



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

18 February 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AA

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: Difficulties Encountered with "Roswell" Book

When I received the latest version of the manuscript from Air Force Graphics on 14 Feb, I discovered numerous errors that will require correction before publication. These errors included unauthorized changes, violations of the Privacy Act, numerous instances of non-compliance with SAF/AAZD requests (including a large error on the cover) and non-compliance with SAF/PAS and SAF/GC directives. There was also a reluctance by Mr Bell, Chief of Air Force Graphics, to allow me to review the final draft before submission to Air Force Publishing. Mr Bell only allowed this review when directed by Col Haynes of SAF/AAZD. **This version of the manuscript is unfit for publication and potentially damaging to the Air Force.** The changes necessary for publication are summarized in Attachment 1.

In addition to errors regarding the Privacy Act and SAF/PAS and SAF/GC directives, the unauthorized change was the removal of two individuals names and the substitution of other text in the acknowledgments section. The correct and substituted acknowledgments are contained in Attachment 2. When I assembled the acknowledgments section, I took great care to recognize only those individuals who I believed supported and contributed to this book. These two persons had large input and deserved every word of their acknowledgments. I cannot recognize the entire staff of Headquarters Air Force Media Services and Graphics, as indicated in the substituted text because the entire staff did not work on this book. Additionally, I consulted numerous Air Force publications, primarily *With Courage, The U.S. Army Air Forces in World War II*, to see how other Air Force authors acknowledged Headquarters Air Force Media Services and Graphics personnel. In this book, written by AF/HO and prepared for publication by Air Force Graphics in 1994, I noticed by name acknowledgments of two Air Force Graphics civilians (page viii). There was no mention of their organization. The original acknowledgment is measured, appropriate and is similar to those of other Air Force authors.

If I had not acquired a copy of the manuscript, inaccuracies, violations of the Privacy Act, and sections of the book not in compliance with SAF/PAS and SAF/GC directives would have been published.

It is important that the standard practice of allowing the author to review a final draft before submission for publication be observed to prevent a reoccurrence of this kind of potentially damaging action.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "James McAndrew", written in a cursive style.

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

Attachments:

1. Table: Changes Required to Make Manuscript
Fit for Publication
2. Correct and Substituted Acknowledgments

CC: Air Force Graphics

Attachment 1

Changes Required to Make Manuscript Fit for Publication

Page Number	Type of Change	Cause of Change	Date(s) Requested By SAF/AAZD*
1. Section One Notes, Section Two Notes, Chart in Appendix A, Appendix B, Appendix C.	Incorrect earlier versions of these items. SAF/PAS and SAF/GC directed changes (Privacy Act). Endnote numbering out of sequence.	Graphics failure to comply.	14 Jan, 27 Jan, 18 Feb
2. Index.	Requires manual update after changes.	Graphics failure to comply.	14 Jan, 27 Jan, 18 Feb
3. 32, 82-83, 84-85, 96, 102, 104, 111-112, 117.	Artwork distorted.	Graphics failure to comply.	14 Jan, 27 Jan, 18 Feb
4. Cover.	Improper placement of organizational name. (HQ USAF appears twice)	Graphics failure to comply.	14 Jan, 27 Jan, 18 Feb
5. Back of Cover.	Insert paragraph.	Graphics failure to comply.	14 Jan, 27 Jan, 18 Feb
6. Spine.	Prepare example of spine design.	Graphics failure to comply.	14 Jan, 27 Jan, 18 Feb
7. Table of Contents	Requires update after changes.	N/A	18 Feb
8. Page v.	Improper acknowledgments.	Graphics unauthorized change.	18 Feb
9. Page v.	Additional space added.	Graphics error on last change.	18 Feb
10. Page 1.	Improper placement of a name.	Graphics error on last change.	18 Feb
11. Page 15.	Improper quotation marks.	Graphics error on last change.	18 Feb
12. Page 15.	* symbol omitted.	Author error.	18 Feb
13. Page 18.	Photograph blurry.	Graphics failure to comply.	14 Jan, 27 Jan, 18 Feb
14. Page 36.	Blurry image.	Graphics failure to comply.	14 Jan, 27 Jan, 18 Feb
15. Page 51.	Improper spacing in caption.	Graphics error on last change.	18 Feb
16. Page 51.	Capitalization error.	Graphics error on last change.	18 Feb
17. Page 91.	Improper placement of Table 2.1.	Graphics error on last change.	18 Feb

Note: Only one change was caused by an omission of the author (number 10), a single character. The remainder of the changes were either not complied with by Graphics when requested, or were errors introduced by Graphics when making changes. The majority of these changes were obvious and should have been identified internally and corrected by Graphics prior to the return of the draft to SAF/AAZD. **Total time to correct these discrepancies is approximately 1 hour.** Other possible discrepancies were also noted. Many of the images in the draft provided to SAF/AAZD on 14 Feb that in previous drafts appeared clear and of proper tone, appeared to be dark and blurry in this draft.

* Memos, SAF/AAZD to Air Force Graphics and SAF/AA, 14 Jan , 27 Jan, and 18 Feb 1997.

Attachment 2

Correct and Substituted Acknowledgments

Correct acknowledgment as written by author:

This publication would not have been successful without the dedication, “can do” spirit, and artistic talents of graphic artist and technical editor, C. Olivia “O.C.” Carlisle. Her ability to accept and meet ever-changing challenges while maintaining focus throughout the lengthy and tedious publication process, is testimony to her patience and professionalism. Thank you to the editor, TSgt. Russell “Rusty” Kirk, who stayed the course through the seemingly infinite “changes to the changes,” and then some.

Acknowledgment **substituted** by AF Graphics:

This publication would not have been successful without the dedication, “can do” spirit, and artistic talents of Headquarters Air Force Media Services and Graphics designers, artists, and technical editors. Their ability to accept and meet ever-changing challenges while maintaining focus throughout the lengthy and tedious publication process, is testimony to her patience and professionalism. Thank you to all those who stayed the course through the seemingly infinite “changes to the changes,” and then some.



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

28 July 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAOE

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 AF Pentagon
Wash DC, 20030

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TRANSCRIPTION

Transcription of the attached interviews on audio cassette is requested. Each tape is marked with the interviewee's name. All interviews were conducted by 1st Lt James McAndrew. The transcripts of these tapes will be used in an official report to SECAF. This request is urgent to meet SECAF suspense.

TAPE #

1. Side A - Gerald Anderson, Side 2 Glenn Dennis
2. Side A- Vern Matltais, Alice Knight, Harold Baca.

James McAndrew, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD

Attachments:
2 Cassette Tapes



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

6 June 1995

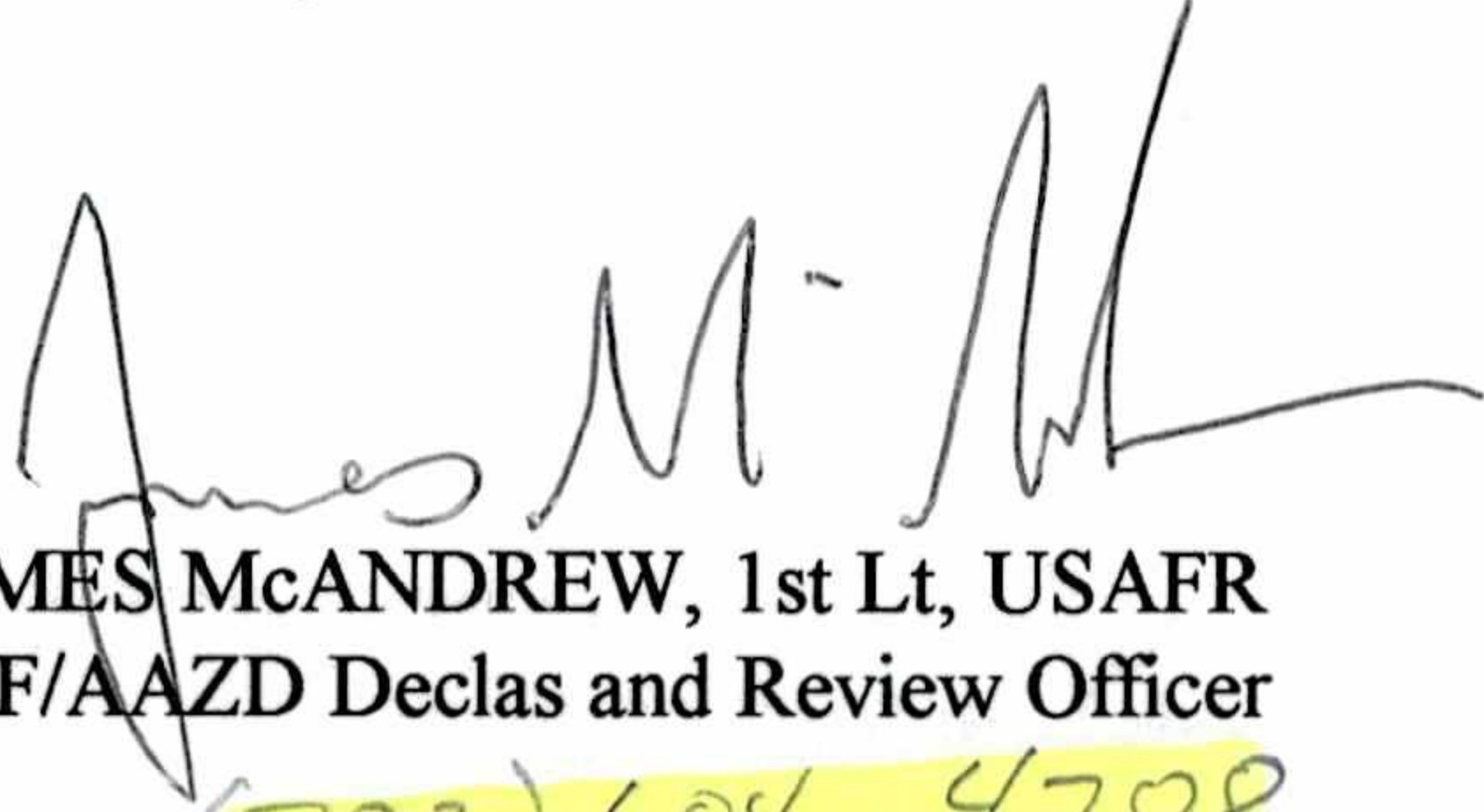
MEMORANDUM FOR PRESENTATION ASSISTANCE

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR DUPLICATION OF AUDIO TAPES

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Date</u>
1. William C. Kaufman, LtCol, USAF (Ret)	Woodinville, WA	5/24/95
2. Charles A. Coltman, Col, USAF (Ret)	San Antonio, TX	5/25/95
3. Dan D. Fulgham, Col, USAF (Ret)	San Antonio, TX	5/25/95
4. Bernard D. Gildenberg	Alamogordo, NM	5/28/95
5. Ole Jorgenson, MSgt, USAF (Ret)	Alamogordo, NM	5/28/95
6. Roland L. Lutz, CMSgt, USAF, (Ret)	Mary Esther, FL	5/31/95


JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer

(703) 604-4788

Attachment:
8 audio cassettes



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

WASHINGTON, DC

of the Secretary

28 July 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: UPDATE-ROSWELL II

The final report regarding the "Roswell Incident" is presently being drafted and is approximately 75 per cent complete. The final draft, contingent upon coordination with Air Force Graphics, will be completed on 25 Aug. Findings are supplemental and do not contradict the July 1994 report to the Secretary of the Air Force. The July 1994 report described one portion of the "Roswell Incident", this supplemental report describes other USAF activities that have been combined with that event to create the "Roswell Incident". Findings are as follows:

- The reported of the "bodies" have been identified, with a high degree of certainty, as anthropomorphic test dummies that were launched on high altitude balloons from Holloman AFB, NM from 1954 to 1959. Many of the abstractly human dummies, used to record high altitude parachute performance data, were recovered at off range locations in the Roswell, NM area. Photographs, test reports, and interviews with Air Force participants have been obtained (TAB 1).

- Air Force high altitude balloon recovery crews, routinely operating in the Roswell area from 1947 to the present, have been identified as the Air Force activity that civilian observers believe was involved in the recovery of a "flying saucer". Techniques and equipment employed by the crews, when compared with "eyewitness" accounts, leaves little doubt that balloon recoveries were described. The majority of the approximately 2000 flights launched from Holloman, were unclassified scientific research. Local residents often assisted in recovery operations and were paid a twenty-five dollar finder's fee by Holloman AFB. Interviews, photographs and technical reports have been obtained (TAB 2).

- Reports of "aliens" at the hospital at Roswell Army Airfield/ Walker AFB, NM, is likely two separate incidents. The first incident has been identified as the recovery/processing of crash victims from a 1957 KC-97 accident in which 16 Air Force members were killed. The second was a 1959 manned balloon accident in which one of the Air Force pilots was injured. The injuries to the pilot included a hematoma to the forehead that resulted in extensive swelling. Photographs of the injured pilot bear striking resemblance to drawings of "aliens" with oversized heads. Interviews have been conducted and photographs obtained of this incident.

- Additional "flying saucer" accounts in the Roswell area are attributable to joint USAF/NASA test operations of interplanetary space probes launched by high altitude balloon from Walker AFB, NM, in the 1960s and 1970s. (TAB 3).

No findings indicate that any of these operations violated either USAF regulations or that USAF personnel engaged in otherwise unlawful activities. It appears that routine USAF activities have been misinterpreted to create a sensational story.



James McAndrew, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD

Attachments:

1. Two photographs of anthropomorphic dummies.
2. Two photographs of USAF high altitude balloon recovery operations.
3. Three photographs of USAF/NASA space probe tests, Roswell, NM.

SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON

NOV 7 1996

Colonel John P. Stapp, USAF, Retired
1413 Rockwood Street
Alamogordo, NM 88310

Dear Colonel Stapp

On the occasion of the 40th Annual Stapp Car Crash Conference, it is my pleasure to recognize your lifetime achievements in automotive, aircraft, and spacecraft safety. Your dedication, vision, and unparalleled personal courage, as evidenced by your willingness to volunteer as your own subject in 29 extremely hazardous rocket sled tests, contribute greatly to the outstanding safety record the Air Force enjoys today.

I congratulate you on your many distinctive accomplishments and extend to you the thanks of the entire United States Air Force. You have set a standard of excellence for us all.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Andrew E. Whitcomb". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "A" and "W".

SAF/AAZD

1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330

F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE: 7 NOV 96 TIME: 1020 EST
TO: Col. M.J. Asensio, Society of Automotive Engineers
(AGARD Specialist's Meeting)
Inn of the Mountain Gods, Mescalero, NM
FAX: (505) 257-6137
FROM: Capt James McAndrew PHONE: (703) 604-4788
FAX: (703) 604-5533
RE: Recognition Letter for Col. Stapp
CC:

Number of pages including cover sheet: 2

Message

Col Asensio,

Sometimes the bureaucracy works! I submitted it on the 5th, it was approved on the 6th, and she signed it on the 7th! Hope it will contribute to an already special evening for Col. Stapp. If you have difficulty reading the signature, the Secretary's full name is Sheila E. Widnall. She's one of the world's foremost experts in fluid dynamics and is a tenured professor at MIT. She is held in high regard in the Air Force. Let me know if there is anything else I can do.

Jim



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WASHINGTON, DC

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25 October 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR AF/JAG

FROM: SAF/AAZD

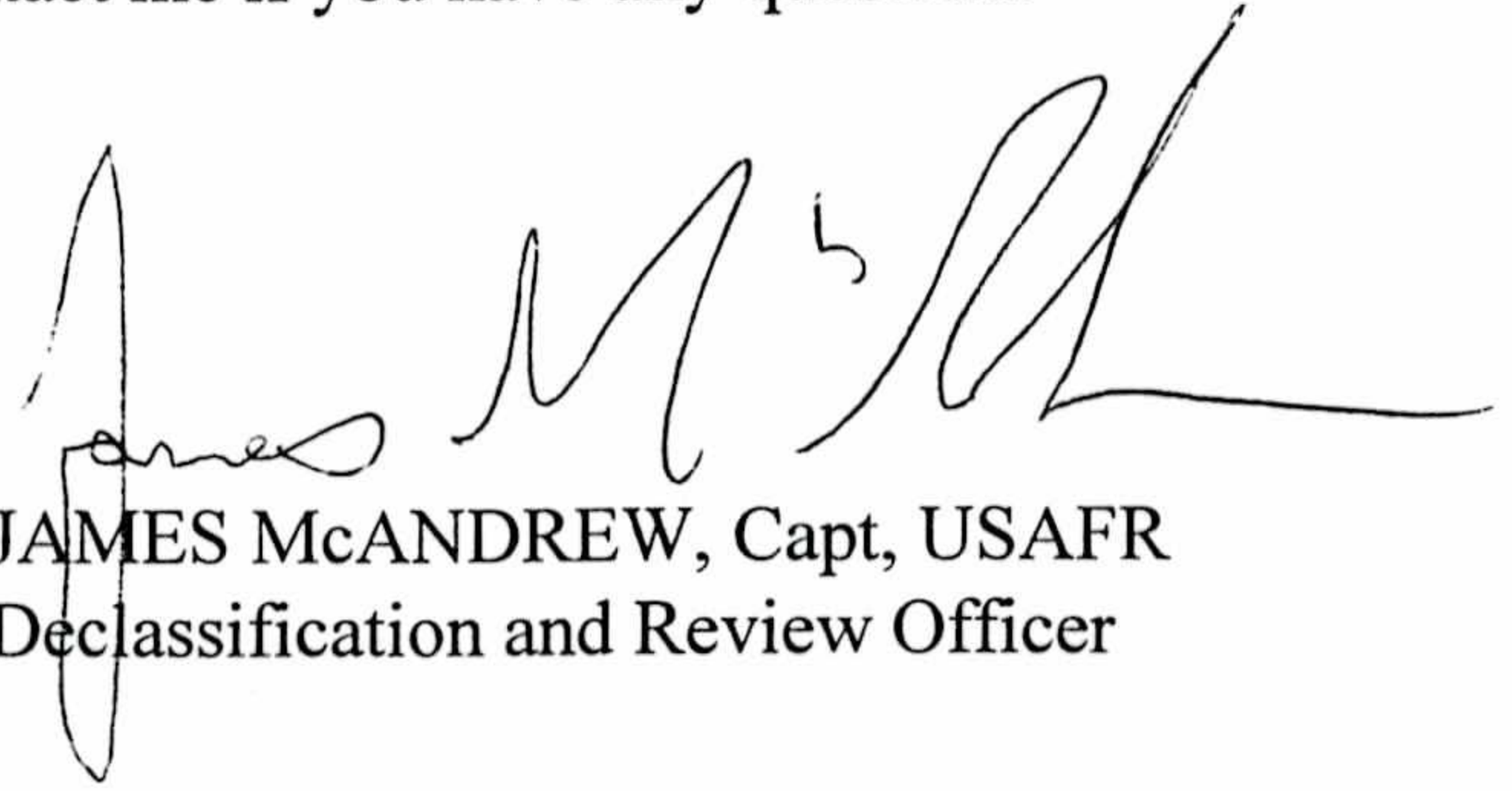
SUBJECT: Review of Roswell Video

Attached is a copy of the "Roswell" video briefing as shown to Dr Widnall. A review is requested to advise of possible legal considerations that may effect a public release of this production. The tape contains time code for reference purposes.

I have noted some areas of possible contention:

- "Alien Autopsy" Film; 01:01:17, note FOX-TV logo in lower right corner.
- National Geographic; 01:11:10, this is an image from an article inside the magazine.
- Lobby Card; 01:11:22, 20th Century Fox lobby card purchased from private dealer.
- Publicity Stills; 01:11:30-41, stills purchased from private dealer.
- Broadcast TV Segment; 01:15:04-:17:29, release obtained and on file.
- Drawing of "Alien" craft; 01:17:51, taken from inside photo section of published book.
- National Geographic; 01:19:45-54; images from article.
- Medical Records; 01:22:39, release obtained and on file.

Thank you for your assistance and please contact me if you have any questions
(703) 604-4788.


JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

Attachment:
Video: The Roswell Reports
cc: SAF/AAZ



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

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23 September 1996

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Jon A. Maguire
C/O Schiffer Publications
FAX (610) 593-2002

Dear Mr Maguire

I have recently reviewed your book, *Gear Up*, and would like to ask you a few questions regarding post-war Army Air Forces and U.S. Air Force uniforms. I am currently conducting research for a report for the Secretary that touches upon uniform issues. I may be reached at (703) 604-4788. Congratulations on *Gear Up*—a catchy title, and a well done, beautifully printed, reference tool!

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12 July 1996

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Eileen Farnochi
12 Princess Lane St
Eatontown, NJ 07724

Dear Eileen

At last! Sorry it took so long to return these photos but they're all here and none the worst for wear—I hope! As Charlie Moore may have told you, we used some of these photos in the Air Force publication about the "Roswell Incident." I bet you never thought your pictures would be the subject of so much attention.

I would like to personally thank you for your generous loan of these photos. They are the only known images of the early balloon flights from Alamogordo AAF that used the neoprene meteorological balloons. Although I was able to find duplicates that Mildred Crary shared with me, we weren't sure if they were the correct ones. But your photos confirmed that Crary's photos were from Alamogordo and we were able to publish them. Also, I received them just prior to publication and in just enough time to make the very last change to the 800-page manuscript—including you and Vivian in the acknowledgments. Once again, thanks so much for your help, and please contact me if you have any questions or comments (703) 604-4788.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature, likely of James McAndrew, is written in ink. It consists of a stylized 'S' followed by a horizontal line.

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

Attachment:
Photographs

cc:
Charlie Moore



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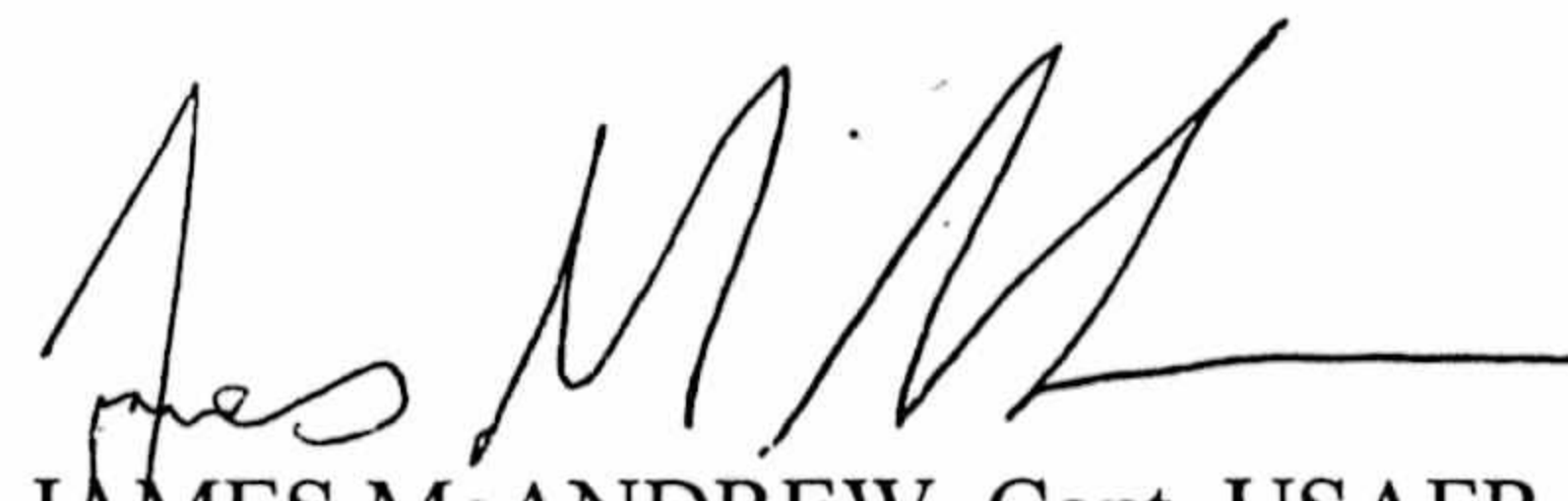
22 November 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR AF/JAG

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: Review of Roswell Report

Attached is a copy of *The Roswell Report: Case Solved* for review. A review is requested to advise of possible legal considerations that may effect a public release of this document. Attention is drawn to the contents of Appendix C. These interviews were taken (as footnoted) from a video, from a audio tape provided by the interviewer, and from the co-author of a book in which excerpts from the transcript appear. Please contact me if you have any questions (703) 604-4788.



JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

Attachment:

Video: *The Roswell Report: Case Solved*.



