

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 3 August 65 03/1100-1200Z	2. LOCATION Colorado Springs, Colorado
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astronomical (METEOR) ✓ <i>Met</i>
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Sighting resembles meteor. Fact that tail was going on and off intermittantly in 2 second interval difficult to understand.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 Seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Green object with white flaring tail. White flare tail went off and on intermittently. Two second observation.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE In NW	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

Rec 20 Sept 68
From Dr H.

March 8, 1966

8/ Aug/ 65

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Colo. Spgs.

Dear Mr. Hynek,

I have received your letter
and Dr. Sulejmanovic telephoned
me. He asked me to forward
my personal description of the
object which I saw on August
8, 1965

I saw the object between
the hours of 7:30 and 8:00
P.M. daylight saving time.
I first noticed the object
and watched it for approximately
fifteen minutes. Then I
called the attention of the
other girls to it. It was
shaped more like an egg
instead of a ball. It was
white like a star but it
had no twinkle or beam.
The object was to the right
of the small Jupiter's antenna
on Lyons Mountain below
the mountain top. There
was a line of trees that
separated it from the
mountain top.

object and suddenly ascended
up into the air and over
the mountain.

I live approximately twelve miles from the mountain. The object from that distance was about the size of one quarter of a full moon.

I hope the information
I have given will
be help to you

Yours very truly

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PTTU JAW RUWVFVA0194 2152050-UUUU--RUEBBAA

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FM ADC
TO RUEBBAA/AFSC
RUEBHQA/CSAF
RUEBHQA/OSAF WASH DC
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FTD (TDEW)

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AFSC FOR SCFD, CSAF FOR AFNIN; OSAF FOR SAF01. SUBJ:
UFO REPORT. FOLLOWING REPORT OF UFO IS SUBMITTED IN ACCORD-
ANCE WITH AFR 200-2. A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT. (1) ROUND.
(2) NICKEL AT ARMS LENGTH. (3) GREEN WITH WHITE FLARING TAIL. (4)
ONE. (5) NA (6) NONE. (7) WHITE FLARE SEVERAL TIMES OBJECTS
SIZE INTERMITTENTLY ON AND OFF. (8) SOUND DESCRIBED AS A SHORT,
SOFT NOISE (PHTT) 9. NONE. B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE.
(1)
BRIGHT FLARE OF LIGHT. (2) NW; UNKNOWN ELEVATION. (3) NW;
UNKNOWN ELEVATION. (4) SHORT STRAIGHT LINE. (5) INSTANTANEOUSLY
TO THE NW. (6) 2 SECONDS. C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION. (1)

INCONSISTENT. 1600 LOCATED NOT DAWN
PROB 03/0500 LOCATED

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GROUND VISUAL. (2) NONE. (3) N/A D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING
(1) BETWEEN 01/2200Z AND 2/2300Z. (2) DAWN. E. LOCATION
OF OBSERVER - 4 MILES SE OF PEYTON COLORADO. F. IDENTIFICATION
OF OBSERVER. [REDACTED] AGE [REDACTED]
COLORADO SPRINGS COLO. DISHWASHER. OBSERVER IS ESTIMATED
TO BE HONEST BUT HIGHLY IMAGINATIVE. G. WEATHER AND WINDS
(1) CLEAR - GOOD VISABILITY. (2) 6000 FT, 030 DEGREES, 6 KNOTS
10,000 FT 170 DEGREES, 3 KNOTS 16,000 FT 230 DEGREES 6 KNOTS
20,000 FT 270 DEGREES 12 KNOTS 30,000 FT 250 DEGREES
12 KNOTS; 50,000 FT 330 DEGREES, 45 KNOTS. (3) UNLIMITED (4) 15
MILES PLUS. (5) NONE. (6) NONE (7) 10,000 FT 12 DEGREES C
20,000 FT - 130 DEGREES C; 30,000 FT - 350 DEGREES CV 50,000 FT
- 66 DEGREES C. H. AFTER ORIGINAL LED DISAPPEARED. SEVERAL
OTHER SMALL METEORITE-LIKE OBJECTS WERE OBSERVED FOR A FEW
SECONDS. I. N/A J. UNKNOWN K. LT COL WILLIAM H.
GREENHALGH JR. DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE, HQ AIR DEFENSE
COMMAND. L. NONE.
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PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 7 August 65 08/0600Z	2. LOCATION Colorado Springs, Colorado
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (ARCTURUS) ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Object characteristic of Astro body. Imagination of youths adding details to the object. Estimation of elevation probably in error. ARCTURUS at 15 deg elevation setting at time of disappearance.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 1/2 Hours	Object reported associated with ARCTURUS and disappearance coincides with setting of this star.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	Object changing colors from red to green to white. Described as a round ball. Appeared to have oblong windows. Also appeared to reflect light on clouds. Observed at 50 deg elevation in West disappearing at 25-30 deg in West. Observed for 1 1/2 hours. Witnesses two 14 year old youths.
7. COURSE West descending	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

later data in letter said
object "below mountain" and "no
straight up" - but elevation would
on data the available should prove
young girl was there
great investigation.

