD L. SPRINGER  
Lt. Colonel, USAF  
AC of S, A-2

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HEADQUARTERS  
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WRIGHT FIELD, DAYTON, OHIO

18 NOV 1947

SUBJECT: Flying Discs

11-145-

TO: Chief of Staff  
United States Air Force  
Washington 25, D. C.  
ATTENTION: Office, Director of Intelligence  
Lt Colonel George Garrett, Jr.

1. The inclosed newspaper clippings are submitted for your information and comment. The incident reported in Seattle appeared in the "Dayton Journal" on 12 November 1947, and should be followed up if possible.

2. The story by Lionel Shapiro regarding war weapons developed in Spain evidently was printed in a number of leading newspapers throughout the country. The significance of this article will be dependent upon certain essential elements for such alleged important developments, such as funds, materials, experimental testing facilities, and technological "know-how". The latter is supposed to be supplied by German scientists. The German scientists at this Hq indicate that no important scientists from Germany are working in Spain, and those mentioned in this article are not known to them.

3. If possible, therefore, an effort should be made to obtain names, qualifications, or any information that might help to identify the alleged German scientists working in Spain.

4. A brief statement was made in a recent intelligence report from Hq, USAF, AC/AS-2, regarding a flying disc incident in Alaska in September. The close range sighting reported should render a more detailed observation than what was reported, which also suggests a follow-up.

5. It is further requested that this office be advised as to progress being made on the plotting of all flying disc incidents to date, particularly in North America. It was understood that Dr. Carroll was going to plot these incidents, but no further word was received regarding this effort.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl  
newspaper clippings

*A. J. Hemmick, Jr.*  
H. M. McCOY  
Colonel, Air Corps  
Chief of Intelligence



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WRIGHT FIELD, DAYTON, OHIO

24 NOV 1947  
17-8

SUBJECT: Flying Discs

TO: Chief of Staff  
United States Air Force  
Washington 25, D. C.  
ATTENTION: Office, Director of Intelligence  
Lt Colonel George Garrett, Jr.

Reference letter, subject as above, dated 18 November 1947, it is requested that immediate action be taken to appropriately mark or stamp this correspondence with the classification "secret". This classification number is as follows: U-48983

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

*E. M. McCoy*  
E. M. McCOY  
Colonel, USAF  
Chief of Intelligence

*To D/H. Files  
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TSDIN/HMM/ig/6-4100  
WRIGHT FIELD, DAYTON, OHIO

TSDIN

SEP 23 1947

SUBJECT: AMC Opinion Concerning "Flying Discs"

TO: Commanding General  
Army Air Forces  
Washington 25, D. C.  
ATTENTION: Brig. General George Schulgen  
AC/AS-2

1. As requested by AC/AS-2 there is presented below the considered opinion of this Command concerning the so-called "Flying Discs". This opinion is based on interrogation report data furnished by AC/AS-2 and preliminary studies by personnel of T-2 and Aircraft Laboratory, Engineering Division T-3. This opinion was arrived at in a conference between personnel from the Air Institute of Technology, Intelligence T-2, Office, Chief of Engineering Division, and the Aircraft, Power Plant and Propeller Laboratories of Engineering Division T-3.

2. It is the opinion that:

a. The phenomenon reported is something real and not visionary or fictitious.

b. There are objects probably approximating the shape of a disc, of such appreciable size as to appear to be as large as man-made aircraft.

c. There is a possibility that some of the incidents may be caused by natural phenomena, such as meteors.

d. The reported operating characteristics such as extreme rates of climb, maneuverability (particularly in roll), and action which must be considered evasive when sighted or contacted by friendly aircraft and radar, lend belief to the possibility that some of the objects are controlled either manually, automatically or remotely.

e. The apparent common description of the objects is as follows:-

(1) Metallic or light reflecting surface.

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Basic Ltr fr CG, AMC, WF to CG, AAF, Wash. D. C. subj "AMC Opinion Concerning "Flying Discs".

- (2) Absence of trail, except in a few instances when the object apparently was operating under high performance conditions.
- (3) Circular or elliptical in shape, flat on bottom and domed on top.
- (4) Several reports of well kept formation flights varying from three to nine objects.
- (5) Normally no associated sound, except in three instances a substantial rumbling roar was noted.
- (6) Level flight speeds normally above 300 knots are estimated.

f. It is possible within the present U. S. knowledge -- provided extensive detailed development is undertaken -- to construct a piloted aircraft which has the general description of the object in subparagraph (e) above which would be capable of an approximate range of 7000 miles at subsonic speeds.

g. Any developments in this country along the lines indicated would be extremely expensive, time consuming and at the considerable expense of current projects and therefore, if directed, should be set up independently of existing projects.

h. Due consideration must be given the following:-

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- (2) The lack of physical evidence in the shape of crash recovered exhibits which would undeniably prove the existence of these objects.
- (3) The possibility that some foreign nation has a form of propulsion possibly nuclear, which is outside of our domestic knowledge.

3. It is recommended that:-

a. Headquarters, Army Air Forces issue a directive assigning a priority, security classification and Code Name for a detailed study of this matter to include the preparation of complete sets of all available and pertinent data which will then be made available to the Army, Navy, Atomic Energy Commission, JRDB, the Air Force Scientific Advisory Group, NACA, and the RAND and NEPA projects for comments and recommendations, with a preliminary report to be forwarded within 15 days of receipt of the data and a detailed report thereafter every 30 days as the investi-

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N. F. TWINING  
Lieutenant General, U.S.A.  
Commanding

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23 September 1947

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N. F. TWINING  
Lieutenant General, U.S.A.  
Commanding

*This letter was coordinated by:*  
*Col. Moore - Ch. Aircraft Lab*  
*M. D. A. Dickey - Ch. Propeller Lab*  
*Gen. D. L. Pratt - Eng. Div*  
*Col. Minty - Ch. Power Plant Lab*  
*Gen. Brentnall - T-3*

*Atherton, CA*

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24 September 1947

TSNAD-2B

SUBJECT: "Flying Disc"

TO: Commanding General  
Army Air Forces  
Washington 25, D. C.

ATTN: AC/AS-2  
Major General George McDonald

1. In compliance with General McDonald's telephone conversation, this date, to Colonel H. M. McCoy, T-2, Hq. AMC, attached herewith is a copy of a drawing entitled, "Loedding Flying Disc", designated LD-2. Because of patent rights involved, it is requested that a record be kept of all persons reviewing this drawing by witnessing with signatures and dates directly on the drawing.

2. This drawing should be returned to this office when it has served its purpose so that it can be turned over to the Patent Office Hq. AMC for official record.

3. Inclosed herewith is also a report prepared by the Royal Aircraft Establishment, Technical Note, AERO 1703, which describes the Horten tailless aircraft. The following references are invited which is considered significant in relating the Horten brothers perspective thinking and accomplishments toward the alleged "Flying Saucer" case:

- a. Page 5, Paragraph 4 and 6.
- b. Page 6, Paragraph 1 and 7.
- c. Page 26, Paragraph 3 and 10.
- d. Page 27, Paragraph 12.
- e. Page 28, Paragraphs 1 through 5.
- f. Page 54, Photograph of Horten "Parabola".

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Basic ltr, dtd 24 Sep 47, to CG, Hq AAF, Wash, subj: "Flying Disc"

- g. Page 69, The Horten VIII.
- h. Pages 71 and 72, Photographs of the Horten IX Versions.
- i. Page 74, Drawing of the "Parabola".

This document should also be returned when it has served its intended purpose.

*X 452.1 Airplanes - Russia*

4. A recent report from the U. S. Military attache, Moscow, USSR, dated 9 June 1947, indicates that 1800 aircraft, directly or indirectly based on the Horten VIII design (six engine pusher, having a wing spread of 131 feet and a gross weight of approximately thirty-three thousand pounds) are being built for bomber squadron use. The Russian version, however, is jet propelled, reference report whose identification No. is V-32291-8.

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5. The T-2 report "German Flying Wings Designed by Horten Brothers", No. F-SU-1110-Md, also inclosed herewith, may be retained by your office if desired.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

H. M. McCOY  
Colonel, Air Corps  
Deputy Commanding General  
Intelligence (T-2)

3 Incls:

- 1. Drawing
- 2. RAE Tech Note, AERO 1703
- 3. T-2 Rpt, No. F-SU-1110-ND

*} Inclosures mailed  
with original letter  
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Wrtm 22 Oct 1947  
Lt Col Garrett/dl/4544  
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B/L Sm AMC, Subj: "Flying Discs", dtd 13 Oct 47

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Dept. of the Air Force, Hq., USAF, Washington 25, D. C.

28 OCT 1947

To: Commanding General, Air Materiel Command, Wright Field, Ohio  
(Attention: T-2)

1. A representative of this headquarters has contacted Lt. Colonel Herbert C. Gee concerning Mrs. Merchant's theory on the flying discs, as expressed to General Brentnall.

2. It is recommended that no action be taken to interrogate Mrs. Merchant and that this case be closed.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE:

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DOUGLASS W. EISEMAN  
Lt. Colonel, ~~Air Corps~~ USAF  
Executive, Air Intel, Requirements Division  
Office of Ass't Chief of Air Staff-2

HQ AAF

28 OCT 1947

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INTERNAL OFFICE COORDINATION	Col Garrett	Brig. GSB	SAF			

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AIR MATERIEL COMMAND

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TSWAD-2B/ACL/amc  
Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio

13 Oct 1947

SUBJECT: "Flying Discs"

TO: Chief of Staff  
United States Air Force  
Washington 25, D. C.  
ATTN: AC/AS-2  
Lt Col George Garrett

1. Attached copies of communications are self-explanatory and indicate action taken to obtain additional information regarding subject. Assistance shown from Lt Col Herbert C. Gee was with reference to the social standing and character of Mrs. Merchant to determine justification for further investigation of her theories.

2. In view of Lt Col Gee's transfer to Washington, D. C., it is suggested that a representative from Headquarters, AC/AS-2 contact and interview him.

3. General Brentnall stated that Mrs. Merchant was extremely talkative and seemed quite intent on promoting a personal enterprise instead of cooperating to help solve an intelligence problem.

4. Comments and suggestions, therefore, regarding further action to interrogate Mrs. Merchant would be appreciated in order to close this case as soon as possible.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ A. R. Clingeman, Col., A. C.  
For

H. M. McCoy  
Colonel, Air Corps  
Deputy Commanding General  
Intelligence (S-2)

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1. Cy AVC, P-2 Ltr, 9/29/47,  
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2. Cy 1st Ind, 10/2/47, fr  
Hq. Kirtland Field,  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

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29 September 1947  
13 Oct 1947

SUBJECT: "Flying Discs"

TO: Commanding Officer  
Operating Location No. 18 of  
781st AAFBU (101st AACS Sq)  
Kirtland Field  
Albuquerque, New Mexico  
ATTN: Col. Howard G. Bunker

1. General Brentnall, during a recent visit at Las Vegas, was contacted by a Mrs. Madeline Gwynne Merchant, Sante Fe, New Mexico, who described what may be termed a novel theory concerning "Flying Discs".

2. According to her theory, "Flying Discs" are being fired from a locality in Central Mexico from a laboratory which is being operated by the Russians. She claims they are being aimed at the United States for the purpose of sighting in on important atomic energy and aircraft installations.

3. General Brentnall states that he does not have any further interest in an interrogation of Mrs. Merchant since it is not an engineering matter. However, he recommends that if Hq, Air Materiel Command, T-2, wishes to sponsor an interrogation of this nature that Col. Howard Bunker should be contacted to determine the name and address of the colonel at Las Vegas who has knowledge of this case. In view of General Brentnall's suggestion, no direct contact will be made with Mrs. Merchant.

