

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE: 28 Jul 52		2. LOCATION: CHICAGO, ILL.		3. CIRCUMSTANCES:	
4. TIME: GROUP		5. TYPE OF OBSERVATION		6. PROBABILITY:	
28/2045 CST		☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☐ Yes ☐ Probably ☐ Possibly ☐ No ☐ Probably ☐ Possibly ☒ Unknown	
7. DURATION: 15 min.		8. SOURCE: Civilian woman		9. COMMENTS: (S/P)	
10. NUMBER OF OBJECTS: 10		11. COURSE:		12. OTHER:	

Civilian woman in Chicago observed ten blue-green discs at 50,000 travelling at high speeds.

COUNTRY U.S.A.	REPORT NO. IR-33-52B	(LEAVE BLANK)
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT Report of Unusual Flying Objects		
AREA REPORTED ON Northwest Illinois	FROM (Agency) 755th AG&W Squadron, Williams Bay, Wisc.	
DATE OF REPORT 1 Aug. 1952	DATE OF INFORMATION 28 July 1952	EVALUATION F-4
PREPARED BY (Officer) Capt. Frank J. Radsuikinas	SOURCE Individual listed below	
REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable) ADC Letter 200-1, 11 April 1951		

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.)

On the 28th of July 1952, at 2045 CST, Miss ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~, living at ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~, Chicago, Illinois reported ten (10) blue, green flat disc shaped objects west of Chicago, Illinois. The objects were observed at approximately 50,000 feet, traveling at a high rate of speed in a straight line, then turned abruptly about 30 degrees. The observation lasted about fifteen (15) minutes.

The AN/CP-6-B was in operation, at the 755th AG&W Squadron, Williams Bay, Wisconsin. There was no electronic sighting, no visual sighting by GOC, and none by AAA observers.

The weather was dissipating low scattered clouds, high thin broken cirrus, visibility fifteen (15) miles, no restriction to vision. The winds aloft, 320 degrees 25 knots.

Captain Frank J. Radsuikinas, Intelligence Officer, called the Yerkes Observatory on the 30th of July 1952, in reference to the above sighting, with negative results.

Frank J. Radsuikinas
FRANK J. RADZUIKINAS
CAPT. USAF
INTELLIGENCE OFFICER

Classification Changed to RESTRICTED
By Authority of CG, EADP By
PETER B. VERMILION, Major, USAF, 6 Aug 52

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DATE *11 Aug 52*
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LA. CHARLES AFB

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Spherical object trailing a blue flame and moving at high speed was seen by operations officer and dispatcher at LAFB.

COUNTRY USA	REPORT NO. IR-94-52	(LEAVE BLANK) 4497165
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT		
AREA REPORTED ON LAKE CHARLES AFB, LA	FROM (Agency) 44501 HQ 806TH AIR DIVISION	
DATE OF REPORT 31 JULY 1952	DATE OF INFORMATION 28 JULY 1952	EVALUATION E-3
PREPARED BY LT COL THEODORE I. PASCOE 3363A DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE, 44TH BM WG (M)		SOURCE PERSONAL INTERVIEW
REFERENCE AFM 112-1, 1948, and AFM 112-2, 1952. 44501 5173, dtd 31 Jul 52, AFOIN-C/CC-2, dtd 19 Dec 51		

- SUMMARY:** Description of object: Spherical, size impossible to judge due to darkness. No particular aerodynamic features observed. Object trailed a blue flame. Method of propulsion resembled that of a jet, or a rocket. There was no sound heard, and the object was moving extremely fast, which can be seen by the fact that it was within visual range only three to four seconds.
- (2) Time was approximately 2030 hours 28 July 1952.
 - (3) Manner of observation: Naked eye. Altitude was estimated to be 5,000 feet.
 - (4) Location of observers: East end of Lake Charles AFB, La, coordinates 30° 12'N, 93° 50'W, on taxiway. Location of object from this position was east of Lake Charles AFB, La, moving from the south to a northerly direction. Distance from observers was approximately two or three miles.
 - (5) Identifying information of observers: 1st Lt William A. Thiel, AO-659337, Assistant Base Operations Officer, and A/3C William R. Edwards AF 24777359, dispatcher on duty.
 - (6) Weather and winds aloft conditions at time and place of sightings: calm, no wind.
 - (7) To the knowledge of the observers, there was no activity or condition, meteorological or otherwise, which might account for the sighting.
 - (8) There is no existence of any physical evidence such as fragments, photographs and the like, of the sighting.
 - (9) No interception or identification action was taken. Time element prevailed.
 - (10) At time of sighting, one T-11 was making a low approach behind the observers to their east and south.

THEODORE I. PASCOE
Lt Col, USAF
Director of Intelligence

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1. Statement of Observers (6 cys)
2. Map of Area

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OFFICE OF THE BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER
806th Air Base Group
Lake Charles Air Force Base
Lake Charles, Louisiana

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23 July 1952

SUBJECT: Report of Unknown Body Flying over Lake Charles Air Force Base.

TO: Commanding Officer
806th Air Division
Lake Charles Air Force Base
Lake Charles, Louisiana
ATTN: Intelligence Officer

1. About 2030 Central Standard Time we were on the taxiway by the civilian area and noticed a luminous, spherical shaped object, trailing a long streak of blue fire, at approximately 5000 feet. The object was traveling at an excessive rate of speed from South to North over the extreme East end of Lake Charles Air Force Base. In our opinion, no conventional aircraft would be capable of such speeds as this object demonstrated. The object was in view for approximately 5 (five) seconds, then it seemed to burn out and disappear completely. No sound was heard.