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WASHINGTON, DC

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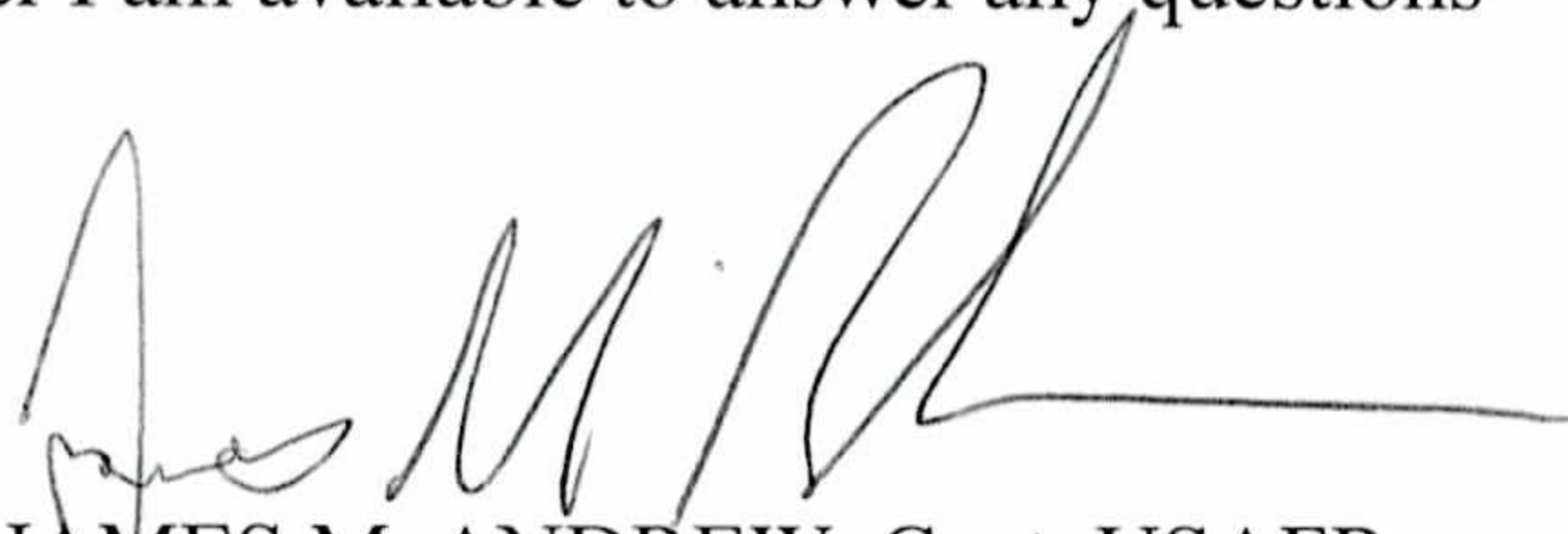
22 November 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/PAM

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: Roswell Report

Attached for review is a copy of the report approved by Dr Widnall. Please review this before our next meeting. As the researcher and writer I am available to answer any questions you may have. I look forward to meeting with you.



JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

Attachment:

The Roswell Report: Case Solved

Statement of Release of Medical Records

I, Dan D. Fulgham, Col, USAF (Ret) hereby authorize the U.S. Air Force to release to the public, in full, the following medical records taken from my Air Force personnel file:

1. DD Form 481-3, "Clinical Record Cover Sheet,"
May 24, 1959.
2. Standard Form 539, "Abbreviated Clinical Record,"
May 21, 1959.
3. DD Form 640, "Nursing Notes," May 24, 1959.
4. DD Form 728, "Doctor's Orders," May 22, 1959.
5. Standard Form 539, "Abbreviated Clinical Record,"
May 21, 1959.


Dan D. Fulgham, Col, USAF (Ret)

9.10.96

Date



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

20 November 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZD

FROM: AF/JAG

SUBJECT: Review of Roswell Video

We have reviewed the video, *Roswell Reports*, and find it suitable for public release. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Lt Col LaRivee at 614-4075.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Richard A. Peterson", is positioned above the printed name.

RICHARD A. PETERSON
Deputy Chief, General Law Division
Office of The Judge Advocate General



Office of the Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

10 Sept 1996

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Mr William Berra
KSAZ-TV
Phoenix, AZ

Dear Mr Berra

This is a follow-up request to use video footage of an Air Force high altitude balloon recovery near Phoenix AZ, which aired on KTSP on 6/13/85. In your first response, you indicated that it was not your desire that this footage be publicly released by the Air Force. Subsequently I have received a telephone message from your staff indicating that you reconsidered our request and would permit public release. Therefore, I have prepared a release statement reflecting this information. If you concur, it is requested that you sign and return it at your earliest convenience. Please contact me if you require further information, (703) 604-4788 or FAX (703) 604-5533. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

I William Berra, Vice President of News, KSAZ-TV, formerly KSTP, Phoenix, AZ, give permission to the US Air Force to use footage of Air Force high altitude balloon operations videotaped by KSTP on 6/13/85. I understand that this footage will be used in a briefing tape for Air Force officials, all or portions of which may be made available for public release by the US Air Force.

William Berra, Vice President of News, KSAZ-TV

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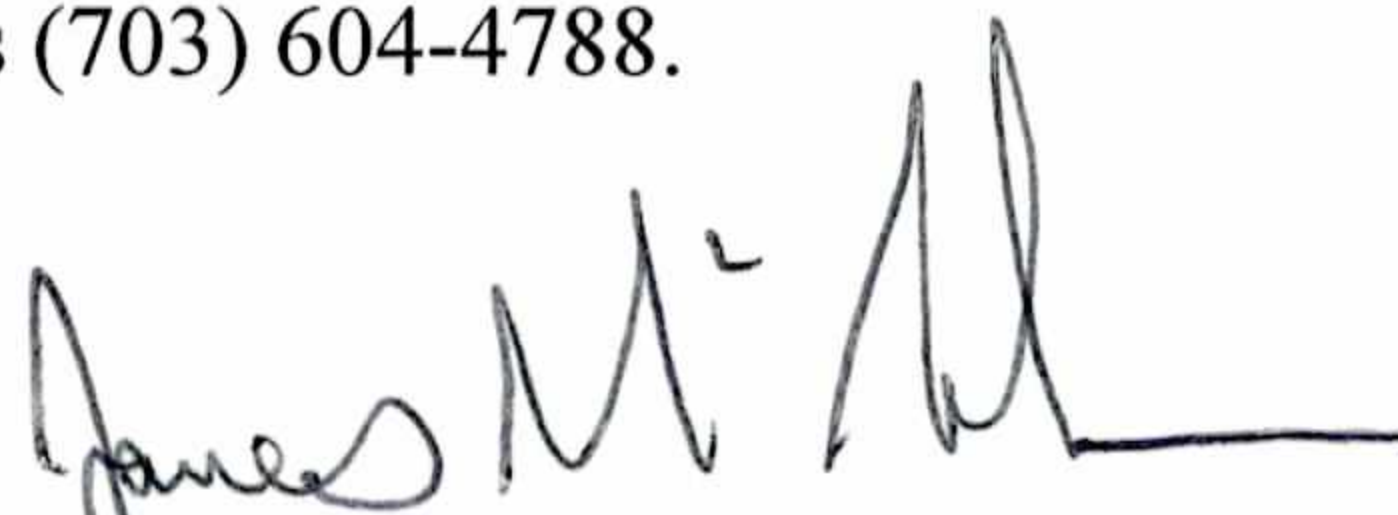
15 October 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR AIR FORCE GRAPHICS

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: Directed Changes to the Roswell Report

Upon executive review of the Roswell report, the following changes have been directed. The cover will be changed to *The Roswell Report; Case Solved*. The words "Roswell Report" will appear in large yellow letters and the words "Case Solved" will be in yellow contained in a yellow box replicating a rubber stamp. This replicated rubber stamp will be on an approximate 45° angle possibly partially overlapping the words "Roswell Report." The background image will remain unchanged. Suspense on this request is 24 October to meet directed release deadlines. Please contact me if there are any questions (703) 604-4788.



JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

29 January 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR NAIC/SCVMS

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, DC 20330-1720

SUBJECT: REQUESTED INFORMATION

Attached are the SILVERBUG and Roswell reports. The SILVERBUG project became the AvroCar, an experimental aircraft developed in about 1960 jointly by the Air Force and Army with Avro Aircraft Limited of Canada. An experimental AvroCar is in the collection of the Air & Space Museum and the Army Transportation Museum at Ft Utes, VA.

Norm Boney of the 88th Communications Squadron (Wright-Pat) Records Staging Area has the R&D records of the AvroCar project, accession # 342-75-076, boxes 67-69, 87-88, and 342-75-151, box 66. Let me know if you need anything else.

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

WASHINGTON, DC

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Office of the Secretary

12 February 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/PAS

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: RAND REPORT - *UFO'S WHAT TO DO?*

This office has no objection to the release of the Rand Report *UFO's What to Do?*. This document has been for sometime, available for sale from the Center for UFO Studies, 2457 West Patterson Avenue, Chicago IL, 60659.

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

10 March 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/PAM

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: ADVANCE COPIES OF ROSWELL BOOK

The listed bases and organizations are either mentioned in the text or are likely to have a requirement for advance copies of the Roswell book. Please make adjustments as necessary and provide the addresses of the PA offices as soon as possible and I will take care of the distribution when the books arrive.

Base	Organization(s)	Reason
1. Wright-Patterson	Base PA	Info
	AFMC	Predecessor mentioned in text
	ASC	Predecessor mentioned in text
	NAIC	Info
	Armstrong Lab	Predecessor mentioned in text
	Air Force Museum	Info
2. Holloman	Base PA	Info
	SMC/TE, OL-AC	Mentioned in text
3. Kirtland	Base PA	Info
	AF Safety	Mentioned in text
	Phillips Lab	Mentioned in text
4. Cannon	Base PA	Info (geographic location)
5. Brooks	Base PA	Info
	Strughold Lab	Predecessor mentioned in text
6. Nellis	Base PA	Info
7. Whiteman	Base PA	Info
	509 BW	Mentioned in text

8. Hanscom	Base PA Phillips Lab	Info Mentioned in text
9. Peterson	Space Command	Info
10. Hurlburt	Base PA AFSOC	Info Mentioned in text
11. AIA		Info
12. Bolling	OSI Surgeon General	Info Info
13. Air Weather Service		Info
Non Air Force Entities		
1. White Sands Missile Range		Mentioned in text
2. Armed Forces Institute of Pathology		Mentioned in text

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

13 March 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: SUBMISSION OF ROSWELL REPORT FOR PUBLICATION

The Roswell Report is completed and is ready for submission to SAF/AAD. I have prepared a draft of the letter of transmittal required by SAF/AAD. All forms required for publication have been completed. The number of copies to be published was agreed to by Col Semon and is the same quantity as the first Roswell book. I am coordinating with SAF/PAM on a distribution list which I will submit to SAF/AA as requested. The final list should be completed during the week of 17 March. If you have any questions please contact me.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James McAndrew", is positioned above the typed name.

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
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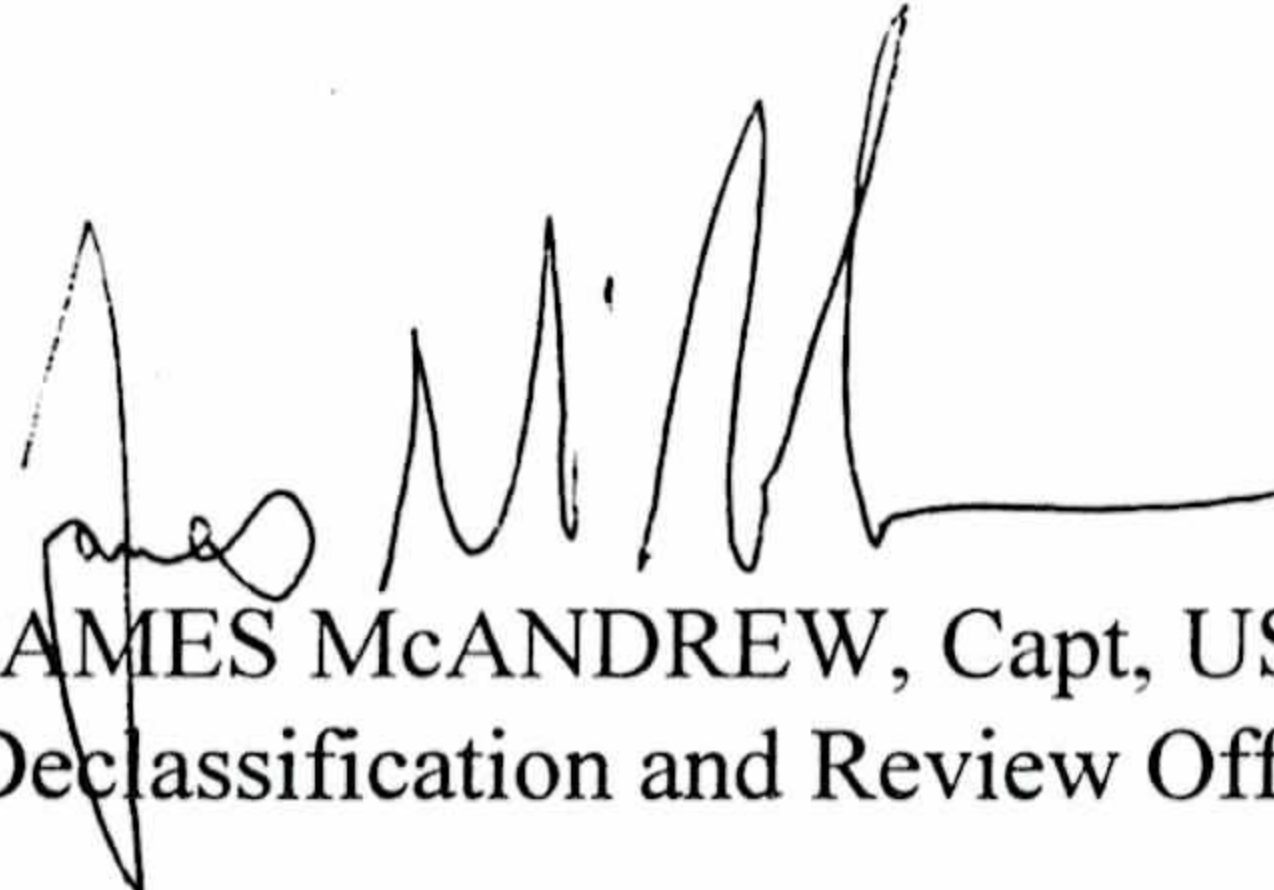
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	Air Force Museum	Info
2. Holloman	Base PA	Info
	SMC/TE, OL-AC	Mentioned in text
3. Kirtland	Base PA	Info
	AF Safety	Mentioned in text
	Phillips Lab	Mentioned in text
4. Cannon	Base PA	Info (geographic location)
5. Brooks	Base PA	Info
	Strughold Lab	Predecessor mentioned in text
6. Nellis	Base PA	Info
7. Whiteman	Base PA	Info
	509 BW	Mentioned in text

8. Hanscom	Base PA Phillips Lab	Info Mentioned in text
9. Peterson	Space Command	Info
10. Hurlburt	Base PA AFSOC	Info Mentioned in text
11. AIA		Info
12. Bolling	OSI Surgeon General	Info Info
13. Air Weather Service		Info

Non Air Force Entities

1. White Sands Missile Range	Mentioned in text
2. Armed Forces Institute of Pathology	Mentioned in text



JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

13 March 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: SUBMISSION OF ROSWELL REPORT FOR PUBLICATION

The Roswell Report is completed and is ready for submission to SAF/AAD. I have prepared a draft of the letter of transmittal required by SAF/AAD. All forms required for publication have been completed. The number of copies to be published was agreed to by Col Semon and is the same quantity as the first Roswell book. I am coordinating with SAF/PAM on a distribution list which I will submit to SAF/AA as requested. The final list should be completed during the week of 17 March. If you have any questions please contact me.

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JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

13 March 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAD

FROM: SAF/AA

SUBJECT: SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENT FOR PUBLICATION

Attached and submitted for publication in electronic form is *The Roswell Report: Case Solved*. The specific information concerning this document is as follows:

Written by: SAF/AAZD, Capt McAndrew, (703) 604-4788

Prepared for Publication by: Air Force Graphics, Ms Conner, 697-1733

Total copies required: 3,000

Advance copies required: 500, delivered to SAF/AAZD

Distribution list: Being prepared by SAF/AAZD and SAF/PAM. Will be submitted when completed.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. Boesch".

EUGENE F. BOESCH

Director, Security and Special Program Oversight



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

20 March 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR DTIC/OCP

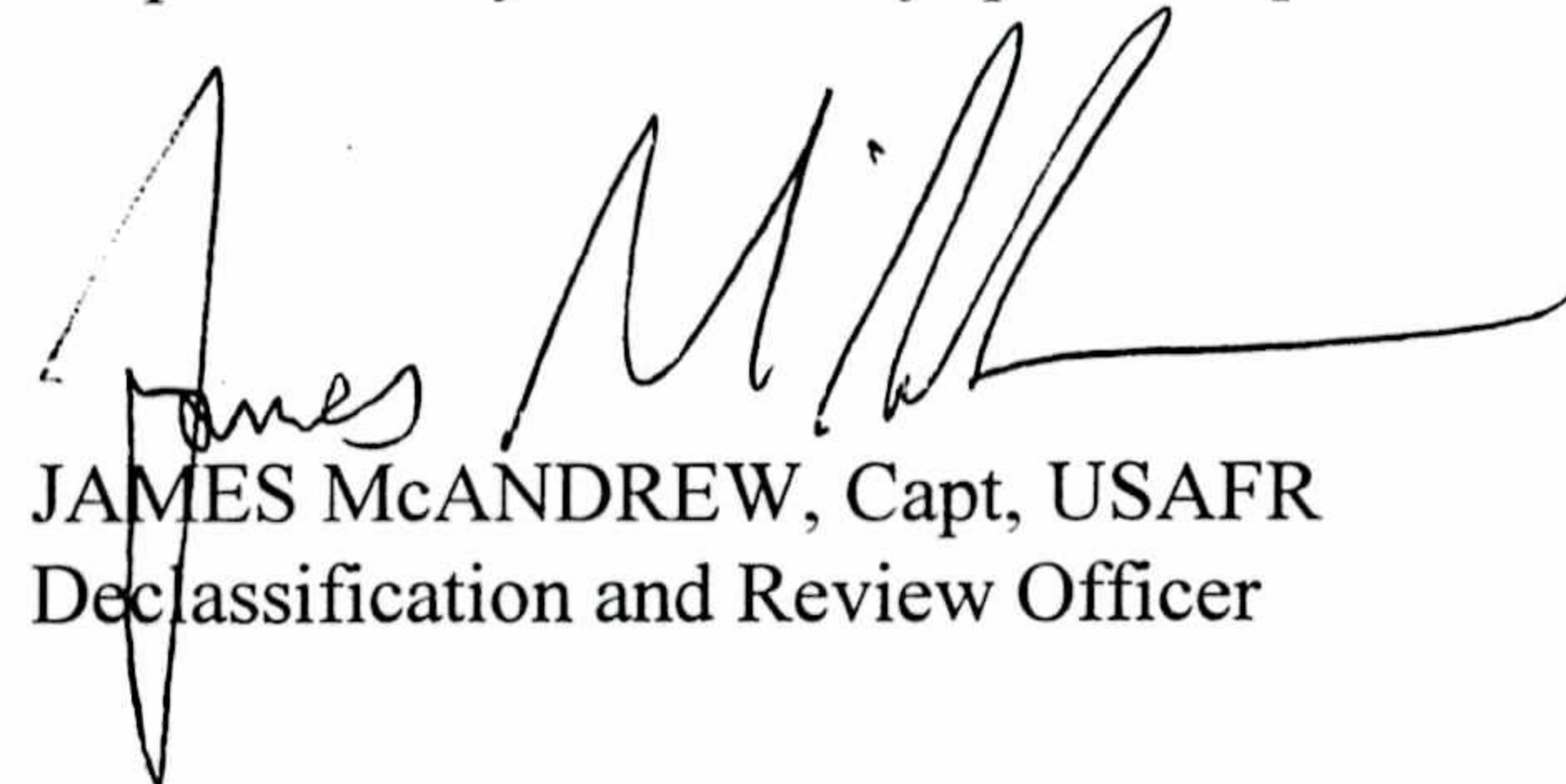
FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTS

Attached are documents to be added to DTIC holdings. If possible, it is requested that *The Roswell Report: Case Solved* Supporting Documents, be identified under one document number. The other two documents may be identified by their own number.

It is also requested that the classification of two USAF documents be changed from Unclassified Limited Distribution to Unclassified Unlimited Distribution and be made available to the public from NTIS. The documents are *High Altitude Balloon Dummy Drops Part I, The Unstabilized Dummy Drops*, WADC Technical Report 57-477, AD 130965, and *High Altitude Balloon Dummy Drops, II, The Stabilized Dummy Drops*, WADC Technical Report 57-477 (II), AD 131572.

Please return all documents when the job is completed. If you have any question please contact me at (703) 604-4788.

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JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

24 March 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR DTIC/OCP

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTS

Based on our phone conversation on 24 March I am requesting that the 11 attached documents be added to DTIC holdings.

Publication	Classification/Distribution
1. Bushnell, David, History of Flight Support Holloman Air Development Center, 1946-1957.	Unclassified/Distribution A
2. Bushnell, David, History of Research in Space Biology and Biodynamics at the Air Force Missile Development Center, Holloman AFB, New Mexico, 1946-1958.	Unclassified/Distribution A
3. Bushnell, David, History of Research in Subgravity and Zero-G at the Air Force Missile Development Center, Holloman AFB, New Mexico, 1948-1958.	Unclassified/Distribution A
4. Bushnell, David, Major Achievements in Biodynamics: Escape Physiology at the Air Force Missile Development Center, Holloman AFB, New Mexico, 1953-1958.	Unclassified/Distribution A
5. Bushnell, David, Origin and Operation of the First Holloman Track, 1949-1956.	Unclassified/Distribution A
6. Bushnell, David, Research Accomplishments in Biodynamics: Deceleration and Impact at the Air Force Missile Development Center, Holloman AFB, New Mexico, 1955-1958.	Unclassified/Distribution A
7. Bushnell, David, The Aeromedical Field Laboratory: Mission, Organization, and Track Test Programs, 1958-1960.	Unclassified/Distribution A
8. Bushnell, David, The Beginnings of Research in Space Biology at the Air Force Missile Development Center, Holloman AFB, New Mexico, 1946-1952.	Unclassified/Distribution A
9. Bushnell, David, Contributions of Balloon Operations to Research and Development at the Air Force Missile Development Center Holloman AFB, N. Mex. 1947-1958.	Unclassified/Distribution A
10. Mazza, Vincent and Wheeler, R.V., High Altitude Bailouts, MCREXD-695-66M.	Unclassified/Distribution A
11. Redmond, Kent C., Integration of the Holloman-White Sands Ranges, 1947-1952.	Unclassified/Distribution A

It is also requested that based on a declassification review by this office, the distribution of the following USAF documents be changed from Unclassified Limited to Unclassified Unlimited and be made available to the public from NTIS.

Publication	AD#	Current Classif
1. Air Force Missile Development Center, <i>MAN HIGH III</i> , MDC-TR-60-16.	AD 259635	Unclass/Limited
2. Air Force Missile Development Center, <i>MAN-HIGH I</i> , MDC-TR-59-24.	AD 215867	Unclass/Limited
3. Firestone, James R., and Patterson, Jack H., <i>Recovery of Parachute-Borne Packages by Helicopter</i> , TDR 62-6.	AD 276477	Unclass/Limited
4. Gildenberg, Bernard G., <i>Capacity and Fatigue Tests on Three Mil Polyethylene Balloons</i> , HADC TN-55-4.	AD 66092	Unclass/Limited
5. Gildenberg, Bernard G., <i>Crane Launch Techniques for Polyethylene Balloons</i> , HADC TN 57-3.	AD 123732	Unclass/Limited
6. Gildenberg, Bernard G., <i>Development of Shroud Inflation Techniques for Plastic Balloons</i> , HADC TN-54-4.	AD 39440	Unclass/Limited
7. Gildenberg, Bernard G., <i>Investigation of Inflation Techniques for Nonextensible Balloons</i> , HADC TN 54-7.	AD 67595	Unclass/Limited
8. Gildenberg, Bernard G., <i>Summary Report Project MOBY DICK: Covered Wagon Balloon Launcher Development and Test Results</i> , HDT-21.	AD 1124	Unclass/Limited
9. Gildenberg, Bernard G., <i>Techniques Developed for Heavy Load Non-Extensible Balloon Flights</i> , Report No. HADC-TN-54-3.	AD 30902	Unclass/Limited
10. Greer, R.J., et al., <i>Development of a Balloon-Borne Manned Vehicle</i> , WADC TR-59-226.	AD 227244	Unclass/Limited
11. Madson, Raymond A., 1st Lt, <i>High Altitude Balloon Dummy Drops, II. The Stabilized Dummy Drops</i> , WADC TR 57-477 (II).	AD 270880	Unclass/Limited
12. Madson, Raymond A., 1st Lt., <i>High Altitude Balloon Dummy Drops, Part I. The Unstabilized Dummy Drops</i> , WADC TR 57-477.	AD 130965	Unclass/Limited
13. Simons, David G., Lt. Col. (MC), <i>Stratosphere Balloon Techniques for Exposing Living Specimens to Primary Cosmic Ray Particles</i> , MDC TR 54-16.	AD 075812	Unclass/Limited
14. Stapp, John P., Maj., <i>Human Tolerance to Linear Deceleration, Part I. Preliminary Survey of the Aft Facing Seated Position</i> , Air Force Technical Report 5915.	?	Unknown

15. Stapp, John P., Maj., *Part II. The Aft Facing Position and the
Development of a Crash Harness*, Air Force Technical Report 5915.