4. It is requested, therefore, that the name and address of the above mentioned colonel be made available to this office as soon as possible so that further action, as deemed advisable, can be taken.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

W. D. Hall  
W. M. McCoy  
Colonel, Air Corps  
Deputy Commanding General  
Intelligence (P-2)

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B/L fr Hqs, AMC, Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, File TSNAD-23, 29 Sep 47,  
Subj: "Flying Discs"

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HEADQUARTERS, Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 2 October 1947

TO: Commanding General, Air Materiel Command, Wright Field, Ohio  
ATTENTION: T-2

1. The officer referred to in Par. 3 is Lt. Col. Herbert C. Gee, O-19717, who was formerly Commanding Officer at Los Alamos rather than Las Vegas, as stated. Lt. Col. Gee is now stationed in the office, Chief of Engineers, Civil Works Division, Washington, D. C.

2. There is no replacement for Lt. Col. Gee at Los Alamos and no information is available to indicate that any individual in this vicinity has more information concerning Mrs. Merchant's theory than Brig. Gen. Brentnall of AMC who personally conducted an interview with her.

HOWARD G. BUNKER  
Colonel, AC

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Basic: Ltr fr Hq, AMC, Wright Fld, Dayton, O. 24 Sept 47, Subj:  
"Flying Saucers"

REF: Cpy of Inclosures in A-2 Files

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Department of the Air Force, Hq, USAF, Washington 25, D. C.

8 OCT 1947

TO: Commanding General, Air Materiel Command, Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio  
ATTN: TSNAD-2B

Attached hereto is information requested in basic letter.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE:

DOUGLASS W. EISEMAN  
Lt. Colonel, Air Corps USAF  
Executive, Air Intel, Requirements Division  
Office of Asst Chief of Air Staff-2

3 Incls:

1. Memo for AC/23-2, 26 Sept 47 w/Map	2. Memo for Chief, Air Intel Div, 2 Oct 47	3. Summary of Info on "Unidentified Flying Objects" Lt Col Garrett/af/4544
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TSNAD-2B/ACL/amc  
Wright Fld, Dayton, O.  
24 Sept 47

TSNAD-2B

"Flying Saucers"

Commanding General, Army Air Force, Washington 25, D.C.  
ATTN: AG/AS-2, Lt Col Garrett

*X 000.9 - Japan*

It is requested that this office be furnished all available information concerning an alleged "Flying Saucer" flight sighting made by a radar station in Japan. This incident was mentioned by Dr. Charles Carroll during a conference in Brig Gen Schulgen's office attended by Mr. A.C. Loedding, T-2 representative, on 5 September 1947.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ M.E. Goll  
/t/ H.M. McCOY  
Colonel, Air Corps  
Deputy Commanding General  
Intelligence T-2

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AFBIR-CO/Lt Col. Garrett/rm/4544  
8 Sept 47

AFBIR-CO

11 SEP 1947

SUBJECT: Reported Sightings of Flying Discs.

TO : Commanding General  
Air Material Command  
Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio  
Attention: T-2.

1. As arranged verbally with Mr. Loedding, Inclosed is the complete file maintained by this Office on reported sightings of Flying Discs.
2. This file is forwarded so that photostats may be made in order to provide your Command with a duplicate set of these sightings.
3. When photostating this material for your purpose, it will be appreciated if one extra set is made for this Office and returned at the same time the originals are returned.
4. This file, and the duplicates, should be returned as soon as possible to this Headquarters, Attention: AC/AS-2, Air Intelligence Requirements Division, Collection Branch.

RE COMMAND OF GENERAL SPAATZ

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AFBIE-CO/Lt Col Garrett/df/4544  
2 Sept 47

AFBIE-CO

5 SEP 1947

Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Sir:

International Liaison Section

In answer to a verbal request of your Mr.  
E. J. Reynolds, a complete survey of research activities  
disclosed that the Army Air Force has no project with  
the characteristics similar to those which have been  
associated with the Flying Discs.

Yours sincerely,

GEO. F. SCHULGEN  
Brigadier General, U.S.A.  
Deputy, Ass't. Chief of Air Staff-2

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HEADQUARTERS ARMY AIR FORCES

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SUBJECT: Flying Saucer Phenomena

TO: Air Intelligence Requirements Division, AC/AS-2  
Attn: Collection Branch

DATE AUG 29 1947

FROM: Deputy Chief of Air Staff for Research & Development

COMMENT No. 2  
Mr Roddy/pmo/73481  
*Wsk ccs*

The Army Air Forces has no research project with the characteristics described in Comment No. 1.

REFERENCE:

DRE-1 *Col. Blum*

DRE-2 *Lt Col D. J. Munson*

DRE-3 *Maj. Mackerson*

DRE-4 *Col. Winters*

*Curtis E. Lemay*  
CURTIS E. LEMAY  
Major General, U. S. Army  
Deputy Chief of Air Staff for  
Research and Development

AFCH-00/Lt Col Garrett/Lt3/4541  
24 June 48

Basic Ltr fm Hq. Eleventh Air Force, Harrisburg, Pa., dtd (undated),  
subj: Report of "Flying Discs"

AFCH-00-5 (1-6-29)

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Dept. of the Air Force, Hq. USAF, Washington 25, D. C.

TO: Commanding General, Air Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson Air  
Force Base, Dayton, Ohio

ATTN: MCI

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## ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

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SUBJECT: Flying Saucer Phenomena

TO: Deputy Chief of Air Staff for Research &amp; Development

DATE 22 August 1947

FROM: AC/AS-2, Air Intelligence Requirements Division  
Collection BranchCOMMENT No. 1  
Lt Col Garrett/nc/4544

1. From a detailed study of certain reported observations on the flying saucers, selected for their veracity and reliability, it is apparent that several aspects of their appearance have a common pattern.

2. Before pursuing its investigation of these objects any further, this Office requests assurance that no research project of the Army Air Forces, at present being t-flown, has the following characteristics and that it may therefore be assumed the recent flying saucer "mystery" is not of United States origin:

a. Surface is metallic - indicating a metallic skin, at least.

b. When a trail is observed, it is a lightly colored blue-brown haze, similar to a rocket engine's exhaust. Contrary to a rocket of the solid type, one observation indicates that the fuel may be throttled, which would indicate a liquid rocket engine.

c. As to shape, all observations state that the object is circular, or at least elliptical, flat on the bottom and slightly domed on the top.

d. Size estimates place it somewhere near the size of a C-54 or Constellation as they would appear while flying at 10,000'.

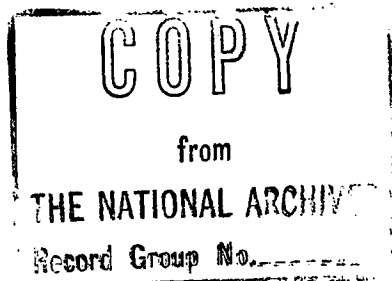
e. Some reports describe two tabs located at the rear and symmetrical about the axis of flight motion.

f. Flights have been reported containing from three to nine objects, flying good formation on each other, with speeds always above 300 knots.

g. The discs oscillate laterally while flying along, which could be snaking.

*Robert Taylor 32*  
 ROBERT TAYLOR 3RD  
 Colonel, Air Corps  
 Chief, Collection Branch  
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H. S. Vandenberg

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Biographical Note

1899, Jan. 24 Born, Milwaukee, Wis.

1918-19 Student, Columbian School

1923 Graduated, U.S. Military Academy at West Point  
Married Gladys Rose

1923-47 Commissioned 2d lieutenant, U.S. Army Air Corps;  
promoted through grades to general

1927 Instructor at Air Corps Primary Flying School, Max-  
well Field, Calif.

1929 Joined and assumed command of the 6th Pursuit Squadron

1931 Instructor in flying at Randolph Field

1933 Flight commander at Randolph Field

1934-35 Student in Air Corps Tactical School

1936-38 Instructor, Air Corps Tactical School

1938-39 Student at Army War College

1940-41 Assistant Chief of Staff, A.A.F.

1942 Chief of Staff, Northwest African Strategic Air Force

1943 Deputy Chief of Staff

1944 Commander of 9th Air Force in France

1946 Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2  
Appointed Director of Central Intelligence

1947 Chief of Air Staff, Army Air Forces  
Vice-Chief of Staff, U.S.A.F.

1948-53 Chief of Staff, U.S.A.F.

1953 Retired from service

1954, Apr. 2 Died, Washington, D.C.

*Nathan Tamm*

## Biographical Note

1897, Oct. 11 Born, Monroe, Wis.

1916-17 Served with Oregon National Guard

1918 Commissioned 2d lieutenant, Infantry

1919 B.A., U.S. Military Academy

1919-20 Student, Infantry school

1924 Transferred to Air Corps

1932 Married Maude McKeever

1935-36 Attended Air Corps tactical school

1936-37 Attended Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

1942-43 Chief of Staff to commanding general of U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area (USAFISPA)

1943 Commanding general, 13th Air Force, Solomon Islands  
Commanding general, 15th Air Force, Italy, and Mediterranean Allied Strategic Air Forces

1945 Commanding general, 20th Air Force, Pacific

1945-47 Commanding general, Air Materiel Command, Wright Field, Ohio

1947-50 Commander in chief, Alaska

1950 Became General, U.S. Air Force

1950-53 Air Force Vice Chief of Staff

1953-57 Air Force Chief of Staff

1957-60 Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff

# CHEERING CROWDS WELCOME GENERAL

## He Makes the Famed V Sign From His Car in Triumphant Tour of the Capital

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The nation's capital cheered and shouted its welcome this afternoon to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as the President-elect toured the downtown government and business district for thirty minutes on his way to his appointment at the White House.

The smiling, halting, waving General was seen by an estimated total of 600,000 persons as his motorcade passed on a roundabout route from National Airport to 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue—his address after Jan. 30. The crowd estimated that of Police Chief Robert W. Murray: unofficial estimates put the figure somewhat lower.

General Eisenhower made his victorious reappearance in the capital in an open-topped red-brown Cadillac convertible. Sometimes seated on the folded top, as often standing in the rear of the car, the General pumped his arms in greeting throughout the route. To large concentrations of the crowd he frequently raised both arms above his head in a "V" gesture.

In his three hours and twenty-eight minutes in the capital before reboarding his chartered plane to continue his trip to New Castle on Page 18, Column 1

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York General Eisenhower was met by the local citizenry, met with President Truman and some Cabinet members at the White House and had a thorough military briefing at the Pentagon by the nation's highest ranking military leaders.

General Eisenhower arrived from Augusta, Ga., where he had been vacationing, at 1:10 p. m. after a two-hour and thirty-two minute flight. His chartered Constellation departed at 4:38 p. m.

Except as he greeted crowds when he flashed his famed broad grin, General Eisenhower's mission struck most observers as a serious one. This was especially noticeable when he left the White House conference to deal with one of the most chaotic informal press sessions ever held on the steps of the White House office building.

The future First Lady played only a small part in the welcoming ceremony. Soon after the motorcade left the airport, at the point it circled the Lincoln Memorial, Mrs. Eisenhower's car was detached from the column and sped to Walter Reed Hospital, where the General's wife underwent a check-up.

Mrs. Eisenhower was first out of the plane when it rolled to a stop. She wore a blue suit, the skirt accented with a small blue hat. Over her shoulders she wore a silver fox scarf. On the lapel of her suit were pinned two fashioned gold clips.

The General looked casually at the crowd, a double-breasted brown suit under which he wore a tie. He wore a brown fur coat and a well-worn brown felt hat pushed in the center.

### Crowd at Airport

The welcoming party at the airport, where several thousand persons had gathered, was headed by Joseph C. McGarrity, Republican leader in the District of Columbia and Chairman of the Inaugural Committee. Among the guests were Senator Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. of Massachusetts and Representative Joseph W. Martin Jr. of Massachusetts, prospective speaker of the new House of Representatives.

While the Army Band, garbed in golden blouses used for state occasions, played softly, General Eisenhower announced to the airport greeting party that he and Mrs. Eisenhower were "astounded" by the welcome. He said that he would be in town only a few hours but would be back, he declared with a smile, "sometime about Jan. 20."

