

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 1 August 65	2. LOCATION <i>See Radar Film No. 1, 7-3745-338 Also: No. 2, 7-3745-339 West of Topeka, Kansas</i>
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION GROUND TARGETS
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 12-15	Radar analysts evaluate as probable ground targets.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Not Reported	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Air-Intercept Radar	A/C (707) in flight from Kansas City to West. 12-15 objects picked up on 50 mile scope in formation at high speed. Flying toward the A/C. Changed to 20 mile scope and objects were still approaching in formation. Passed objects but did not observe visually. Strong inversion in area.
7. COURSE East Toward A/C	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	<i>See Also: Radar Film No. 1 7-3745-338 Radar Film No. 2 7-3745-339</i>

F:1M

Aug. 1, 1965

TOPEKA, KANSAS

OBSERVER: [REDACTED]

Film# 1003689

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Film

Aug. 1, 1965

Topeka, Kansas

Observer: ~~REDACTED~~

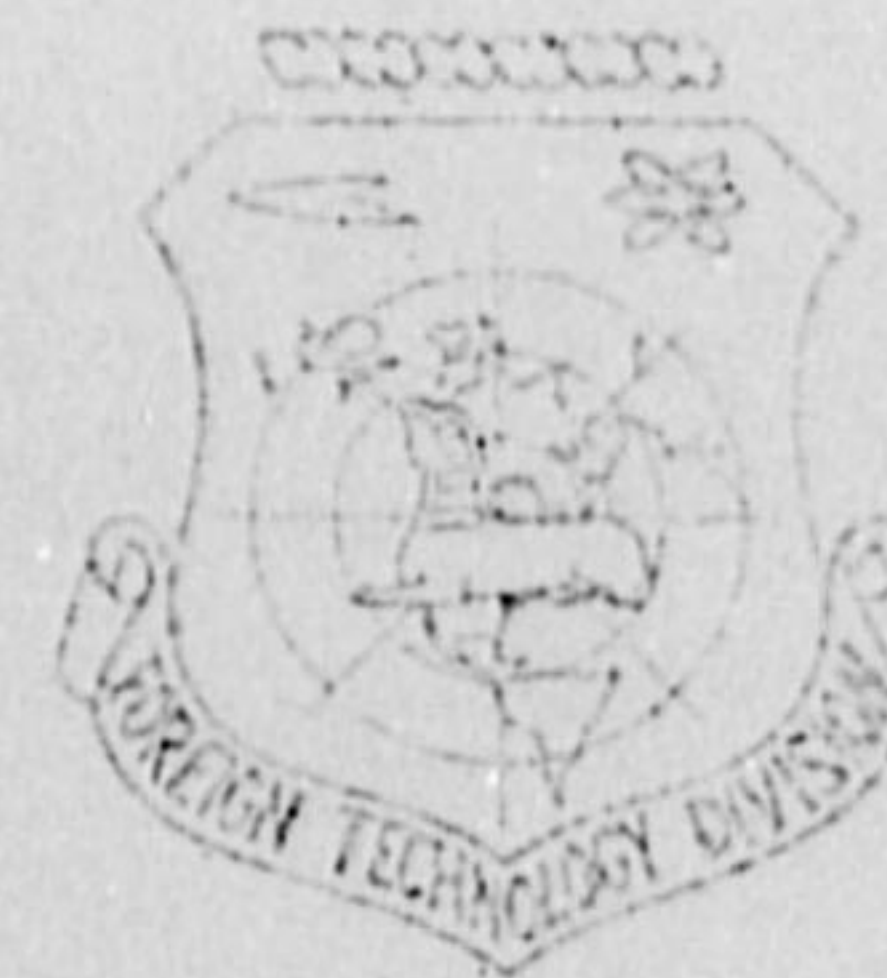
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CASE INCLUDES
2 films in separate
folder

HEADQUARTERS
FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION
AIR FORCE SYSTEMS COMMAND
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TDEW/UFO

SUBJECT: UFO Sighting, 1 Aug 65, East of Topeka, Kansas

4 Aug 65

TO: TDEED/Mr Bryant

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TDEED/Mr. Bryant/clh/74201

6 Aug 65

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1ST IND.

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From the information supplied in the message from 328 FTRWG Richards Gebaur AFB, it is probable that the targets observed by the aircraft were false targets, possibly ground targets from some distance away, which can be seen on the screen because of anomalous propagation - bending or reflecting of the radar waves due to "bubbles" or abnormal variations in the atmosphere.

[Signature]
JOHN W. VEGA
Lt. Colonel, USAF
Actg Director
Electronics Directorate
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FM 323PTBVS RICHARDS CLEAIR AFB MO

TO RINGALE/ADC

RUWDSO/FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIV WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

4 EW (AF)

RUEA 8/CSAF

WTH 8/CSAF WASH DC

CCN-113

INFO RUMGHP/SCADS SIDNEY CITY MUNI APRT IOWA

ZEN/29AIPDIC RICHARDS GEBALD AFB MO

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AF IN : 46462 (3 Aug 65) J/sah

ACTION: NIN-7

INFO : SAFOS-3, XOP-1, XOPX-8,
DIA-1 (21)

SMB B212

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FM 328FTRWG RICHARDS GEBUR AFB MO

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