

4602D AISS UFOB LCG

1 REPORT NO. AISS-UFOB-232-55	2 DATE/TIME OF SIGHTING 11/2220Z July 1955	3 RECD HQ 4602D 22 July 1955
4 LOCATION OF SIGHTING Big Foot, Texas		
5 MEANS RECD AF Form 112	6 ACTION No investigation authorized	
7 INVES UNIT N/A	8 DATE INVES ASSIGNED N/A	9 ASSIGNING OFFICER N/A
10 DATE IR RECD HQ N/A	11 DATE IR APPROVED N/A	12 DATE IR TO ATIC N/A
13 AISOP FORM 5 22 July 1955		
14 COMMENTS The description of the object, the duration of sighting, and the winds aloft at the time of the sighting all point to a balloon sighting. In the opinion of this headquarters the observers probably saw a balloon.		
15 CONCLUSIONS PROBABLY BALLOON		

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HEADQUARTERS
SAN ANTONIO AIR MATERIEL AREA
KELLY AIR FORCE BASE, TEXAS

15 July 1955



SUBJECT: UFOB

TO: Commander
Air Defense Command
Ent Air Force Base
Colorado Springs, Colorado

In compliance with Par 7, Air Force Regulation 200-2, dated
12 August 1954, the attached AF Form is forwarded.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

1 Incl:
AF Form 112, Part I
and Part II

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Chief, Base Security Div

AF FORM 112—PART I

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COUNTRY USA	REPORT NO.	(LEAVE BLANK)
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT UFOB		
AREA REPORTED ON San Antonio, Texas		FROM (Agency) Commander, SAAMA, Kelly AFB, Texas
DATE OF REPORT 15 Jul 55	DATE OF INFORMATION 11 July 55	EVALUATION Unevaluated
PREPARED BY (Officer) Major J. G. Davis		SOURCE Eye witness
REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable) APR 200-2, dated 13 August 1954		
SUMMARY: (Enter concise summary of report. Give significance in final one-sentence paragraph. List inclosures at lower left. Begin text of report on AF Form 112—Part II.) A round silvery white object, the approximate size of a quarter held at arm's length, was observed 11 July 1955, flying over Big Foot, Texas.		
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Commander, SAAMA						

In compliance with par 7a(2), AFR 200-2, dated 12 August 1954, the following report is submitted:

- (1) Description of the object:
 - (a) Shape - Round
 - (b) Size compared to a known object: Quarter held in the hand at arm's length.
 - (c) Color - silvery white
 - (d) Number - one
 - (e) N/A
 - (f) Any discernable features or details - at times streamers appeared to be protruding from object.
 - (g) Tail, trail, or exhaust - none.
 - (h) Sound - none
 - (i) Other pertinent or unusual features - none
- (2) Description of course of object:
 - (a) Son, age 8 years, first sighted object and called his father's attention to it.
 - (b) Angle of elevation approximately 85° and azimuth approximately 270° when object first sighted.
 - (c) Angle of elevation approximately 30° and azimuth approximately 270° when object disappeared.
 - (d) Object flew on a straight and level flight path. First observed almost directly overhead and flew West until it disappeared.
 - (e) Object disappeared by passing out of range of vision.
 - (f) Object was in sight approximately three (3) hours.
- (3) Manner of observation:
 - (a) Ground visual
 - (b) No optical aids used
 - (c) N/A
- (4) Time and date of sighting:
 - (a) 112220Z July 1955
 - (b) Light conditions: Day
- (5) Location of observer: Residence, Big Foot, Texas
- (6) Identifying information of all observers:

occupation:	[REDACTED]	Big Foot, Texas, occupa-
occupation:	[REDACTED]	Big Foot, Texas,
occupation:	[REDACTED]	Big Foot, Texas,
occupation:	[REDACTED]	Big Foot, Texas,
occupation:	[REDACTED]	Big Foot, Texas,
occupation:	[REDACTED]	Big Foot, Texas,
- (7) Weather and winds - aloft conditions at time and place of sightings:
 - (a) Observers stated that it was a clear day.
 - (b) Report from the Weather Bureau, Kelly AFB, Texas, revealed that at 1730 hours, 11 July 1955, wind and velocity were as follows:

	Wind Direction	Velocity (Knots)
Surface	150	10
6,000 ft	120	11
10,000 ft	130	15
16,000 ft	120	9
20,000 ft	110	11
30,000 ft	350	7
50,000 ft	170	10

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- (c) Ceiling - unlimited
- (d) Visibility - 15 miles
- (e) Amount of clouds cover - 5/10, scattered Cirrus at 30,000 feet.
- (f) No thunderstorms in the area.
- (8) No unusual activity or condition, meteorological, astronomical, or otherwise, which might account for the sighting.
- (9) No identification or interception action taken.
- (10) The following is list of aircraft in the area at time of sighting:

Type	Number	Take-Off Time	Course
T-33	5153	1648	Due West
T-33	5419	1616	Due West

- (11) Chief, Base Security Division, Kelly AFB, Texas. Possible cause of sighting unknown.
- (12) No physical evidence of sighting.

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