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Thank you for your assistance. I plan to include these titles with AD numbers, in the bibliography of a soon to be released publication. A large amount of Freedom of Information Act requests are anticipated and availability through DTIC/NTIS will be a great help. Please return all documents when the job is completed since in most cases they are originals. If you have any question please contact me at (703) 604-4788.



JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



Office of the Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

10 Sept 1996

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Mr William Berra
KSAZ-TV
Phoenix, AZ

Dear Mr Berra

This is a follow-up request to use video footage of an Air Force high altitude balloon recovery near Phoenix AZ, which aired on KTSP on 6/13/85. In your first response, you indicated that it was not your desire that this footage be publicly released by the Air Force. Subsequently I have received a telephone message from your staff indicating that you reconsidered our request and would permit public release. Therefore, I have prepared a release statement reflecting this information. If you concur, it is requested that you sign and return it at your earliest convenience. Please contact me if you require further information, (703) 604-4788 or FAX (703) 604-5533. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

I William Berra, Vice President of News, KSAZ-TV, formerly KSTP, Phoenix, AZ, give permission to the US Air Force to use footage of Air Force high altitude balloon operations videotaped by KSTP on 6/13/85. ~~I understand~~ that this footage will be used in a briefing tape for Air Force officials, all or portions of which may be made available for public release by the US Air Force.

William Berra, Vice President of News, KSAZ-TV



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

8 April 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AA

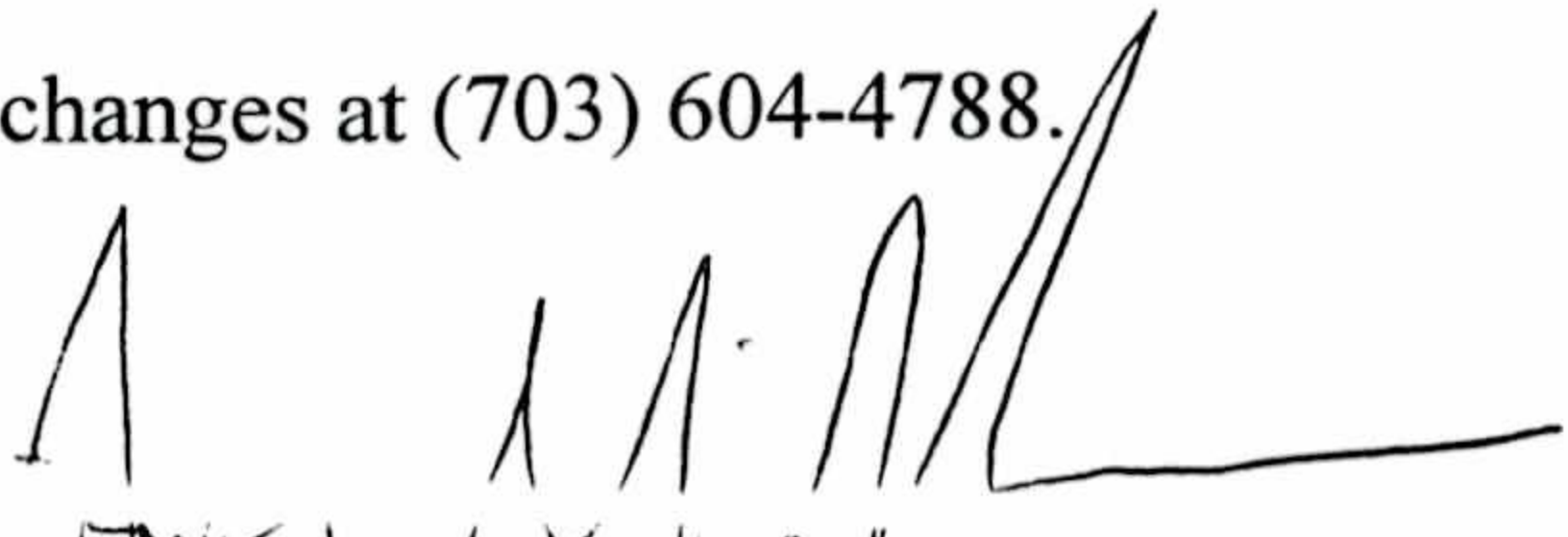
FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: EDITS TO ROSWELL BOOK

Attached is a draft of the Roswell book with changes as directed. Significant changes are:

- Cover: Removal of authors name, change in title from Case Solved to Case Closed.
- Acknowledgments: Removed completely.
- Foreword: Previous foreword removed. Will we replace it with one from the Secretary?
- Section One -Section 1.1. Removal of individual references to UFO theorists and other changes indicated by SAF/AA.
- Section Two: Removal of reference to W. Glenn Dennis as President of UFO Museum.

Please contact me with comments/additional changes at (703) 604-4788.


JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

Attachment:

Readers Spreads; *The Roswell Report: Case Closed*,
Frontal matter, Section One Through Section
1.1, Section Two, page 75

17 January 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: 1st Lt James McAndrew

SUBJECT: Roswell Update

1. In early December 1994, while searching for photographs at the National Archives for the Air Force History publication on Roswell, information was uncovered that appears to explain many of the accounts of "alien" bodies described by UFO writers. The report by SAF/AAZ in July 1994 did not address the issue of alien bodies since no information had been located at that time. One of the main criticisms of the report made by the press and the UFO community is that it did not account for the "bodies".

2. It appears that UFO writers have combined many different events starting with the Mogul incident, a formerly Top Secret project explained in depth by the July 1994 report, and some unrelated Air Force research activities from the 1950's and 60's. The writers claim these events all occurred on one or two days in 1947. Many of the descriptions of alien bodies are actually descriptions of amorphomorphic dummies used for parachute, ejection seat, and possibly space capsule testing (Atch 1). It is also possible that witnesses described chimpanzees or chimpanzee-like dummies (known as chimpamorphic dummies) launched for scientific purposes. Additionally, one of the cornerstones of the UFO writer's scenario is the testimony of a private citizen Mr Glenn Dennis. Mr. Dennis described a peculiar occurrence involving alien bodies at the base hospital at Roswell Army Airfield in July 1947 (Atch 2). Research has shown the story the witness relates actually occurred in about 1960 and didn't involve aliens, but a manned balloon accident. Col Dan Fulgham along with Col Joe Kittenger and Lt Col Bill Kaufman experienced a balloon accident near Walker AFB (formerly Roswell Army Airfield) and were transported for medical treatment to the hospital at Walker. Col Fulgham suffered a hematoma on his scalp and his head swelled considerably. Many of the details related by Mr Dennis are too similar to the balloon accident for it to be a coincidence. All three participants (Kittenger, Fulgham, Kaufman) have been contacted and each remember the incident; LtCol Kaufman has written about the accident in a scientific journal and the on scene medical technician, Hap Lutz, CMSgt (ret), has also written about it.

3. Col Kittenger, I believe, is the red haired captain described in Attachment 2. Descriptions of the red haired captain appear in most UFO books and is a central figure in the conspiracy theories. The red haired captain always appears after a UFO "crash" to direct the recovery of the spaceship it's alien crew and to threaten civilian witnesses. Col Kittenger, when contacted recently, stated he believes the passages in UFO books describe his own activities when he went into the field to recover research projects. Col Kittenger made no threats. The research projects were launched by balloon, usually carried the amorphomorphic dummies, and often landed off of White Sands Missile Range at locations near Roswell, NM. A search is currently underway to locate the records of these launches. Col Kittenger is quite famous for his record setting parachute jump from a balloon at 102,000 ft and he was the first person to cross the Atlantic by balloon. Col Kittenger is credited with an aerial victory in Vietnam and also spent one year in captivity in North Vietnam.

4. I have arranged an interview with Col Dan Fulgham on Jan 24, 1995 at the Pentagon. Col Fulgham flew fighters with Mr Robert McCormick, SAF/AA (ret), in Korea. A possible tie in to the "Roswell Incident" concerns a Captain Robert Dennis who may also have flown fighters in Korea with both Col Fulgham and Mr McCormick. The witness to the hospital story, Glenn Dennis, tells a story where the red haired captain makes threatening remarks directed at his brother, an Air Force fighter pilot named Robert Dennis. At this point I'm not sure how this all relates. My trip to St Louis this week will hopefully shed some light on this complicated subject.

James McAndrew, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD

Attachments

1. Photographs of amorphomorphic dummies
2. Excerpt; *Crash at Corona*, pp.114-120.

cc: SAF/AAZD (Col Smith)

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ (ATTN: LTCOL PATTERSON)

SUBJECT: Status Report on Supplemental Roswell Research

The purpose of this additional project was to tie together the mythology surrounding this event as it relates to one or more discrete Air Force activities in the region which could be interpreted to lend credence to the Roswell story.

The issues to be resolved were:

- 1.) the bodies
- 2.) the spacecraft
- 3.) the presence of Air Force personnel on recovery operations in the vicinity of the "crash".
- 4.) an explanation of coffins and body bags observed in connection with Air Force activities. Additionally, explanation of an autopsy allegedly performed at Walker AFB, NM, and observed by a local mortician, needed to be confirmed.
- 5.) establishment of a time frame for each and all of the various explanations, all of which must be supported by documentation (including interviews, where obtainable).

These issues were not fully accounted for in the initial response to the GAO inquiry, principally because they could not be linked to the July 1947 time frame. Now we are in a position to identify various projects, most never classified, which were misinterpreted by unsophisticated observers and became part of the UFO mythology. Release of this information in a complete and finished format will be a public relations benefit and provide a definitive FOIA response for future inquiries into the issue.

PROGRESS TO DATE:

1. A solid explanation for the "bodies" has been identified. The information gathered has been written up in essentially final form. The figures, graphics and supporting data are also essentially in final form.

2. The "craft" may also be explained as one or more research vehicles, depending on the time frame chosen. The most prominent candidates have been identified and their supporting information is also in final form.

3. The various Air Force activities in the vicinity of Roswell AAF and Walker AFB have also been researched, identified and written descriptions, along with extensive graphic support, have been obtained and are incorporated in the final report.

4. The coffins and body bag issue can be explained through both documents and photographic support showing research activities which were the most logical source of this aspect of the incident. An autopsy (an unusual event in itself) being observed at Walker AFB, and the alleged controversy surrounding it, stems from several different events and the necessary documentary support is available, with the exception of an autopsy protocol report which has been identified. The protocol needs to be reviewed, most probably at the records repository, if arrangements can't be made to ship it here. The witnesses and military members necessary to verify the events, along with their current status (alive, dead, retired, etc.) has been determined and this area is essentially in final form.

5. An overarching time frame has been established which shows that the "incident" is most likely the conglomeration of events which occurred over a period exceeding a decade and, when examined individually, provide an explanation for one or more of the aspects of the "Roswell Incident".

WHAT REMAINS TO BE DONE:

1. A review of an autopsy protocol which may match the description of an event which was unusual even for its time. The mystery witness to this event has also been identified with some certainty, but no confirmation has been sought to date because of privacy issues (mainly court martial records, which are being forwarded by the Staff Judge Advocate) as well as personnel and medical files individuals still living. (estimated completion time: Autopsy review-3 days off-site. Personnel records/medical records -- 3 days).

2. Anecdotal evidence and detailed descriptions of a series of major early space research projects needs to be finalized; probably within 2 weeks. The first half of the final study is complete and will be returned with comments within 10 days.

3. Footnoting and graphics (pictures, etc.) are in the process of being copied and prepared as "camera-ready" for publication. (Estimated completion time: Approximately 3 weeks for each submission-1st half is in process now).

4. Final internal (AAZD) review will consume 10 workdays.

The process has taken longer than originally anticipated, but our perception has been that any publication regarding this issue needs to be fully researched, documented and presented in a clear logical progression which will reduce opportunities for challenge to a minimum level. An alternative is to end the document with an undertaking to investigate further claims to the extent that they cannot be explained by the volume of information amassed to date. The intent is to present the findings in a monograph form (which requires a more detailed footnoting process) but to have it ready for release instead

of preparing the work and then entering the publication process which will add nearly a year as it did for the first report.

In summary, the final report is approximately 50% finalized, the second half is 75% complete with the following open items:

1. Identification and interview of the "mystery" nurse(s), along with a review of personnel and medical records.
2. Court martial records which may contain relevant testimony by one of the "mystery" nurses.
3. Autopsy reports. These are on order, but the location for their review is still in question.

The summary report will also contain three appendices:

1. Balloon history. (Completed)
2. High altitude research projects (nearly complete).
3. The role and history of dummies in research projects (nearly complete).

All of the foregoing is conditioned on three basic assumptions. The first is there are no new developments or programs having a bearing on the issue. Secondly, there will be timely turnaround on information requests made, and thirdly, timely graphics support for the final product which seems to be assured.



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

27 November 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ (LTCOL PATTERSON)

FROM: SAF/AAZD (CAPT McANDREW)

SUBJECT: ROSWELL UPDATE

Since the last update the following progress has been made on the Roswell II report.

1. Part I (one of two) of the summary of findings was completed and forwarded to Col Weaver for comment. Upon incorporation of Col Weaver's comments/changes, the draft will be sent to Air Force Graphics for layout.

2. Part II (two of two) of the summary of findings has been drafted but requires a review of relevant personnel files and autopsy reports. Arrangements have been made to visit the National Personnel Records Center in St Louis during the week of 4 Dec to review these records.

3. Appendix I, Summary of USAF High Altitude Balloon Operations, has been completed and is under review for technical accuracy. Upon completion of the review, it will be sent to Air Force Graphics for layout, most likely during the week of 4 Dec.

4. Court martial records have been obtained from the National Records Center, Suitland, MD and will be reviewed at the Staff Judge Advocate offices at Bolling AFB on 27 Nov for any relevant information.

Remaining to be Done.

1. Formal interviews with medical personnel who were present at the Walker AFB hospital. These persons have been identified and located.

2. Interview with OSI Detachment Commander from Walker AFB.

3. Completion of two remaining appendices, High Altitude Escape Studies and Anthropomorphic Dummies, both of which have been drafted but require revision.

4. Consultation with a pathologist at the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology regarding the autopsy reports. This consultation has been prearranged and will take place upon receipt of copies of the autopsy from St Louis.



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

10 October 1995

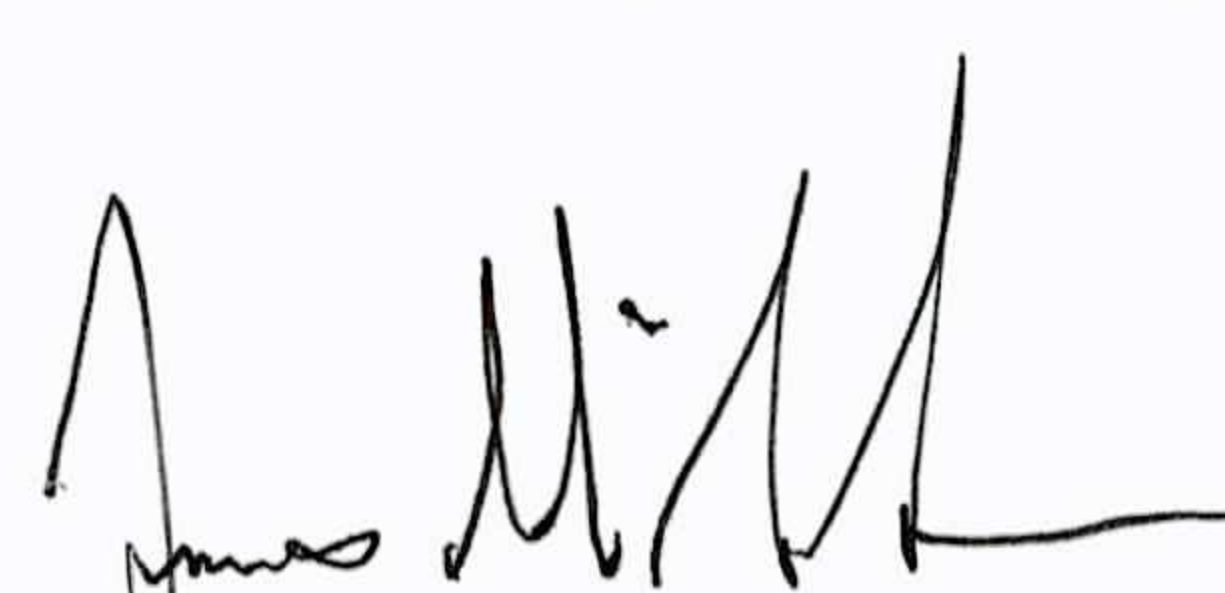
MEMORANDUM FOR AFHRA/ISR

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 AIR FORCE PENTAGON
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20330-1720

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR COPY OF PHOTO

This is a request for a photographic copy of an image that appeared in a unit history. The photo appeared in the 6th Bombardment Wing History for June 1960. It appears to have been Attachment 17 on frame 1312 of the history. I have attached a copy of the photo and caption to assist in locating the photo.

I am requesting that I be sent the undeveloped roll of film. I will have it developed at the Pentagon or Bolling AFB. If you require any further information I may be reached at DSN 664-4788. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.


JAMES McANDREW
Captain, USAFR



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

5 December 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ (LTCOL PATTERSON)

FROM: SAF/AAZD (CAPT McANDREW)

SUBJECT: ROSWELL UPDATE

Since the last update, 27 Nov 95, the following progress has been made on the Roswell II report.

1. Col Weaver's comments on Part I (one of two) of the summary of findings were received and incorporated into the report. Part I will be forwarded to AF Graphics this week.

2. Appendix I, Summary of USAF High Altitude Balloon Operations, has been completed. One expert has completed a technical review and another is expected to complete his this week. Upon receipt of the second review, this section will be sent to Air Force Graphics for layout.

3. Court martial records have been obtained from the National Records Center, Suitland, MD and were reviewed on 27 Nov. Relevant information was found in these records which will be confirmed by personnel records during the visit to St Louis.

4. The trip to the National Personnel Records Center in St Louis to review pertinent personnel and medical records was postponed one week due to the Command Historian Declassification Conference. This trip has been rescheduled for the week of 11 Dec.

5. OSI Detachment Commander from Walker AFB during the mid 1960s was interviewed and he identified OSI agents with likely involvement in this matter. Correspondence was sent to these retired agents, awaiting a response from the correspondence.

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FACSIMILE COVER SHEET
SAF/AAZD (CRYSTAL PLAZA 6 LOCATION)
2221 SOUTH CLARK STREET, SUITE 600, ARLINGTON VA 22202

DATE: 25 Sep 95

TO: AFIP

FAX: (202) 792-0373

TELE: _____

FROM: SAF/AAZD (CAPT McAndrew)

FAX: 703-604-5533 DSN 664

TELE: 703-604-4700 DSN 664

SUBJECT: AIRCRAFT CRASH Fatalities INFORMATION

REMARKS:

Total Pages Including Cover Sheet: 3



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

6 June 1995

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Maj Lillian F. Stone
P.O. Box 27445
Philadelphia, PA 19118

Dear Maj Stone

I am conducting research for the Secretary of the Air Force concerning events which occurred at Walker AFB, NM in the late 1950s and early 1960s. I located the attached order and I am attempting to contact as many of the individuals listed as possible. I would like very much to speak with you if possible. I may be reached at the following number, (703) 604-4788, or the address listed above. If I am not in the office please leave your telephone number and I will promptly return your call. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely

JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer

Attachment:
Special Order, 47th Air Division, 18 Mar 59



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

6 June 1995

SAF/AAZD
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Lt Col Joy A. Lane
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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

6 June 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR PL RESEARCH LIBRARY - USER SERVICES

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

SUBJECT: RETURN OF REPORTS

Listed below are the documents the research library loaned for the purpose of producing a report for the Secretary of the Air Force. The documents were loaned on 6 April 1994. I have now returned all reports with the exception of duplicate reports that are at the GPO to produce the publication on this subject. Your collection is complete, the reports at GPO are duplicates. They will be returned as soon as the publication process is complete.

Hard Bound Volumes

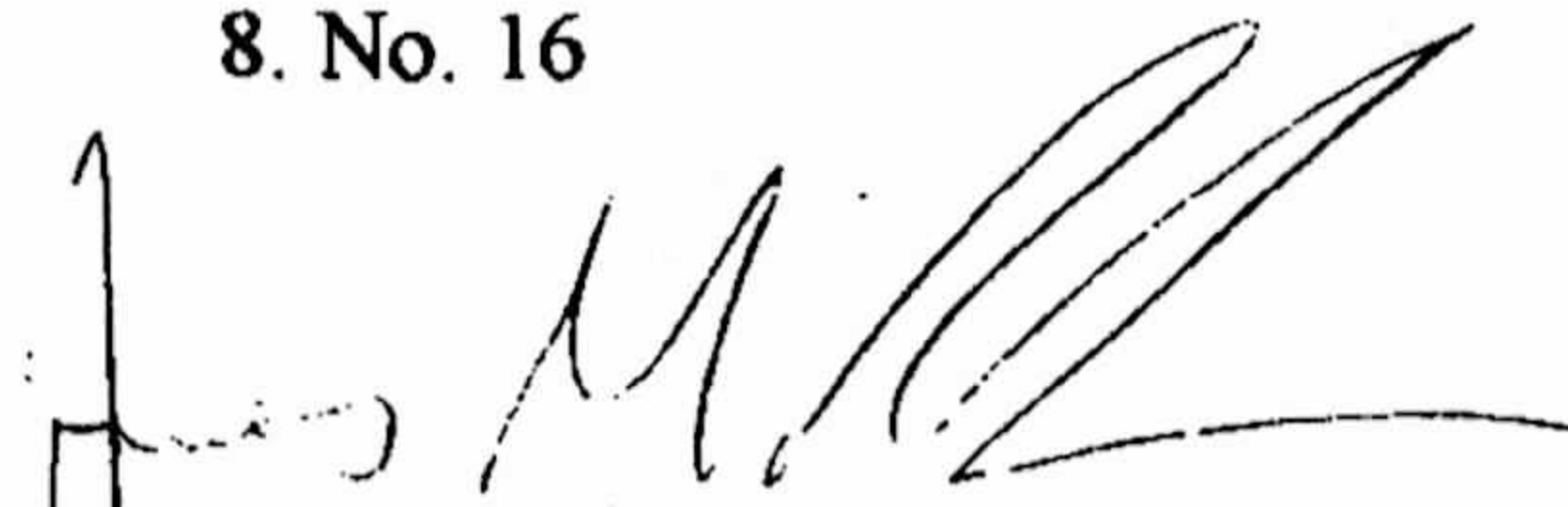
1. Constant Level Balloons Scientific & progress report 13-23, 1946-1948, Final.
2. Constant Level Balloons Scientific & progress report 13-23, 1948-1949, Final.

Soft Bound Volumes

1. Final Report, Radio Transmitter, Receiver, and Recording Systems for Constant Level Balloons.
2. Special Report #1, Covering period from 1 Jan 1947-30 APR 1947.

Progress Reports

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| 1. No. 3 | 5. No. 13, Section II |
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| 3. No. 12 | 7. No. 15 |
| 4. No. 13, Section I | 8. No. 16 |


JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON DC 20330-1000

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

JUN - 6 1995

**MEMORANDUM FOR CHIEF, AIR FORCE SAFETY (AF/SE), ATTENTION
LtCOL LINEBERGER, RM 5E177, THE PENTAGON,
WASHINGTON, DC 20330**

FROM: SAF/AAZ

SUBJECT: Accident Reports Review -- GAO Investigation

This office has received a request from the National Security and International Affairs Division of the General Accounting Office to review the original records of all Army Air Forces "Report(s) of Major Accidents" for the period 1 - 31 July 1947. The purpose of the review is to support a final report statement that the auditor reviewed all major accidents for the period and that only the previous incidents reported occurred in New Mexico during the period in question.

