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February 1, 1991

Mr. Jack D. Pickett, Publisher  
Pickett Publications  
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Dear Mr. Pickett:

Thank you for the additional material on the USAF Aircraft (Disc Wing) AKA "flying saucers." The material you have been providing over the past several years is most informative. We are maintaining the file with care.

Your suggestion about approaching Secretary Cheney for additional information is intriguing; however, in light of the international situation, I hope you agree with me that this is not the appropriate time to pursue this.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

David L. Baker  
Director

DLB/mh

11/28/94

(PRESENT DIRECTOR IS:

MICHAEL J. DEVINE, PhD)

BRENDA —

THIS SPECIAL HISTORICAL ARCHIVES FILE (ONLY ONE IN USA) WAS  
OPENED YEARS AGO WITH DEPT DEFENSE AND DEPT. AIR FORCE OK.  
(THEIR OFFICIAL LETTERS ON FILE THERE) (AS ARE FROM SIMPSON / (MACDILL AFB)  
BECAUSE I'D NEVER PREVIOUSLY INQUIRED EXACTLY HOW THEY  
SET THIS FILE UP; BEFORE RECONTACTING YOU I DID.  
PERHAPS BECAUSE OF ITS CONTENT(?) IT IS LISTED SIMPLY  
AS: "THE PICKETT PAPERS!" (JSP)

8/DEC/94  
ATTN: LT. MCANDREW

AFHRA/152





11/27/92  
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CASPER WYOMING NATIVE

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE 'DICK' CHENEY  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20305

RE: AMERICAN HERITAGE CENTER HISTORICAL ARCHIVES  
UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

DEAR MR. CHENEY:

BEFORE YOU LEAVE OFFICE WILL YOU PLEASE RELEASE AND SEND TO THE ARCHIVE CENTER ABOVE, OFFICIAL USAF PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE DISC WING AIRCRAFT AKA "FLYING SAUCERS" FOR INCLUSION INTO THE ONLY FILE OF ITS KIND THERE AND MOST PROBABLY NOWHERE ELSE FOR FUTURE STUDENT RESEARCH. ATTACHED IS COPY OF LETTER FROM THAT CENTER DIRECTOR CONCERNING SAME. AS NOTED DESERT STORM STARTED DURING THAT TIME PERIOD. ENCLOSED ALSO IS COPY OF ARTICLE IN 'CASPER JOURNAL' 7/16/88.

THE AIRCRAFT I SAW AND FURNISHED PHOTOS FOR PUBLICATION WERE HORIZONTAL TAKE OFF AND NOT THE NS-97 PICTURED IN THIS PARTICULAR ARTICLE. I RETURNED THE PHOTOS FURNISHED ME BY THE OIC FOR PUBLICATION AT MACDILL AFB TO THAT OFFICER AND THEIR MAIN FILE WHICH WAS PROBABLY THE LAST TIME THE AF EVER RELEASED INFORMATION ON THOSE DISC AIRCRAFT.

YOUR DEPT OF DEFENSE FILE WILL SHOW THAT YEARS LATER I REQUESTED AND RECEIVED PERMISSION TO SEND WHAT INFORMATION I STILL HAD TO THE HISTORICAL ARCHIVES AT THE UNIVERSITY IN WYOMING - OUR HOME STATE. MY MOTHER AND FATHER KNEW YOUR FAMILY THERE.

FURNISHING THIS TYPE PHOTOGRAPH TO THE CENTER ITSELF WILL PROHIBIT ANY PRIVATE SOURCE INFRINGEMENT ATTEMPT FROM THE ARCHIVES, EVER.

THANK YOU,

FILE  
HC-VII  
Jack D. Pickett  
PUBLISHER - RETIRED