Senator Lodge, who has been the President-elect's chief liaison man with the outgoing Administration, took a seat in the car with the General and the party left the airport ten minutes after arrival of the plane.

As the motorcade passed along Memorial Drive several thousand persons enjoying an extended lunch hour at the Pentagon lined the drive. Many officers of the armed services were in the crowd. The crowds picked up in size from Lincoln Memorial as the motorcade passed into the area of large government buildings. The fifteen-car motorcade was preceded by a wedge of motorcycle police. More than a dozen bands were spotted along the parade route, some with drum majorettes and teen-age contingents who did football stadium cheer-leading as the motorcade passed.

### A Holiday Scene

Government workers were also out by the hundreds on various points of Washington's heavily balconied and decorated buildings. Many took rooftop seats. Street lamp posts were decked with bunting. On Constitution Avenue past the Filipino landing up to the South portico of the White House the District Fire Department had erected a bunting-decked arch by bringing together two aerial ladders. Suspended beneath was a "Welcome Ike" banner.

Bursts of improvised concert started to pepper the cavalcade as it moved northward up thirteenth Street and turned into Pennsylvania Avenue. Ticker tape appeared from some of the brokerage windows along Pennsylvania Avenue and Fifteenth Street. The demonstrators of the crowd appeared to pick up in the business sections.

Ranked smartly on both sides of Pennsylvania Avenue before the White House gates were Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps honor guards. General Eisenhower, who has successfully put the salute aside, waved several times to this guard.

### Truman in Background

Arriving at the White House Executive Office entrance at 2:30 p. m., the General posed briefly for photographers and then was greeted at the steps by William D. Glimmon, White House receptionist. President Truman made no public appearance with his successor but did agree to a single photographer's taking a picture of the General and himself at his desk. Boarding his car with Secretary of Defense Robert A. Lovell off at a fast clip for the Pentagon, a stop not previously scheduled. The Pentagon had offered the General a briefing if he wished one.

The Eisenhower car dipped into a subterranean chute at the Pentagon river entrance and the General then went directly on a private elevator to Mr. Lovell's office. There General of the Army Omar N. Bradley met General Eisenhower and escorted him one floor below to the furnished predicta of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Pentagon sources said that for about forty minutes General Eisenhower received a complete rundown of the world situation, by area. On hand were Mr. Lovell, Gen. J. Lawton Collins, Army Chief of Staff, Admiral William M. Fechteler, Chief of Naval Operations; Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Vice Chief of Staff of the Air Force, and the Commandant of the Air Corps, Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd. The Marine Corps Commandant is now considered a consultant to the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

## Lone Photographer Tells How He Made Two Smile

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—One photographer, winner of a drawing out of a hat, got the privilege of making a photograph on a pool table of the conference between President Truman and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower today.

The photographer was Harvey Gensler of The Associated Press. Here is what Mr. Gensler said:

"Shortly after I met the President in his office, not more than a couple of minutes later I was taken in. Mr. Truman was seated behind his desk and the other with very grim and determined looks on their faces. They were talking slowly and deliberately.

"I made a shot. Then I asked the President and he not to lean their heads toward me as I was getting the top of their heads. Immediately he and if I moved in such a way that I could see more of their faces. I made a second shot and then he smiled and asked them:

"Mr. President, if I put it in the picture—may I have a hand-shake?"

"They promptly did what I asked, each giving a big smile. As soon as I saw the President's teeth in my finder I let it flash. That seemed to break the tension I had sensed between them."

## Truman-Ei

WASHINGTON, A

President-elect Eisenhower with President Truman by the two conferees:

(Center)

This meeting took place in the White House. It has turned into a freestyle here from I thank them sincerely, up the stairs from the other part of the reported in the papers' orderly transition of the Administration.

For this, our association and it has been very short. I am going to the very short. White House press section in general it is out. Thank you very much.

President Truman the White House. At they met with the Secretary of the Director of Mutual associates, Senator L.

At the end of the Eisenhower issued the affecting our country. Information with respect available to General.

Under our Council functions until he has asked to share or answer until he takes office.

We have worked on information between incoming Administration which are inconsistent. General Eisenhower has responsibilities of the of office.

We believe, however made for cooperation with our country and to the affairs.

We are confident that we have made between the present Administration furnish additional of this country in that continuity and with re-

N.Y. Times  
Nov. 19, 1952

17 July 1947

Dear Earl:

I have received your letter in which you asked us to drop by at Wichita for a brief visit. With deepest regrets we had to cancel our trip to the Boeing factory due to a very important and sudden matter that developed here. All of us were considerably disappointed as Mr. Allen had planned a very fine trip for us; however, we hope to go out at a later time. Will remember your invitation and get out to see you just as soon as we can, as I am very anxious to see the XL-15.

I have been away quite a bit the last couple of weeks so have not had a chance to submit any information to you that you asked for in your round robin letter. I will get on this very shortly.

Best regards,

N. F. Twining  
Lieutenant General, U.S.A.

P.S. Unification looks  
like a sure thing now.

Mr. J. E. Schaefer  
Boeing Airplane Col,  
Wichita, Kansas

Telecon Wednesday August 12, 1981 Stanton T. Friedman Richard Twining

Several times in the past I have checked information for a listing for Nathan F. Twining in Clearwater Florida after having traced him there from Hilton Head, SC. Today there was no listing but there were three Twinings. The third was Richard Twining of 441 Palm Island SE, Clearwater, FL 33515 at 813-442-2943. Richard is one of Twining's two sons. He was born in 1927 and was in the military as a pilot with about 8000 hours as a pilot from 1950 to 1969.. put in his 20 years and is retired but also sells stocks etc. He was quite friendly and open over the phone. His father and mother have recently moved to a retirement home at Air Force Village in San Antonio. His father is 83 and unfortunately completely senile and could not answer any questions at all. His mother at 73 is in much better shape but probably wouldn't be of much help. He has never discussed UFOs with his father though he himself once saw something like a comet while flying over the Pacific. As far as he knows his father's papers are at the Library of Congress. He has responded to some letters requesting access to the papers by granting permission but has had no feedback. He does have a power of attorney for his father. He cannot say that his permission is either required or useful but would certainly grant it. I mentioned Bill and I would be at the Library.

His younger brother Nathan A. Twining lives in Baltimore. Onformation says 301-338-0135. ... and 4004 Greenway.

Some names he mentioned General Joseph D. Caldera of Sun City Center, Florida.. old friend of his father had a sighting several years ago also. Two brothers both generals Edward Timberlake, Hilton Head, SC--listed as 803-671-3656 and Pat Timberlake of San Antonio 512-828-0046 also General Craigie who lived close by at WPAFB and General Frank S. Everest of Myrtle Beach, SC--no listing with info. Sort of a healthy agnostic re UFOs.. won't rule out but hasn't seen anything to prove it either.

I agreed to send him some of my papers-- seemed sincerely interested---and to make an official request so as to be prepared at Lib. of Congress if necessary and to send him a copy of the Twining letter of 1947 or so. He has met General Doolittle and talked to him by phone when Doolittle was at MacDill and had called about a year ago. Doolittle is a year older than Gen. T. but according to him is in fine mental shape. Had heard of Bush. His dad would have been unlikely to discuss anything classified with his mom or Richard or his brother. Might have talked with other generals having high level clearances. One scientific type he mentioned was a Lt. Colonel or Colonel Maier at WPAFB who his dad hated to see leave the military--no promotions possible-- while at AHC. Also recalled name of Bernard Schreiber, Gen. as other scientific type. Father went to WP and was a pilot.

NF Twining d. in MacDill(?) 1981.

MAIL LIST FOR GEN. TWINING  
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28 DEC 54

DATE

NAME & ADDRESS

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Major Gen. R. C. Lindsay  
Director of Plans, DCS/O

Air Staff Summary Sheet, subj:  
"(U) Dept of Defense Directive 5132.3,  
dated 24 Nov 1954, on International  
Security Affairs." (Confidential)

12/27 - Noted by Gen. T.

12/23

Ralph O. Moore  
Secretary  
Armed Forces Policy Council  
Department of Defense

Subject To letter, subj: Redeployment.  
action taken at Dec 21, meeting.  
(Confidential)

12/27 - To: AFODC. Attn: Col. Daly.  
Info and/or file. C/S has seen.

JCS

30 DEC 54

DATE

12/23/54

Lt Gen J. H. Atkinson  
Commander-in-Chief  
Alaskan Command  
APO 942, Seattle, Wash.

Requesting his name be delted to list of  
conferrees at AF Commanders Conference  
at Ramey 17, 18 & 19 Jan due to activities  
in connection with maneuver "Snowbird".  
(CONFIDENTIAL)

Note:

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Twining Papers  
3/89

12/30: Ltr out - "Nate".

12/30: Photostat copy of above corres to  
(1) AFCVC - Note and Forward  
(2) AFCAC - Info and/or file. JCS

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15th August, 1951.

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DoD Directive 5200.30, Mar. 21, 1983

By AK L.C. Date 10/15/86  
For. Gpt. guidelines

My dear Cocky

I find that, by an oversight, I did not acknowledge your letter, reference VCAS/L1845 of 25th July, (unless I did so in manuscript). However that may be, I saw Vandenberg as soon as I received it, and explained the position to him, and also left him a copy of your letter in confirmation of my conversation.

This afternoon Vandenberg asked me to come and see him. He told me that on the American side, the true purpose of the project had been kept extremely secret and was only known to himself, Twining, Lemay and White. He said that this being so, they had been caused a certain embarrassment by enquiries which had been made by the Air Force staff in Washington of General Ramey (who is Director of Operations). Ramey, of course, has had to deal with the loan of these aircraft and the training of the crews for their ostensible purpose, but is not aware of the true purpose. The same goes for Breakey on our side. I therefore felt that there was nothing for it but to suggest to Vandenberg that Breakey should now be brought into the picture - otherwise the kind of embarrassment of which he was complaining would be bound to continue. Vandenberg agreed, and I have therefore put Breakey completely into the picture, and he will now deal with Twining on such points as concern the true purpose of the Mission, and with Ramey on such points as concern the ostensible purpose of the Mission.

/Meanwhile.....

Air Chief Marshal  
The Hon. Sir Ralph A. Cochrane, G.B.E.,  
Air Ministry,  
Whitehall, S.W.1.

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			12 July 1954	
ACTION	CONTENTS AND SUBJECT	ACTION OFFICER	PREPARED BY	CLASSIFICATION
Noted Memo	<u>Command of Armed Forces Special Weapons Project &amp; Field Command,</u> <u>Armed Forces Special Weapons Project:</u> Memo to Adm. Carney fr Gen Ridgway re above subj. (Ref Slip to (1) AFODC Note. (2) AFPDC - Approp action. C/S has seen. JCS)	NFT	Gen Ridgway C/S, Army	Uncl.

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CHIEF OF STAFF'S DAILY LOG			DATE 14 July 1954	
ACTION	CONTENTS AND SUBJECT	ACTION OFFICER	PREPARED BY	CLASSIFICATION
Sgd Ltr	<u>Re Possible Recognition for Early Work in Aviation for Gen Clark:</u> Reply to Gen Clark's ltr dtd 11 Jun re above subj stating time limitations prescribed for awards preclude us from awarding a decoration for this service at this time. (See entry 1 Jul)	NFT	Major Cazarès AFPMP-12-C Code 192 - 668	Uncl.
Sgd Ltr	<u>General Partridge's Plan to Educate Asians:</u> Reply to Gen Partridge's ltr re above subj stating his suggestion would be brought to the attention of appropriate officials in DOD. (See entry 1 Jul)	NFT	L/Col Hoffman AFPTR-E-2 54395	Confidential
Sgd Memos	<u>A Guide to the Principles of Air Defense:</u> Memo to C/S, Army and CNO re above subj stating the Air Board had reviewed all comments on the draft of STANAG 3090 & the draft was not acceptable & could not be approved in its present form. A 2nd NATO Working Party should be convened for re-editing the draft, & requests info as to whether these services desire to participate in this second working party.	NFT	Maj Herdzina AFOOP-OP-D 77741	Confidential
Noted Memo	<u>Alternate for F-102 All-Weather Interceptor:</u> Memo to DCS/M & DCS/P fr Mr. Lewis re above subj.	NFT	Mr. Roger Lewis	Confidential
Approved Memo	<u>Air Force Academy Liaison Office:</u> Memo No. 1 fr Gen Harmon to C/S thru DCS/P & Memo No. 2 fr Gen. O'Donnell re above subj.	NFT	Gen Harmon	Uncl.

