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Incident #88

ATIC NO. - - - - - DATE OF INFO 3 Aug 47

AF NO. - - - - - LOCATION Hackensack, New Jersey

REPORT NO. - - - - - SOURCE Army FM

DATE OF REPORT - - - - - DATE IN TO ATIC - - - - -

TIME OF SIGHTING Afternoon COLOR N/S

SHAPE N/S SPEED Rapid Estimated

SIZE N/S ALTITUDE 200 yds Measured

COURSE N/S LENGTH OF TIME OBSERVED - - -

NO. IN GROUP 1 TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground

WOUND - - - MANEUVERS Revolved slowly

PHOTO - - - SKETCHES - - -

Temporary ATIC Form 329  
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EXERCISES - UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS

1. Date 3 Aug 1947
2. Time Late afternoon
3. Location Easton, N. J.
4. Name of observer [REDACTED] U. S. Army, Ft. Monmouth
5. Occupation of observer W/S
6. Address of observer See 4 above
7. Place of observation Easton, N. J.
8. Number of objects 1
9. Distance of object from observer 200 yds
10. Time in sight W/S
11. Altitude 200 yds
12. Speed rapid
13. Direction of flight W/S
14. Tactics revolved slowly
15. Sound W/S
16. Size W/S
17. Color W/S
18. Shape W/S
19. Odor detected W/S
20. Apparent construction W/S
21. Exhaust trails W/S
22. Weather conditions W/S
23. Effect on clouds W/S
24. Sketches or photographs None
25. Manner of disappearance W/S
26. Remarks: (over)

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[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] US Army Ft. [REDACTED] sighted  
a flying disc in late afternoon 7 August 57. Disc was 200 yards in  
air, revolving slowly but moving rapidly and was neither a kite nor a  
balloon.

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[REDACTED]

Incident #33 -- Hackensack, New Jersey -- 3 August 1947

It seems clear that no astronomical interpretation can be given to this incident.

Information is so meager that little else can be said. If the object observed was only 200 yards away, it would seem that witnesses could have furnished much more detailed information.

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[REDACTED]

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Dr HYNEK'S EVALUATIONS EXTRACTED FROM PROJECT GRUDGE REPORT.

INCIDENT INDEX

1. Astronomical

a. High probability:

#26, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 48, 49, 59, 60, 66, 69, 70, 94,  
95, 96, 97, 98, 101, 102, 103, 104, 116, 119, 132, 136, 140,  
147, 148, 158, 174, 184, 185, 187, 197, 203, 204, 208, 216,  
219, 238.

b. Fair or low probability:

#19, 20, 23, 24, 28, 35, 36, 46, 50, 63, 67, 80, 82, 93, 100,  
112, 120, 121, 129, 130, 144, 153, 165, 166, 167, 175, 192,  
199, 202, 205, 220, 230, 240.

2. Non-astronomical but suggestive of other explanations

a. Balloons or ordinary aircraft:

#3, 11, 22, 41, 42, 53, 54, 73, 81, 83, 91, 92, 113, 114, 115,  
126, 131, 138, 141, 145, 155, 156, 157, 159, 160, 161, 163,  
169, 171, 173, 178, 180, 182, 188, 190, 194, 195, 196, 198,  
200, 201, 209, 210, 217, 222, 236, 237, 239.

b. Rockets, flares or falling bodies:

#4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 25, 56, 65, 78, 106, 107,  
108, 109, 133, 170, 211, 218.

c. Miscellaneous (reflections, auroral streamers, birds, etc.):

#39, 89, 123, 124, 128, 146, 164, 181, 189, 214, 221, 231, 234.

3. Non-astronomical, with no explanation evident

a. Lack of evidence precludes explanation:

#38, 44, 45, 47, 55, 57, 72, 86, 87, 88, 90, 99, 110, 117, 118,  
125, 127, 137, 139, 149, 150, 177, 179, 191, 206, 212, 213,  
229, 232, 233.

b. Evidence offered suggests no explanation:

#1, 2, 10, 17, 21, 29, 37, 40, 51, 52, 58, 61, 62, 64, 68, 71,  
75, 76, 77, 79, 84, 105, 111, 122, 135, 151, 152, 154, 162,  
168, 172, 176, 183, 186, 193, 207, 215, 223, 224, 225, 226,  
227, 236, 241, 242, 243, 244, 134.

MCIA/JCB/amb  
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base  
XXXXXXX  
6 April 1948

MCIA

Mrs. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Wildwood, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. [REDACTED]

With reference to your letter of 27 March 1948, this is to advise you that Major M. W. Faulk left suddenly on leave due to pending transfer orders. No information or film has been received since the departure of Major Faulk who had been receiving all correspondence in connection with the Wildwood sightings. Only one roll of film has been received; the other two rolls mentioned, as well as additional information, may possibly have been forwarded to Major Faulk at his leave address and not as yet returned to this headquarters. The one roll of film received was processed in the Photographic Laboratory with negative results.