The auditors recognize the sensitive nature of the records being requested and wish to review them in their original form under appropriate conditions to avoid any compromise of the information. No copies are to be made of the requested records and the review itself will be conducted in an appropriate Air Force facility. Upon completion of the review, the requested records will be immediately returned to AF/SE.

The audit for which these records are requested is nearly complete, therefore, this request is time-sensitive.

The point of contact for this office is Maj Charles L. Shoemaker, SAF/AAZD, DSN 664-4665.


EUGENE BOESCH
Assistant for Special
Programs Oversight

cc: Mr. Jack Kreithe, GAO



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

6 June 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR PRESENTATION ASSISTANCE

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR DUPLICATION OF AUDIO TAPES

Duplication of the attached interviews on audio cassette is requested. Each tape is marked with the interviewee's name. All interviews were conducted by 1st Lt James McAndrew. The transcripts of these tapes will be used in an official report to SAF/AA.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Date</u>
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2. Charles A. Coltman, Col , USAF (Ret)	San Antonio, TX	5/25/95
3. Dan D. Fulgham, Col, USAF (Ret)	San Antonio, TX	5/25/95
4. Bernard D. Gildenberg	Alamogordo, NM	5/28/95
5. Ole Jorgenson, MSgt, USAF (Ret)	Alamogordo, NM	5/28/95
6. Roland L. Lutz, CMSgt, USAF, (Ret)	Mary Esther, FL	5/31/95

JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer

Attachment:
8 audio cassettes



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

5 June 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAOE

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 AF Pentagon
Wash DC, 20030

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TRANSCRIPTION

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If any additional information is necessary for this request I may be reached at [REDACTED]
Thank you.

James McAndrew, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD

Attachments:
8 Cassette Tapes



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

10 June 95

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Col Charles A. Coltman, Jr.
8122 Data Point Suite 600
San Antonio, TX 78229

Dear Col Coltman

Thanks for taking the time to meet with me. It was obvious that you maintain a very busy schedule and I realize I took more time than you probably had for this project, and please extend my thanks to Beverly, she was very helpful. I apologize for not remembering that you were retired Air Force; I now remember that you and some of the old gang from Walker told me that you were. The information you provided will be of great use in the upcoming report to the Secretary. After I left San Antonio I went to Alamogordo to interview some of the balloon people and I was introduced to Col J.P. Stapp. He is quite an amazing person and very interesting to talk with. So once again, thanks for your help on this project. Just a few loose ends left and hopefully we can wrap this up soon. I'll keep you updated. If you need to contact me, I can be reached at this new number [REDACTED] or the address above.

Sincerely

JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer



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WASHINGTON, DC

10 June 95

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Col Dan D. Fulgham
6220 Colebra Rd
San Antonio, TX 78228

Dear Col Fulgham

I'd like to thank you for taking time to meet with me. I realize I took more time than you probably have for this kind of thing. The information will of course be central to the upcoming report. When I returned to Washington, I was greeted by a Jack Anderson article in the *Washington Post* that says the Air Force has been hiding flying saucers since 1947. If that was true don't you think you would have flown the flying saucers over Hanoi instead of F-4s? By the way, Jack Anderson has just written a book on UFOs.

After I left San Antonio I went to Alamogordo to interview Duke Gildenberg, the meteorologist from Holloman, and the communications technician who was at your "crash" site. Last stop was Eglin to interview the medic who was on the helicopter. At Alamogordo, I had the privilege of meeting with Col Stapp. He sends his regards. He is still very active and a pleasure to talk with. So once again, thanks for your help on this project. Just a few loose ends left and hopefully we can wrap this up soon. If you need to contact me, I can be reached at this new number (703) 604-4788.

Sincerely

JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer



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WASHINGTON, DC

10
June 1995

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

MSgt John C. Walter
15 Fischer Park
Great Falls MT 59404

Dear MSgt Walter

I am conducting research for the Secretary of the Air Force concerning events which occurred at Walker AFB, NM in the late 1950s and early 1960s. I understand that both you and your deceased wife were stationed at Walker during this period. I would like very much to speak with you if possible. I may be reached at the following number, (703) 604-4788, or the address listed above. If I am not in the office please leave your telephone number and I will promptly return your call. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James McAndrew", is written over a horizontal line.

JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer

Attachment:
Special Order, 47th Air Division, 18 Mar 59



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

19 June 1995

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Lt Col Joy A. Lane
Route 1 Box 1117
Iron City, GA 31759-0117

Dear Lt Col Lane

Thanks for taking the time to help me with this project. I've enclosed a few things that might help explain things (or confuse you further). As I explained, the persons profiting from this nonsense have taken portions of many projects over an approximately 20 or more year period. These persons have presented a scenario that says they all happened on one or two days in 1947. When we wrote the report last summer, we didn't know about Col Kittinger's balloon accident. Thanks for your help I'll be in touch.

Sincerely

-S-

JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

5 July 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR AF/XOX

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: ROSWELL REPORT

Attached are three copies of the narrative portions of the "Roswell Report" that you requested on 5 July 1995. The entire report with attachments is presently in the process of being published by the Government Printing Office and should be available sometime this summer. I have added your office to the distribution list for the published report. If additional information is required I may be reached at (703) 604-4788.



JAMES McANDREW, 1ST LT, USAFR
SAF/AAZD

Attachments:

1. Report of the Air Force Research Regarding the "Roswell Incident" (3 copies)
2. Attachment 32, Synopsis of Balloon Research Findings (3 copies)



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

17 July 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR DTIC (MS. SARA BRADSHAW)

FROM: 1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

SUBJECT: RESEARCH REQUEST

In reference to our conversation on 17 July, I am supplying you with reference materials to assist you with the search. I am interested in the Test Reports from Holloman Air Development Center, NM. A private researcher was successful in locating similar records from DTIC. The references to those records were found manually on index cards under the title **Air Force Missile Development Center (AFMDC)**. The following is information on the project I am researching.

Project Name: Manned Balloon/High Dive/ Excelsior (The name changed over the course of the project)

Project No.: MX-1450B, 7218,7222 (The number changed over the course of the project)

Dates of Reports Requested:	Feb 1956	Sept 1957
	May 1956	Oct 1957
	Aug 1956	Jan 1959
	May 1957	Feb 1959
	Jun 1957	

I have attached a copy of a report on the project to help you in your search. The DTIC point of contact for my organization is AFSAA/SAMI (703) 697-5213. I may be reached at (703) 604-4788. Thank you for your assistance.


JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD

HOLLOMAN AIR DEVELOPMENT CENTER
Holloman Air Force Base
New Mexico

TEST REPORT

ON

THE MANNED BALLOON PROGRAM

Project Title The Manned Balloon Program

Number: 2

Date of Test: 25 January, 8 and 21 February 1956

26 March 1956

Contractor: Aero Medical Laboratory
Wright Air Development Center

Project Number: 7218

Test Directive Number: 5586-H1

Prepared by:

Approved by


MILTON M. HOPKINS, JR.
Captain, USAF
Chief, Balloon Branch


GERALD J. KLACKER
Captain, USAF
Chief, Test Facilities Division



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

28 July 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR AIR FORCE MORTUARY SERVICES

FROM: SAF/AAZD

1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

In response to a General Accounting Office inquiry this office is requesting information on two aircraft crashes. Information desired is as follows:

1. Did an Air Force Mortuary Service Team respond to these crashes ?
2. If so did this team come from Wright-Patterson AFB? If not where did they respond from?
3. Were the remains of either crash identified at Walker AFB, NM?
4. What professions did individuals on the identification teams represent?
Mortician?
Anthropologist?
Pathologist?
5. What were the names of recovery team members who responded to either one of these crashes?
6. Are any descriptions of remains or particulars of the identification process from these crashes available?
7. Can you provide me with the name of anyone, including retired persons, who may have participated, or know someone who participated , in crash recoveries in the 1950s and 1960s?
8. Did the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology send any personnel to these crashes?
8. I would like to see any records your organization may still posses regarding these crashes.

CRASH No.1

LOCATION: 10 miles west of Cameron, AZ

DATE: 29 Oct 57

UNIT: 509th Aerial Refueling Squadron, Walker AFB, NM

AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER: KC-97G, 52-2711A

FATALITIES: 16

AIRCREW:

SSAN

Milton D. Poole, LtCol, USAF

Wilbur K. Abney, Maj, USAF

Irving L. Olstein, Maj, USAF

David C. Mills, Maj, USAF

John C. Shardong, Maj, USAF

David Whitmore, Maj, USAF

Harold D. Shumard, Capt, USAF

David C. Morris, Capt, USAF

Robert R. Ferguson, Capt, USAF

Charles D. Dees, 1st Lt, USAF

Donnie D. Caster, 1st Lt, USAF

Richard D. Taylor, 1st Lt, USAF

Richard W. Noel, TSgt, USAF

Ronald E. Ruble, TSgt, USAF

James E. Hicks, SSgt, USAF

Sherman E. Woods, SSgt, USAF

CRASH No. 2

LOCATION: Runway 03 and adjacent ramp area, Walker AFB, NM

DATE: 3 Feb 60

UNIT: 6th Bombardment Wing (Heavy, Jet), Walker AFB, NM

AIRCRAFT TYPE & NUMBER: KC-135, 56-3628

FATALITIES: 8

AIRCREW:

SSAN

William L. Burke, Maj, USAF

(b) (6)

James F. Kelleher, Maj, USAF

James W. McCormick, Maj, USAF

James J. Muller, 1st Lt, USAF

Robert E. McCallister, TSgt, USAF

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George W. Short, SSgt, USAF

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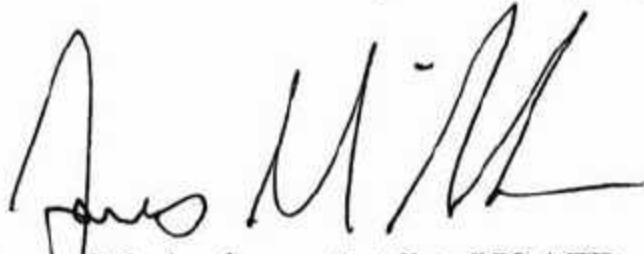
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Raymond W. Brooks, A1C, USAF

(b) (6)

Charles F. Strong, A2C, USAF

Thank you for your assistance. I may be reached at DSN 664-4788, Comm. (703) 604-4788, FAX DSN 664-5533.


James McAndrew, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD



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28 June 1995

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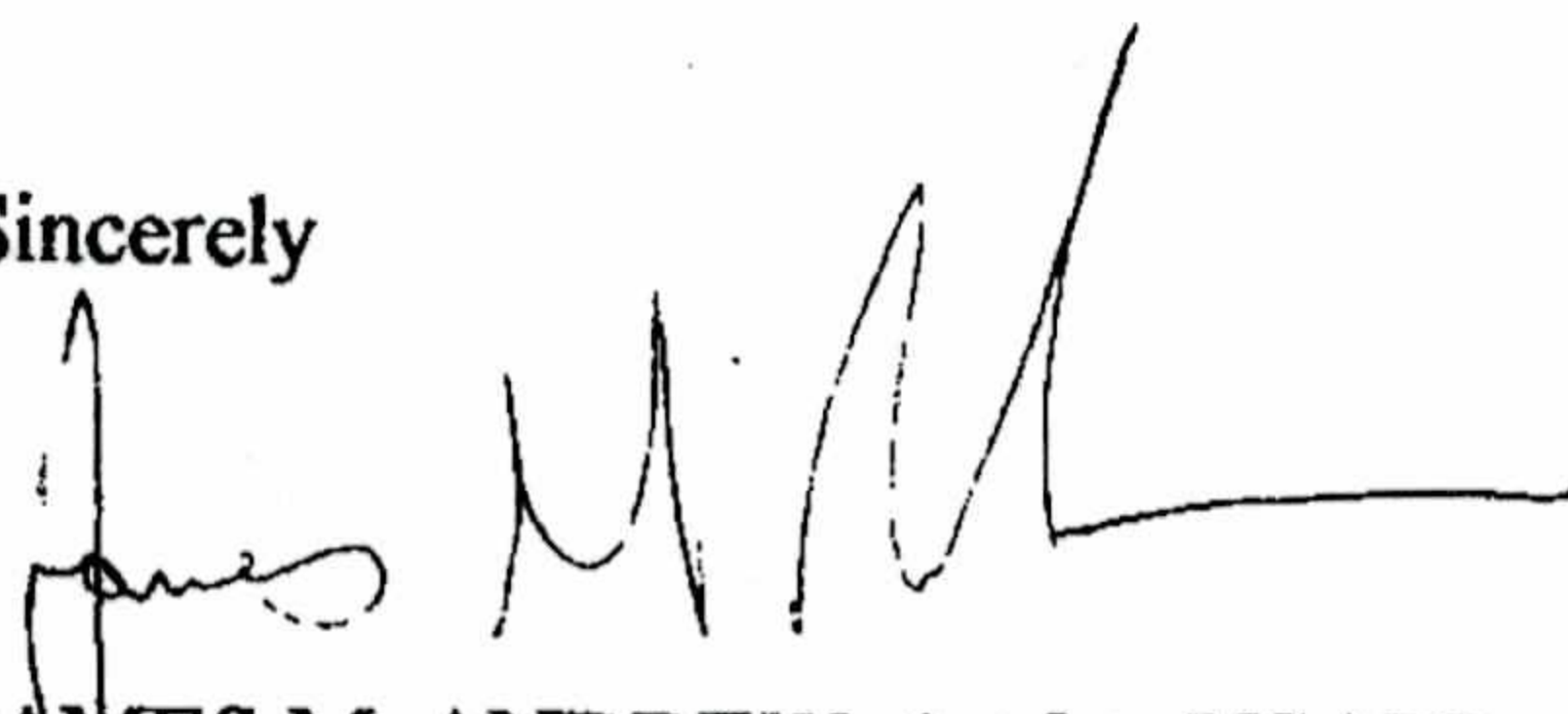
Mrs. Mildred Crary
3010 New Mexico Ave
Washington, D.C. 20016

Dear Mrs. Crary

Please accept my sincerest apology for taking so long to return the items you generously loaned to me. As we discussed, the small balloon photos are at the printer and I expect them to be returned very soon. The publication of the report I helped write last July is due to be released sometime this summer. I think you will be pleased by the representation of your husband and his work. Without your assistance the report and the publication would have been much more difficult, if not impossible, to research and write. I thank you and the Air Force thanks you.

As soon as the book is ready for distribution I will send you a copy and I would appreciate your comments. I have also sent two photos of your husband; one with Doc Ewing and one that was taken at Watson Laboratories in Red Bank, NJ. I personally enjoyed my association with you and look forward to meeting with you in the future. Thanks again for all your help!

Sincerely



JAMES McANDREW, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD Declass and Review Officer

Attachments:

1. Typed journal of A.P. Crary
2. Chase Studios portrait of A.P. Crary
3. 29 3x5 photos taken at White Sands Proving Ground



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

28 July 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: UPDATE-ROSWELL II

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- Reports of "aliens" at the hospital at Roswell Army Airfield/ Walker AFB, NM, is likely two separate incidents. The first incident has been identified as the recovery/processing of crash victims from a 1957 KC-97 accident in which 16 Air Force members were killed. The second was a 1959 manned balloon accident in which one of the Air Force pilots was injured. The injuries to the pilot included a hematoma to the forehead that resulted in extensive swelling. Photographs of the injured pilot bear striking resemblance to drawings of "aliens" with oversized heads. Interviews have been conducted and photographs obtained of this incident.

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James McAndrew, 1st Lt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

22 January 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ (LT COL PATTERSON)

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: ROSWELL UPDATE

Since the last update the following progress has been made on the Roswell II report.

1. Part I (one of two) of the report has been completed and is in lay out at Air Force Graphics.
2. Appendix I (one of three), Summary of USAF High Altitude Balloon Operations, has been completed and is in lay out at Air Force Graphics.
3. The script for the video has been written and edited. Film footage and still photography has been given to Air Force TV for pre-production preparations. Production of the video is scheduled for 29-31 Jan 96. Video will be approximately 15 minutes long.
4. Medical records of hospital personnel involved have been located at the Veteran's Administration. Presently awaiting review of these records.

Remaining to be Done.

1. Completion of Part II of the summary of findings. Part II has been drafted and changes will depend on contents of the VA medical files and some additional research.
2. Formal interviews with medical personnel who were present at the Walker AFB hospital.
3. Completion of two remaining appendices, High Altitude Escape Studies and Anthropomorphic Dummy Development, both have been drafted but require a ~~small amount of~~ *some* additional research.

SAF/AAZD
CRYSTAL PLAZA 6
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DSN 664-4700 COMMERCIAL (703) 604-4700
FAX EXTENSION 5533

DATE: 22 JAN 96

TO: Lt Col Patterson Phone:

Fax: 693 2059

FROM: Capt M. Andrew

RE: LGM

NUMBER OF PAGES INCLUDING COVER SHEET: 2

MESSAGE:

It's Going Well!!
— The END IS NEAR!!

TRANSACTION REPORT

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9 December 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR LT COL DYRDA

FROM: CAPT MCANDREW

SUBJECT: TDY to National Personnel Records Center (NPRC) - St Louis

Depart Washington: 10 Dec 95, 1615, National Airport

Arrive St Louis: 10 Dec, 1735, POC at NPRC- Mr Eric Voelz, Archivist,
(314) 538-4084.

Accommodations: Scott AFB Billeting, DSN 576-1844.

Return to Washington: 14 -16 Dec depending on progress of research and availability of mil-air from Scott AFB.

Purpose: To review previously identified personnel, medical, and autopsy records of Air Force members involved in events misrepresented as part of the incident. I have been working with the NPRC archivist by phone, mail, and fax for several months and he recently located the records that will allow the report to be finalized.

Notes: I have discussed this trip with Col Smith and she had no objections. Col Smith wanted me to use mil-air both ways but flights were not available. The POC at NPRC has limited time and required me to be there early Monday morning (12 Dec).



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9 December 1995

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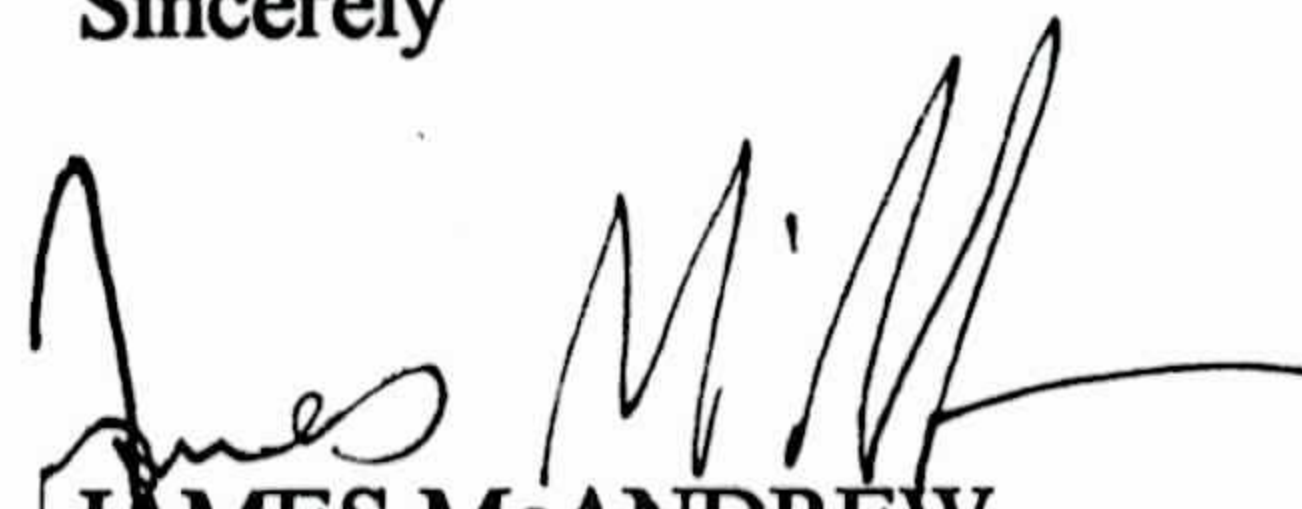
American Medical Association
Data Services
515 N. State st
Chicago, IL 60610

This is a request for any information the AMA may posses that will assist this office in locating a former US Air Force physician. Specifically requested is the business and/or home phone numbers and addresses.

Charles R. Rosewall, M..D.

- Psychiatrist
- Served in the US Air Force at Sheppard AFB, TX in mid to late 1950s

Sincerely


JAMES McANDREW
Captain, USAFR

PO Box 20418

CHULA VISTA CA 91912



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

31 August 1995

1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

American Medical Association
Data Services
515 N. State St
Chicago, IL 60610

This is a request for any current information the AMA may possess to assist this office in locating the two former Air Force physicians listed below. Specifically requested are business or home addresses and/or phone numbers.

1. Timothy D. Germann, M.D. (middle initial may also be P.)
 - Served in the US Air Force in the late 1950s.
 - Last known to be in private practice in the Pasadena, CA area.
2. Noel P. Thompson, M.D.
 - Served in the U.S. Air Force in the late 1950s

If additional information is required please do not hesitate to contact me at (703) 604-4788. If it is possible to FAX this information this would be preferred. The FAX number is (703) 604-5533.

Sincerely

James McAndrew, Capt, USAFR
SAF/AAZD

Records Center, 9700 Page Boulevard,
St Louis 32, Missouri

Hq Air Force Logistics Command
Wright-Patterson AFB Ohio 45433

2. FROM:

WPAFB Ohio 45433

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Shipment 64-44

5. HISTORICAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION

AFLC is responsible for providing the services of AF identification specialists to assist in the processing of remains for identification. Files contain the original processing reports made by the ident specialists. Governing directive is AFM 143-1

6. DATE

7. TYPED NAME AND TITLE

Thomas W. Fry
Chief, Memorial Affairs Branch

8. SIGNATURE

Thomas W. Fry

9. (For use by staging areas and records center)

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Hq Air Force Logistics Command, Wright-Patterson AFB Ohio 45433

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1 February 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDING OFFICER NAVAL MEDIA CENTER

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, DC 20330-1720

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR FILM TRANSFER

It is requested that your facility transfer three 16mm films of historic Air Force scientific projects to BetaCamSP format. These films will be included in a production currently being developed by Air Force TV. The purpose of this production is to brief the Secretary of the Air Force.

The cooperation of your organization will assist us in completing this production since the Air Force no longer possesses the capability to transfer film. I have provided blank BetaCam tapes for the transfer.

If you require any additional information, I may be reached at (703) 604-4788. Thank you for your assistance.

JAMES McANDREW
Captain, USAFR



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

6 October 1995

MEMORANDUM FOR NPRC-ERIC VOLEZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 AIR FORCE PENTAGON
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20330-1720

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

In response to a request from the Secretary of the Air Force, this office is requesting information on personnel that were assigned to the hospital at Roswell AAF/Walker AFB during the late 1940s and 1950s. Specifically requested are information contained in morning reports of the units and personnel files of individuals that were assigned there during this period. The units and individuals are as follows:

<u>Individuals</u>	<u>Service No.</u>
1. Adams, George F.	AO257543

Specifically requested is a copy of any Courts Martial proceedings that may have been convened on this individual. Also a copy of his WD AGO Form 66, Report of Casualty (if any), VA claims, or other information that may indicate his present residence.

2. Goodnough, Charlene	AN2243350 or AN224350
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Copies of any medical discharge proceedings, WD AGO Form 66, or any other record of contact with military or civilian legal authorities. Copies of officer performance report at time of discharge.

3. LaRue, Angela, A.	N754423
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Portions of WD AGO Form that contain physical description, place of birth, units of assignment, date of discharge.

4. Fanton, Adeline M	N769730
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5. Uebele, Claudia	N769098
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6. Godard, Joyce N727209

Portions of WD AGO Form that contain physical description, place of birth, units of assignment, date of discharge.

7. Ferrell, Lee F., Col, USAF (Ret) 19206A

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Morning Reports/ Rosters

A review of the morning reports and/or rosters of the hospital at Roswell AAF/Walker AFB, NM for the period of October 1947 until November 1952 to determine if a nurse or female officer assigned to the hospital had the last name "Wilson."

