

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 21 Apr 52		2. LOCATION Walla Walla, Washington		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other ☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1030 PST GMT 1830		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE 2 civilians			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 8		9. COURSE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Moon in daylight color. Straight and level maneuvers. Disc shaped.				11. COMMENTS Apparently modernately high speed.	

UNCLASSIFIED

COUNTRY USA-MATS	REPORT NO. IR-190-52	(LEAVE BLANK)
AIR-INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT Unidentified Flying Objects NW of Walla Walla, Washington		
AREA REPORTED ON Washington, USA	FROM (Agency) Intelligence Division, Hq MATS, Andrews AF Base, Washington 25, D. C.	
DATE OF REPORT 1 May 1952	DATE OF INFORMATION 22 April 1952	EVALUATION F-6
PREPARED BY (Officer) James C. Lucas, Major, USAFR	SOURCE McChord Flight Service Center, McChord Air Force Base, Washington	
REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable)		

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.)

1. The McChord Flight Service Center, McChord Air Force Base, Washington, reported the sighting by two civilians of eight unidentified flying objects northwest of Walla Walla, Washington. The time of the sighting was 1030PST, 21 April 1952.

2. No sketch or photograph of the objects is available. Other details concerning the objects sighted are:

- | | | |
|--------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| a. Number | : | Eight |
| b. Shape | : | Disc with concave leading edge |
| c. Size | : | Not known |
| d. Color | : | Moon in daylight |
| e. Speed | : | 500 mph |
| f. Maneuverability | : | Straight and level |
| g. Heading | : | Eastward |
| h. Altitude | : | High (no estimate) |
| i. Sound | : | None |
| j. Exhaust trail | : | None |

3. The weather at the time of the sighting was 25,000 feet, thin scattered; 40 miles visibility; temperature 54° F; wind WSW 5 mph.

4. Two witnesses were: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Walla Walla, Washington
Employed - Walla Walla Canning Co.

Mr. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Employed by Walla Walla Canning Co.

APPROVED:

James C. Lucas
JAMES C. LUCAS
Major, USAFR

William L. Travis
WILLIAM L. TRAVIS
Colonel, USAF
Chief, Intelligence
Division

DISTRIBUTION BY ORIGINATOR

DOWNGRADED AT 3 YEAR INTERVALS
DECLASSIFIED 12 YEARS
DOD DIR 0200.10

NOTE: THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS INFORMATION AFFECTING THE NATIONAL DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE ESPIONAGE ACT, 50 U.S.C. 31 AND 32, AS AMENDED. ITS TRANSMISSION OR THE REVELATION OF ITS CONTENTS IN ANY MANNER TO AN UNAUTHORIZED PERSON IS PROHIBITED BY LAW. IT MAY NOT BE REPRODUCED IN WHOLE OR IN PART, BY OTHER THAN UNITED STATES AIR FORCE AGENCIES, EXCEPT BY PERMISSION OF THE DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE, USAF.

UNCLASSIFIED

EXTRACT FROM STATUS REPORT # 7

DATE: 21 Apr 52

TIME (Local): 1000 PST

LOCATION: Walla Walla, Wash.

LENGTH OF TIME OBSERVED: Not Reported

SOUND: Unknown

SPEED: 500 mph

ALTITUDE: High

HEADING: E

SOURCE: Two Civilians

ACTION OR COMMENTS: No conclusions

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT: Eight disc-shaped objects sighted NW of Walla
Walla. (REDACTED)

UNCLASSIFIED

DOWNGRADED AT 3 YEAR INTERVALS
DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS
DOD DIR 5200.10