

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 5 Mar 54		2. LOCATION Chihuahua, Mexico		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other <u>Unreliable Report.</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 06/0345Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE southerly	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Blue object giving off a white gleam of light, thought to be a meteor of colored lights. Decreased in intensity until it became like the stars. Did not fall. Glided away from the observer toward the South. Sound of screech accompanied the object. About 3 minutes to go out of sight.				11. COMMENTS Second letter indicates that witness has psychological problems. Case evaluated as an unreliable report.	

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL, USAF
5TH DISTRICT OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO

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IN REPLY REFER TO: **5D 24-21-135**

7 May 1954

**SUBJECT: Unidentified Flying Objects
SPECIAL INQUIRY**

TO: Commander
Air Technical Intelligence Center
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
Ohio
ATTN: ATIAA-2C

1. Attached hereto for your information is one (1) photo-static copy of a translation from Spanish, concerning two (2) letters pertinent to Unidentified Flying Objects.
2. The above material was furnished this District Office by the Directorate of Special Investigations, Washington 25, D. C.

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J. VALENZUELA to Institute
of Scientific Inves.

cc: Dir OSI w/o incl

ROBERTS P. JOHNSON, JR.
Colonel, USAF
District Commander

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Letter #2

The Director C.I.

This took place about seven or eight years before you (plural) conducted the first atomic experiment. There was (or "I was in") an army which was armed when suddenly appeared a flash and every soldier was converted into ashes such as those of the cigarette which he smoked. And many other things, which I have seen, take place in the spiritual world. In time the years go by in the material (world).



TRANSLATION FROM SPANISH

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The following is a translation in full of two letters addressed in Spanish to "Institute of Scientific Investigation, Washington, D.C." from "... Coahuila, Mexico." The envelope bears a Mexican postage stamp, but the postmark is illegible.

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Letter #1.

The Director of Scientific Investigations:

My attention being distracted for a moment on March 5, 1954, between 9:30 and 10 at night, I went into the courtyard of my house. I am in the habit of watching the sky. Suddenly I saw a blue object and later it produced a white gleam of light and I thought that it was a rocket of colored lights (instead of "rocket" the writer may have meant "meteor"), but when I saw that it did not fall, I went upstairs and observed it. I noticed that as it departed it became smaller up to the point of becoming confused with the stars. I remained there about three minutes watching it, but the curious thing for me was that it glided away with an accelerating speed and when it was almost in front of me, it kept on moving toward the south. If you were to place yourself so that your back was to the north, you would have found that it traveled from left to right producing a very perceptible screech, which I heard very well, and for another three minutes or so I watched it as it traveled in a southward direction.

With materialistic eyes,

Sincerely yours



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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
MAJOR GENERAL
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SPECIAL AGENT

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 5 March 1954 - 7 Mar 57 05/2000Z	2. LOCATION Monsieur, French Morocco
3. SOURCE Military	10. CONCLUSION 1. Radar - Ground Reflection 2. Air Visual - Insufficient Data (2135Z) 3. UNIDENTIFIED (1918, 1938, 1949)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Radar/2 Varies	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object described as lights. Pilots of KC-97, C-47 and C-54 re UFO making passes at them at various times. One radar site displayed stationary target on scope. Radar sight continued to pick up stationary target on 6 & 7th.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION See Case File	
7. COURSE	1. Probable ground reflection due to inversion (All radar) 2. Insufficient data for firm analysis 3. UNIDENTIFIED
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	ATIC #183974(AB) Filed in ATIC Repository
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	