

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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1. DATE	28 May 1952	2. LOCATION	Albuquerque, New Mexico	12. CONCLUSIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP	Local 1345 & 1440 MST GMT 2045, 2140, 2100 Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft	
5. PHOTOS	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE	City Firemen	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS	1, 1, 2,	<input type="checkbox"/> Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING	COLOR: TWO REPORTS**LIGHT SILVER ONE REPORT***ORANGE AND LIGHT BROWN SHAPE: Circular	11. COMMENTS	315° Came in from NE at high speed. As it approached it started to circle and climbed out of sight.---Observed high over the mountains NE of city. Made long shallow turn to NW.---Objects came in from NE, approached observers till they were at elevation of about 40° then turned to NW.		

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ACTION

RR JEPHQ JEDWP JEDEN JEPYB 444

DE JWFKD 48

R 282230Z ZNJ

FM CO 4901ST SFT WG /ATOMIC/ KIRTLAND AFB NMEX

TO JEPHQ/DIR OF INTELL HQ USAF WASH DC

JEDWP/AIR TECH INTELL CEN ATTN ATIAA-2C WPAFB OHIO

JEDEN/CG, ENT AFB COLO SPRINGS COLO

JEPYB/CG ARDC BALT MD

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/R [REDACTED] Q-WCKB0-5-7 FLYORPT THREE OBJECTS OF PINKISH

COLOR IN TRAIL FORMATION X SIGHTED VISUALLY FR GROUND AT APPROX 1345

1ST NE QUADRANT ALBUQUERQUE X FLYING WEST LOW THEN HIGH X WEATHER

CLEAR W/FEW CUMULUS ALL QUADRANTS VISIBILITY 60 MI WINDS WNW 10 MPH

X OBSERVERS MARTIN ROMERO AND DON ATTERBURY OF 5 FIRE STA ALBUQUERQUE X

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COUNTRY	REPORT NO.	(LEAVE BLANK)
UNITED STATES	IR-1-52	
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT		
Unidentified Flying Objects (FLYORREP)		
AREA REPORTED ON	FROM (Agency)	
Albuquerque, New Mexico	Hq 4901st Support Wing (Atomic) Kirtland Air Force Base, New Mexico	
DATE OF REPORT	DATE OF INFORMATION	CLASSIFICATION
9 June 1952	28 May 1952	C-3
PREPARED BY (Officer)	SOURCE	
Major Roy L. Huddleston, USAF	Martin Romero, 719 No. Arnold Don Atteberry, 6720 Cochita Rd	
REFERENCES (Central number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable)		
AFI #200-5 and TRX WCKBO-5-7		
SUMMARY: (Enter concise summary of report. Give significance in final one-sentence paragraph. List inclusions at lower left. Begin text of report on AF Form 118—Part II.)		
<p>Three unidentified flying objects were sighted over Northeast Albuquerque by two city fire department employees at three different intervals during a day of clear sky except for a few scattered cumulus clouds over the mountainous area north and east of the city.</p> <p>The first object was sighted at 1345 MST approaching from the northeast toward the observers at a high altitude and an extremely high speed. It had a circular shape, a shining silver color, no visible source of propulsion, and no sound could be heard. The object approached to a point estimated at four miles from the observers and then rose in a sharp clockwise circle. Sight was lost because of the higher altitude attained.</p> <p>Two similar objects approached at a lower altitude (estimated at 15,000ft.) from above the mountains northeast of the observers at 1400 MST. They moved in a straight line and appeared to move faster than the first object. Both seemed to be of the same design as the first object, but had an orange or light brown color. The objects turned abruptly when they reached a point approximately on a forty (40) degree angle to the observers and turned to a northwest course. The objects seemed to be thirty (30) to forty (40) feet in diameter at this point, which was the closest approach of an object at any time. The two objects flew in close formation toward the northwest until sight was lost.</p> <p>A third sighting was made of an object flying high over the mountains northeast of the city at 1440 MST. It had the same characteristics as the first object spotted at 1345 MST. The object was flying among scattered cumulus clouds high over the mountains in a curving course from northeast to southeast. Sight was lost due to the high altitude gained by the object.</p> <p>The above mentioned objects were unfamiliar to the observers and seemed to have no characteristics similar to aircraft seen by them in this vicinity.</p>		
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EXTRACT FROM STATUS REPORT # 7

DATE: 28 May 52

TIME (Local): 1345 EST

LOCATION: Kirtland AFB, N. M.

LENGTH OF TIME OBSERVED: Not Reported

SOUND: Unknown

SPEED: Unknown

ALTITUDE: Varied

HEADING: //

SOURCE: Civilians

ACTION OR COMMENTS: Routine

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT: Three pinkish objects in trail began to descend from ground. [REDACTED]

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