William A. Thiel
WILLIAM A. THIEL
1/Lt, USAF, AO 659337
Asst Base Operations Officer

William R. Edwards
WILLIAM R. EDWARDS
A/3C, USAF, AF 24777359
Base Operations Dispatcher

PROJECT KOWA RECORD

DATE 28 Jul 52

2. LOCATION CLAPHAM NAS, KANA.

3. DATE OF OBSERVATION

4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION

5. LOCATION

☒ Ground-Visual

☐ Ground-Radar

☐ Air-Visual

☐ Air-Intercept Radar

6. PHOTOS

7. SOURCE

☐ Yes

☒ No

Airman

8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS

9. COURSE

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10. DIRECTION OF SIGHTING

11. COMMENTS

Salmon-pink light observed by airman of 130 Al and 4 Sq. Object was traveling at 500 mph blinked off and on.

COUNTRY United States of America		REPORT NO. Original	(LEAVE BLANK)
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT			
SUBJECT UNUSUAL OBSERVATION			
AREA REPORTED ON CADF Area		FROM (Agency) 130th AC&W Squadron, Olathe NAS, Kan.	
DATE OF REPORT 30 July 1952	DATE OF INFORMATION 28 July 1952	EVALUATION	
PREPARED BY (Officer) ROBERT L. McINNES, Captain, USAF		SOURCE A/2C Doroski, Anthony J., AF 12367711	
REFERENCES (Control number, direction, previous report, etc., as applicable) AFL 200-5			

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1. Speed approximately 500 miles per hour.
2. At 11,000 feet.
3. Due West.
4. C47 in area, circling landing field.
5. One light.
6. Salmon-pink light.
7. Streak of light--dull.
8. Flashed two times for approximately 1,000 ft.
9. Stayed off for 500 Feet.
10. No sound.
11. Qualified Ground Observer.
12. One foot in diameter.
13. Clouds broken, 30,000 feet.
14. A mile in distance or less.

Alden P. Rigby
ALDEN P. RIGBY
Captain, USAF
Intelligence Officer

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29 Jul 52

FLORENCE, S. C.

1. DATE-TIME-GROUP Local: 28/2113 EST GMT: 29/0213 Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept		6. POSSIBLE IDENTIFICATION ☐ Yes ☐ Probably ☐ Possibly ☐ No
5. PHOTOS None		3. SOURCE 2 civilian women		7. POSSIBLE IDENTIFICATION ☐ Yes ☐ Probably ☐ Possibly ☐ No
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1		9. COMMENTS
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Peculiar greenish-white light traveling very fast was seen by two housewives over Florence, S. C.				

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Unidentified Flying Object Sighted Over Florence, South Carolina 28 July 1952
 State of South Carolina, USA
 Flight Service, MATS, 3800 Newark
 Street, N. W., Washington 25, D. C.

29 July 1952

28 July 1952

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Gerald E. Tyler, Major, USAF

Civilian observers of Florence, S. Carolina

Teletype FLYOBRPT submitted by Maxwell Flight Service Center, 28-3-29 July

An unidentified flying object, described as a peculiar whitish green light and travelling faster than any aircraft the observers had ever seen, was observed over the City of Florence, South Carolina, at 2113Z, 28 July 1952.

GERALD E. TYLER
 Major, USAF
 Acting Intelligence Officer

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Flight Service, MATS
3800 Newark Street, N. W.
Washington 25, D. C.

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1. An unidentified flying object was observed over the City of Florence, South Carolina 28 July 1952. Sighting occurred at 2113E. No information as to the length of sighting is available.

2. Object was reported as very high in the sky, moving due west in a straight line. No vertical movement was observed. Object appeared faster than any aircraft the observers had ever seen. Object appeared as a peculiar whitish green light. No other information available.

3. Weather in the area at the time of sighting was clear, visibility 12 miles, winds aloft 5,000 feet, from 250°, 15 knots, 10,000 feet, 350°, 10 knots, 15,000 feet, 20°, 15 knots, 20,000 feet, 45°, 15 knots.

4. Witnesses: Mrs. H. [REDACTED], no known address, telephone [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], Mr. and Mrs. [REDACTED], no known address or telephone number given.

5. The information was reported to Maxwell Flight Service Center by Jacksonville Air Route Traffic Control Center at 2036 CST 28 July 1952.

6. No known military air traffic was over Florence, South Carolina, at the time of sighting.

Comments of Preparing Officer:

1. Insufficient background information on witnesses is available to determine aerial observer qualifications. Witnesses were not interrogated.

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JEPRS/CDR FLTSERV WASHDC

[REDACTED] MFSC 28-G-29 FLYOBRPT AT 2113E A MRS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] JR NO KNOWN ADDRESS PHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AND

MR AND MRS [REDACTED] NO KNOWN ADDRESS OBSERVED OVER THE CITY

OF FLORENCE SOUTH CAROLINA AN OBJECT VERY HIGH IN THE SKY MOVING DUE

WEST IN A STRAIGHT LINE NO VERTICAL MOVEMENT WAS OBSERVED. OBJECT

APPEARED FASTER THAN ANY AIR CRAFT THEY HAD EVER SEEN. OBJECT

APPEARED AS A PECULIAR WHITEISH GREEN LIGHT. NO OTHER INFORMATION

AVAILABLE. ABOVE INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM JACKSONVILLE CONTROL AT

2136E. SGD GENTRY

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