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By AW L.C.: Date 7/21/87

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CHIEF OF AFF'S DAILY LOG		DATE 16 July 1954		
ACTION	CONTENTS AND SUBJECT	ACTION OFFICER	PREPARED BY	CLASSIFICATION
Approved AFC 25/1d	<u>Study &amp; Development of AF Concepts:</u> AFC 25/1d giving AFC considerations of DCS/O on above subj.	NFT	Gen Boatner Actg Chmn, AFC	Uncl.
Fwds to Mr. Douglas	(Uncl) <u>USAF Strategic Missile Prog.:</u> Memo to C/S fr Gen Thatcher incl. Memo to Dir of R&D fr Dir/Reqmts. re the Decision on AFC 12/8, subj as above, dtd 6 May 54. (Pers. NFT memo to Mr. Douglas -- "Note last paragraph of attached memo. NFT")	NFT	Gen Thatcher DCS/D	Secret
Fwds to Gen Burns	<u>Deficiencies re Maintenance Docks:</u> Ltr to Gen T. fr Gen LeMay stating effective 1 Jul docks must be procured fr Public Works funds & requesting that Gen. T. seek approval from OSD of the definitions & method of procure- ment we had previously established. (Pers. NFT memo to Gen Burns -- "Will you check this with Mundy & see if we can get this approval reference maintenance docks. NFT")	NFT	Gen Lemay SAC	Uncl.

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CHIEF OF AFF'S DAILY LOG			DATE 16 July 1954	
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Sgd Ltr	(Uncl) Proposed Charter for SCAT Bd: Reply to Col Zemke's ltr dtd 8 Jun 54, Chmn, Joint CAA-USAF ADPB, concurring in the need for this inter- agency group & inclosing a proposed draft charter.	NFT	Maj Herdzina AFOOP-OP-D 77741 <i>RWB</i>	Uncl.
Sgd Ltr	Federation Aeronautique Internationale Awards to AF Officers: Reply to Mr. Lanphier's ltr dtd 23 Jun re above ltr thanking him & NAA for nominating & supporting them and expressing regret that these officers will not be available.	NFT	L/Col Ingram SAFIS-2d 52309	Uncl.
Sgd Ltr	Medical Facility for the Air Academy: Reply to Gen Grant's ltr dtd 8 Jul re above subj stating a decision has already been made to provide an adequate base medical facility as part of the Academy.	NFT	L/Col Johnson AFCSG Code 192, 117	Uncl.
Sgd Msg	Personal Message for Lemay fr Twining: Reply to LeMay's msg TS 9988 dtd 10 Jul re proposal for two SAC Ftr Wgs to be used to assist in mtg USAF NATO commitment during Calendar Yr 1956.	JCS	L/Col Childress AFOPD-PL-CP 72889	Top Secret
Approved AFC 30/12	(Uncl) USAF Force Structure for the Period 1955-1965: AFC 30/12 giving AFC considerations on above subj. (Pers NFT memo to Mr. Douglas -- "To Note. NFT")	NFT	Gen Boatner Actg Chmn, AFC	Secret
Approved AFC 14/19b	(Conf) Status Report of Current Actions Taken to Eliminate ADC Deficiencies Indicated in Project "Lock On": AFC 14/19b giving AFC considerations of Program Status Committee on above subj.	NFT	Gen Boatner Actg Chman, AFC	Top Secret

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SEP 28 1947

SUBJECT: AMC Opinion Concerning "Flying Discs"

TO: Commanding General  
Army Air Forces  
Washington 25, D. C.  
ATTENTION: Brig. General George Schulgen  
AC/AS-2

1. As requested by AC/AS-2 there is presented below the considered opinion of this Command concerning the so-called "Flying Discs". This opinion is based on interrogation report data furnished by AC/AS-2 and preliminary studies by personnel of T-2 and Aircraft Laboratory, Engineering Division T-3. This opinion was arrived at in a conference between personnel from the Air Institute of Technology, Intelligence T-2, Office, Chief of Engineering Division, and the Aircraft, Power Plant and Propeller Laboratories of Engineering Division T-3.

2. It is the opinion that:

a. The phenomenon reported is something real and not visionary or fictitious.

b. There are objects probably approximating the shape of a disc, of such appreciable size as to appear to be as large as man-made aircraft.

c. There is a possibility that some of the incidents may be caused by natural phenomena, such as meteors.

d. The reported operating characteristics such as extreme rates of climb, maneuverability (particularly in roll), and action which must be considered evasive when sighted or contacted by friendly aircraft and radar, lend belief to the possibility that some of the objects are controlled either manually, automatically or remotely.

e. The apparent common description of the objects is as follows:-

(1) Metallic or light reflecting surface.

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Basic Ltr fr CG, AMC, WF to CG, AAF, Wash. D. C. subj "AMC Opinion Concerning "Flying Discs".

- (2) Absence of trail, except in a few instances when the object apparently was operating under high performance conditions.
- (3) Circular or elliptical in shape, flat on bottom and domed on top.
- (4) Several reports of well kept formation flights varying from three to nine objects.
- (5) Normally no associated sound, except in three instances a substantial rumbling roar was noted.
- (6) Level flight speeds normally above 300 knots are estimated.

f. It is possible within the present U. S. knowledge -- provided extensive detailed development is undertaken -- to construct a piloted aircraft which has the general description of the object in subparagraph (e) above which would be capable of an approximate range of 7000 miles at subsonic speeds.

g. Any developments in this country along the lines indicated would be extremely expensive, time consuming and at the considerable expense of current projects and therefore, if directed, should be set up independently of existing projects.

h. Due consideration must be given the following:-

- (1) The possibility that these objects are of domestic origin - the product of some high security project not known to AC/AS-2 or this Command.
- (2) The lack of physical evidence in the shape of crash recovered exhibits which would undeniably prove the existence of these objects.
- (3) The possibility that some foreign nation has a form of propulsion possibly nuclear, which is outside of our domestic knowledge.

3. It is recommended that:-

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23 September 1947

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Army Air Forces  
Washington 25, D. C.  
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*This letter was coordinated by:*  
*Col. Moore - Ch. Aircraft Lab*  
*M. D. S. S. - Ch. Propeller Lab*  
*Gen. D. I. Pratt - Eng. Div.*  
*Col. Minty - Ch. Power Plant Lab*  
*Gen. Bantrell - T-3*

*Attention, CA*

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16th August, 1951.

My dear Van

I enclose, for your personal information, a copy of a letter which I have sent to Cochrane following my conversation with you yesterday. I trust that this will now remove the present and any possible future misunderstanding. I have written a short note to Twining telling him that Breakey will be getting into touch with him.

Thank you also for your kindness in arranging for White to deal with the Air Crew Training problem. I was to have seen him this morning, but he was unfortunately called into a conference, from which I gather he is not likely to escape until after I have left Washington this afternoon to begin my holiday. Instead, he got Smith to come and discuss the matter with me in Breakey's presence and Breakey is taking the matter up later this morning with Smith and his staff.

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DoD Directive 5200.30, Mar. 21, 1983

For. Govt. Guidelines

Yours ever  
Bill

General Hoyt S. Vandenberg,  
Chief of Staff,  
United States Air Force,  
Room 4-E-929.

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Vandenberg Paper

*Van*  
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C O P Y

From: Air Chief Marshal The Hon. Sir Ralph A. Cochrane,  
G.B.E., K.C.B.

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By *AW* L.C. Date *12/15/86*  
For. Cont. Guidelines

*Note:  
JFK*

Air Ministry, V.C.A.S.  
King Charles Street,  
WHITEHALL, S.W.1.

25th July, 1951

My dear Bill,

You may remember I spoke to you about the proposal to form a High Altitude Reconnaissance Flight in this country to undertake certain joint research work, required by the U.S.A.F. and ourselves.

2. We are proposing to send three crews to Barksdale Air Force Base about the end of the month, in order that they may be converted to the B.45 under arrangements which have been made by General LeMay.

3. Although we are going ahead in this way, C.A.S. would like you to explain to General Vandenberg that we have not yet obtained the political agreement which will be necessary if the full project is to be undertaken. In view of the time factor we felt, however, that we should not wait for this approval before sending the crews over. Their arrival does not, therefore, in any way commit us to conclude the full programme.

Yours ever,

(s) Ralph.

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Air Chief Marshal Sir William Elliot, ~~TOP SECRET~~  
K.C.B., K.B.E., D.F.C.,  
British Joint Services Mission  
c/o Box 680,  
Washington

From: Air Vice-Marshal J. D. Breakey, C.B., D.F.C.

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17th October, 1951.

*Dear General Twining*

Thank you very much for your letter of October 15th giving me the additional information on the reported interception of the RB-45C aircraft in the Korean theatre on the 5th June of this year.

I have to-day forwarded this information to Sir John Slessor and I am sure it will be of particular interest to him, and that he will be most grateful for the trouble you have taken in this matter.

I shall, of course, be very pleased to receive the copy of the full report when it is published.

*Yours sincerely,*

*J. D. Breakey*

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DoD Directive 5200.30, Mar. 21, 1983

By

*PW*

L.C., Date

*10/15/86*

General Nathan F. Twining, AFCVC,  
Headquarters United States Air Force,  
Room 4E-934 Pentagon,  
Washington 25, D.C.

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FROM C/S USAF

PERSONAL FOR NORSTAD FROM TWINING.

Thank you for your message No. US 748 of 31 Oct 52. I have referred the matter to the U. S. Air Attache Paris to obtain sufficient data to enable us to determine any possible Air Force interest. I have asked the Air Attache to make his contact through Col Williamson as you have suggested.

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Dr. Detlev W. Bronk, President  
The Johns Hopkins University  
Baltimore 18, Maryland

Dear Dr. Bronk:

I am indeed pleased to learn that you have accepted my invitation to serve as a member of the Board of Visitors to the Air University. An appropriate public announcement of your appointment will be made at an early date.

The advice and assistance of eminent civilian educators and other distinguished citizens have been invaluable to the Air Force in the development and improvement of its professional education system. Your contribution as a member of the Board will materially assist us in our constant endeavor to enhance the effectiveness of the Air University.

General Edwards, the Commanding General of the Air University, has been advised of your acceptance. In the near future he will write to give you details of the Spring Meeting of the Board and other pertinent information.

I extend my personal thanks for your willingness to serve the Air Force. It is my hope that this experience will be as enjoyable for you as it will be profitable for us.

Sincerely,

SIGNED  
M. J. TWining  
General, USAF  
Vice Chief of Staff

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Admiral Robert E. Carney  
Commander-in-Chief Allied  
Forces Southern Europe  
APO 115, c/o Postmaster  
New York, New York

Dear Admiral Carney:

Please accept my thanks on behalf of General  
Vanderberg for the copy of your recent address to the  
NATO Defense College.