1. 427th AAFBU, Squadron "M", Roswell AAF, NM -1947
2. 509th Station Medical Group (509th Bomb Group) - 1948-1949
3. 509th Medical Group (509th Bomb Wing) - 1949- 1952

Thank you for your assistance in this matter you require any further information I any be reached at (703) 604-4788.


JAMES McANDREW
Captain, USAFR



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON DC 20330-1000

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

27 March 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD

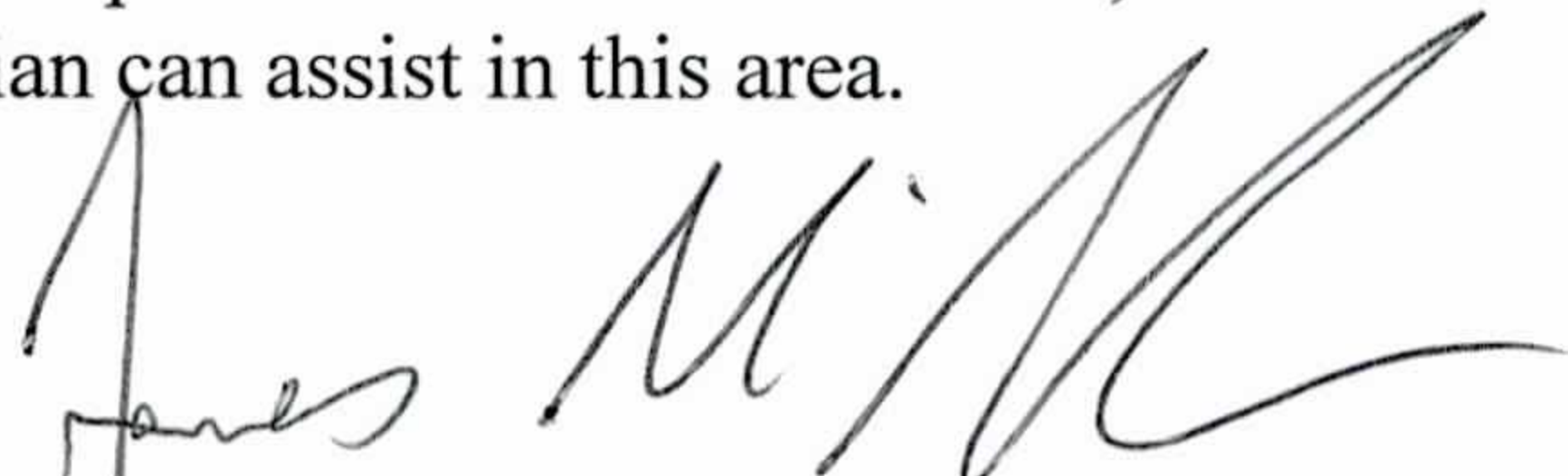
SUBJECT: Progress Report - Request from Maj Gen Minnihan

Based on the letter from Neil A. Coddington, Lt Col, USAF (Ret) the following research was conducted.

- The organizational history of the unit identified in the orders provided by Lt Col Coddington has been reviewed. It does not contain much useful information about the unit.
- The two other Air Force members identified in the orders personnel files have been located and reviewed at the National Personnel Records Center in ST Louis, MO.
- The two other Air Force members are both retired from the Air Force and their current addresses are available.
- A former AF/IN historian has been contacted and has provided useful information. He is contacting another former historian for additional information.

Interim Findings

It appears that Lt Col Coddington was interviewed by the CIA for a position that required someone with his AFSC (Airborne Radio Repairman), although the exact nature of the assignment is unclear. One of the other radio repairmen listed on the orders was assigned to a Special Activities Squadron in Las Vegas, NV one year later. Speculation is that due to the location and AFSC this person was involved in the development of the SR-71 aircraft, which was a CIA program at that time. Hopefully the other historian can assist in this area.


JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declass and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON DC 20330-1000

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

MEMORANDUM FOR ARCHANGELO DiFANTE

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

SUBJECT: Request for Photograph

I have attached a copy of the photograph we discussed. I also require a copy of the photograph that immediately precedes this one in the history. Thanks for your help. I may be reached at DSN 664-4788 if you have any questions.

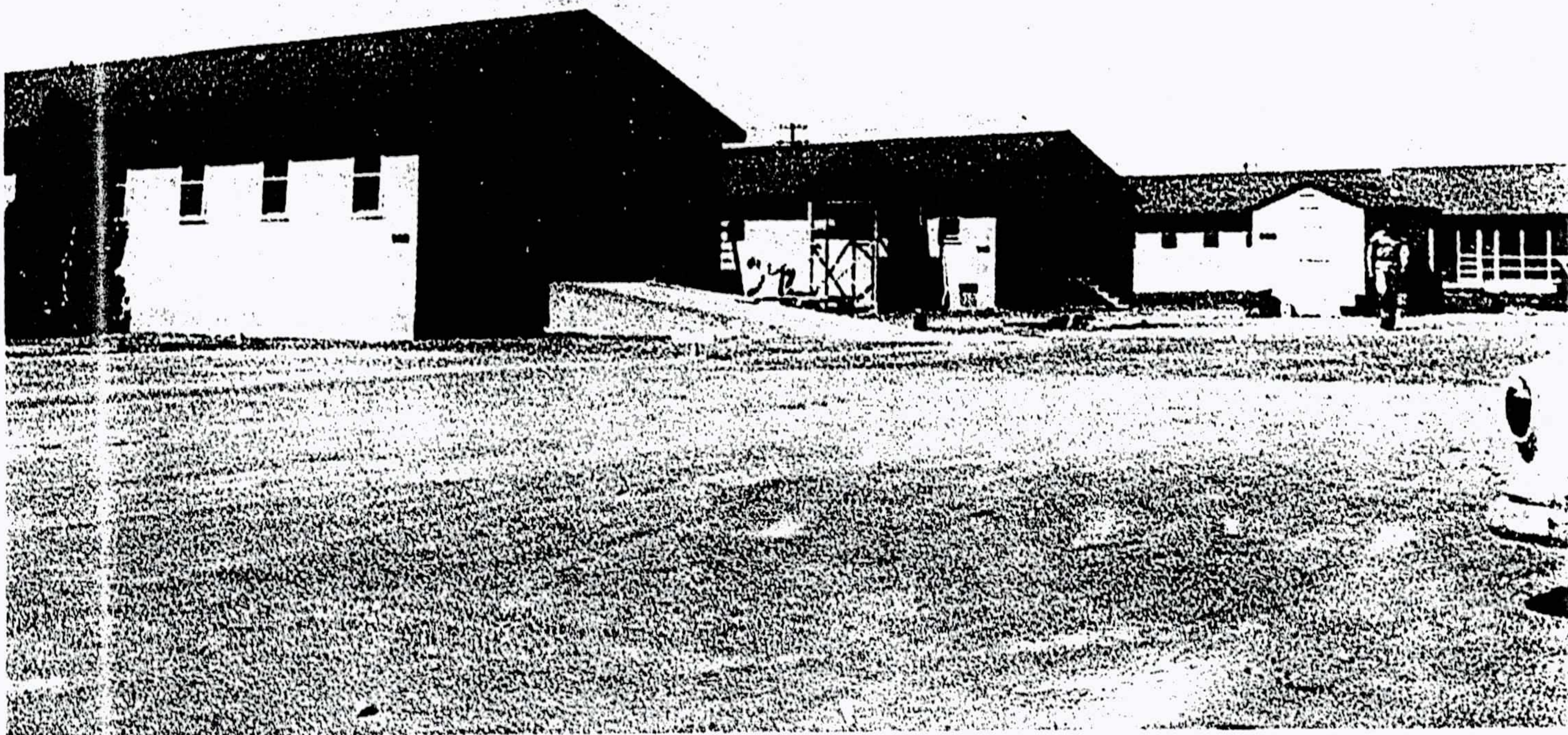


JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declass and Review Officer

Attachment:
Microfilm Copy of photograph, 47 Air Div, Jun
1954, frame 1769

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• June 1954 417 AIR DIV History



EXTENSION TO FLIGHT SURGEON'S OFFICE AND DISPENSARY

An addition of 450 square feet has been added to the Flight Surgeon's Office (S-318) and the Dispensary (Bldg 317) has an addition of 800 square feet, with ramp built at the rear.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Dear Requester

Enclosed is a copy of *The Roswell Report: Fact vs Fiction in the New Mexico Desert* by Col Richard L. Weaver and 1st Lt James McAndrew. This document contains the report submitted to the Secretary of the Air Force in July 1994 that provided the Air Force response to an inquiry from the General Accounting Office (GAO). The GAO inquiry was to establish the facts surrounding what has become known as the "Roswell Incident."

Great care was taken to ensure that all original documents submitted to the Secretary were included in this volume. Delays were encountered during the publishing process due to difficulties associated with the reproduction of materials that were nearly fifty years old, and in many cases, were in poor condition. We apologize for any inconvenience that this delay may have caused you. If you require additional copies of this publication they may be ordered from the Government Printing Office, Superintendent of Documents at a cost of \$52.00.

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Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James McAndrew", is written over a horizontal line.

JAMES McANDREW
Captain, USAFR



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

1 May 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ (LT COL PATTERSON)

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: TRIP REPORT, 22 - 26 APRIL 1996

Purpose: To examine additional sources of information to support findings in the second Roswell report.

Places Visited/Sources Checked:

1. Albuquerque, NM - University of New Mexico Library - New Mexico newspapers from the 40's thru the 60's, books on local history;

2. Roswell, NM - City Library - newspapers, books on local history.

Chavez County Clerk - review public records for judgments for/against the Air Force.

3. Las Cruces, NM - City Library - newspapers, books on local history.

Dona Ana County Clerk - review public records for judgments for/against the Air Force.

4. Carrizozo, NM - Lincoln County Clerk- review public records for judgments for/against the Air Force.

4. Sante Fe, NM - State of New Mexico Archives - public records of the State Board of Thanato Practice for possible Air Force involvement.

5. Farmington, NM - to conduct in person interview and obtain signed sworn statement from a former Air Force member.

City Library - review newspapers and books on local history.

6. Aztec, NM - to conduct in person interview and obtain signed sworn statement from a former Air Force member

City Library - review newspapers and books on local history.

San Juan County Clerks Office - review public records for judgments for/against the Air Force.

Findings:

This trip was successful in that two interviews were conducted and sources were checked to verify previous findings. The interviews were of a former Air Force pediatrician and a pharmacist stationed at Walker AFB in the 1950s. References to the pediatrician have surfaced in the Roswell story much to the individual's surprise. The pediatrician had no knowledge of the events he is alleged to have participated nor did he know the person making the claims and attributing statements to him. The pharmacist was interviewed to support aspects of the pediatricians statements.

The newspapers and local history books from various New Mexico cities were checked to verify information obtained from unit histories. The significant finding from this source was the discovery of an additional aircraft crash that may have played a role in the reports of the "bodies" at the Walker AFB hospital. To eliminate/include this information, Col Smith is in the process of obtaining the accident report from Maxwell/HRA.

The public records were reviewed from the areas surrounding Roswell, NM and the White Sands Missile Range. This review was to determine if any judgments (property loss etc.), were recorded due to Air Force activities. This review was negative.

The New Mexico Archives review was also negative.



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

20 April 1996

SAF/AAZD

1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Mr George J. Schwaderer
590 Issac Prugh #170
Kettering, OH 45429

Dear Mr Schwaderer

I've enclosed two trip reports from the identifications of the aircraft crash victims at Walker AFB, NM. Also the Autopsy Protocol and Clinical Record Cover Sheet of one of the victims. I've also included a copy of an article from *American Funeral Director* and *Omni*. The *Omni* article describes the two "strange doctors" and it best describes this so called "incident." I included the article from *American Funeral Director* to illustrate the degree of exceptance this hoax has achieved.

While the mortician, see photograph, claims these events occurred in 1947, Air Force records indicate that he was most likely describing one or both of these aircraft crashes. It's our position that this is a shameless exploitation of deceased Air Force members and it should be stopped. Any help you can provide would be greatly appreciated. Thanks.

Sincerely

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declass and Review Officer

Attachment:

1. *American Funeral Director*, pp. 2, 24-25, 38-39, 46-47, November 1994.
2. Trip report, Walker AFB, NM, June 1956.
3. Trip report, Walker AFB, NM, October 1955.
4. Clinical record Cover Sheet.
5. Autopsy Protocol.
6. *Omni Magazine*, Fall 1995.



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

25 March 1996

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Mrs Virginia J. Wasem
221 E. 21st St.
Dover, OH 44622-1031

Dear Mrs Wasem

Thank you for providing me the information concerning your sister in law, Martha C. Wasem. I apologize for calling you without an introduction. I have been given the assignment of identifying the medical staff of the Station Hospital at Walker AFB, NM in the late 1940s. Unfortunately, due to a catastrophic fire at the National Personnel Records Center in St Louis, MO in the early 1970s, many personnel files of former Air Force members were destroyed. However, records that survived the fire indicated that Martha C. Wasem was assigned to Walker AFB as a nurse. I would like to take you up on your offer to contact Martha Wasem's sister. I have provided two copies of this letter if you would like to send her one. I would also like to speak with her by phone if she cared to contact me. I may be reached at (703) 604-4788, if I am not at my desk, please leave a message and I will promptly return the call. Thank you once again for your assistance.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature, likely "J. McAndrew", is written in ink above the typed name.

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declass and Review Officer

CRASHES

DATE	TYPE AIRCRAFT	LOCATION	UNIT
5/27/48	C-47	20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF BATON ROUGUE, LA	WAFB
8/12/48	B-29	6 MILES SOUTH OF WALKER AFB	509TH BG
4/1/49	B-29	10 MILES SOUTH OF WAFB	22ND BG, SMOKEY HILL AFB
5/16/49	C-47	9 MILES EAST OF WAFB	WAFB
5/25/49	B-29	50 MILES NORTHEAST OF ELPASO, TX	92ND BG, BIGGS AFB
11/11/49	B-29	INDIANAPOLIS, IN	509TH BG
11/18/49	B-29	TAMPA, FL	509TH BG
12/15/49	B-29	1 MILE NORTHWEST OF WAFB	509TH BG
4/11/50	B-29	SANDIA BASE	509TH BW
5/31/50	B-29	5 MILES NORTHEAST OF DEXTER, NM	509TH BG
6/1/52	B-50	UNITED KINGDOM	509 BW
10/1/52	KB-29, 44-83939	HAWAII	509 ARS
1/1/53	T-11, 41-27664A	BERGSTROM, AFB, TX	WAFB
2/18/53	B-36H, #3719	WAFB	RAPID CITY AFB
2/23/53	C-45, 43-35876	27 MILES SE WAFB	MAXWELL AFB
5/26/55	B-36	?	WAFB
6/16/55	T-33	WAFB	ADC, CLOVIS
10/3/55	B-47E	18 MILES WEST OF TATUM, NM	43 BW, DAVIS-MONTHAN, AZ
2/5/56	B-47E		509 BW
3/27/56	F-86	SOUTH OF WAFB	CLOVIS AFB ?
6/26/56	KC-97G	8.8 MILES SOUTH OF WAFB, NM	509 ARS
2/15/57	B-47	WAFB	509 BW
10/29/57	KC-97	20 MILES SOUTH OF CAMERON, AZ	509 ARS
2/3/60	KC-135, 56-3628	WAFB	6 BW
1/1/63	B-52	NORTH OF MORA, NM	

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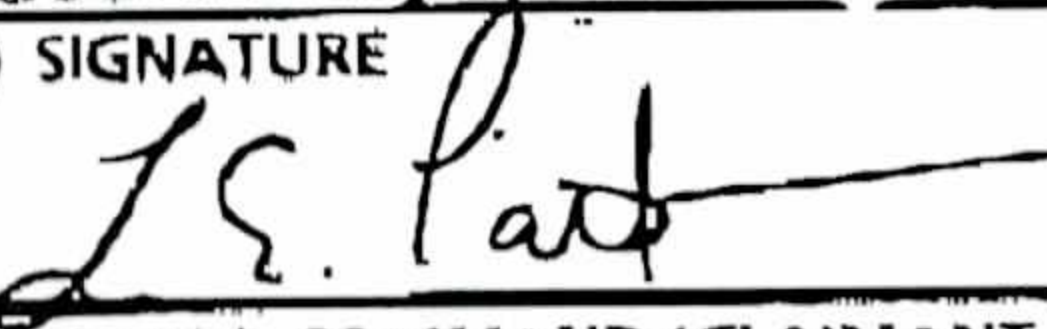
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☒ d. INTERNAL INFORMATION		☐ e. RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, TEST, AND EVALUATION		☐ f. INSTALLATION SUPPORT	
☐ g. PUBLIC INFORMATION		☐ h. INTELLIGENCE, RECONNAISSANCE, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION AND COMMUNICATIONS SECURITY		☐ i. MEDICAL AND DENTAL	
11. JUSTIFICATION REQUESTED BY SAF/AAZ TO APPRAISE SAF OF THE PROGRESS OF ONGOING RESEARCH REGARDING THE "ROSWELL INCIDENT."					
12. FUNDING AVAILABILITY (X one) ☐ Yes (List) (1) AMOUNT: \$ ☒ No (2) PROGRAM ELEMENT		13. DITIS RECORD		a. RECORD NUMBER	
		b. COURSE NUMBER		c. COURSE TITLE	
14. PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION PLAN ATTACHED (X one) ☐ Yes ☐ No (Explain)				15. PUBLIC CLEARANCE REQUIRED? (X one) (See Item 34) ☐ Yes ☐ No	
16. REQUESTER					
a. TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) McANDRWE, JAMES		b. RANK/GRADE CPT		c. ORGANIZATION MAILING ADDRESS SAF/AAZD 1720 AIR FORCE PENTAGON WASHINGTON DC 20030-1720	
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17. ASSIGNED TECHNICAL ADVISOR (TA)					
a. TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) COSTELLO, OWEN J., JR.		b. RANK/GRADE CMS		c. ORGANIZATION MAILING ADDRESS SAME AS ABOVE	
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19. PRIMARY CONTACTS									
a. COMMERCIAL SOURCE (Purchase)					(2) MAILING ADDRESS				
(1) VENDOR'S NAME									
(3) TELEPHONE NUMBER (Include Area Code)									
b. OTHER GOVERNMENT SOURCE					(3) MAILING ADDRESS				
(1) ORGANIZATION NAME									
(3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code)									
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c. ASSIGNED PRODUCTION ACTIVITY									
(1) ORGANIZATION NAME HQ USAF Television Service Center 11th Communications Squadron			(2) OFFICE SYMBOL 11 CS/SCUT		(3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN 225-7317 COMMERCIAL 703-695-7317			(4) DVIAN F3227	
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(1) ORGANIZATION NAME			(2) OFFICE SYMBOL		(3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN COMMERCIAL				
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☒ c. GOVERNMENT PRODUCED									
21. SUBJECT SEARCH									
a. SEARCH NUMBER		b. SEARCH PARAMETERS ATTACHED (X one) ☐ Yes ☐ No (Explain)							
c. CONDUCTED BY									
(1) NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)			(2) ORGANIZATION			(3) TELEPHONE NUMBER (Include Area Code)			
d. NUMBER OF DAVIS PRODUCTS FOUND		e. NUMBER OF COMMERCIAL PRODUCTS FOUND		f. REASON FOR NOT USING PRODUCTS FOUND			g. EXEMPTION		
22. MEDIA FORMATS AND COPIES									
a. LENGTH (1) MIN/SEC 24:25		(2) UNITS		b. MEDIUM		PRODUC-TION (X)		DISTRIBU-TION (X)	
c. SIZE		PRODUC-TION (X)		DISTRIBU-TION (X)					
(1) 8 MM FILM				(1) MOTION PICTURE				(7) AUDIO DISC	
(2) 16 MM FILM				(2) VIDEO TAPE		X		X	
(3) 35 MM FILM				(3) VIDEO DISC				(9) MIXED MEDIA	
(4) 1/8 INCH TAPE				(4) SLIDE/TAPE				(10) DISC	
(5) 1/4 INCH TAPE				(5) SLIDE SET				(11) OTHER (Specify)	
(6) 1/2 INCH TAPE		X		(6) MULTI-MEDIA					
(7) 3/4 INCH TAPE				d. DISTRIBUTION FORMAT		NO.COPIES			
(8) 1 INCH TAPE				(1) U-MATIC				(12) D1	
(9) 2 INCH TAPE				(2) CARTRIDGE				(13) D2	
(10) 8 MM TAPE				(3) REEL TO REEL				(14) D3	
(11) DISC				(4) VIDEO VHS				(15) M-II	
(12) OTHER (Specify)				(5) VIDEO BETA I				(16) VIDEO SUPER VHS	
				(6) VIDEO BETA II OR III				(17) DIGITL VIDEO/INTERACTIVE	
				(7) SUPER BETA				(18) COMPCT DISC/INTERACTIVE	
				(8) VIDEO DISC				(19) OTHER (Specify)	
e. MEDIA STOCK		(X)		(9) COMPACT DISC					
(1) COLOR				(10) INTERACTIVE VIDEO DISC					
(2) BLACK AND WHITE				(11) 8 MM VIDEO				f. TOTAL NUMBER OF COPIES	
23. ESTIMATED COSTS									
a. IN-HOUSE		\$		b. CONTRACT		\$			
(1) SCRIPT		\$0.00		(1) SCRIPT					
(2) PRODUCTION		\$5,012.05		(2) PRODUCTION/PURCHASE					
(3) DUPLICATION				(3) DUPLICATION					
(4) TOTAL		\$5,012.05		(4) ADMINISTRATIVE					
c. GRAND TOTAL (a. + b.)		\$5,012.05		(5) TOTAL					
24. ADMINISTRATIVE REMARKS (Non-catalog)									
STATEMENT OF RELEASE OF MEDICAL RECORDS, AND RELEASE OF KTSP VIDEO NEWS SEGMENT (PRESENTLY KSAZ-TV PHOENIX, AZ) ATTACHED.									

25. CURRENCY STATUS (X one)		a. CURRENT	b. HISTORICAL	c. OBSOLETE
d. LAST REVIEW DATE (YYYYMMDD)		e. NEXT REVIEW DATE (YYYYMMDD)		f. HISTORICAL/OBSOLETE DATE (YYYYMMDD)

1. OFFICE OF PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY (OPR)	
(1) ORGANIZATION AND OFFICE SYMBOL (3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN _____ COMMERCIAL _____	(2) MAILING ADDRESS _____ _____ _____

26. REQUESTING FUNCTIONAL VALIDATION SIGNATURES. I certify that the requested VI production is authorized by regulation or directive or is necessary in conducting official business.	
a. INSTALLATION (Unit level below Major Command/Claimant) (1) TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) Patterson, Leonard E. LTC (3) SIGNATURE 	(2) MAILING ADDRESS SAF/AAZ 1720 Air Force Pentagon Washington DC 20330-1720 (4) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN 223-2017 COMMERCIAL (703) 693-2017
b. MAJOR COMMAND / CLAIMANT (1) TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) (3) SIGNATURE 	(2) MAILING ADDRESS (4) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN _____ COMMERCIAL _____
c. COMPONENT HEADQUARTERS (1) TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) (3) SIGNATURE 	(2) MAILING ADDRESS (4) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN _____ COMMERCIAL _____
d. OSD FUNCTIONAL STAFF (1) TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) (3) SIGNATURE 	(2) MAILING ADDRESS (4) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN _____ COMMERCIAL _____

27. ACTION OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION. I certify that the requested VI production does not duplicate existing productions and represents the minimum expenditure of funds.	
a. INSTALLATION (Unit VI Manager) (1) TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) (3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN _____ COMMERCIAL _____ (4) SIGNATURE _____ (5) DATE (YYYYMMDD) _____	(2) ORGANIZATION ADDRESS (6) ACTION TAKEN (X one) ☐ DISAPPROVED ☐ FORWARDED ☐ APPROVED
b. MAJOR COMMAND / CLAIMANT (VI Manager) (1) TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) (3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN _____ COMMERCIAL _____ (4) SIGNATURE _____ (5) DATE (YYYYMMDD) _____	(2) ORGANIZATION ADDRESS (6) ACTION TAKEN (X one) ☐ DISAPPROVED ☐ RETURNED ☐ APPROVED ☐ FORWARDED
c. COMPONENT HEADQUARTERS (VI Manager) (1) TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) (3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code) DSN _____ COMMERCIAL _____ (4) SIGNATURE _____ (5) DATE (YYYYMMDD) _____	(2) ORGANIZATION ADDRESS (6) ACTION TAKEN (X one) ☐ DISAPPROVED ☐ RETURNED ☐ APPROVED ☐ FORWARDED

27. ACTION OFFICIAL CERTIFICATION. (Continued)

I certify that the requested VI production does not duplicate existing productions and represents the minimum expenditure of funds.

d. OSD (VI Manager)

(1) TYPED NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

(2) ORGANIZATION ADDRESS

(3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code)

DSN

COMMERCIAL

(4) SIGNATURE

(5) DATE (YYYYMMDD)

(6) ACTION TAKEN (X one)

☐ DISAPPROVED☐ APPROVED ☐ RETURNED

(7) PRODUCTION DESIGNATION

(X one)

☐ 2 JOINT INTEREST☐ 1 OSD ☐ 3 OTHER**28. SUBJECT INDEX**

a. FIELD AND GROUP CODES

A

B

C

b. DESCRIPTORS

A UFO

B BALLOON

C ROSWELL

29. MILESTONE DATES (YYYYMMDD)

a. PRODUCT APPROVAL

970331

b. PRODUCT PURCHASED

(Contract signed)

c. SCRIPT APPROVAL

970331

d. INITIAL PRODUCTION

COMPLETION

970331

e. DISTRIBUTION

f. CATALOG ENTRY

☐ Yes (Date) ☐ No

g. REVALIDATION

h. PRODUCT REQUIRED

30. PRODUCTION STATUS (X one)☐ (1) PROPOSED☒ (2) COMPLETED☐ (3) CANCELLED**31. CATALOG REMARKS**

SEE ATTACHED USED FOR ITEM 8.

