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TITLE FLYING DISCS; LONNIE EDWARD NOACK, complainant; Houston, Texas, December 27, 1948			CHARACTER OF CASE INTERNAL SECURITY M

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Object described by complainant as possible flying disc determined to be a model tow target or kite which had been abandoned after unsuccessful tests. Portions of target positively identified by HENRY T. RICE, L.A. manufacturer and erstwhile financial backer as being part of the model target or kite.

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REFERENCE:

Teletype from Houston to Director dated 12/28/48.
Teletype from Los Angeles to Director dated 12/28/48.
Teletype from Los Angeles to Director dated 12/29/48.

DETAILS:

This investigation is predicated upon the receipt of referenced teletype from the Houston Office advising that LONNIE EDWARD NOACK had located an object in the desert near Helendale, California, resembling a flying disc. This object, described as a flying disc, had been located by NOACK, R. C. PERSON and Mr. and Mrs. NATHAN SMITH of South Pasadena, California, approximately one hundred and fifty miles northeast of Pasadena or about twenty miles from Lone Pine, California.

Special Agent EDWARD OLSEN determined that R. C. PERSON, Vasco Manufacturing Company, was traveling in Arizona and not available for interview.

APPROVED AND FORWARDED: <i>R. B. Hard</i>	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES	
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