1. DATE - TIME GROUP 1.6 Dec 53 16/1754Z	2. LOCATION MEDITERRANEAN AREA					
MILITARY	10. CONCLUSION RADAR ANALYSIS					
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one- twelve	1. Anomalous propagation 2. Ship-borne jamming 3. Geese or storks in flight					
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION several minutes	Radar returns, stationary, varying in shape as a series of					
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ground radar	"V", "M", and "W". Formation in straight line. Range 20-40 miles from station. Direction 25 deg az, height finder was out. In sight several minutes. Disappeared by fading from					
7. COURSE STATIONARY	scope. Targets appeared to be stationary.					
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9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE						

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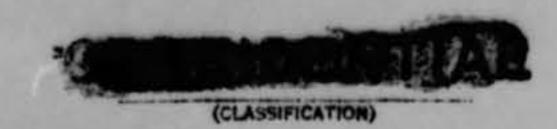
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- 1. Discription of the Objects
 - (a) Varing shapes, series of Wis, Wis, and Mis.
 - (b) Sive- N/A as referred to in this resulation. Approximately two (2) or three (3) degrees wide.
 - (e) Color-M/A
 - (d) Number-Warfed with sweep from one (1) to tuelve (10).
 - (a) Formation-Straight line on azimuth of 250 from 20 to 40 miles out (Approximately Geo-ref MJPF 1535).
 - (8)
 - (a) M/A
 - (h) H/A
 - (i) Frequent change in shape. Each object was more distinct at times.
- 2. Discription of course of objects:
 - (a) Scope presentation.
 - (b) 25 degrees esimuth. Height finder was out so information concerning angle of elevation was not available.
 - (c) Last observed on azimuth of 25 degrees.
 - (d) Comparatively stationary.
 - (e) Faded out.
 - (f) Several minutes.
- 3. Manner of observations:
 - (a) Observed by radar TFS-10
 - (b) Option? mids N/A
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- 4. Time and date of sighting:
 - (a) 16/27542/Dac 53
 - (b) Might
- 5. Location of Observations:

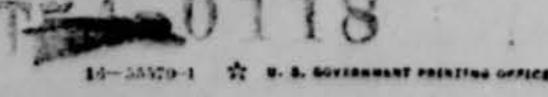
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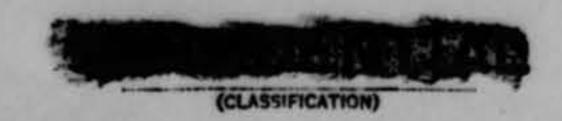
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- Identifying information of all observers:
 - (a) H/A
 - (b) A/30 Air Surveillance Operator, Datachment 2_737th ACRW Sanadron. Detechment Commander. r, Controller.
- Weather conditions:
 - Overcoast with limited visibility but no rain.
 - (b) Magativa.
 - (c) Ceiling-8000' (estimated)
 - (d) Five (5) miles visibility
 - (e) Amount of eloud cover 9/10
 - (f) Thunderstorms: negative
- 9. Any other unusual activity or condition, meterological, astronomical or otherwise, which might account for the sighting. Magative.
- 9. Existance of physical evidence of sighting, such is photography. Magative.
 - 10. Megative.
 - 11. Negativa.
- 2 12. Chief of Intelligence, 316th Air Division (Defense).

COMMENTS of Preparing Officer:

Although reder maintenance personnel at the Site of observation have offered no possible cause for the sighting, it is the opinion of several qualified electronics personnel at this division that the return may have been cause by one of the following:

- a. Anomalous propagation.
- b. Ship-borns radar jamming Detachment 2 cudar.
- c. Geese or storks in flight.

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