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AMPN/SUBJ: ANALYSIS OF INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTATION OBTAINED FROM THE CENTRAL ARMY MUSEUM IN HANOI CONCERNING REFNO 1666-0-01//
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CENTRAL ARMED FORCES MUSEUM IN HANOI RESEARCHES AND PHOTOGRAPHS VIETNAMESE DOCUMENTS, PHOTOGRAPHS, AND ARTIFACTS PROVIDED BY THE MUSEUM STAFF. ALL PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN ARE IDENTIFIED BY THE ROLL AND FRAME NUMBER LOGGED DURING THE COLLECTION PROCESS. THIS MESSAGE PROVIDES INITIAL ANALYSIS OF FOUR PHOTOGRAPHS CORRELATED TO REFNO 1666-0-01. THESE PHOTOGRAPHS ARE IDENTIFIED AS ROLL 237/FRAMES 6-9. UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, ALL ANNOTATIONS ARE ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS OF THE ORIGINAL VIETNAMESE TEXT.
2. ROLL 237/FRAME 6 IS OF A PHOTOGRAPH OF AN AMERICAN EMBASSY IDENTIFICATION (ID) CARD BELONGING TO "JOSEPH L. CHESTNUT." THE PHOTOGRAPH AND SIGNATURE CLOSELY RESEMBLE PRE-MISSION SAMPLES INCLUDED IN REFNO 1666-0-01 CASE FILE. THE ID CARD WAS ISSUED BY THE AMERICAN EMBASSY, VIENTIANE, LAOS.
3. ROLL 237/FRAME 7 IS OF THE BACK OF THE PHOTOGRAPH DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH TWO AND READS, "I.D., AN AMERICAN T28 WAS SHOT DOWN BY THE AIR DEFENSE FORCES IN TROUNG SON IN NOVEMBER 1970 AND THIS WAS COLLECTED. 5299 H.L." THIS INFORMATION CORRELATES WITH THE TYPE OF AIRCRAFT AND GENERAL LOCATION OF LOSS OF REFNO 1666-0-01. THE DATE DOES NOT CORRELATE TO THE ACTUAL DATE OF LOSS OF 13 OCT 1970. THE NOTATION "5299" REFERS TO THE NUMBER OF THE VIETNAMESE

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MUSEUM ACCESSION RECORD FOR THE ID CARD. THE RECORD ITSELF HAS NOT BEEN LOCATED. "H.L." ARE PROBABLY THE INITIALS OF THE CLERK MAKING THE ANNOTATION ON THE PHOTO.
4. ROLL 237/FRAME 8 IS OF A PHOTOGRAPH OF THE BACK OF THE IDENTIFICATION CARD DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH TWO. WRITTEN ON THE BOTTOM AND RIGHT SIDE IS "5299, GI 458." THE 5299 IS THE ACCESSION RECORD NUMBER AND GI 458 IS THE ITEM NUMBER OF THE CARD, AS LISTED ON THE ACCESSION RECORD.
5. ROLL 237/FRAME 9 IS OF THE BACK OF ROLL 237/FRAME 8 AND READS, "THE BACK SIDE OF AN I.D., AN AMERICAN T28 SHOT DOWN BY THE AIR DEFENSE FORCES OF TROUNG SON IN NOVEMBER 1970 AND THIS WAS COLLECTED. 5299 H.L." NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS PROVIDED.
6. FOR AFMPC/DPMCB: FORWARDED FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION. COPIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE FORWARDED UPON COMPLETION OF DUPLICATION.
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