PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP	2. LOCATION
1 April 66 02/0230Z	Salem, Arkansas
3. SOURCE Civilian	**10. CONCLUSION** Other (CHAFF) ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS N/A	Physical specimen turned out to be radar chaff which was being dropped from an aircraft on a special mission.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION N/A	**11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS** Observer sent material to be evaluated that he found on his farm. This material was believed dropped from aircraft flying over farm. Was concerned about aircraft since they had no lights on them.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE N/A	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	See: Specimen # 3745-466 Separate folder
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☒ Yes ☐ No	

FORM
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Chaff, Salem, Arkansas

Hq USAF SAFOICC (Mrs. Hunt)

The following is a suggested reply to a letter received from a Mr. [redacted]:

a. Dear Mr. [redacted]

Your letter of 15 April and the chaff which you submitted for analysis has been received by the Air Force. The planes which dropped the chaff in the vicinity of your farm were conducting a special exercise and there is no cause for alarm.

Thank you for your interest in Air Force matters.

FOR THE COMMANDER

ERIC T. de JONCKHEERE, Colonel, USAF
Deputy for Technology and Subsystems

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Ltr, [redacted]

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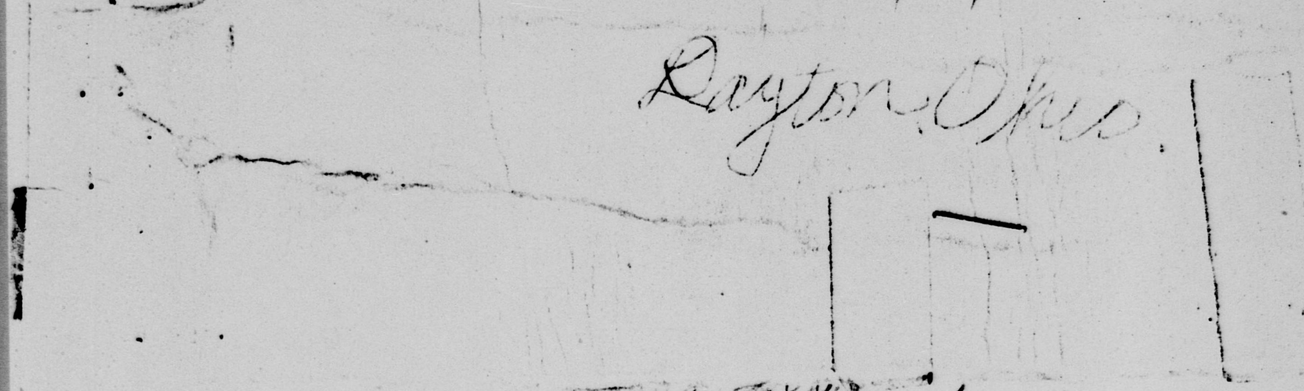
COORDINATION
ORIGINATOR: Lt. Quintanilla Jr DATED 25 Apr 66
TDEW/UFO MAJ H QUINTANILLA, Jr

N.H. Perkins DATED 26 Apr 66
TDEW

U.S. Armed Forces, Security Intelligence

Dayton, Ohio





Dear Sir:

I am sending 2 samples of radar jammer chaff found on the ground on my farm 4½ miles north NW of Salem, Ark, after the passage of unlit jet planes the night before. I am suspicious of unlit planes. There were unexplained night prowling in my area causing my dogs to keep me awake and on the alert on these nights. I am not connected with any observer unit and do not know of any in this area. I am a Vet Air Force War II.

Respectfully

[redacted]

Vet. A.S.N. 38356633