

16 May 1968

Meeting, 15 May: E. U. Condon, R. J. Low, R. Craig, D. Gilmore, H. Hunter

1. Low reported that Collis is willing to have Blackmer come to Boulder from SRI to review radar cases and connect them with the SRI radar report. Blackmer would probably have to spend 2 days in Boulder reading the cases, and 1 day in his home office writing his report. He would come as a consultant at \$155/day. RJL will make the arrangements.

Craig suggested that the following three radar cases be included in Blackmer's review: Kincheloe AFB, Vandenberg, and Chase. It was recognized that a review of the cases, plus the SRI report will not automatically produce case solutions, and this is not the sole aim of Blackmer's review.

2. Condon mentioned the need to deal carefully with the optical material, particularly in view of Menzel's overriding interest in the subject.
3. Material as appropriate, and especially C-case items, should be forwarded to Gilmore in NYC. Hunter's responsibility.
4. Are there tail ends which Levine should be requested, through Manning, to tie up? HH will check C-cases, and advise.
5. Condon mentioned as a matter of information, two aspects of the CU project investigation process that will be controversial and need careful handling. They are the decisions made 1) that investigation of cases outside the USA would not be undertaken and 2) that investigation of "classic" cases, ie; old ones, would not be productive.
6. Low will handle the final report material for which he is responsible, such as the chapter concerned with UFO studies abroad. Comments on UN involvement in the UFO question will be handled by Condon.
7. Ahrens is currently coding the "super cases." This should continue to be his first priority assignment. Craig will write the Shermer case investigation, but he recommended that Ahrens submit a summary of the psychological testing and results of the cases. Ahrens will also continue to keep up with cases as they arrive, particularly in terms of photo and other material return. Low will discuss with Ahrens.
8. Will Paul Julian be available during the summer months to help? Low will check.
9. Craig asked about what money is available for consulting help. Specifically he needs someone to do a theoretical discussion of car magnetization. Condon will call Hoover to see if he will do same. A possible alternate is Bob Rogers, a member of the CU engineering faculty.
10. Everyone agreed that there should be no substantive changes in material submitted without explicit and written okay by the author. Hunter will handle housekeeping arrangements as necessary.
11. Sam Rosenberg should be given a prod. Hunter will do.
12. Condon will call Hartmann to advise of changes in project.

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cc: Condon, Low, Craig, Gilmore, Hunter