The complex geo-strategy of the Southern Europe  
composition and the grouping of its population with  
its political and racial diversities is presented by  
you in a most comprehensive and interesting manner and  
quite properly merits the attention of our strategists  
and planners.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM C. BARNETT

Colonel, USAF

SIGNED

WILLIAM C. BARNETT

Mr. F. TWILING

General, USAF

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CHAIRMAN'S TELEPHONE LOG

Thursday - 28 January 1960

*Twining, Box 7  
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10:00 From Mr. Gordon Gray - I wanted to ask an exploratory question which has to do with Hickey. I'm wondering if it would be acceptable to you, and I'm inclined to favor the idea, of having Hickey's people expose this thing to - I have in mind five people - before going to Council. The five would be Jimmy Lay, Jerry Smith of State, Irwin, if he hasn't seen it, Ralph Spear, Bob Amory (Allen Dulles' man), so that they can tell in advance of the meeting unless Jack Irwin doesn't have to tell Tom what this thing is generally about; just to know what it was he was going to see. It wouldn't extend beyond them. Wouldn't include Jack. Jimmy Lay, Jerry Smith, Spear and Amory. I think it would be helpful to Amory to know what it's all about. Again, it's not just for the purpose of having the Planning Board make comment. \*\*\*\*\* T: We're having a meeting Saturday morning with the Chiefs and the Secretary so we can firm it up. \*\*\*. G: Good idea. I'd like to talk with you about it. T: I'll talk to the Secretary about it. G: I'd appreciate it. T: Okay, I'll call you back.

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*MP*

CHAIRMAN'S TELEPHONE LOG

Friday - 29 January 1960

*Twining  
Boh*

11:15

To: Mr. Gordon Gray. We talked up this morning the paper on the West Indies, you know? The Services came in with so much that we're in real trouble. They think State and the people didn't have time to plan it well. Is that an urgent paper? G: Let me look. T: Let me send Danny over and show you the paper and the Planning Board could take another look at it. G: He'll be coming over at 2:00 and I will talk to him then. T: Fine.

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CHIEF OF STAFF'S DAILY LOG

Thursday -- 16 July 1953

09:00 National Security Council at White House all day  
17:30 Returned from White House with General Bradley.

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(Dinner at General Spaatz')

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Friday, 16 July 1954

08:30 Arrived

09:00 General Burns

10:30 General K. B. Wolfe

11:00 JCS briefing (until 11:55)

11:55 General Burns

12:25 Lunch (until 13:00) (Returned w/Gen Burns)

13:30 Colonel Strom Thurmond (President of Reserve Officers Association) - Admiral LaBarge and Colonel Boyer.

14:00 JCS (until 16:15)

18:00 Departed

PM

7:00 Buffet - Libyans (Shoreham - Black Tie)

Saturday, 17 July

13:30 Burning Tree (Mr. D. M. Patrick, Mr. Douglas, Mr. Howells)

PM

8:30 Dinner at Canadian Embassy for Field Marshal Alexander

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slipped out to  
White House.

CHIEF OF STAFF' DAILY LOG

Thursday, 14 July 1955

*Twining  
Box 3*

08:30 Arrived

08:45 General Lindsay

08:46 General LeMay

09:20 To Admiral Radford's office

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09:30 Back to office and conference with General LeMay and General Lindsay

10:17 General Hipps joined (Stayed until 10:37). General Twining worked with General LeMay and General Lindsay on Quantico presentations until 12:20.

12:20 To lunch

12:45 From lunch to swearing-in ceremony of Mr. Gordon Gray as Asst. Sec. of Defense (International Security)

12:55 Returned to office and General LeMay in

14:00 General Lindsay

14:17 General White joined

16:00 Departed for Quantico to attend Secretary of Defense Conference.

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Friday and Saturday - 15 and 16 July

At Quantico - Secretary of Defense Conference

Sunday, 17 July

13:45 Departed Quantico, Va.

14:15 Arrived Washington National Airport

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Thursday, 28 July 1955

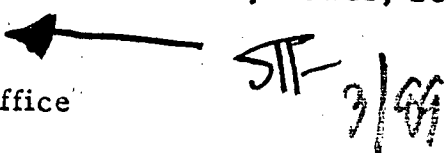
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08:40 Arrived

08:41 To Mr. Douglas' office

08:45 Air Council (Revision on FY 56 Financial Plan) (until 09:30)

09:40 Left for White House

10:00 National Security Council meeting (ICBM presentation there.  
Mr. Gardner, Generals Putt, Power, Schriever and Dr.  
Von Neuman) 

12:50 Returned to office

12:51 Generals Everest and White

12:55 General Hall

13:15 General Kelly

13:30 To Secretary's office

13:40 Left for day

(At Burning Tree with Mr. Harold Stuart and General Everest)

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Tuesday - 18 Nov '52

09:00 Gen. Craigie  
09:10 Gen. Maude  
09:55 Gen. Partridge, ARDC  
10:00 Armed Forces Policy Council  
(until 11:10)  
11:40 Gen. S. Smith  
12:00 Presentation of Harmon Trophy at White House  
14:30 Conference w/ Secretary - Public Works  
15:05 To Mr. Lovett's office -- Gen. Eisenhower  
16:50 Col. Begg (effect of budget cut on AE Program)  
20:00 Canadian Embassy - Farewell party for  
AVM and Mrs. Hugh Campbell.

notes:

(1) Regretted luncheon by Pan Am Airways in honor of Capt. Charles F. Blair, Jr., Mme. Jacqueline Auriol, Lt. Carl Seiberlich following the award to them of the International Harmon Trophies for 1952 by the President.

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CHAIRMAN, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF - DAILY LOG

Monday - 25 January 1960

0855 Left quarters for White House for  
0915 Conference of Governors on Civil Defense  
1030 Meeting with the President  
and after that back into Governors' meeting  
1310 To Metropolitan Club for lunch  
1405 Left Metropolitan Club  
1410 Arrived White House  
1450 Left White House  
1510 Arrived in office  
1515 To see Secretary Gates until 1538  
1539 General Whisenand until 1555  
1600 General Hillyard until 1610  
1617 Captain Gray until 1630  
1620 General Picher joined  
1640 General Whisenand joined  
1653 Both out  
1728 To Secretary Gates' office until 1740  
1742 Mr. Vaughan, Special Assistant to Sec Def in L&L until 1745  
1757 Left for the day

*Twining  
Box 7*

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17 July 1947

Dear Earl:

I have received your letter in which you asked us to drop by at Wichita for a brief visit. With deepest regrets we had to cancel our trip to the Boeing factory due to a very important and sudden matter that developed here. All of us were considerably disappointed as Mr. Allen had planned a very fine trip for us; however, we hope to go out at a later time. Will remember your invitation and get out to see you just as soon as we can, as I am very anxious to see the XL-15.

I have been away quite a bit the last couple of weeks so have not had a chance to submit any information to you that you asked for in your round robin letter. I will get on this very shortly.

Best regards,

N. F. Twining  
Lieutenant General, U.S.A.

P.S. Unification looks  
like a sure thing now.

Mr. J. E. Schaefer  
Boeing Airplane Col,  
Wichita, Kansas

APPENDIX R: Letter from General N. F. Twining to Commanding General, Army Air Forces 23 September 1947

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N. F. TWINING  
Lieutenant General, U.S.A.  
Commanding

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Condon Report. January 1969

Some Comments by Stanton T. Friedman, 1982

1. This memo was only classified Secret refer in any way to any information that was classified Top Secret or higher... note especially item 2h 2.

NOT Top Secret, so could not

2. Note especially the <sup>technical</sup> organizations to be kept informed as listed in 3. JRDB is the Joint Research and Development Board set up and headed by Dr. Vannevar Bush and the successor to the wartime Office of Scientific Research and Development also directed by Bush and which had set up both the wartime Manhattan Project and its successor the Atomic Energy Commission. NACA is the technical group-- National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics-- which had representatives from all the military services and civil aviation and which ran the wind tunnels, was responsible for the development of supersonic aircraft and later became the NASA. Its prewar chairman was Dr. Vannevar Bush who was a member still in 1947. Twining was also on it. Dr. James H. Doolittle and Dr. Detlev Bronk an aviation physiologist were added to NACA in 1948. Doolittle became Chairman in 1956. NEPA stands for Nuclear Energy for Propulsion Applications. Eventually became the Nuclear Aircraft Propulsion (ANP) program. Theodore Von Karman was Chairman of the AFSAG and was succeeded by Doolittle who had been a member for sometime. Another member was Dr. Edward Teller. The AEC was very important in New Mexico in 1947 with loads of classified land and facilities.

# BOEING AIRPLANE COMPANY

WICHITA DIVISION

WICHITA, KANSAS

July 16, 1947

17 July 1947

JES:cm

Dear Earl:

I have received your letter in which you asked us to drop by at Wichita for a brief visit. With deepest regrets we had to cancel our trip to the Boeing factory due to a very important and sudden matter that developed here. All of us were considerably disappointed as Mr. Allen had planned a very fine trip for us; however, we hope to go out at a later time. Will remember your invitation and get out to see you just as soon as we can, as I am very anxious to see the XL-15.

I have been away quite a bit the last couple of weeks so have not had a chance to submit any information to you that you asked for in your round robin letter. I will get on this very shortly.

Best regards,

H. F. TRINING  
Lieutenant General, U.S.A.

P.S. Unification looks  
like a sure thing now.

Mr. J. E. Schaefer  
Boeing Airplane Co.,  
Wichita, Kansas

# BOEING AIRPLANE COMPANY

WICHITA DIVISION

WICHITA 1, KANSAS

July 10, 1947

Cable Address:  
BOEINGAIR

In Reply Refer to

JES:cw

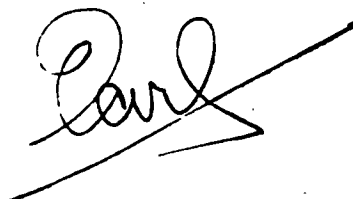
Lt. Gen. N. F. Twining  
Commanding General  
Air Material Command  
Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio

Dear Nate:

I have just learned that you, General Craigie and Colonel Shephard were contemplating a trip to the west coast. I wondered if your itinerary would be such that you could stop off in Wichita for a brief visit, if not over night. On several occasions recently you have expressed an interest in stopping off here whenever the opportunity presented itself. Would this trip to the west coast present such an opportunity? We would be delighted to have you either on your outgoing or return trip. I just want you to know that the latch string is still out. We expect to fly the XL-15 next week. It is at the other end of the scale from the B-50 and might offer something of interest by way of contrast, if nothing else.

Best regards and good wishes always.

Sincerely yours,



Vice President

JESchaefer:cw  
cc: Gen Craigie  
LPCrews  
Sebac

July 17, 1947.

General Carl Spaatz,  
Room 3E 1020, Pentagon Building,  
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear General Spaatz:

Your letter of July 7 to Dr. Bush, in reply to his letter to you of June 25, did not reach this office until today. Dr. Bush is now away from Washington and does not expect to return until early September, but I am forwarding a copy of your letter to his present address on the chance that he may have opportunity to reply before he starts a journey to the Pacific Coast.

Very truly yours,

Secretary to Dr. Bush.

14:52

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DAILY LOG - GEN. TWiningTuesday - 18 Nov '52

09:00	Gen. Craigie
09:10	Gen. Maude
09:55	Gen. Partridge, ARDC
10:00	Armed Forces Policy Council (until 11:10)
11:40	Gen. S. Smith
12:00	Presentation of Harmon Trophy at White House
14:30	Conference w/ Secretary - Public Works
15:05	To Mr. Lovett's office -- Gen. Eisenhower
16:50	Col. Begg (effect of budget cut on AE Program)
20:00	Canadian Embassy - Farewell party for AVM and Mrs. Hugh Campbell.

## notes:

(1) Regretted luncheon by Pan Am Airways in honor of Capt. Charles F. Blair, Jr., Mme. Jacqueline Auriol, Lt. Carl Seiberlich following the award to them of the International Harmon Trophies for 1952 by the President.