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AF IN: 55604 (10 Aug 65) S/cge

ACTION: NIN-7

INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-8, SAF-OS-3, DIA-1 (21)

SMB 0047 RTTU JAW RUWMFVA0274 2212359-UUUU--RUEBHQA

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R 092230Z

FM 4600ABWG ENT AFB COLO

TO RUEBHQA/SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE

RUEBHQA/CSAF

ZEN/NORAD

ZEN/ADC

RUEBBAA/AFSC

RUNTFLA/29AIRDIV RICHARDSGEBUR AFB MO

ZEN/4600ABWG ENT AFB COLO

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UNCLAS WGDOM-OB 02166 AUG 65.

FOR: SECRETARY OF THE AF (SAFO1), CSAF (AFNIN), NORAD

(NOCC), ADC (ADOCF) AND ADCIO-P), 4600ABWG (WGDOM).

UFO. UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT. REPORT

FOLLOWS FORMAT OF PAR 14, AFR 200-2.

A. (1) ROUND BALL

(2) PENNY

(3) CHANGED COLORS FROM RED TO GREEN TO WHITE

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(4) ONE

(5) N/A

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(6) APPEARED TO HAVE OBLONG WINDOWS

(7) NONE

(8) NONE

(9) APPEARED TO REFLECT LIGHT UPON CLOUDS

B. (1) BOTH WITNESSES WERE GOING TO SLEEP IN BACKYARD.

WHILE LAYING DOWN THEY OBSERVED OBJECT IN SKY.

(2) ABOUT 50 DEGREES ON WESTERLY HEADING

(3) ABOUT 25-30 DEGREES ON WESTERLY HEADING

(4) STRAIGHT, EXCEPT SEEM TO STOP MOVEMENT

OCCASIONALLY.

(5) INSTANTLY TO THWWEST

(6) ABOUT ONE AND ONE HALF HOURS

C. (1) GROUND VISUAL

(2) NONE

(3) NA

D. (1) ~~0600Z~~, 8 AUG 65

(2) DARK

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E. NORTHEAST SECTION, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO: 104

DEGREES 46 MINUTES WEST, 38 DEGREES, 51 MINUTES NORTH.

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F. (1) FIRST WITNESS: [REDACTED], AGE 14,

[REDACTED], COLO SPGS, COLO SCHOOL GIRL. SECOND

WITNESS: [REDACTED], AGE 14, [REDACTED]

COLO SPGS COLO, ESTIMATE OF RELIABILITY OF WITNESSES:

FAIR.

(2) N/A

G. (1) CLEAR

(2) 6000 01/15, 10000 35/15, 16000 31/20, 20000
31/25, 30000 32/40, 50000, 29/20, 80000 10/15.

(3) NO CEILING -15MILES VISIBAILTY

(4) CLEAR

(5) NONE

(6) NONE

(7) NONE

H. STARES APPEARED UNUSUALLY BIGHT DURING NIGHT IN
QUESTION.

I. NONE

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I. NONE

J. NONE

K. CAPT D.D. DEHOFF, ASST BASE OPS OFFICER, PETERSON

FIELD, COL00. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: THIS REPORTED

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SIGHTING NOT SUBSTANTIATED BY OTHER REPORTS OR DATA
FROM NORAD COC, SPADATS, FAA CENTER AND CONTROL TOWERS
AND LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, HOWEVER NEGATIVE
REPORTS FROM THESE AGENCIES PRACTICALLY ELIMINATE
POSSIBILITY OF OBJECT BEING AN AIRCRAFT, SATELLITE,
DECAYING SATELLITE OR DEBRIS OR UNUSUAL WEATHER
PHENOMENA. DESCRIPTION AND RATE OF MOVEMENT DOES
NOT FIT A METEOR. THE RATE OF MOVEMENT AND CHANGING
OF COLOR BEST FITS THE DESCRIPTION OF A VERY BRIGHT
STAR. HOWEVER THIS DOES NOT CORRELATE WITH WITNESSES
INSISTENCE THAT THEY COULD SEE WINDOWS IN THE OBJECT.
THIS PARTICULAR PORTION OF TESTIMONY COULD BE RESULT
OF OVERACTIVE IMAGINATION STIMULATED BY WIDE NEWS
MEDIA COVERAGE DURING RECENT WEEKS. INVESTIGATING
OFFICER PERSONNALLY OBSERVED BRIGHTNESS OF STARS DURING

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AVAILABLE THE SIGHTED OBJECT WAS MOST PROBABLY A VERY
BRIGHT STAR.

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NOTE: ADV CY TO DIA

No Case, Information Only
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7 August 1965
Colorado Springs, Colo.

Colorado Springs Photo

The following photograph appeared in the Colorado Springs Gazette Telegraph on Saturday, August 14, 1965. The photo was taken by Mr. Guy Burgess Jr. The UFO was not visible when the photo was taken. A blueish in the emulsion of the film, the object is on the negative and it is not superimposed, scratched in or double-exposed. The photo was taken on Saturday, August 7, 1965, between 1 and 2 p.m. with a 35MM camera.

