

4602D AISS UFOB LOG

REPORT NO. AISS-UFOB-302-55	DATE/TIME OF SIGHTING 04/0530Z Sep 55	RECD HQ 4602D 6 Sep 55
LOCATION OF SIGHTING Bellingham, Washington		LOGGED BY A/IC DeRudder
MEANS RECD TT Msg	ACTION Investigation assigned to Flight 1-A	
INVS UNIT Flt 1-A	DATE INVS ASSIGNED 9 Sep 55	ASSIGNING OFFICER Capt Bronstein
DATE IR RECD HQ 19 Sep 55	DATE IR APPROVED 22 Sep 55	DATE IR TO ATIC 22 Sep 55
DATE OF FORM 5 22 Sep 55		
COMMENTS Investigated by Flight 1-A with the following conclusions:		
CONCLUSIONS UNKNOWN		

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RR RJEDEN RJEDWP RJEPHQ

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FM COMDR 635TH ACWRON MCCHORD AFB WASH

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RJEPHQ/DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE HEADQUARTERS USAF WASH 25 D C

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/U N C L/635ACW 331. FOLLOWING UFOB IS FORWARDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
AFR 200-2, PARAGRAPH 7. 1. A. ROUND N. PINHEAD C. WHITE D. ONE E. NONE
F. FLASH ON AND OFF G. NONE H. NONE I. NONE 2. A. WATCHING FOR AIRCRAFT
GOC B. NW OF POST C. STILL THERE D. STATIONARY E. NONE F. OBSERVED
FOR 15 MINUTES 3. A V-G TO AIR B. NONE C. NONE 4. A. 040530 SEPT 55
B. NIGHT GOOD 5. DKND 3245 BELLINGHAM WASH 6. ~~REDACTED~~

~~REDACTED~~ BELLINGHAM WASH GOOD B. SSGT GEORGE F. RYAN 4770 GOS SQ
SEAWASH GOOD 7. A. GOOD B. NONE C. CLEAR D. GOOD 50 MILES E. NONE
F. NONE 8. NONE 9. NONE 10. NONE 11. NONE 12. NONE 13. A. NONE B.
NONE C. NONE D. NONE

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To 7th CA
for investigation
2 Sep 55
AISS #11
Lt Hanson

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Long Distance Telephone Call

Commander, 4602d AISS

Capt Bronstein

1140 Hrs

9 Sep 55

Coml AISS 11

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

1. Long distance telephone conversation between Capt Bronstein this headquarters, and Lt Hansen, Flight 1-A.

2. Assigned follow-up UFOB investigation at Bellingham, Washington.

ROBERT BRONSTEIN, Capt USAF
Assistant Operations Officer

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COUNTRY USA	REPORT NO. 1A-UFOB-3-55	(LEAVE BLANK)
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT UFOB		
AREA REPORTED ON BELLINGHAM, WASHINGTON, USA	FROM (Agency) Flight 1-A, 4602d AISS	
DATE OF REPORT 13 Sept 1955	DATE OF INFORMATION 4 Sept 1955	EVALUATION
PREPARED BY (Officer) RICHARD E. HANSEN, 1/Lt, USAF	SOURCE [REDACTED]	
REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable) AFR 200-2, dtd 12 Aug 54, TT msg 635th AC&W Sq, 331, dtd 06/1910Z SEPT 55		
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.)		
I. CONTENTS: PART ONE: Description of sighting by [REDACTED] at Bellingham, Washington. PART TWO: Supplementary investigative efforts. PART THREE: Comments of preparing officer. II. SUMMARY: The unidentified flying object was observed by SOURCE while [REDACTED] at Bellingham, Washington, (GEOREF DKND 3145) at 04/0530Z Sept 1955. The sighting was made in a westerly direction from Bellingham, Washington. Object was observed for 15 minutes. III. INVESTIGATORS: S/SGT NORMAN R. FISHER, AF18173959 A/1C JAMES G. SLOAN, AF19420308 <i>Richard E. Hansen</i> RICHARD E. HANSEN 1/Lt, USAF Officer In Charge APPROVED: <i>John M. White Jr.</i> JOHN M. WHITE JR Colonel, USAF Commander		
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I. SOURCE:

Address: [REDACTED] Bellingham, Washington
 Age: Unknown
 Occupation: [REDACTED]
 Education: High School
 Qualifications: [REDACTED]

II. RELIABILITY: Source appeared to be sober, conscientious, and cooperative. [REDACTED] affirmed these indications.

III. SOURCES DESCRIPTION OF SIGHTING:

1. Source described object as being a round, white light the size of a pinhead held at arm's length.
2. Object moved erratically laterally and horizontally.
3. Source stated that object definitely moved in reference to a known, stationary object. Object was observed to move approximately 30 degrees across the big dipper.
4. Source associated movement of object with intensity of light. Light appeared to intensify when object moved and grow dim when object was motionless.
5. This was a night sighting observed for 15 minutes.
6. Weather conditions were clear and unlimited.

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SUPPLEMENTAL INVESTIGATIVE EFFORTS:

1. The 635th AC&W Sq at McChord AFB was unable to furnish any information on the sighting.
2. There are no facilities available to Flight 1-A for checking on astronomical data.
3. A check with Sandpoint NAS at Seattle, Washington, the only agency in this area that launches balloons, revealed that no such object from their station could have been in the area of Bellingham at the time of the sighting. A balloon released at 04/0231Z Sept 1955 could not have been in the Bellingham area because prevailing winds were from the north and would have put the balloon far to the south of the sighting.

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COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER:

1. After reviewing the facts a positive identification cannot be made, however the information available does not preclude the possibility of this sighting being astronomical phenomena.

Richard E. Hansen
RICHARD E. HANSEN
1/Lt, USAF
Officer In Charge

COMMENTS of Approving Officer:

1. Concur with the opinion of the Preparing Officer that the lack of data precludes analysis.

2. This report is forwarded to ATIC as "unknown".

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