32. RECORDS CENTER AND DISTRIBUTION ACTIVITY CONTACTS

a. LOCATION OF ORIGINAL OR MASTER MATERIAL

(1) ORGANIZATION NAME

IVISDA

(2) OFFICE SYMBOL

SAM-OPV-JT-AS

(3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code)

DSN

795-6543

COMMERCIAL

717-895-6543

(4) DVIAN

b. DISTRIBUTION ACTIVITY

(1) ORGANIZATION NAME

IVISDA

(2) OFFICE SYMBOL

SAM-OPV-JT-AS

(3) TELEPHONE NUMBERS (Include Area Code)

DSN

795-6543

COMMERCIAL

717-895-6543

(4) DVIAN

33. REPRODUCTION RIGHTS (X one)☒ a. GOVERNMENT ONLY☐ b. DOD ONLY☐ c. NO REPRODUCTION RIGHTS☐ d. LIMITED RIGHTS
(Specify)**34. PUBLIC CLEARANCE STATUS (X one)**☐ a. CLEARED FOR PUBLIC EXHIBITION AND SALE☒ b. NOT CLEARED FOR PUBLIC EXHIBITION OR SALE☐ c. CLEARED FOR NONPROFIT AND PUBLIC EXHIBITION ONLY**35. ACTUAL COSTS**

a. IN-HOUSE

\$

b. CONTRACT

\$

(1) SCRIPT

(1) SCRIPT

(2) PRODUCTION

\$5,012.05

(2) PRODUCTION/PURCHASE

(3) REPRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION

(3) REPRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION

(4) TOTAL

\$5,012.05

(4) CONTRACT ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS

c. GRAND TOTAL (a. + b.)

\$5,012.05

(5) CONTRACT TOTAL

36. FINAL DISPOSITION

a. DATE SHIPPED TO NARA (YYYYMMDD)

b. DATE DESTROYED (YYYYMMDD)

37. AUTOBOOK (X)☐ YES**LEGEND (Explanation of Acronyms)**

CO/CO Contractor-owned, Contractor-operated
 DAVIS Defense Automated Visual Information System
 DITIS Defense Instructional Technology Information System
 DVIAN Defense Visual Information Activity Number
 GO/CO Government-owned, Contractor-operated
 MM Millimeter

NARA
 OADR
 OVERHEAD TRANS
 PAN
 VHS

National Archives Records Administration
 Originating Agency's Determination Required
 Overhead Transparency
 Production Approval Number
 Video Home Standard

Item 8. SYNOPSIS

The Roswell Report: Fact vs. Fiction in the New Mexico Desert, released in July 1994, was a comprehensive report which revealed the controversial 1947 Roswell "flying disc" UFO to be debris from a balloon radar target. Soon afterwards, additional research uncovered information which ~~was not~~ ^{MAY} explain the claims of "alien bodies" at the Roswell debris site. This new information prompted a supplementary research effort, resulting in an addendum to the original 1994 report. This video summarizes the conclusions contained in the addendum, describing some of the scientific and medical experiments which transpired during the 1940s and 1950s using high-altitude research balloons.

18 Mar 97

Roswell Questions

1. Written By:

A1. The Secretary of the Air Force Declassification and Review Team (SAF/AAZD), The Pentagon. The primary writer and researcher was Captain James McAndrew.

- **Why SAF/AAZD?** SAF/AAZD is the very experienced in the area of historical research. Previous projects were declassification and review of Southeast Asia POW/MIA records (1989-1993) and the *Gulf War Air Power Survey* (1993). In July 1996 SAF/AAZD received the coveted "Hammer Award" from Vice President Gore for excellence in government.

Q2. Authorized by:

A2. The Secretary of the Air Force.

Q3. Is it classified?

A3. No.

Q4. How much of this information had to be declassified?

A4. None. This is the irony. Many of the persons interested in this case were convinced that the solution was a secret of some sort. They looked in the wrong places—classified holdings—when the solution was unclassified and available to them all the time.

Q5. How long did it take?

A5. It took 14 months to research and write the report.

- **Why did it take so long?**

Research of any type involving events that occurred nearly 50 years ago requires an extensive amount of archival research which is extremely tedious and time consuming. It was remarkable that Air Force researchers were able to get to the facts at all.

Q6. How much did it cost?

A6. There wasn't any money budgeted for this project. All aspects of production were accomplished in house by Air Force personnel. Approximate costs were \$60,000 for writing and researching and \$55,000 to prepare and then publish it (essentially the cost of labor).

Q7. Was there any political pressure to publish or not publish this information?

A7. No. Air Force scientific projects and descriptions of killed or injured Air Force members were being misrepresented. This was wrong and the facts needed to be presented.

Q8. Why is the Air Force investigating UFOs?

A8. This wasn't about UFOs. This was a specific response to events that allegedly happened near Roswell, NM.

- Our research was initiated in 1994 by a request by the General Accounting Office (GAO) for Rep. Steven Schiff (NM). It is mandatory that the Air Force comply with GAO requests. We released our initial findings in September 1994.

Subsequent to the 1994 report, research revealed that popular accounts included events that occurred over a many year period, they were: 1) historic Air Force scientific balloon projects, and 2) Air Force members killed or injured in the line of duty. This is wrong and it required a response.

Q9. Why were there two reports? How come all of the information wasn't in the first report?

A9. The **first report**, released in September 1994, was a specific answer to a specific request from the GAO—what happened near Roswell in July 1947? The GAO's questions were fully researched and answered in this report.

The **second report** was authorized when Air Force researchers realized that historic Air Force scientific projects and descriptions of Air Force members killed or injured in the line of duty that occurred over a many year period were being *misrepresented* as part of this "incident." This is wrong and it required a response.

Q10. So the Air Force did a poor job on the first report.

A10. Not at all. The first report answered the questions posed by GAO. It was remarkable that Air Force researchers were able to find the solution to this perceived mystery at all.

Q11. How come UFO researchers missed this information?

A11. I can't speak for them. But our research is documented.

Q12. The events described in the second report didn't even happen in 1947. Is this just more cover-up?

A12. Absolutely not. The persons making the allegations weren't even sure of the date.

This is documented in the report. It is a common pitfall of historical research based solely on anecdotal information—to confuse or combine dates of events. This is why our report has nearly 500 source citations, more than 100 photographs, and even film footage to support it.

Q13. In 1947 the Air Force said it was a balloon, in 1994 the Air Force said it was a Top Secret Project named MOGUL, and now your saying it is something else.

What is it?

A13. It was all of those things. The persons making the allegations weren't even sure of what they saw or when they saw it. This is documented in the report. It is a common pitfall of historical research based solely on anecdotal information, as this case is, to confuse events and combine the dates.

- **I don't buy it! I think the Air Force is trying to confuse people with all this information.** On the contrary, this is why our report has nearly 500 source citations, more than 100 photographs, and even film footage to support it. It did not rely on anecdotal claims it relied on documentation.

Q14. What were your sources of information?

Q14. All sources of information are carefully documented in the report according to academic standards. As discussed in the report, the sources were official records, technical reports, film footage, photographs, mass distribution magazines (*Time*, *Life*, *National Geographic*, ect.), contemporary newspaper accounts, and interviews with individuals who were involved in the events—all carefully documented.

Q15. Where was this information found?

A15. Within unclassified, and publicly accessible, holdings of the National Archives, Federal Records Centers, official Air Force histories, and public libraries.

Q16. Is this the Air Force's final word on "The Roswell Incident?"

A16. Yes.

Q17. How did you make the connection between the Air Force research balloon programs of the 1950s and the 1947 Roswell Incident?

A17. The whole “Roswell” case is based on an oral tradition. There isn’t now, nor was there ever, any physical evidence. When the anecdotal accounts of the witnesses were examined—not the explanations assigned to the accounts by UFO writers—it was clear that these persons had their dates mixed up.

Q18. What is the Air Force still hiding about the Roswell Incident?

A18. Nothing. Read the report and look at the evidence. If you’re not convinced, we encourage you to check the nearly 500 source citations yourself.

Q19. How do you respond to the assertion: “This is just more of the cover-up”?

A19. This is expected; we are not trying to convince anyone. Compare our documented research to the UFO claims and decide for yourself.

Q20. If what you say is true, how do you think the Roswell story evolved to its present state?

A20. The story keeps changing; that’s how it stays alive; when one aspect is proven false, another “revelation” is injected to keep it going. (Example: changes in sworn testimony, forged and altered Air Force documents, hoaxed films). We anticipate that other sensational claims will be made in the future.



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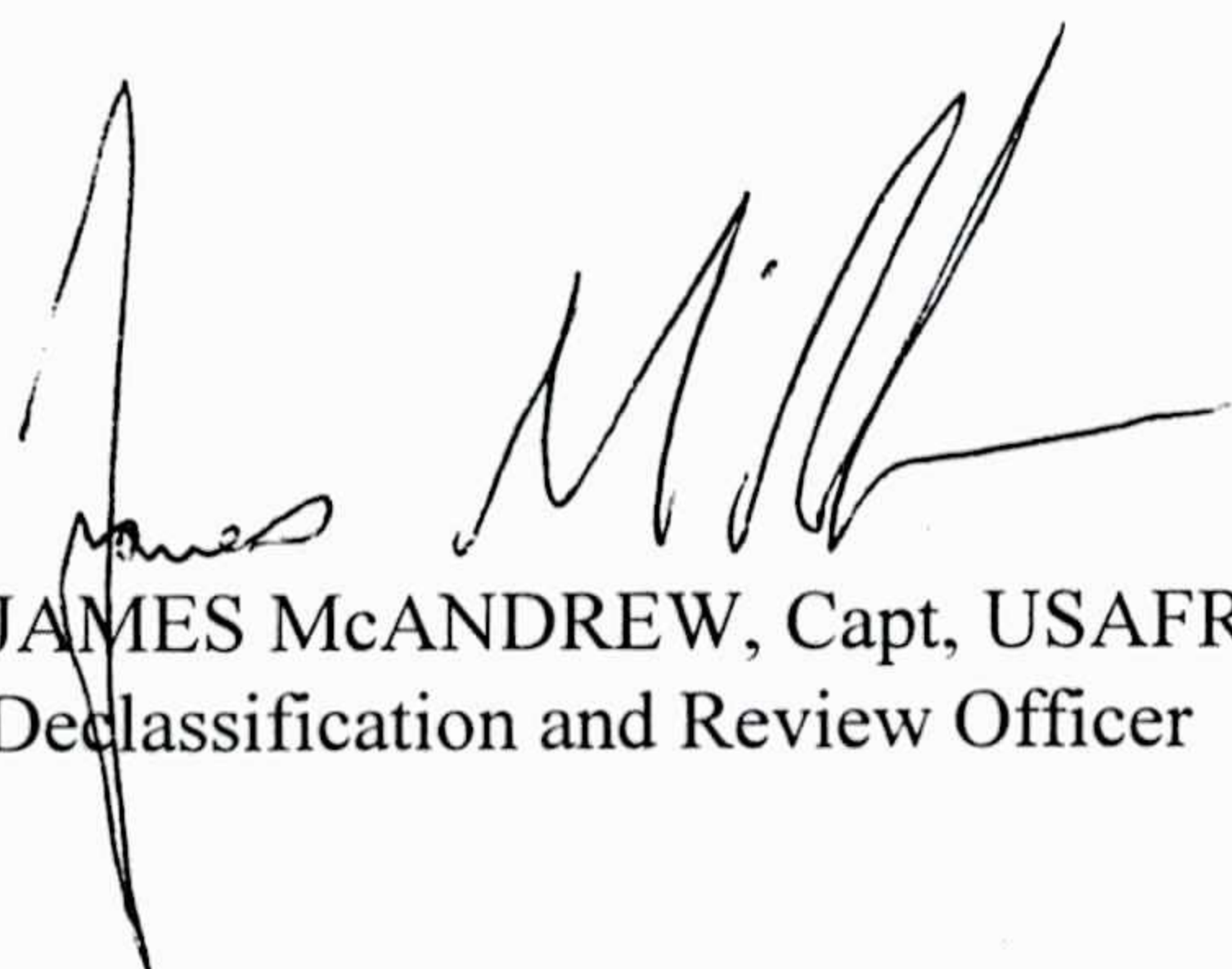
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MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, DC 20330-1720

SUBJECT: Status of Completed 25 minute Roswell Video

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JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



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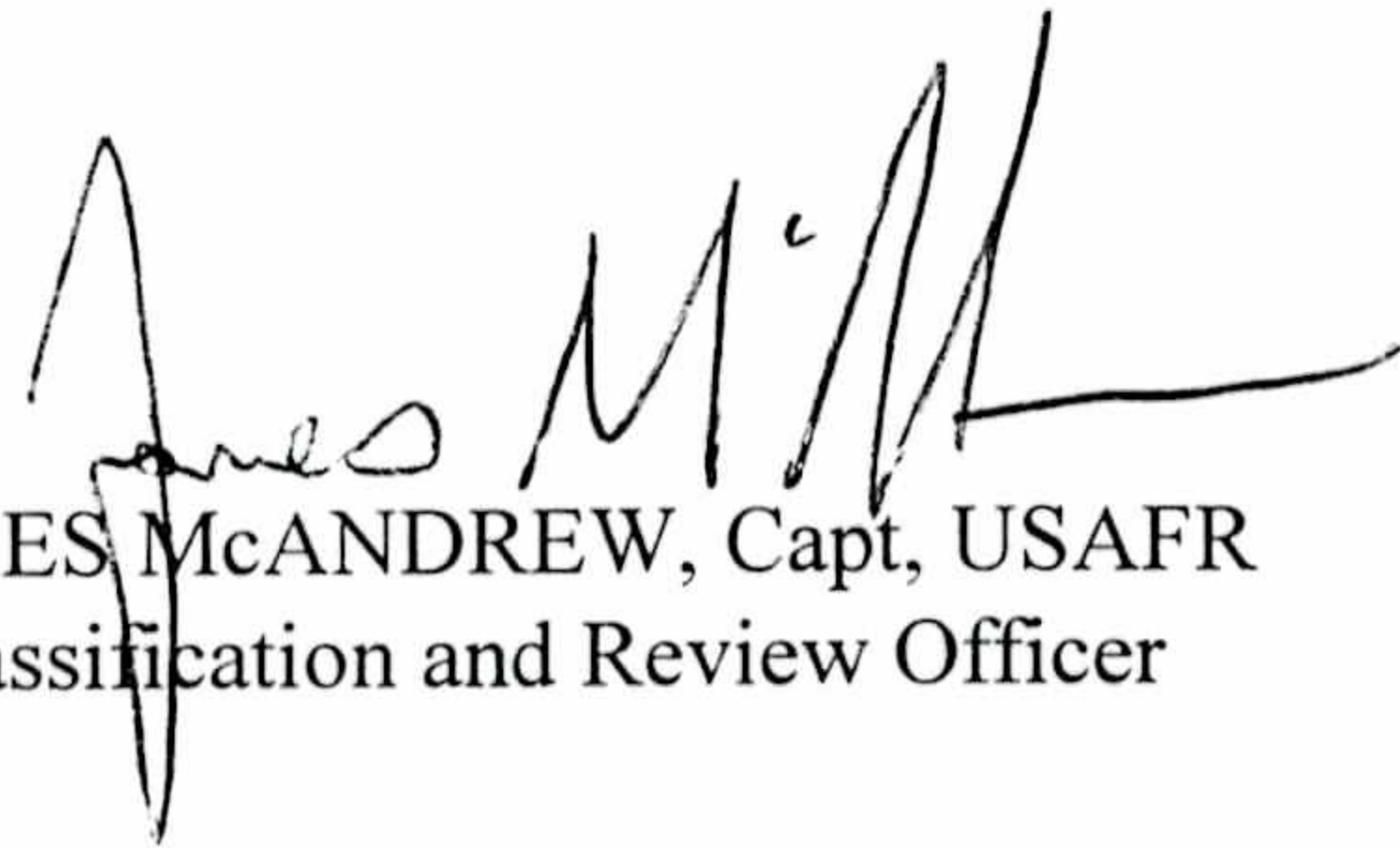
MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: COMPROMISE OF ROSWELL BOOK AND VIDEO

At approximately 1430 on 19 June, I received a call from a person identifying himself as Mr Mark Brender, "the ABC News Pentagon Correspondent." Mr Brender read to me a memo he had written which contained accurate and extremely detailed information from the new Roswell book or video. It is my opinion that Mr Brender has in his possession a copy of the book, video, or both. Therefore, I believe that the book and video should be considered to be compromised in their entirety.

I did not comment in any way to Mr Brender read to me and informed SAF/PAM, Ms Cale, immediately.


JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

SAF/PAM (Col Pribila)
SAF/PAN (Maj Kodlick)



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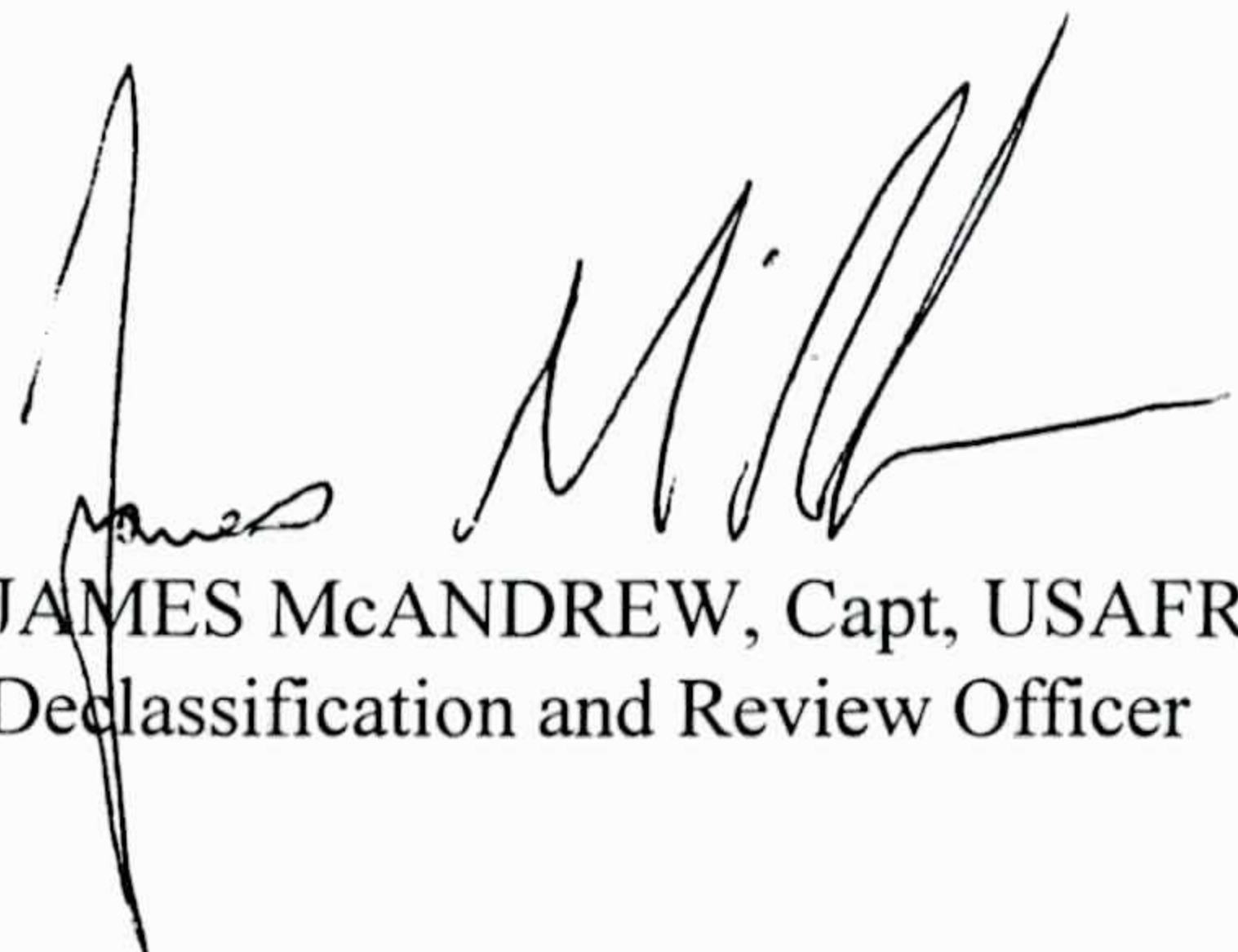
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MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/OS

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: Recognition Letter for Professor Charles B. Moore

Attached is a request from the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) for a letter from Secretary Widnall recognizing the contributions to the Air Force of Professor Charles B. Moore (Attch 1). AIAA would like to present this letter at an award dinner honoring Professor Moore on 4 Jun 97. I have prepared a draft of a suggested statement (Attch 2).

In addition to Professor Moore's contributions to the Air Force mentioned in the AIAA biographical sketch, in 1994 and 1995 he greatly assisted SAF/AA in a General Accounting Office (GAO) inquiry.

Upon receipt of the AIAA letter, I contacted the Military Operations Branch of the National Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, MO, and verified Prof Moore's military record (Attch 3). Based on my extensive contacts with Prof Moore during the GAO inquiry, his wartime service, and his many other contributions to the Air Force, I believe this is an appropriate request. If you require any additional information, I may be reached at (703) 604-4788.

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

Attachments:

1. Letter, AIAA to SecAF, 9 May 1997
2. Suggested Text for Recognition Letter
3. Excerpts of Service Record of Charles B. Moore

Curriculum Vitae**Charles B. Moore**

17 August 1996

Address

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 New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology
 Socorro, New Mexico 87801 (Telephone: 505 835 0975, FAX: 505 835 5707, e-mail: moore@nmt.edu)

Personal

Born 28 October 1920, Maryville, Tennessee
 Married Wilma Frances Finley, 17 March 1946
 Children: three.

Education

1947- 1948 Graduate student, Physics, New York University
 1943 Meteorological Cadet Program, USAAF, Grand Rapids, Michigan
 1940--194 B.Ch.E., Georgia School of Technology, Co-op Program
 1938--1940 Chemistry and Mathematics Curriculum, East Tennessee State Teachers College

Professional Experience

1986 New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology,
 Professor Emeritus, Atmospheric Physics;
 1969 New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology,
 Professor of Atmospheric Physics, Chairman of Langmuir Laboratory;
 1965 New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology,
 Associate Professor of Physics; Research Physicist, Rⅅ
 1953 Arthur D. Little, Inc., Cambridge, MA,
 Research Physicist;
 1949 General Mills Aeronautical Research Laboratory, Minneapolis,
 Engineer in charge of Balloon Operations, Project Skyhook, Project Gopher;
 1947 New York University, Research Division,
 Project Engineer, Constant Level Balloon Project (part of the USAAF Long Range Detection
 Program),
 1945 Weather Equipment Officer for the China-Burma-India Theater, 10th Weather Squadron,
 USAAF, Calcutta and Kunming;
 1944 Headquarters Staff, USAAF, assigned to the Air Force Liason Office to the Chief Signal Officer,
 Fort Monmouth, NJ;
 1940 Tennessee Eastman Corporation, Kingsport, Tennessee,
 Georgia Tech Cooperative Program, laboratory assistant.

