

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 6 August 1954		2. LOCATION San Antonio, Texas		12. CONCLUSIONS	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 06/2400Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other <u>UNIDENTIFIED</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☒ Unknown	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 5 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1		9. COURSE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Small, intense white light varying in color to yellow, orange and finally pink. Went through 4 or 5 cycles of burning. Observation at 45 Deg elev traveling 15 deg laterally.				11. COMMENTS UNIDENTIFIED	

IN REPLY, ADDRESS BOTH
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VELOPE TO ATTENTION OF
FOLLOWING OFFICE CODE

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06/24002
Mr. [redacted] *San Antonio, Texas*
HEADQUARTERS
SAN ANTONIO AIR MATERIEL AREA
KELLY AIR FORCE BASE, TEXAS

10 August 1954



Witness
SUBJECT: UFOB

THRU: Commander
Air Materiel Command
Attn: Intelligence Division
Headquarters
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio

TO: Director of Intelligence
Headquarters
United States Air Force
Washington 25, D. C.

In compliance with Air Force Regulations 200-2, dated
26 August 1953, the attached AF Form 112 is forwarded.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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AF Form 112 (Dup)

cc: Commander
ATIC
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio

For *Henry A. Foster Maj USAF*
L. V. MARLIN
Major USAF
Asst Provost Marshal

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(7) Weather and winds aloft conditions at time and place of sighting:

- (a) Observer's account of weather conditions: Clear and calm.
- (b) From the Weather Bureau, Kelly AFB, Texas, the following was reported 2100 hours, 6 August 1954:

	Wind Direction (Degrees)	Velocity (Knots)
Surface	150	9
6,000 ft	210	8
10,000 "	170	10
16,000 "	170	5
20,000 "	250	6
30,000 "	210	11
50,000 "	090	14
75,000 "	080	15

- (c) Ceiling - Clear.
- (d) Visibility - 15 miles.
- (e) Amount of cloud cover - clear.
- (f) Thunderstorms in area - none.

- (8) No other unusual activity or condition, meteorological, astronomical, or otherwise, which might have accounted for the sighting, reported.
- (9) No physical evidence of the sighting.
- (10) No interception or identification action taken.
- (11) Local air traffic in the area, nothing reported.
- (12) Prepared by the Chief, Base Security Division, Kelly AFB, Texas. Possible cause of the sighting could have been reflection of sunlight from weather balloon which was released from the Weather Station, Municipal Airport, San Antonio, Texas, at about 1500 hours, CST, 6 August 1954.

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A small elliptical-shaped object which alternately became intensely brilliant, then dull, was observed flying over San Antonio, Texas.

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In compliance with AFR 200-2, dated 26 August 1953, the following report is submitted:

- (1) Description of the object:
 - (a) Shape - Elliptical.
 - (b) Size compared to known object - pea held in the hand at about arm's length.
 - (c) Color - Varied. At first it was an intense white light, later turned to a pure yellow, then to orange, then to pink, and finally a dark pink.
 - (d) Number - One.
 - (e) Formation - N/A.
 - (f) No discernible features or details noted.
 - (g) No tail, trail, or exhaust noted.
 - (h) No sound heard.
 - (i) During the time object was observed (approximately 5 minutes), it went through four or five cycles of growing in intensity until a peak was reached, and then subsiding to a dull color. When first observed, the object gave off an intense white light which changed to a yellow and then to pink and finally, just before it disappeared, to a dark pink. Object's manner of disappearance led observer to feel that the object had consumed itself.
- (2) Description of course of object:
 - (a) Observer was driving to his home in his automobile when the unusual brilliance of the object first called his attention to the object.
 - (b) Angle of elevation and azimuth of the object when first observed was about forty-five degrees.
 - (c) Angle of elevation of object upon disappearance was about forty-five degrees (object traveled about fifteen degrees laterally).
 - (d) Object flew a straight and level flight path.
 - (e) Manner of disappearance of object - Appeared to consume itself (see (1) (i) above.
- (3) Manner of observation:
 - (a) Ground-visual.
 - (b) No optical aids used.
 - (c) N/A
- (4) Time and date of sighting:
 - (a) Zulu time-date group of sighting - 062400 August 1954.
 - (b) Light conditions - day.
- (5) Location of observer - On the corner of Sherman and Palmetto Streets. Observer had stopped his automobile to get a better look at the object.
- (6) Identifying information of observer:
 - (a) Name - [REDACTED]
Age: 32
Mailing Address - [REDACTED], San Antonio, Texas
Occupation - Licensed Mechanical Engineer
Estimate of Reliability: Unknown

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