FROM

OCCASION

DATE 54

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Comdr, TTrng Wing, Keesler	Ceremony for B/Gen Kirkendall	31 Jul
George Washington University	Convocation for Pres of Korea	30 Jul
Carter McGregor	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
Rhea Howard	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
H. W. Fillmore	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
Lloyd C. Thomas, Mayor	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
Lyndon B. Johnson	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
Frank Ikard	Visit Wichita Falls	Jul
9 A Sec. Wilson	Luncheon for Mr. LeBaron	29 Jul
A Sec. Wilson	Luncheon for Dr. Hannah	28 Jul
R R. J. Hofmann	Visit Cheyenne's Frontier Days	Jul
A Norman K. Haig	Aviation Exposition of Aero Club	24-25 Jul
R Russell W. Nichols	World Championship Model Plane Comp.	24-26 Jul
R Eol Everett H. Ware	Posthumous award to Mrs. Dean L. Ray	22 Jul
R Col Peter W. Agnell	Tops in Blue show at Bolling	19 Jul
R Benjmn Ourisman	Military Service Day	19 Jul
R Cong Judd of Minnesota	Aquatennial Celebration	17-21 Jul
A Sec Wilson	Luncheon for Field Mar Alexander	16 Jul
R Col J.A. Gunn	AFROTC graduation at Bryan AFB	16 Jul
R Resv. Officers Association	Cocktail party for Col Thrrmond	15 Jul
E. H. Chamberlin	NACA meeting	15 Jul

NO.	FROM	OCCASION	DATE 54
22 R	John P. Biehn	25th Anniv of Port Columbus	11 Jul
23 R	Paul R. Younts	Air Nat'l Guard Open House	10-11 Jul
24 R	Gordon W. Roseleip	36th annual conv. of Amer.Legion	16 Jul
25 R	M/Cen Mohammed Rafiq Arif	Dinner	12 Jul
26 R	W. Earl Hopper	Ceremony for volunteer firemen	5 Jul
27 R	Hon. John P. Saylor	Speaker at Amer. Legion Week Celeb.	4-10 Jul
28 R	John E. Holden	Ground breaking ceremony at Portsmouth Municipal Airport	3 Jul
29 R	CWO Donald V. Seewoster	Premiere of film in St. Louis	2 Jul

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>NAME &amp; ADDRESS</u>	<u>CONTENTS</u>
10/17	Herbert E. Clark, Jr. 5551 Dunning Place Cincinnati 27, Ohio  (GOC Publicity Coordinator)	Of opinion that policy on "flying saucers" is harmful to his active GOC recruiting program. 1 Att.  10/31 - To: AFOIN. Approp action. Direct reply - w/cpy to CCS. C/S has not seen. JAB.  <i>12/12 - Reply sent 1/5/56 Maj Thomas Canvass, Jr.</i>
10/26	Elmer K. Delp Simon's Dry Goods Store P.O. Bx 35 Merryville, La.	Info cpy of his ltr to MG McCormack (Sen. Ellender) asking med/dischge of son, A/2C Edward Delp, Sheppard AFB be made eff 31 Oct.  10/31 - To: SAFL. Approp action. Info and/or file. JAB.

*C 26717  
15 Nov.*

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4/19	Mrs. Helen Groskopf Hartman, Ark.	<p>Fwds cpy's of ltrs fm "Peoples Column of Ark. Gazette" re flying objects, rocket travel, etc.</p> <p>4/29 - To: SAFIS. Approp action. C/S has not seen. RGM.</p>
4/22	Mrs. Mildred Adamson 8512 De Soto Ave. Canoga Park, Calif.	<p>Praises Gen Luehman, Shoup &amp; all who made "Paul Magrath" Day a big success, per encl clpgs fm LA Times. Esp commends Sgt. John Moore &amp; rcmds promotion. 6 Atts. (Sgt. Magrath polio victim).</p> <p>4/29 - To: SAFIS. Approp action. C/S has not seen. RGM.</p>
4/24	Mrs. Edward D. Hurley 121 So. Chauncey Ave. W. Lafayette, Ind.	<p>Fwds med/affidavit in behalf of morale lv for son, Maj John R. Hurley, 795th AC&amp;W Sqdn, APO 706, to enable family reunion in June. 1 Att.</p> <p>4/30 - To: AEFMP. Approp action. C/S has not seen. RGM.</p>

PERSONAL

# Mail list for Gen. Twining

10/April/57

Harvey D Bourland  
303 E. St.  
Redwood City, Calif.

States he has discovered force  
principle on "flying Saucers"

To: AFORD Approp action  
RGM

3/April/57

"Anonymous"  
Auburn, Calif.

on subject of space ships &  
flying saucers.

To: AFORD Approp. action  
RGM

From Day Log of Secy of War Robt. P. Patterson.

1947 July 10<sup>th</sup> 2:40 PM. J. R. Brown to present Genl.

Robt. M. Montague who is to command a special  
atomic energy project at Albuquerque, N.M.

# n Feud Demos

14 (AP)—The Eisenhower administration prepared the way for the Army's McCarthy (R-Wis). The "don't talk" protests from Democrats on the McClellan subcommittee. They demanded a vote — up to but not including President.

tions, he said, came from the acting head of the Defense Department, Robert Anderson. Welch added that he understood Anderson was transmitting them for somebody else.

That pointed to the White House. And at the White House, Asst. Press Secretary Murray Snyder, when asked if the order originated there, would say only: "I have no information to give out."

Welch tried and failed during the noon recess of the hearings to get some explanation in writing for the investigators. Re-

## Good Morning

The sun has shone over Amarillo for 121 days out of 134 during 1954. Comparative readings at 3 PM yesterday:

City	Wind	Visibility	Bar	Temp	Cond.
Houston	4	10	30.1	Clear	
Dallas	4	15	30.1	Clear	
Oklahoma City	4	15	30.1	Scattered clouds	
Amarillo	22	15	30.1	Broken clouds	

## Medal for Family



—Associated Press Wirephoto.  
Amarillo yesterday, Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Chief of Staff, stopped at Reese AFB, the Congressional Medal of Honor of George A. Davis, Jr., jet ace shot down 14 enemy planes. He is Mrs. Davis, holding George, 2, and Mary Margaret, 10.

## Honor Given of Korean Ace

—The ace pilot of the F-84's from Clovis AFB also passed overhead at 20 second intervals.

Davis, a native of Dublin, Tex., was credited with shooting down 14 enemy planes in Korea and seven in the Pacific theater during World War II. He was flying his 60th Korean mission when shot down.

The citation said Davis dove at the superior MIG formation with "selfless disregard" and destroyed two. Then he cut his speed as he made ready to hit during the final attack, however, and crashed into a mountain 30 miles south of the Yalu River.

KGNC-Radio—Speedway Trials, 4:30 PM

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# Air Force Base Is Declared Permanent

## Talk by Gen. Twining Features Giant Parade

Chief of Staff Reveals Plan At C-C Dinner

The sky will be buzzing with aircraft and the pavement echoing with foot steps as the giant Armed Forces Day celebration gets under way today.

A variety of aircraft will be flying over Amarillo and Amarillo Air Force Base during the day. School and military musical groups will march in the parade which begins at 10:30 AM at Fourth and Buchanan, will move west on Fourth to Polk, turn south on Polk, and disperse between 12th and 14th.

Amarillo is host for the day to Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Air Force Chief of Staff; Maj. Gen. Roger Ramey, Washington, DC; Senator Lyndon Johnson; Judge Marvin Jones; Rep. Walter Rogers of Pampa; Maj. Gen. Eugene Eubank, commander of Technical Training Air Force, Gulfport, Miss., and members of their staffs.

General Twining will make an address at 10:50 AM today on the speaker's stand at Seventh and Polk.

He is expected to speak on Russian air power. In the text of his speech released by the Associated Press, he says the Soviet air force "is by far the biggest air force in the world."

Downtown merchants are requested by the Chamber of Commerce to display American flags.

Scheduled to march in the parade are officers and airmen of AAFB along with the 589th band, drum and bugle corps and drill team; Amarillo reserve units; National Guard, ROTC units, Civil Air Patrol, and bands from Amarillo High School, Carver High School, West Texas State and Amarillo Junior high schools.

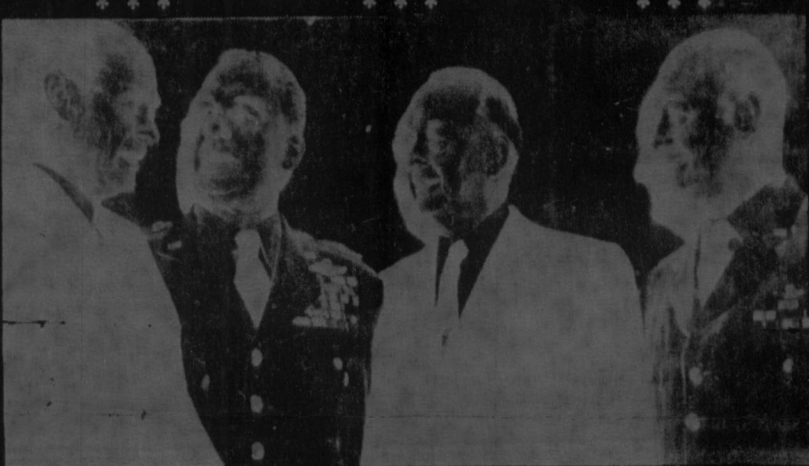
A luncheon will be held at 12:45 PM today in the Herring Hotel. Speaker will be General Eubank.

Open house will be held from 1 to 5 PM today and tomorrow at Amarillo Air Force Base. South, North and B-Street gates will be open at AAFB. (Continued on Page 5)

## WEATHER FORECAST

AMARILLO AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy. Little change in temperature. Widely scattered late afternoon and evening showers Saturday and Sunday. Low Friday night 51; high Saturday 75. WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy with widely scattered thundershowers and local thundershowers.

## ARMED FORCES DAY



After the announcement last night that Amarillo Air Force Base would be a permanent installation, Rep. Walter Rogers, Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Air Force Chief of Staff, Judge Marvin Jones and Brig. Gen. Walter Agee, commander of AAFB, talked it over at the Herring Hotel. General Twining made the announcement.

## Ike Takes Slap at 'Unworthy Scenes' Group Action To Block Red Gains Declared Important

WASHINGTON, May 14 (AP)—President Eisenhower declared tonight the heart of America is sound "even if at times our attention is diverted by unworthy scenes in our national capital."

The President's remark in an informal speech touched off a rousing ovation at an Armed Forces Day dinner at the Statler Hotel.

Eisenhower did not elaborate on his statement about "unworthy scenes in our national capital." But his remarks apparently were interpreted by many in the audience as an allusion to the row between Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) and Secretary of the Army Stevens.

of one more thing.

"Never forget," Eisenhower declared, "the strength of freedom and the free world. We know how much we value the right to worship as we please and to choose our occupations."

He went on to say that, "We know the value we place on those things," and that "even if at times our attention is diverted by unworthy scenes even in our national capital... we still know that we are Americans — that the heart of America is sound."

The President got a standing ovation when he was introduced. But his audience made up mainly

By PAUL TIMMONS  
Amarillo Air Force Base is permanent.

Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Air Force Chief of Staff, made the long hoped-for announcement at the Armed Forces Day banquet last night at the Herring Hotel.

In making the announcement, which means much to Amarillo and the Panhandle, General Twining told of a conversation with Air Secretary Harold E. Talbot, just before Twining left Washington come to Amarillo.

"I'm going to tell the people of Amarillo that 'Amarillo Air Force Base is a permanent base,' Twining said he told the secretary.

"Go ahead and tell them," he quoted Secretary Talbot.

First apparent result of the designation as a permanent base will be a change in type of construction, future buildings to be of more durable type rather than the lighter construction used in most of the present buildings.

Air Force acceptance of the offer of the City of Amarillo to deed the air base and runway land is expected to follow shortly, along with Air Force extension and improvement of the runways.

Business leaders feel that the designation as a permanent base will add stability to the economy of the Amarillo area.

General Twining had planned to make the announcement today in Armed Forces Day ceremonies. A slip up in release in Washington of advance copies of his speech caused him to change his plans.

The announcement came as the final word at the banquet at which the chief of staff and other air force officials were honored by more than 250 Amarillo business and civic leaders.

"There has been discussion for the past six months of designating Amarillo Air Force Base as a permanent base. It became an issue the last few days."