Memberships

American Association for the Advancement of Science; Fellow, 1969
 American Association of Physics Teachers*, 1967
 American Geophysical Union, 1955
 American Meteorological Society, 1954; Fellow, 1976
 International Commission on Atmospheric Electricity; Commissioner and Chairman,
 Subcommission V, Thunderstorm Electrification, 1975--1988
 Royal Meteorological Society*, 1961; Fellow, 1978
 Sigma Xi *
 Tau Beta Pi *
 Phi Kappa Phi *

* Inactive in 1994.

C. B. Moore, *Curriculum vitae*, page 2.

Publications

Author or co-author of more than 80 papers, co-author of 4 books and holder of 5 patents. A bibliography is available.

Awards

American Meteorological Society Special Award for stratospheric balloon ascent, 1960
Distinguished Research Award, New Mexico Tech, 1984

Patents

Balloon with Rigid Fins, Patent No. 2,707,603; May 3, 1955
Solar Engine Balloon Altitude Control, Patent No. 2,931,597; April 5, 1960
Catalytic Chemical Heater, Patent No. 3,064,902; November 20, 1962 (with T. M. Amundsen and W. K. Dick)
Monitor and Spectrometer for Atmospheric Particulate Matter, Patent No. 3,178,930; April 20, 1965 (with B. Vonnegut)
System for Discharging and Otherwise Controlling Electric Charge on Objects Such as Aircraft in Flight,
Patent No. 4,980,795; Dec. 25, 1990 (with Marx Brook and Clyde Richards)

Professor Charles B. Moore
1101 Cassity St
Socorro, NM 87801

Dear Professor Moore

On the occasion of the awarding of the Otto C. Winzen Lifetime Achievement Award and the 50th anniversary of your historic first flight of a modern scientific balloon, it is my pleasure to recognize your lifetime of achievements. Your dedication and vision, as evidenced by your discovery and development of research balloons constructed from polyethylene, have contributed greatly to the mission of the U.S. Air Force and the quest for scientific knowledge.

I congratulate you on your many distinctive accomplishments and extend to you the thanks of the entire United States Air Force. You have set a standard of excellence for us all.

DRAFT.



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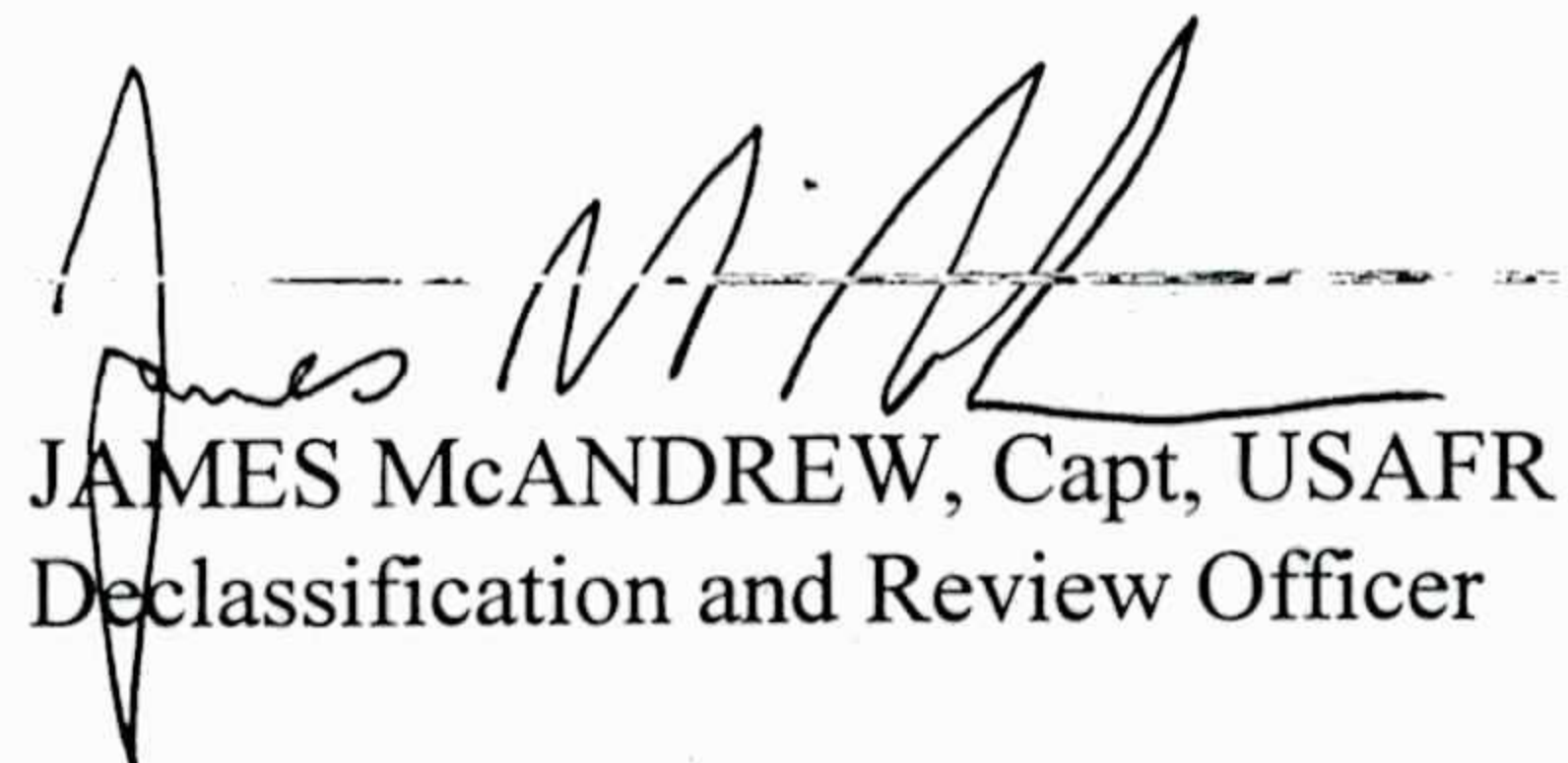
9 May 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR 11CS/SCSR (FOIA)

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: FOIA CASE# 97-1003

Attached are document relating to MAJESTIC -TWELVE (MJ-12) in possession of SAF/AAZD.



JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON DC 20330-1000

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MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE (MR JACK KRIETHE)

FROM: SAF/AAZ
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington DC 20330-1720

APR 25 1994

SUBJECT: Analysis of Purported "Majestic 12 - Group Special Operations Manual" (U)

(U) We have reviewed the 21 page document you provided entitled "SOMI-01, Extraterrestrial Entities and Technology, Recovery and Disposal," April 1954, purported to be from the "Majestic 12 Group." It is our opinion, for the reasons cited below, that this document is bogus.

(U) This document claims to be for use by "Majestic 12" units which allegedly report directly to the President. The physical form this "manual" takes, however, is of a U.S. Army field manual, right down to the War Department seal on the cover (even though the War Department went away in 1948 with the formation of the Defense Department, the Army did continue to use that seal for years on its publications). It would be unusual for an "Intelligence Group directly responsible only to the President of the United States" (page two) to be organizationally bound through the Army. Additionally, the wording on page two confuses organizational affiliation even more, by seeming to imply that the Air Force has been the agency responsible for recovering alien technology. The "manual" does not further clarify or deconflict this organizational confusion.

(U) Although the format of the document appears to be a reasonably good copy of an Army field manual, the text is written in such a manner to indicate that it was not composed by a government writer, certainly not quality-controlled; and does not cover in detail much of anything - other than restating as "fact" most of the myths perpetuated by UFO buffs for years. Overall, the wording of the entire document is stilted, excessively verbose, and does not conform to government writing style. More importantly, however, the document is shallow and does not explain anything in detail (other than the section on packing and crating). For example, it mentions the "establishment and administration of Special Teams," (page three) without defining exactly what these teams are, of whom they are composed, and how they are equipped or deployed. The same non-discussion goes for "MJ-12 Red Teams" and "OPNAC Teams." Such glaring omissions would not be present in a real publication.

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(U) There are also major format anomalies with the document. The first, is the pagination method used. The narrative appears only on the right hand side of the book, while the left hand side only repeats the same large "warning" notice. This does not conform to any government style before, during, or after the 1954 period. Secondly, although the book is made to appear to have been printed, the "extraterrestrial craft" depicted in figure 4 are obviously hand drawn (and not very well at that) and not printed, as evidenced by poor line quality and density as opposed to the accompanying text. Third, even though this purports to be a printed manual, it is not bound as real printed manuals are, but put together with an "Ecko" fastener. The latter can be explained by the fact that anyone with a Macintosh or similar computer can create a print shop appearing document, but it takes a book binder to bind books - not exactly a do it yourself type process.

(U) There are also two security anomalies worth noting. The first appears on the cover, which purports to be "TOP SECRET/MAJIC EYES ONLY." TOP SECRET, of course, is the highest level of classification and "MAJIC" would be a code word to insure handling within a special compartment. However, this document is also marked "RESTRICTED." This is a significant error. A document could be correctly marked (in addition to TOP SECRET) as "RESTRICTED DATA" (RD) if it contained Atomic Energy information as defined by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2014) or its predecessor, the Atomic Energy Act of 1946 (42 U.S.C. 1810); however this "manual" contains no such Atomic Energy information therein, as well as also missing the word "DATA" after "RESTRICTED." There was at one time, however, a security classification level below "CONFIDENTIAL" called "RESTRICTED." This level was in effect from 24 Sep 51 - 15 Dec 53. Therefore, the markings on this particular document meant that someone classified the "manual" both at the highest "TOP SECRET" level and at the lowest "RESTRICTED" level. Such a mistake would never happen in reality; notwithstanding there was no "RESTRICTED" in 1954. The second security faux pas occurs on page two wherein it states that everything relating to MJ-12 "carries a security level 2 points above that of TOP SECRET." This verbiage reiterates the standard civilian misperception that there is something "above TOP SECRET" (in this case, times two). TOP SECRET was and remains the highest level of classification. While there are compartments and channels that further limit access by use of codeword or nickname (in this case, "MAJIC"), there are no levels above TOP SECRET. This is elementary to security personnel but confusing to outsiders. It further indicates, however, that the person(s) who wrote the document did not know about government security practices.

(U) The above notwithstanding, the most important errors in the purported "manual" are both technical and factual - and serve to prove the "manual" was not produced by the government (at any time) or anyone else in April 1954. The first of these technical issues appears on page five wherein it notes that "Air Force radar reports indicate they (fuselage or cigar shaped craft) are approximately 2 thousand feet long and 95 feet thick." Radar (and particularly the relatively primitive 1954 version) could not determine such exact size of an object by its return - other than giving a general relational size (i.e. a fighter usually has a relatively smaller return than a bomber). To say that 1954 radar could determine that something was "95 feet thick" is ludicrous and technologically impossible. Likewise, the same comments go for the "airfoil or triangular shape" craft also described on page five as "... radar indicates an isosceles triangle profile, the longest side being nearly 300 feet in length." Likewise, the 1954 vintage radar also had no capability to determine shape.

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(U) A second glaring technological and historical error appears on page eight under the "deceptive statements" subsection, wherein it states "it may become necessary to issue false statements to preserve the security of the site. Meteors, downed satellites, weather balloons ..." etc. Obviously the author(s) forgot that in 1954 there were no satellites in existence. The first Russian Sputnik satellite was not launched until 1957, followed by a U.S. satellite in 1958. In those early years a "downed satellite" was itself a media event that drew public attention - hardly the thing to use as a cover story - notwithstanding that the "manual" was allegedly "written" over three years before there were satellites.

(S) A more important historical error, compounded by a factual error, appears

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These became erroneously linked in 198

(U) The exact rationale of the authors to create this bogus document is unknown. One could speculate that it is in a desperate attempt to add legitimacy to the original 1987 vintage forgery of the "Briefing Document Majestic-12," which all but the hardest hard core UFO buffs consider to be a fake. Unfortunately for the authors, this additional crude attempt at authentication has backfired on them. In future forgeries they need to study their history and technology better. A remedial high school English class wouldn't hurt, either.

Richard L. Weaver
 RICHARD L. WEAVER, Colonel, USAF
 Director, Security and Special Programs
 Oversight

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

7 May 1997

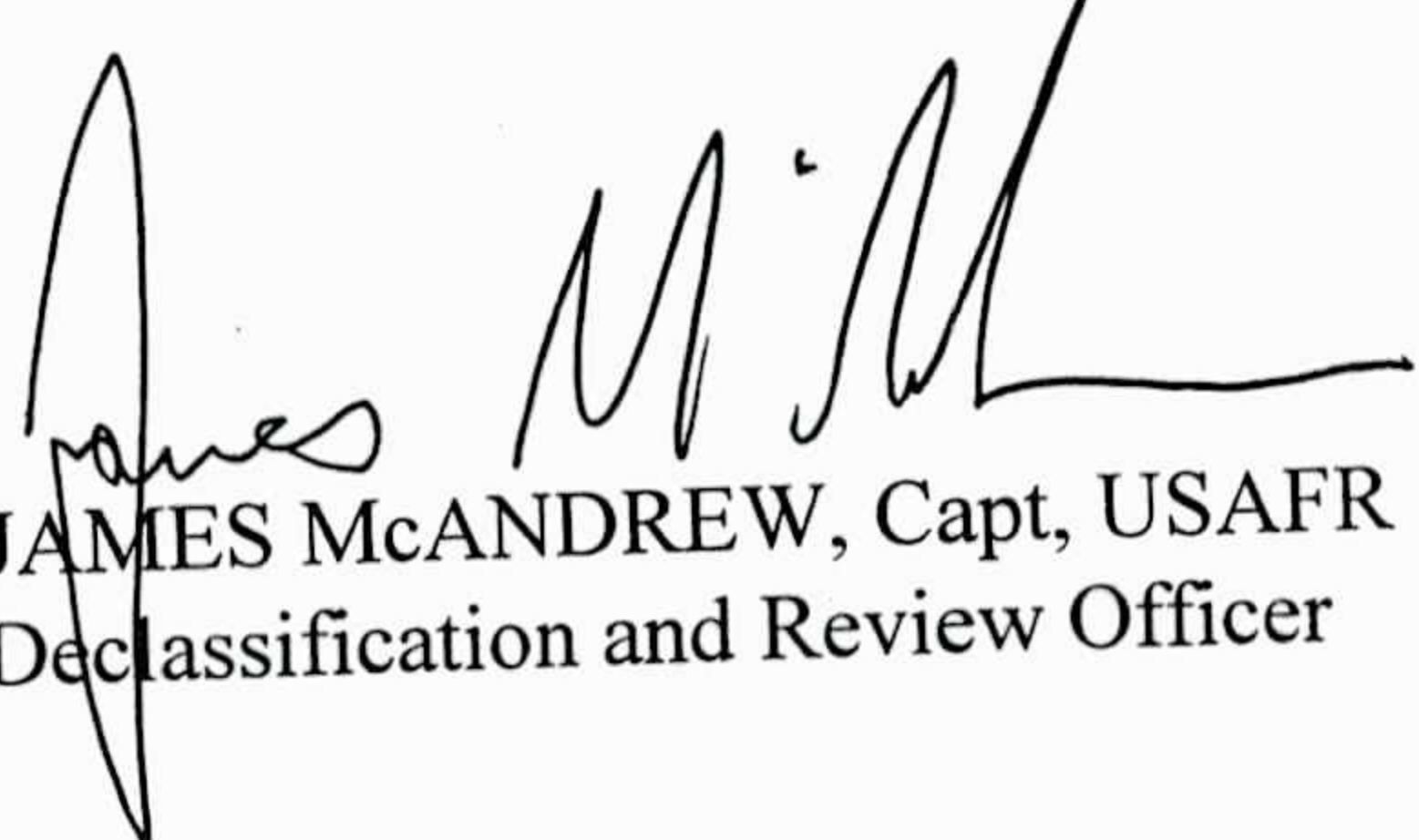
MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: SAF/PAS Public Release Instructions

On 6 May 1997 a meeting was held between the undersigned and Lt Col Woodside, Chief, Secretary of the Air Force Policy and Security Review (SAF/PAS). I presented Lt Col Woodside with the documents referred to SAF/AAZD for review by the CIA (Mr Cooper) on 24 March 1997. I asked Lt Col Woodside if SAF/PAS needed to review documents of this nature prior to release. He stated that SAF/PAS did not require review of all documents prior to release and SAF/AAZD should perform releases in accordance with the letter of understanding that applies to the Gulf War project.

He did state, however, that if documents containing information such as identities of undercover agents or any other information that might be sensitive, SAF/AAZD should direct those to SAF/PAS for review prior to release.



JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
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Foreword

In early 1994, the General Accounting Office (GAO) tasked the Air Force, along with other governmental agencies, to locate records regarding alleged events that have become known as the “Roswell Incident.” My guidance to Air Force researchers who assisted in this inquiry was simple: find the information and let them review it. If it is classified, declassify it. Hold nothing back, put this issue to rest once and for all. From the outset there was no predisposition to refute or overlook any information. The result was a report completed in July 1994. This document was made available to the public and published as *The Roswell Report: Fact vs. Fiction in the New Mexico Desert*.

Subsequent to the release of that report, we discovered a pattern of actual events, alleged events, and anecdotes indicating that more analysis was required. This analysis encompassed an extended time period and revealed probable incorporation of actual U.S. Air Force research activities, aircraft mishaps, and other operations that were molded into a collection of time compressed scenarios. This report is the result of that additional analysis. (Contrary to allegations of illicit conduct, cover-ups, and other unusual activities, this further examination did not provide information to even remotely suggest that this was the case.) What was discovered, and is included in this publication, are a collection of carefully documented Air Force activities that are the most probable explanations for the series of the events in question.

As you examine this document, you will notice that the actual events are vastly divergent from anecdotes provided to substantiate the scenarios traditionally associated with this topic. Instead, you will find a fascinating glimpse of history that illustrates outstanding accomplishments and self-sacrifices of the men and women that are the U.S. Air Force.

In 1997, as we celebrate our 50th anniversary, I encourage the exploration of our rich and unsurpassed history which stands as testament to the many achievements that have made the U.S. Air Force the greatest aerospace power in history.

SHELIA E. WIDNALL
Secretary of the Air Force



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

2 July 1996

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Maj Jack L. Whenry
701 E. 29th
Edmond OK 73034

Dear Maj Whenry

I am completing my final report to the Secretary of the Air Force concerning the misrepresentations of aircraft accidents at Walker AFB, NM in the 1950s. To document the information you provided me in previous conversations, I would like to conduct a tape recorded interview with you by phone. I have attached information concerning the June 1956 accident which will be the focus of interview questions. The information we discussed is of great use to me and will provide details to support official records. If you care to participate in this interview, I may be reached at (703) 604-4788. If I am not at my desk, please leave a message and I will promptly return your call. Thank you for the assistance you have already provided and I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James McAndrew", is written over a horizontal line.

JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer

Attachment:
Information concerning 26 June 1956 KC-97
accident near Walker AFB, NM



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

Office of the Secretary

20 May 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR SAF/AAZ

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: ROSWELL UPDATE

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POINT PAPER
ON
THE ROSWELL REPORT, PART II

- Report answers most asked question not significantly addressed in first report;

What about the bodies?

- second report augments, does not conflict, with first report
- completely unclassified
- Conclusions of second report concerning source of reports of "bodies:"
 - Anthropomorphic dummies used by USAF Aero-Med Lab in 1950s
 - Air Force members killed in aircraft accident in 1956
 - Air Force members injured in 1959 balloon accident
 - Supported by documents, tech reports, photographs, motion pictures, interviews, and signed sworn statements
 - High profile, credible, retired Air Force members (Kittinger, Stapp)
- Final report
 - Written portion of report in editing/layout at Air Force graphics
 - approx. 150-200 pages, extensive use of photographs
 - Format suitable for publication with minimal effort
 - Video complete (written report and video will require JAG and Privacy Act review)
- Release
 - Fresh material; have "scoop"
 - When complete, recommend immediate release to prevent further leaks
 - New York Times Science Dept has continuing interest (first report resulted in positive, front page, "above the fold," article)

Capt McAndrew/Secretary of the Air Force Declassification and Review Team/SAF/AAZD/604-4788/24 June 1996



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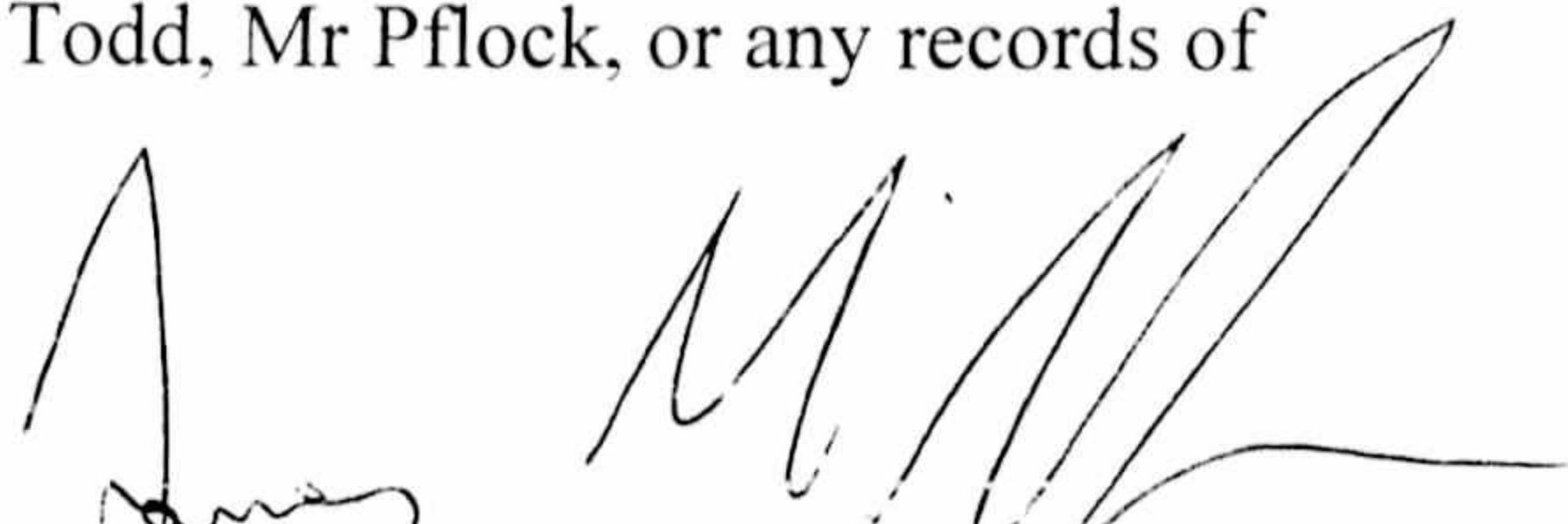
22 April 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR 11 MSS (FOIA)

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: FOIA

I have no records of communications with Mr Todd, Mr Pflock, or any records of communications concerning Mr Marcel.



JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
Declassification and Review Officer



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

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27 June 1996

SAF/AAZD
1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330-1720

Mr William Berra
KSAZ -TV
Phoenix, AZ

Dear Mr Berra

This request is to use video footage of an Air Force high altitude balloon recovery near Phoenix AZ, which aired on KTSP on 6/13/85. We have our possession a 3/4 " tape of the 1 minute 26 second segment which was provided to the Air Force by reporter Len Clements in 1985. This footage will be used in a briefing video for senior Air Force officials to illustrate Air Force high altitude balloon procedures. Please contact me if you require further information, (703) 604-4788 or Fax (703) 604-5533. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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JAMES McANDREW, Capt, USAFR
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I William Berra, Vice President of News, KSAZ-TV, formerly KSTP, Phoenix, AZ, give permission to the US Air Force to use footage of Air Force high altitude balloon operations videotaped by KSTP on 6/13/85. I understand that this footage will be used in a briefing tape for Air Force officials, all or portions of which may be made available for public release by the US Air Force.

William Berra
Vice President of News, KSAZ-TV



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13 May 1996

MEMORANDUM FOR AFHRA/RSO

FROM: SAF/AAZD

SUBJECT: REPORTS OF MAJOR AIRCRAFT ACCIDENTS

All of these accidents were major with fatalities.

Incorrect Reports Received

1. 12 Aug 48, T-6, 17 mi NE San Antonio, TX
2. 12 Aug 48, C-54, 18 mi SW of Austin, TX
3. 15 Dec 49, B-29, Midway Island
4. 15 Dec 49, F-82, 40 mi S of San Angelo, TX

Reports Required

~~1. 12 Aug 48, B-29, 6 mi S of Walker AFB, NM~~

Received

~~2. 16 May 49, C-47, 9 mi E of Walker AFB, NM~~

Received

~~(other possible aircraft types are C-45, C-54, B-25, or B-29)~~



3. 15 Dec 49, B-29, 1 mi NW of Walker AFB, NM

In addition to these reports I also require the following reports that I had not previously requested.



