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Re: Alien Autopsy once again

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> To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <updates@globalserve.net>
> Subject: Re: UFO UpDate: Re: Alien Autopsy once again

Bob,

> My statement almost three years ago about the film being brittle
> was based on its physical condition.

I presume by that you now mean that your samples were both damaged along one edge, hiding any possible further information, and not brittle, or fragile, as suggested three years ago. This may seem like a triviality to you but it was quite an issue then, and for good reason. In fact your statements then were quite misleading.

> I have not tried to break the samples I have, as I am preserving
> them in original condition in the hope of eventually getting proper
> testing to confirm age.

One thing's for certain; they'll be fifty years old at some point ;}

> Purdy's belief that the film could come from the 60s is totally
> subjective, and based, in part, on his firm belief that the whole
> thing is a hoax.

In part, yes - in addition to his wide experience in handling 16mm film

> You are right that I have grown tired of endless debate over trivia
> while the important issues are mostly ignored/avoided.

But surely one person's trivia is another person's interesting, and perhaps enlightening, detail?

No need to respond.

Rob

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