"There was the feeling that when you tell the people a base is permanent you are obligated to do certain things and make certain expenditures."

"Before I left Washington I told Secretary Talbot, 'I am going to Amarillo and I'm going to tell the people there that Amarillo Air Force Base is a permanent base.'"

"The Secretary said, 'Go ahead and tell them,'" General Twining said.

The general commended

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Had Visitors Yesterday. These are the Carpenters...

And the Painters, who used only nine minutes...

To complete the lace-lifting operation as...

Dramatization of the Amarillo PFC Campaign.

Paint, Fix, Clean Up Dream Lives

## Golden Touch Given To Cinderella House

By LOUISE EVANS  
Manpower—a couple hundred strong—and top grade materials transformed a house at Fifteenth and Van Buren yesterday in less than six hours. Half a dozen unions furnished the manpower. Scores of Amarillo merchants contributed the materials. And when the swarming workmen were gone, the home of Mrs. Virginia Gray at 1416 Van Buren didn't show a trace of its 50-odd years.

The project dramatically accented the Paint-Up, Fix-Up, Clean-Up Campaign sponsored by the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce and the Jaycees. A swarm of carpenters were aloft the scaffolding by 8 A.M. and the major portion of the house repair, porch rebuilding and roofing job was out of the way by 11 A.M. A bigger swarm of painters hit the place shortly before 1 P.M., filled their buckets.

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four-star gleaming in each shoulder, had words for Amarillo and the world. He had something to say to the men of the Air Force, to the people of Amarillo, and to America's potential enemies.

He said "warfare today is unlike the wars of yesterday. Today every man who uses a weapon must be supported by several men who supply and maintain him and his weapons. To fight and win, our gun crews, ship crews, and air crews, must have the unfailing support of hundreds of thousands of technicians."

Thousands visited Amarillo Air Force Base yesterday as part of the observance of Armed Forces Day.

The base will be open to public inspection again today.

"Here we have the space we need—and very fortunately the facilities we need. Here we have found a very friendly and hospitable and helpful people. They provide splendid human environment for the young airmen and officers of the Air Force.

"The people of Amarillo and surrounding communities, both the officials and the private citizens, have a record of wholehearted cooperation with the aims and ideals of the Air Force. We consider it a great privilege to live among you. We hope that we can continue to deserve the hospitality of the good people of the..."

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## Air Force Has Eye on 'Saucers'

Flying saucers came up at General Nathan Twining's press conference Saturday morning.

Well, they didn't exactly come up, but they were discussed.

The Air Force Chief of Staff was asked about the mysterious objects.

He said "99 per cent of the reports we receive are baseless, but about the other ten per cent... we don't know."

He said the Air Force was trying to find satisfactory answers for the beguiling ten per cent.

Somebody present suggested the Air Force offer a prize for one. "You got a MIG that way, didn't you?"

General Twining said that if flying saucers do exist—and are from an outer world that far ahead of us in productive skill—"there isn't any point in worrying about them anyway."

He said most of the flying saucer reports are received from people in the United States, run in cycles, and are tricks of the mind.

But, he said, "some very reliable people have made reports. They aren't all screwball reports by any matter or means."

General Twining said "we're all vitally interested and are studying the matter."

## Good Morning

The sun has shown over Amarillo for 122 days out of 365 during 1954. Comparative readings at 5 P.M. yesterday:

City	Temp	Wind	Visibility	Sky	Moist. Condition
Houston	88	10	10	Clear	
Dallas	88	10	10	Broken	
Omaha City	88	10	10	Scattered	
Amarillo	88	10	10	Scattered	

In the front row of the reviewing stand for Armed Forces Day parade were Maj. Gen. Eugene Air Force, Gulfport, Miss.; Mayor S. T. Curtis; Gen. Nathan Twining, Air Force Chief of Staff; Air Force Base, and Senator Lyndon Johnson. Great throngs packed Polk Street to witness the parade.

# Quick Action From US Intervention Bid

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—The United States expects urgent talks now under way with France to produce a quick, concrete French proposal for American intervention in the war in Indochina.

Officials said today that while the U.S. government has advised the French of conditions on which it would consider taking action, the French government has not yet made a request for general intervention nor has it spelled out the terms on which it would like such intervention to occur.

Nor, informants here said, has the United States made any definite commitment to intervene.

American conditions for getting in include formation of a coalition of countries which would all intervene together, congressional approval of whatever course is taken.

President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles conferred at the White House today.

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## Thundershowers Roll Across Panhandle

A string of thundershowers marched across the Panhandle from west to east last night, bringing welcome additional moisture to many points and as much as an estimated inch at Dumas and Guymon, Okla.

A hard shower accompanied by a brilliant show of lightning began in the Amarillo area about 8:30 P.M. It brought an official .43 to the Weather Bureau gauge and .49 to the gauge atop the Globe-News Building.

Lightning interrupted KGNC-TV for a couple of minutes and briefly interrupted power service in Pleasant Valley. There was no report of serious lightning damage early last night.

Weathermen said the line of showers was the product of a mass of moist air at higher levels and a lifting effect caused by temperatures that reached the low 90's in eastern New Mexico. Scattered evening showers are forecast for today and Monday.

At Dumas, a noisy storm brought .36 of an inch of rain in an hour and was continuing early last night. At Borger, newsmen of Station KBLZ said a hard shower was in progress at 9:40 P.M. and it was "raining too hard for anybody to get to a rain gauge."

Dallhart reported a quarter of an inch of moisture in scattered showers. HMI began at 8:30 P.M. Guymon reported .37 of an inch during a shower that was still going strong at 9:45 P.M.

Early last night, Bill Miller of Spearman said "a pretty good shower" had started and showed no signs of letting up after half an hour of steady downpour.

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## Document Pins Korean War On Russians

WASHINGTON, May 15 (UP)—The government Saturday night made public detailed intelligence studies which pin responsibility for the Korean war on Russia and said that up to 20,000 Soviet troops were on the Korean battlefield in 1951.

The documents, issued by the Defense Department, obviously were intended to expose both Russian and Chinese methods in Korea coincident with the Geneva conference where settlements are being sought in Korea and Indo-China.

Information showing the deep involvement of Russians in Korea followed claims by official agencies earlier this week that Russian advisers have participated down to the division level in Indo-China.

In making public the "special studies," the Defense Department said they "establish beyond any reasonable doubt the true nature of the Russian role in the Korean war."

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## Senator Johnson Calls Air Force 'Second to None'

By HAMPTON STENNIS

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson called on the people to demand an air force "second to none" in a speech delivered before a chamber of commerce, air force and civic leaders Saturday.

The senior senator from Texas and minority leader said a program to build up the air force had been started several times, but each time there had been delays.

"We need economy and efficiency, but we should never take a dime from the Air Force that they should have. I would rather have too much too soon than too little too late," Sen. Johnson said.

The senator described designation of Amarillo Air Force Base as an important step towards building up the nation's air strength and said he hoped other communities would take the same attitude as Amarillo in cooperating with the Air Force and other branches of the service.

He said that for the past few years the world has been spared a third general war by ideas, thoughts and plans in which the Air Force has played an important role.

"Whether our children live in slavery or freedom will be determined by the Air Force."

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GENERAL EUMANK

SENA

## On Texas GOP Committee



—Daily News Staff Photo by DON BROWN.  
ED L. ROBERTS

...named to a top GOP committee

## Veteran of Party On Plains Honored

A stalwart of the Panhandle GOP, Ed L. Roberts of 2211 Harrison, has been named to the headquarters committee of the Texas Republican Party.

Mr. Roberts succeeds the late Jas. L. McCormick, killed a few weeks ago in an airline crash in Mexico. He is the only representative on the headquarters committee from the northern and western sections of the state.

The committee, comprised of some of the leading Republicans in Texas, is a steering and policy organization for the state GOP.

The committee is headed by Jack Porter of Houston, GOP national committeeman from Texas. Mr. Porter offered the committee post to Mr. Roberts.

"I accepted the nomination to the committee, telling Mr. Porter I would be glad to do anything I could to serve the party from this section of the state," Mr. Roberts said last night.

"I particularly am interested in the campaign of Pete LaMaser, of Perryton, who is running for nomination to Congress in the GOP primaries," he declared. Mr. Roberts is a life-long Re-

publican. He has taken part in party affairs since he moved to Amarillo 37 years ago. He had been extremely active the past 10 or 12 years, taking a lead in the Willkie and Ben Gullitt campaigns.

He was a classmate at Yale University (class of 1910) of the late Sen. Bob Taft of Ohio and was interested in Taft's bid for the Presidency.

Since the war, Mr. Roberts has made arrangements for a number of young men here to attend Yale. For many years he has been a faithful worker for the Children's Home.

The new headquarters committeeman is an investments man and for many years was in the retail lumber business here as partner in the former Roberts-Oliver Lumber Co.

might get into print if the subpoenas were issued.

Acting Chairman Mundt (R-SD) went next. He didn't mention any such "hint," but he said it made him uneasy that the charges against Cohn were linked with the subpoena question.

## Talk To Mark Big Parade

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Automobile passes will not be required for entrance and Air Police will be on duty to direct visitors to parking areas. Persons may either drive their cars or walk to exhibits. Military personnel, Civil Air Patrol members and Explorer Scouts will be on hand to serve as guides.

Aside from Air Force exhibits,

Civil Air Patrol will hold open house in its building at AAFB. Officers of 9860th engineering training battalion, an Amarillo reserve unit, will have pieces of equipment on display used by Corps of Engineers, including a model of the Bailey Bridge which can be constructed quickly under combat conditions.

Santa Fe Railway is furnishing 25 cars to transport the 2,557 troops from AAFB to Amarillo for the parade.

Armed Forces Day was established in 1950 by the Secretary of Defense, with approval of the President, for purpose of giving official recognition to all branches of the service in lieu of anni-

versary dates previously observed individually. Theme of Armed Forces Day is "Power for Peace."

## Rules Young To Face Pre-Trial Examination

NEW YORK, May 14 (AP) — The appellate division by a three to two vote refused today to bar the pre-trial examination of Robert R. Young by counsel for the New York Central Railroad, but struck

out four points on which the road sought to query the financier.

The eliminated items deal generally with Young's relationship with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad and his affiliation with Clint W. Murchison and Sid W. Richardson, who are backing Young with \$50,000 shares in his proxy fight for control of the railroad.

In striking out the items "at this stage of the proceedings," the appellate division said that an application to examine Young on these points might be renewed.

The two dissenting jurists, in a separate opinion, voted to vacate the entire examination, pointing that all of the defendants had not

been served in Young's suit. When the unserved defendants entered the legal picture, the dissenting justices said, both Young and his associate, Allan P. Kirov, might be subject to repeated examinations.

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IS cafeteria.

Nannon, copy reading; Beverly Brian, headline writing; Ruth Hunter, advertisement and Richard Pipes, photography.

The finished 304-page yearbook which is being distributed to AHS student body today was revealed at the banquet to the staff for the first time since it was completed. The red and grey book features Jamey Saunders and Carol Schultz as "Mr. and Miss AHS". Runners-up in the favorite contest were Wick Alexander and Jerre Lewis, seniors; Kay Alexander and David Bechtol, juniors; and Billy Walker and Ann Wilson, sophomores.

A special tribute to Principal R. E. Norman, celebrating his 25th year as head of the high school, is given in the opening section on student life. Norman was presented an honorary membership into Quill and Scroll at the banquet. The organization is the national high school honor society for journalists.

Distribution of annuals today will begin at 8:30 AM. Seniors receive their books from 8:30 until 9:30 AM; juniors from 9:30 until 10:30 AM; sophomores, 10:30 until 11:30 AM. Others missing the schedule may get theirs from 11:30 AM to 5 PM.

Shelley Patterson  
Is Taken by Death

Shelley Ann Patterson, four-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Patterson, 1103 South Colorado, died yesterday afternoon at St. Anthony's Hospital.

Surviving, besides the parents, are the grandparents, Mrs. Clara Patterson, Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Collette, who live in Germany.