1. 16 Jun 55, T-33, on runway, Walker AFB, NM



2. 3 Oct 55, B-47, 18 miles W of Tatum, NM

(I don't need the photographs from the B-47 accident)

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1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330

F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE: 7 NOV 96 TIME: 1020 EST
TO: Col. M.J. Asensio, Society of Automotive Engineers
(AGARD Specialist's Meeting)
Inn of the Mountain Gods, Mescalero, NM
FAX: (505) 257-6137
FROM: Capt James McAndrew PHONE: (703) 604-4788
FAX: (703) 604-5533
RE: Recognition Letter for Col. Stapp
CC:

Number of pages including cover sheet: 2

Message

Col Asensio,

Sometimes the bureaucracy works! I submitted it on the 5th, it was approved on the 6th, and she signed it on the 7th! Hope it will contribute to an already special evening for Col. Stapp. If you have difficulty reading the signature, the Secretary's full name is Sheila E. Widnall. She's one of the world's foremost

... professor at MIT. She is held in high

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Washington, D.C. 20330

F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE:	25 OCT 96	TIME:	1150
TO:	Mr Bosech	FAX:	
FROM:	Capt James McAndrew	PHONE:	(703) 604-4788
		FAX:	(703) 604-5533
RE:	CC of memo to AF/JAG.		
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Message

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Jim

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TO:	Schiffer Publications	FAX:	(610) 593-2002
FROM:	Capt James McAndrew	PHONE:	(703) 604-4788
		FAX:	(703) 604-5533
RE:	Jon A. Maguire		
CC:			

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Message

Please forward to mr Maguire.

Thanks.

Capt McAndrew

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F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE: 12 NOV 96 TIME: 1725 EST
TO: Pat Lewandowski, AL/SFP (STINFO)
FAX: 785-7215
FROM: Capt James McAndrew PHONE: (703) 604-4788
FAX: (703) 604-5533
RE: Request for Release of Reports
CC:

Number of pages including cover sheet: 2

Message

Pat,

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Jim

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CAPTAIN JIM MCANDREW
SAF/AAZD

1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330
Phone (703) 604-4788, DSN 664-4700
FAX (703) 604-5533, DSN 664-5533

F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE: 21 FEB 97

TIME: 1330EST

TO: SAF/PAS

ATTN: LT. COL. WOODSIDE

SUBJECT: FOREWORD FOR ROSWELL BOOK

ATTACHMENT:
FORWARD

Number of pages including cover sheet: 5

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CAPTAIN JIM MCANDREW

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Phone (703) 604-4788, DSN 664-4700

FAX (703) 604-5533, DSN 664-5533

F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE: 10 MAR 97

TIME: 1225EST

TO: SAF/PAM

ATTN: MAJ CODLICK

SUBJECT: ADVANCE COPIES

THANKS!! CALL IF ANY QUESTIONS.

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F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE:	15 OCT 96	TIME:	1520
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FROM:	Capt James McAndrew	PHONE:	(703) 604-4788
		FAX:	(703) 604-5533
RE:	Changes to Cover		
CC:			

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Message

Thanks!!

Jim

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F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE: 17 JAN 97

TIME: 1010EST

TO: RANDALL HEALD
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
FAX: (703) 696-8579
Voice: (703) 696-9037

SUBJECT: ROSWELL

This is the transcript I recieved through a third party-- is it necessary
that I state this?

Number of pages including cover sheet: 2

Bob Linde 11

SAF/AAZD

1720 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20330

F A X C O V E R S H E E T

DATE: 1 NOV 96

TIME: 1630

TO: M.J. Asensio

FAX: (810) 649-0425

FROM: Capt James McAndrew PHONE: (703) 604-4788

FAX: (703) 604-5533

RE: Biographical Stapp, Kittinger

CC:

Number of pages including cover sheet: 5

M e s s a g e

Col Asensio,

Hope this is of some use. I regret I won't be able to attend due deadline but I will see what I can do to to get something out of office.

Jim

seeker. He was a modern day test pilot: intense, focused, usually quiet, and always polite with firm religious convictions and a powerful sense of loyalty. If he was often stubborn, uncompromising, and demanding he also dealt fairly and respectfully with those who came into contact with him. He was a straight arrow and a straight shooter.”²⁰⁶

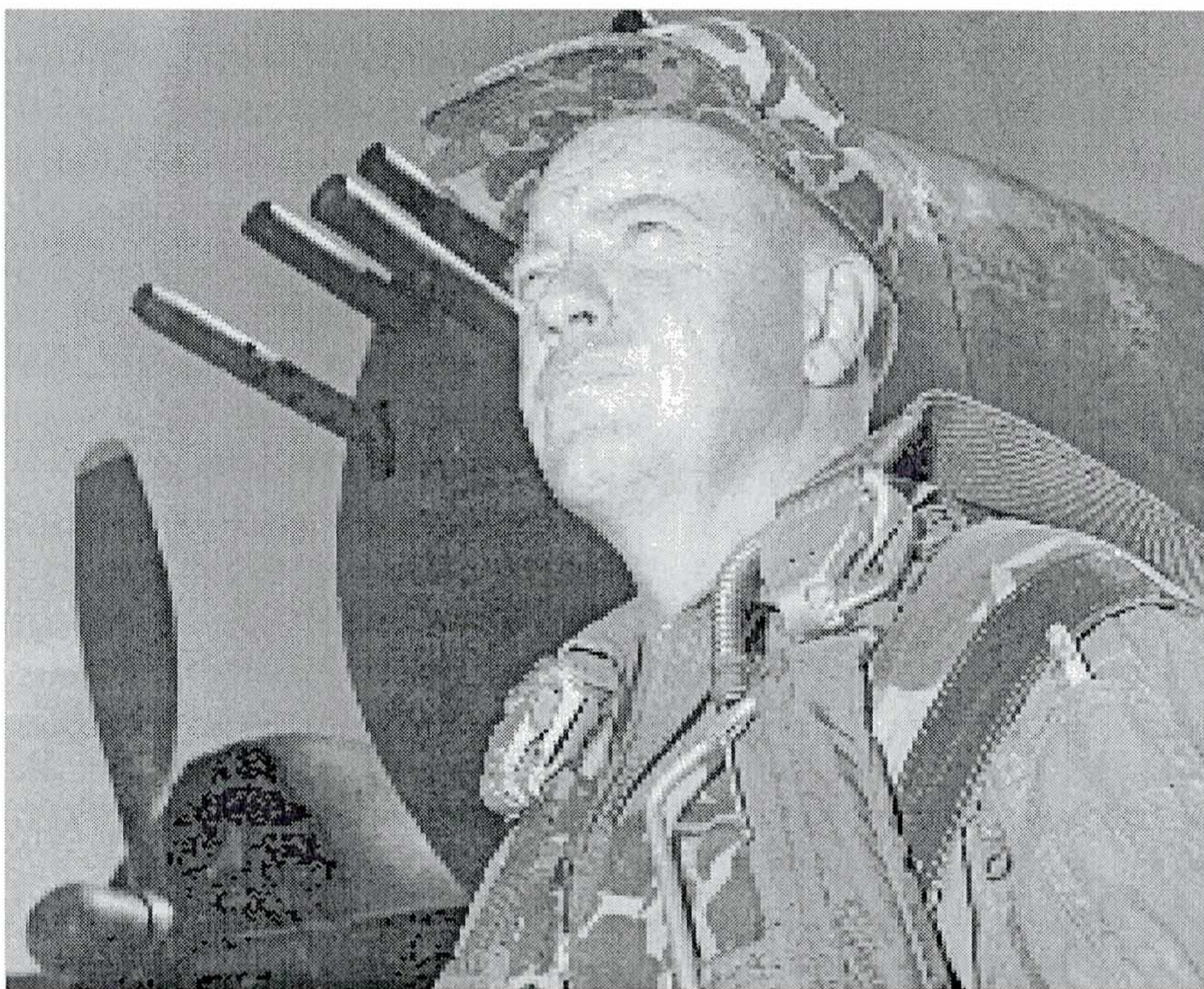


Fig. 19. Maj. Joseph W. Kittinger, Jr. in 1963 as a member of the 1st Air Commando Wing, Ben Hoa, Republic of Vietnam. (U.S. Air Force photo)

Colonel Joseph W. Kittinger, Jr., USAF, (Ret)

Colonel Joseph W. Kittinger, Jr.'s career in the U.S. Air Force and in aviation has spanned the spectrum of experiences; test pilot, balloon pilot, test parachutist, combat fighter pilot, MiG killer, combat squadron commander, and prisoner of war. He has demonstrated, during a nearly 30-year military career and beyond, that he is among the very best in the U.S. Air Force and the field of aeronautics.

Kittinger began his career in 1949 as a U.S. Air Force aviation cadet. After earning his wings at Las Vegas AFB, Nev. in March 1950, he was assigned to fighter squadrons in Germany and then as a test pilot for NATO. In 1953, Kittinger received an assignment as a test pilot to Holloman AFB, N.M. While at Holloman, he began a many year collaboration with the legendary Air Force scientist and physician, Col. John P. Stapp. In association with Stapp on numerous aero-medical projects, Kittinger became the first pilot to fly zero-gravity experiments, now commonly used for astronaut training. For project MAN HIGH on June 2, 1957, Kittinger piloted a high altitude balloon to 96,000 feet to examine the physiological and psychological effects on man in a space equivalent environment. This flight marked the origins of the manned U.S. space program with the experience gained from MAN HIGH being incorporated in NASA's Project MERCURY.

After MAN HIGH, and again in association with Stapp, Kittinger directed

Project EXCELSIOR, a study of human free-fall characteristics following aircraft escape at extremely high altitudes. After extensive testing with anthropomorphic dummies, Kittinger made three parachute jumps from high altitude balloons: 76,400 feet on November 16, 1959; 74,700 feet on December 11, 1959; and 102,800 feet on August 16, 1960. For these courageous scientific achievements Kittinger was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Harmon Trophy by President Eisenhower, the still-standing world records for highest parachute jump and length of a free-fall—and the distinction of being the only living person to exceed the speed of sound without an aircraft or spacecraft!

With the completion of EXCELSIOR, Kittinger became the pilot, project officer, and project engineer for STARGAZER, an astronomical observation experiment. This was the third and final Air Force manned high altitude balloon project, Kittinger had flown in all three.

In 1963 he was assigned to the Air Commandos (now Special Operations) and flew two combat tours in Southeast Asia in B-26 and A-26 aircraft. After a tour in Germany as a liaison officer with the U.S. Army Special Forces, Kittinger returned to Southeast Asia in 1971 flying F-4 aircraft and commanding the famous 555th "Triple Nickel" Tactical Fighter Squadron at Udorn AB, Thailand. On March 1, 1972 Kittinger engaged and destroyed a MiG-21 over North Vietnam and is credited with an aerial victory. On May 11, 1972, after 483 combat missions and more than 1,000 combat flying hours, Kittinger was shot down over Hanoi and spent 11 months as a POW in the infamous "Hanoi Hilton." When placed with other POWs following solitary confinement and severe torture, Kittinger was moved repeatedly by his North Vietnamese captors due to his effectiveness in motivating other prisoners to maintain strong resistance postures.

Kittinger retired from the Air Force in 1978 and became involved in both sport aircraft flying and gas ballooning. He operated Rosie O' Grady's Flying Circus in his hometown of Orlando, Fla., performing skywriting, banner towing, and hot air and helium balloon demonstrations at nearby Walt Disney World. He also captured the coveted Gordon Bennett Gas Balloon Championship an unprecedented four times (three consecutive), entitling him to retire the trophy.

In September 1984, Kittinger made history again, when, in the tradition of Lindberg, he became the first person to make a solo crossing of the Atlantic Ocean by balloon.

Kittinger's military decorations include the Silver Star with one oak leaf cluster, Legion of Merit with one oak leaf cluster, Distinguished Flying Cross with five oak leaf clusters, Bronze Star Medal with "V" device and two oak leaf clusters, Air Medal with 23 oak leaf clusters, Purple Heart with one oak leaf cluster, POW medal, and the Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm.

Kittinger's indomitable spirit, personal courage and dedication to duty are legendary. His ability to achieve seemingly unattainable objectives while earning the respect and absolute loyalty of those who served with him defines this rare breed of warrior-leader.

In October 1995 he received yet another honor and was named a recipient of the prestigious "Elder Statesman of Aviation" award by the National Aeronautics Association. This honor is bestowed upon an individual who over a period of years, has made "significant contributions to aeronautics"

and for "reflecting credit upon himself and America." Without a doubt, there are few that exemplify these virtues more than this truly distinctive American, Joseph W. Kittinger, Jr.

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15. Preventing Secondary Injuries after Severe Brain Trauma Dr J.P. MUIZELAR, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, US	0825-0850

same location resulting in extensive ground and air searches, was essential for researchers to evaluate information collected by the instrumentation and cameras. To assist the recovery personnel a variety of methods were used to enhance the visibility of the dummies: smoke grenades; pigment powder; and brightly colored parachute canopies.⁵⁹ Also, recovery notices promising a \$25 reward were taped to an exposed

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studies resulted in innovations which have saved many lives. These included improved safety belt restraint systems and design specifications for aircraft and automobiles, aircraft ejection and emergency escape systems, refinement of automobile airbag systems, and development of the modern anthropomorphic test dummy.

As commander of the U.S. Air Force Aeromedical Field Laboratory at Holloman AFB, N.M. and later the Aero-Medical Laboratory at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, Stapp won support for the Air Force manned high altitude balloons projects—MAN HIGH and EXCELSIOR. As a testament to his thorough safety preparations, these and other extremely hazardous projects administered by Stapp, did not result in a single debilitating injury to a test subject. These projects helped pave the way for future flights of both high altitude aircraft such as the X-15, and of spacecraft for the MERCURY, GEMINI, and APOLLO programs. In fact, Stapp's expertise was called upon to assist in the selection of the initial cadre of astronauts, the "MERCURY Seven."

He retired from the Air Force in 1969, but not before amassing a collection of awards and honors. These included two awards of the Legion of Merit for rocket sled experiments, the Cheney Award for 1954, and membership in the National Aviation Hall of Fame.

In association with the Society of Automotive Engineers, Stapp continues to participate in annual conferences in which industry experts assemble to discuss vehicle safety issues. The conferences, now in their 40th year bear his name; the Stapp Automotive Crash and Field Demonstration Conferences.

In 1991, in recognition of a lifetime of unselfish dedication to scientific research, Stapp was awarded the National Medal of Technology, bestowed upon him at the White House by President George Bush.

He is married to the former Lillian Lanese, a former soloist with the Ballet Theater of New York, and resides in Alamogordo, N.M. At 86 years old he continues to maintain a dizzying pace of travel and lectures.

It is not an exaggeration that virtually every person who has safely operated, or ridden in, an automobile, aircraft, or spacecraft, has benefited from the genius of Col. John Paul Stapp, and owes this brave scientist, physician, and visionary, a great deal of thanks.

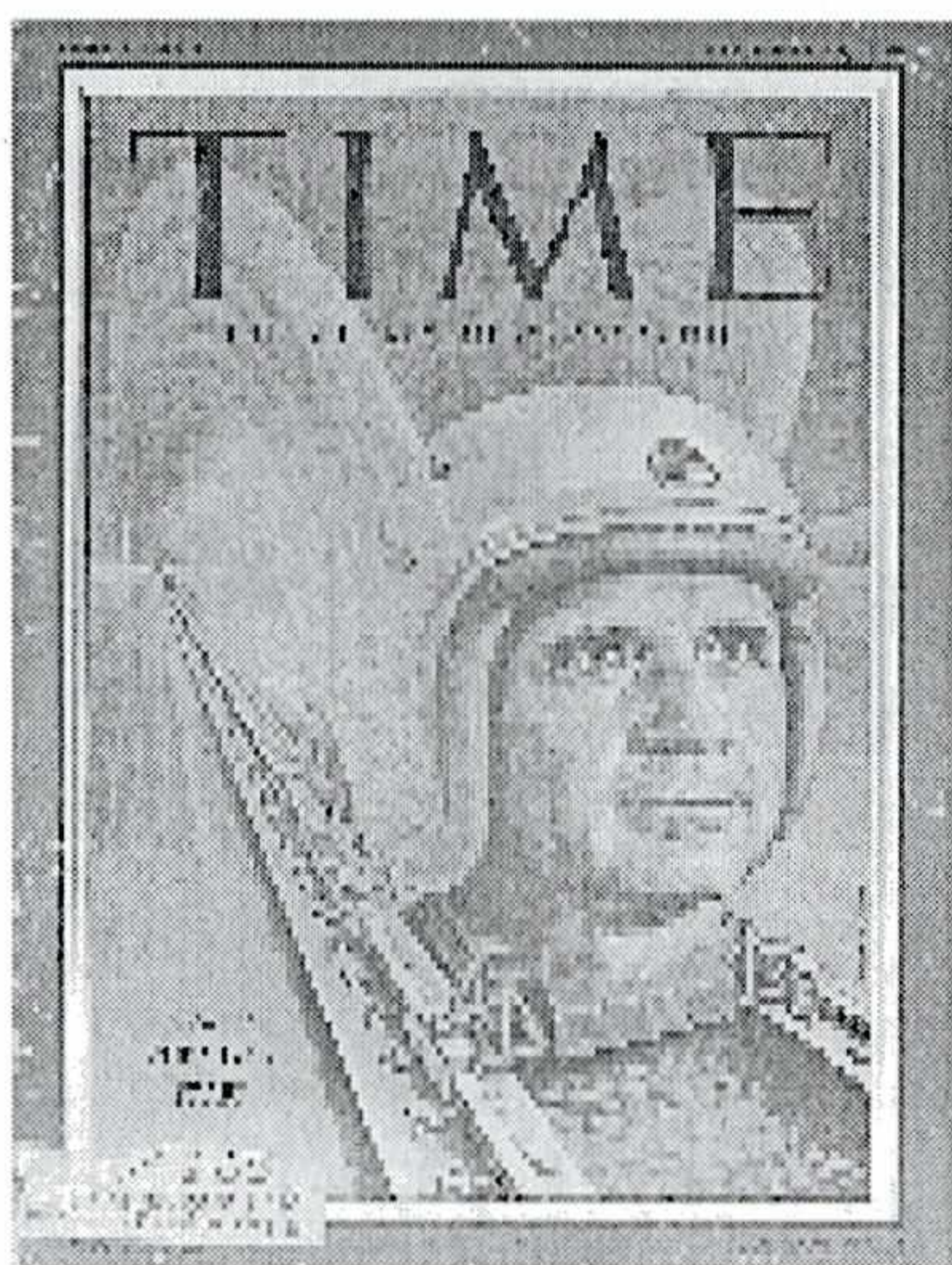


Fig. 34. September 12, 1955 edition of *Time* featuring Col. John P. Stapp and his rocket sled experiments at Holloman AFB, N.M.



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Dear Captain McAndrew:

Before the local Detroit haze completely obscures the memory of the wide open sparkle of New Mexico, I want to thank you for your key role in shining appreciation beams on Colonel Stapp. It was good to see friends and admirers there who meant a lot to him rather than more of our record-breaking crowds of commercial customers.

Joe Kittinger added much personal zip; the secretary's words were perfect, and your 'bravest man' combined smoothly with the SAE update human rocket article for the main Colonel Stapp oriented address. The text of each was so good that excerpts were used without modification.

Please remember us with any emerging material that could be used in the same way. We will do likewise.

Regards,

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November 25, 1996

Mr. William Davidson
Administrative Assistant to
the Secretary of the Air Force
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Dear Mr. Davidson:

It has been my pleasure to work closely with Colonel John Paul Stapp, one of the Air Force living legends as a pre-astronaut, for the past 19 years in developing and conducting the Stapp Car Crash Conferences annually with the Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE).

I initially had a big problem this year in co-sponsoring the (NATO) Aerospace Medical Panel (AGARD) Meeting on head impact injury with a major aim of recognizing Colonel Stapp. Although the sponsor group included elements of DOD that were Colonel Stapp's early career units and knew of his work and achievements, there was no contact with the current Air Force hierarchy. Captain Jim McAndrews solved that problem by contacting us and offering his assistance. That assistance grew into a principal effort that produced superb written material (authored by him) as well as encouragement and coordination of the attendance of Colonel Joe Kittinger, a Stapp disciple and fellow pre-astronaut. He also obtained appropriate written recognition by the Secretary of the Air Force of Colonel Stapp's 40 years as Chairman of the International Car Crash Conference.

Captain McAndrew's enthusiasm, high-level savoir faire, and sustained effort were key in honoring Colonel Stapp in his home state of New Mexico.

My thanks and that of SAE for so much talented help in such a worthy cause.

Sincerely,



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June 7, 1995

**Lt. James McAndrews
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Dear Lt. McAndrews:

This is a follow-up letter to our previous telephone conversation two weeks ago.

The Air Force released the results of an eight month study which concluded that the debris found at the ranch where Mac Brazel made his discovery in late June/early July 1947, was the remnants of a top secret balloon designed to monitor foreign territory for evidence of nuclear testing designated "Project Mogul".

I had previously written to New Mexico Congressman Steven Schiff to try and locate documentation papers on Roswell. I had advised him on stonewall procedures and delays on behalf of the government even if it was initiated through the General Accounting Office (GAO).

Col. Richard Weaver, Air Force Director of Security and Special Programs, oversight and signatory of the report, stated the Air Force found no evidence of a cover-up, alien bodies or extraterrestrial materials in connection with the story.

There are errors of omission and commission in the official report, which admits that the Air Force did not even attempt to interview all of the Roswell witnesses (well over three hundred) that civilian researchers had located over the years. Most of these witnesses are dead; I wonder why an obvious witness like Mr. Glenn Dennis, a local mortician, who claimed to have first and second-hand knowledge about alien bodies at Roswell, was not interviewed. He was silent many years but has certainly stepped forward recently. He is still well and alive, living in Roswell.

If there was an alleged crash of a secret experimental craft, what role does the hospital have in this regards? Surely, the military personnel (MP's) were not needed here.

Lt. James McAndrews
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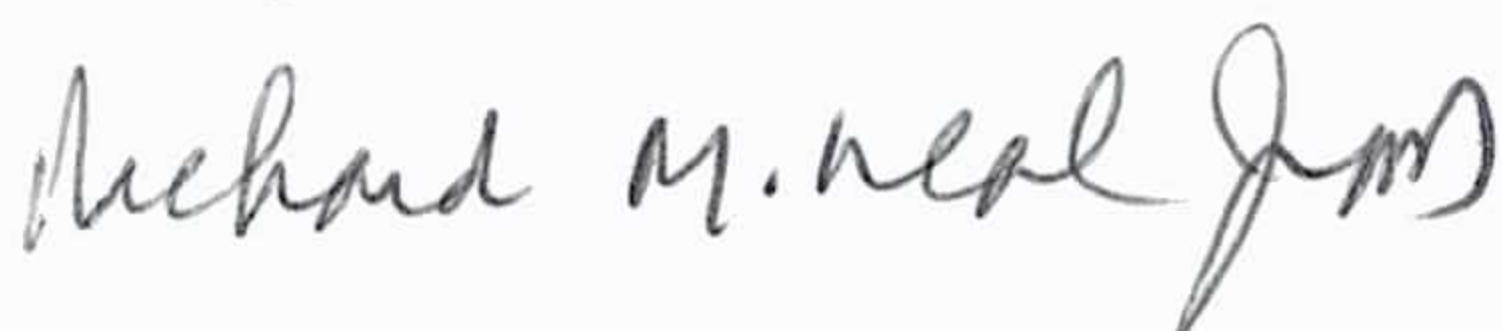
Don't you think it was strange that military police were posted around Roswell Army-Air Force Base hospital? The question is why? Glenn Dennis was present at the hospital. He was harassed/chastised for being in the hospital area by hostile military personnel. Do we need MP's at the hospital to guard remnants of a Mogul balloon crash? I think not.

You had also emphatically stated that Jesse B. Johnson, M.D., had no involvement with alien autopsies at Roswell. What proof can you present to me that he was not involved? By the way, you never responded to a fax I sent to you in regards to Dr. Johnson, why?

In closing, I am not sure if I understand completely your duties/role in the Roswell Incident. Are you serving as point-man to screen all calls/letters for the Air Force to set-up this kind of liaison between the military and public? After so many years of debunking and/or giving out misinformation, it seems strange to me.

I await your reply.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Richard M. Neal Jr." followed by a stylized flourish.

Richard M. Neal, Jr., M.D.

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