

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 1 July 64 00/0430Z	2. LOCATION Bridgeport, California
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Satellite A/C
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Two	Witness believed objects to be Satellites. ECHO I and ECHO II not in area.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Not Reported	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	Round bright object moving North to South, followed by a smaller dimmer object. Believed to be a Satellite by witness. More likely H/C.
7. COURSE South	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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July 12, 1964

N. A. S. A.
Washington
D.C.

Dear Sirs:

We have recently returned from a camping trip into the High Sierra at which time we observed a satellite in orbit and we are wondering if, from the following description, you can tell us just what we saw.

We were near Bridgeport, Mono County, California, on the evening of July 1st - latitude, 38° , longitude, 119° , and at 9:30 p.m. (Daylight Savings Times) observed a round, bright object moving rapidly in the sky and travelling from North to South. It was followed by a smaller, dimmer object.

Our children are most anxious to know what they saw; we hope you can help us. Thank you very much.

Sincerely

[REDACTED]

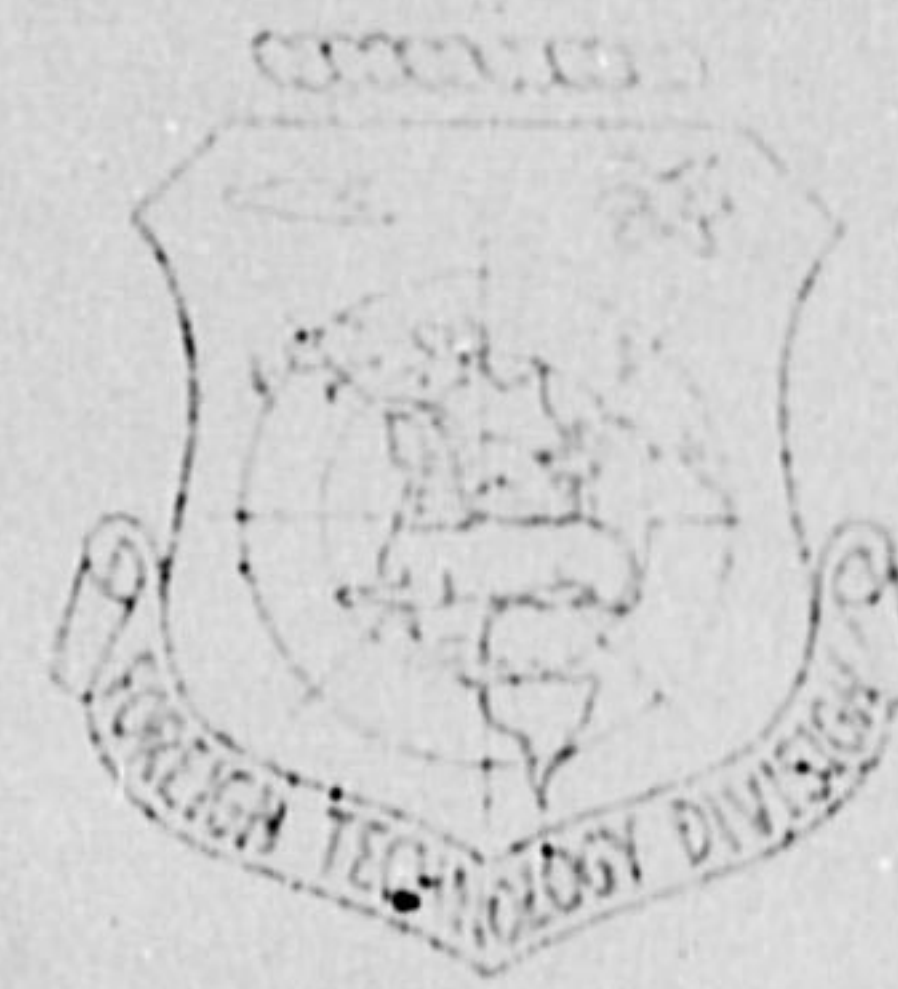
Mrs. [REDACTED]

Alameda, Calif.

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AIR FORCE SYSTEMS COMMAND
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TDEW

SUBJECT: UFO Sighting, 1 Jul 64, Bridgeport, Mono County, California

27 JUL 1964

to: Hq USAF SAFOI PB (Mrs Gaiser)
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1. Reference the attached letter from Mrs [REDACTED] requesting information on an unidentified object observed on the night of 1 Jul 64 by her children.
2. We have checked the satellite Echo I and II schedules and neither satellite was in the area at 9:30 pm on 1 Jul 64. These are the only observable satellites on which regular schedules are published. It is possible that they observed one of the other less bright satellites, or a high flying aircraft. It is suggested that the Echo I and II schedules for San Francisco be forwarded to Mrs MacIntosh in order that her children may compare their original observation with those of known satellites.

FOR THE COMMANDER

Eric T. Jonckheere, Jr. Maj
ERIC T. JONCKHEERE
Colonel, USAF
Deputy for Technology
and Subsystems

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ECHO II.



ECHO I

August 13, 1964

July
~~September~~
Bridgmont, Ohio
for satellite

Dear Mrs. [REDACTED]

This is in reply to your letter of July 12, 1964, in which you requested information on a satellite observed during a camping trip to the High Sierras.

A check was made of the ECHO I and II schedules for July 1st and it was found that neither satellite was in the area at 9:30 p.m. These two satellites are the only ones readily observed on which regular schedules are published. It is possible that you observed one of the other less bright satellites or perhaps a high flying aircraft.

I regret that we cannot be more specific on this particular sighting.

Sincerely,

MASTON M. JACKS
Major, USAF
Public Information Division
Office of Information

Mrs. [REDACTED]
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Alameda, California