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RE: Jan 3, 1958 UFO Film, Honolulu HI, Clifford DeLacey File

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Hello V-J & Everyone,

I note that both NICAP, APRO and Max Miller of "SAUCERS" all said they did not get to see this Mr. DeLacey's film, but over 50 years ago (1/2 Century!) I contacted Mr. Delacey AND OBTAINED A FIRST GENERATION COPY of the film for research purposes. I, at the time, under the auspices of my organization the UFO Research Committee was working with Robert M.L. Baker on UFO films that he wanted to scientifically analyse. We supplied him with a number of films, (my specialty at the time), including The DeLacey film (as well as the Montana and Utah films). SEE: Robert M.L. Baker, in Carl Sagan and Thornton Page (eds), **UFOs. A Scientific Debate**, Cornell, 1972, pp 203-205 (I was mentioned on Page 202).

Anyway, I phoned and worked with Mr. DeLacey and obtained my copy and directed him to Dr. Baker as well. I had to provide a signed & notarized affidavit stating I would not use the film for profit in any way. So this film is not "Lost" but is in our Archive along with letters, clippings, and a copy of his NICAP sighting report.

Attached is a photo of my file on this case and the 8mm copy we have. I'm sure I reviewed the film back in the 1960's but don't really recall the images.

Best wishes,
Rod Dyke

Vallejo Times-Herald, Friday, January 1, 1958

UFO 'Student' Tells Reaction

Cliff DeLacey, 23-year-old student of flying phenomena, expressed disappointment last night at the lack of interest in the film released on the television program "UFO—Believe or Not the Movies." Wednesday night, Vallejo, a junior college student of 2017 Capital street, photographed a "color" shadow of an object which entered this month of

Vallejo, Calif., Tuesday, January 21, 1958

'Flying Objects' Film Popular

Cliff DeLacey, 23-year-old Vallejo Junior College student who made history of a sort early this month by becoming the second or third person known to have

CLIFFORD DELACY FILM - Jan. 3, 1958

38. Cliff DeLacey, Hawaii. According to the Vallejo (Calif.) Times Herald of January 21, 1958 Mr. DeLacey obtained about 80 seconds of 8 mm color film showing some of nine UFOs which were sighted about 4:00 p.m. The maneuvers of the round UFOs, tree tops and other reference points, reportedly were recorded. Mr. DeLacey did not answer queries from NICAP or from Max B. Muller, former NICAP photographic adviser.