Arrangements for funeral services are pending with Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home.

## HONORS FROM YOU

Jimmy Lee Phipps, of Route 1, is a candidate for cum laude honors in the May graduating class at Texas Christian University.

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the first places settled there. Mr. Baird was a cowboy, farmer and stockman.

Mrs. Baird was a native of Texas, and was reared in the Higgins area.

Born May 18, 1878, Mrs. Baird would have been 76 years old Tuesday. She was a member of the First Christian Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Miss John McCarty, 1323 Van Buren; one son, Bill Baird, 4218 Monroe; two brothers, W. J. Porter, Rocky Ford, Colo., and Henry C. Porter, Denver, Colo.; two sisters, Mrs. Fred Duvall, Pueblo, Colo., and Mrs. Janie Gilbert, La Junta, Colo.; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home.

Air Base  
Permanent

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Amarillo for its efforts to help the Air Force and Amarillo Air Force Base.

"That's why I came to Amarillo—because of what you people have done for the air base and the Air Force."

Amarillo has done as much—and a little more—as any other town in the country to help the Air Force," he said.

General Twining did not make a prepared address but spoke briefly following an address by Rep. Walter Rogers, who was the speaker of the evening.

"Let's make our strength felt at the conference table. We are the rulers of the world—we must make our strength felt at the conference tables," he said.

He referred to Air Force bases as a "new kind of college," pointing out that this type of education must be continued until the menace overseas has been eliminated.

Congressman Rogers called for a united front against the enemies of the United States and the free world.

"We should be united and instead we are bickering among ourselves over domestic issues."

"We are bickering over the release of classified information by persons other than those who could determine whether the information should be released."

"No one believes more than I do in giving the people information but we have seen our foreign policy in trouble because other countries knew what our representatives were authorized to do."

"In international realism information can't be released to the people of the United States without going to our enemies," he said.

In a tribute to the Air Force, Rogers said the people of the United States have no reason to be afraid.

"Any time you become afraid, go to an Air Force base—or other military installation—and look at the men who wear the uniform of our country."

"There is no need to be afraid," Rogers said.

In the opening remarks of his speech, Rogers pointed out that Russia has adequate military strength to choose between a global conflict or minor wars in various areas.

"We must face an indefinite period of mobilization. We must face the moral problems of how and when to use the hydrogen bomb."

"I hope we never have to use it but I know we cannot solve problems of the future with yesterday's concepts," he said.

He said it was proved when the atom bomb was dropped on Hiroshima that yesterday's ideas don't serve to meet today's problems.

"We must keep abreast. It costs a lot of money."

"We have a job to do—if it costs I would rather pay in American dollars than with the blood of American boys. We can pay ourselves out of debt but we can't bring back the American boys who die in Korea, or Indochina, or France or Germany or wherever they are called upon to fight," Rogers said.

Shortly before making his announcement that the Air Force has decided to make Amarillo Air Force Base a permanent base, Twining was presented with a Texas-style hat and assured that it would always be in style.

If he should someday decide to make his home in Texas.

Gene Klein, chairman of the Armed Forces Committee of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, was master of ceremonies at the dinner. He introduced the many Air Force officers and others who are guests here.

Included were Maj. Gen. Roger M. Ramey, Maj. Gen. Eugene Eubank, Judge Marvin Jones, Rep. Walter Rogers, Brig. Gen. Walter Agee, commanding general of Amarillo Air Force Base; Brig. Gen. Ray H. Clark, retired, a former commander of the base;

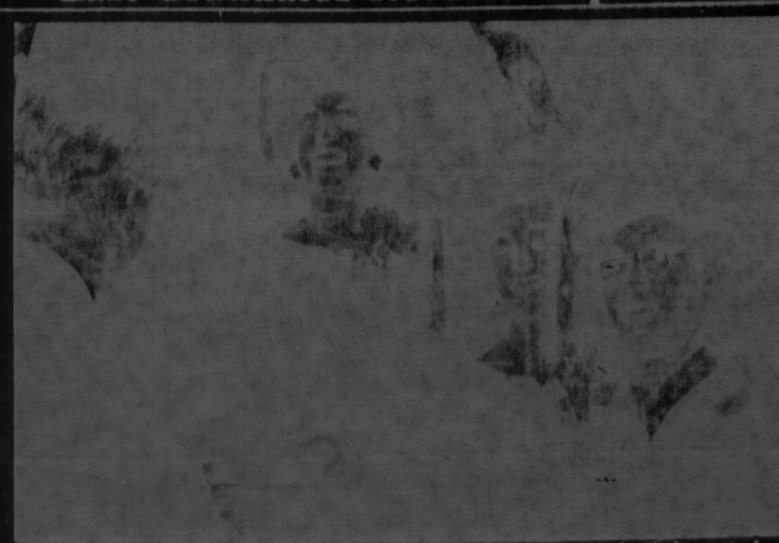
Col. James C. Sherill, Col. Orville Burroughs and Col. Noel T. Parish.

Efforts to have the base here declared permanent were started soon after the base was reactivated and have included many conferences of city officials and civic leaders with Air Force officials.

A few weeks ago the city commission adopted a resolution offering to acquire any additional land needed for extension of the runways at Amarillo Air Force Base and Amarillo Air Terminal and to deed the land to the Air Force, reserving only the site of the terminal buildings, the landing field to continue to be available as a municipal airport.

The resolution, along with plans for improvement of the landing

## Last Graduates Receive Diplomas



Salutatorian Billy McDowell and Valedictorian Doris Newberry have just received their diplomas as Floy Sutton has the distinction of being the last graduate of the 46-year-old Goodnight High School. Supt. John Thompson is making the presentation.

Goodnight School Conducts  
Last Graduation Ceremony

By AL HALL  
Of The Daily News Regional Staff

GOODNIGHT, May 14—An extra touch of nostalgia was added to the graduation exercises for the Class of 1954 tonight. The three young people who received their diplomas are destined to become the last graduates of Goodnight High School.

The entire town was present for the occasion. Mixed emotions pervaded the gathering. As Doris Newberry, Billy McDowell and Floy Sutton marched down the aisle to the strains of the processional, it appeared to be a wedding. With measured steps they walked beneath a rose covered arbor. It was tradition wedded to progress.

Deadlocked Ryan  
Jury Discharged

NEW YORK, May 14 (AP)—A jury reported tonight it was deadlocked after some 30 hours in the thirteenth trial of Joseph P. Ryan, a shaggy old lion of waterfront unionism. The panel was discharged.

The all-male jury had been deliberating since noon Thursday, with time out only for a few hours sleep early today.

"Hopelessly deadlocked," was the jury's final report to General Sessions Judge Francis L. Valente, who then dismissed the jurors.

Ryan had sat out the long ordeal of deliberations in stolid fashion. He chatted at times with relatives and acquaintances. Sometimes he sat silently and seemingly emotionless for long periods.

The 70-year-old Ryan was accused of looting the International Longshoremen's Assn., independent of \$17,000 when he was its president. He was forced out of office last year but still draws a \$10,000 a year pension from the I.L.A.

Ryan claimed the only money he took was to reimburse himself for funds he spent out of pocket to combat communism on the docks. The state charged the money went for less patriotic things—a cruise to Guatemala, for example, golf club dues, insurance, auto repairs and expensive haberdashery.

Crew of Standed  
Freighter on Shore

CAPE HATTERAS, N.C., May 14 (AP)—The 11 weary crewmen of a stranded Honduran freighter swung safely ashore today on a breeches buoy across a storm-tossed surf.

Their vessel, the 260-foot, wood-hulled Omar Babun, bound for Cuba with a cargo of heavy machinery, suffered damages that included leaks.

Capt. Jose Villa radioed distress signals about 1 AM, after shifting cargo had carried away deck supports and opened seams in the sides. He ordered the Omar Babun beached.

Beach parties shot a line aboard, set up a tripod ashore and soon had seamen swinging from the canvas seat "ling from the ship-to-shore ropes."

field, were taken to Washington by General Agee.

City officials last night felt that the designation as a permanent base constitutes acceptance of the city's offer.

No graduating class, regardless of size, could have had a more complete, a more beautiful ceremony. A. J. Garland offered the invocation. Salutatorian Billy McDowell welcomed the audience and spoke on "Power."

Forming a trio, the class sang "I Believe" and you were confident they believed in themselves and the future.

Doris Newberry, valedictorian, chose "Dynamic Power" for her part of the program. Floy Sutton captivated the audience with a solo "I'll Never Walk Alone."

Address to the graduates was delivered by Earle Fischer, principal of Summit School, Amarillo. He declared, "The idealism of young people in our public schools, their faith in freedom and justice, are the hope of the future."

Then as if to assure the folks who had voted to close the school and consolidate the district with one offering a larger curriculum, he said, "The school has no monopoly on education. It starts when the new born babe starts to eat. It ends on the threshold of eternity. It is a daily, life-long process which may or may not be connected with the school."

Came the dramatic moment. Supt. John Thompson congratulated the class for its accomplishments and wished it godspeed. He handed the final diploma to bear the name of Goodnight High School to Floy Sutton, last graduate of the school, whose first graduate received his in 1912.

Rev. J. D. Mansfield offered the benediction. As the trio made its exit to the fading strains of the recessional, the class motto came to mind, "First Weigh—Then Venture."

Goodnight—had—weighed—its needs. It was venturing on a course to meet them.

Witnesses Forced  
To Quit Buick Jobs

FLINT, Mich., May 14 (AP)—Irate fellow factory workers today forced two "Fifth Amendment" congressional subcommittee witnesses to quit their jobs.

At least 500 workers at Buick's Dynaflo plant escorted Howard I. Falk to the factory gate. At the Chevrolet plant, a spontaneous sit down strike ended with the firing of Marvin M. Engel.

Both Falk and Engel refused to answer questions Thursday before a House Un-American Activities Subcommittee investigating Communist infiltrating of

first auto plants.

Falk and Engel, ex-New Yorkers with college degrees, were accused by subcommittee witnesses of being sent to Flint as "colonizers" for the Communist Party in the 1940s.

Management spokesmen, in each case, said workers demanded Falk and Engel be fired.

Joe Louis' real name is Joseph Louis Barrow. He was born in 1914, near Lexington, Ala.

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Intervention  
Talks Mapped

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States to participate" in the seven-year-old fight in Indochina.

Foreign Minister Georges Bidault will represent the French. Douglas Dillon, and possibly other top officials, will speak for the United States in the forthcoming talks.

The State Department declined to say anything about them. But diplomatic informants said Dulles and Bonnet already have concluded tentative arrangements for the meeting.

France urgently requested the talks in order to guide her diplomats now negotiating a possible Indochina armistice at Geneva and to help devise future battlefield strategy in Indochina.

A French Embassy spokesman said the conversations are "imperative," especially in view of the growing Communist attacks in Indochina against the outer defense of the critically important city of Hanoi.

"We need to have a clear cut answer from you right away about what you intend to do to help us—if anything," he said.

A few weeks before the fall of the stronghold of Dien Bien Phu, the United States turned down a secret French plea for massive American air attacks against Red armies in the area.

These were the conditions Dulles laid down in last week's speech as apparently determining whether the United States would even consider such a far reaching step as joining her Allies in the struggle over Indochina.

1. French action to give "great reality" to pledges of independence for the Indochinese states of Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia. The maximum offered by France has been independence within the French Union.

2. "Greater reliance upon the national armies" of the three Indochinese states with "better facilities for training and equipping" these native forces.

3. An "adequate collective effort" by other free governments based on "Genuine mutuality of purpose in defending vital interests." Dulles made clear the United States would not "go it alone" if other free countries refuse to join this country in any defense of Southeast Asia.

4. Some action by the United Nations in "clarifying" the moral issues involved in this struggle against communism.

5. Approval by the American Congress of any move by the Eisenhower administration to send forces of any kind to Indochina.

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YOURS, SPIDER, SHE'S AUTOMATICALLY  
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