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1. DATE - TIME GROUP	2. : ATION
23 May 1949 23/0845(L	Moses Lake AFB, Washington
3. SOURCE	10. CONCLUSION
Military	AIRCRAFT (C-31)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS	
One	No data presented to indicate object could NOT have been an A/C.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
1 to 1 1/2 Minutes	Object appeared very small from point of observation. Silver
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION	in color and traveling at a high rate of speed.
Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE	
15 - 20 Deg	
3. PHOTOS	
ZE No.	
PHYSICAL EVIDENCE	
XX No.	

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1.	Date of Observation	23 May 1949 Date of Interview	
2	Exact Time (local)	0845	
3.	Place of Observation	Moses Lake Air Force Base, Washington	
4.	Position of observer	Ground	
5.	What attracted attention to object.		
6.	Number of objects		
7.	Apparent size		
8.	Color of object S:	liver	
9.	Shape No.	ot discernible	
0.	Altitude	0,000-15,000'	
1.	Direction from observ	er	
2.	Distance from observe:	r &-10 Miles	
3.	Direction of flight o	f object(s) 015°-020°	
4.	Time in sight 1 to		
5.	Speed Veryhigh rate	of speed (faster than an A/C).	
6.	Sound and oder None		
7.	Trail		
3.	Luminosity		
).	Projections		
).	Maneuvers	aight flight	
-•	Manner of disappearance	<b>:</b> e	
2.	Effect on Clouds		
	Additional Information Concerning Object-		
	Jesther Conditions.	Clear	

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- (8) Altitude: Estimated 10,000 15,000 ft.
- (9) Sound: None
- (10) Exhaust trail or not: Mone

e. General Remarks: Object appeared to be traveling too fast to be an aircraft. It remained in view for 1 to 1 1/2 minutes on a straight and level course before disappearing from sight. Object estimated to be 8-10 miles from the base.

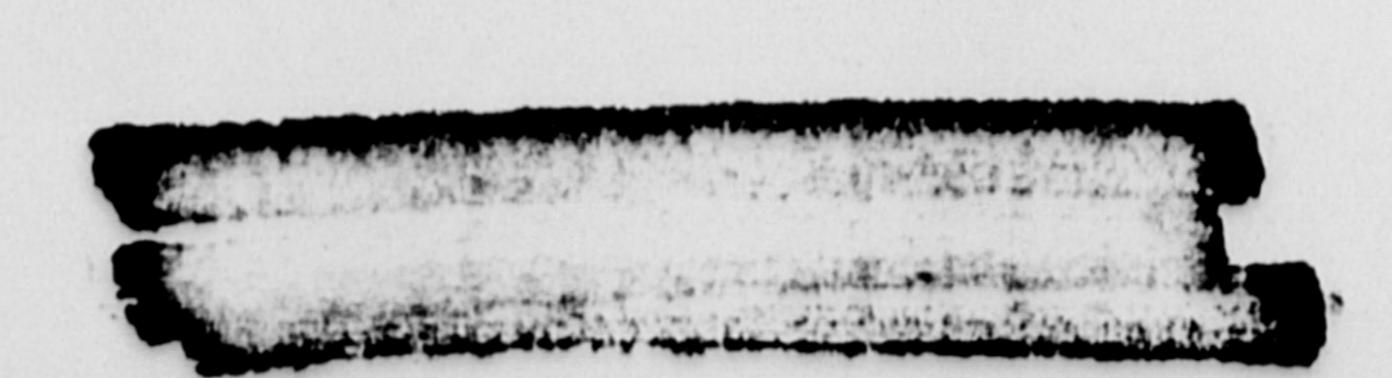
FOR THE WING COMMANDER:

Melvie J. Brown
MELVIN D. BROWN
Major, USAF
Adjutant

CC: Chief of Staff USAF
ATTEN: Director of Intelligence
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TO:

Commanding General
Air Materiel Command
Wright-Patterson AF Base
Dayton, Ohio
ATTEN: TSDIN

- 1. In compliance with ConAC Letter 200-1, dated 25 March 1948, the following information is reported concerning sighting of a "flying disc" at this station.
- a. Location and time of sighting: Observed from the ground at Moses Lake Air Force Base, Washington at approximately 0845 hours local time, 23 May 1949.
  - b. Weather at time: Clear
- c. Name of witnesses: Lt Col Walter C Hearne, Lt Col Wallace To Jordan, and 1st Lt Gerald B Bliss (all pilots).
  - d. Object sighted:
    - (1) Number: One
    - (2) Shape: No definite shape discernible
    - (3) Size: Appeared very small from point of observation
    - (4) Color: Silver
    - (5) Speed: Appeared to be traveling at a very high rate of 55 speed.
    - (6) Heading: 015 020 degrees
    - (7) Maneuverability: Mone

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Name and address of observer:

Lt Col Walter C. Hearne Lt Col Wallace R. Jordan 1st Lt Gerald B. Blish

Occupation and hobbies:

Pilots

Comments of Interrogator relative to intelligence and character of observer(s):

NARR TIVE SUMMARY:

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