For security reasons, it is impossible to keep you informed of the official action being taken by this headquarters. However, an investigation has been initiated on the Wildwood, N. J. incidents.

This Command is making considerable effort to acknowledge receipt of all information. Your cooperation, as well as the cooperation of all individuals sufficiently interested in the security of their country, is urgently required. It is hoped that you will continue to inform this headquarters, as well as the FBI, of any new developments near Wildwood. The official address for such correspondence is as follows:

Commanding General  
Air Materiel Command  
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base  
Dayton, Ohio  
ATTN: MCIA

Sincerely yours,

W. R. GLINGERMAN  
Colonel, USAF  
Chief, Tech Intelligence Div  
Intelligence Department

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Wright-Patterson Air Force Base

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19 April 1948

MCIA

Mrs. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Wildwood, N. J.

Dear Mrs. Evans:

Acknowledgment is made of your letter of 9 April 1948. This Headquarters appreciates the interest shown in reporting aerial phenomena in the vicinity of Wildwood, N. J. It is hoped that you will continue to send in additional information when it comes to your attention.

Sincerely yours,

W. R. CLINGERMAN  
Colonel, USAF  
Chief, Tech Intelligence Div  
Intelligence Department

*File 50*

April 9th - 1948

Commanding General  
Air Materiel Command  
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base  
Dayton, Ohio -

Attention: MCIA

I have a letter dated 6 April from  
Colonel W. R. Clingerman - received to-day.

In reply I wish to state that I was  
very glad to receive same. I knew something  
was irregular when after sending information  
films etc to Major Faulk there was no  
further word from him, so I discontinued  
any information. However I did ask  
F.B.I. Philadelphia to identify Major Faulk  
also the civilian who came with him.

Last Saturday April 3rd a gentleman  
called on Mrs. Krueger (who Major Faulk  
was when in wild word) and identified himself  
as a retired Coast Guard officer from  
Washington now C. G. Intelligence.

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Mr Krueger tells me he questioned her for over an hour. Had a folder of photostats of what appeared to him to be my letters. He held them clearly in view and she clearly identified my writing. He did not tell her they were my letters but read from them. He told her I wanted to see her. That he had been here in Wildwood all week and could not find me. He left a Cape May phone number of a store there. I said they would call him and left instructions he wished to see me.

Having been here all week and been making searching the apartment who could have called me - the C. G. I. never left my word for me - phoned or called on me. Naturally I ignored the message Mr Krueger gave me. My reason if he had my correspondence to Major Faulk had he read them. Could have noted I had told him not to contact Mr Krueger again - that she had been instructed by her family not to talk and was very nervous - she has been ill

under Doctor's care since the date of the  
C.G.I. - call.

There is a new development here. I  
have heard that people who can be  
identified, saw the Javanese before  
reported on long ago in October -  
they told a detective on the Police  
force here so it was known

My son and I saw one April 2<sup>nd</sup>  
at 4:40 P.M. and now know what it  
looks like - It is like a small  
Pilot-less plane - very bright metal -  
no - motor noise and looks like the  
picture of the German Pilot-less  
plane - The center was Ball shaped  
and very bright metal - It followed  
along the Coast line out of sight  
coming from the South - heading North -

Later at 5:10 P.M. - same date  
a second one came along same  
direction and fell in the water



The metal wings were small and evidently broke as I fell as it looked like sheets of metal dropping at the side.

It could be clearly seen as I was every clear day - we occupy the third floor of an apartment here with all windows in direct view of the Ocean.

We have had count of those seen at night - when there is a bright moon - but I apparently was not seriously considered as reporting photos and had decided when I saw me add to make it Public on the newspaper the fact I wrote President Truman - no reply -

I told New Pearson - no reply - we gave Major Faulk real in for matter sent films etc - no acknowledgment as I decided no further reports from me -

However in view of Colonel Ching's men letter on sending the information. I will also tell F.B.I. - Philadelphia - I expect to be there to-morrow -

Sincerely,



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5398  
6 MAY 1948

SUBJECT: Flying Discs

TO: Commanding General, Air Materiel Command, Wright-  
Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio  
- ATTN: MCI

1. The attached correspondence from <sup>MRS.</sup> Miss [REDACTED],  
of Wildwood, New Jersey, pertaining to Flying Discs, is  
forwarded for your information.

2. Attached herewith is copy of this Headquarters'  
direct reply to her letter of 23 April.

BY COMMAND OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF:

2 Incls.

- 1 - cy of ltr to  
[REDACTED] dtd 6 May
- 2 - ltr fm [REDACTED]  
dtd 23 Apr. w/incls.

GEORGE D. GARRETT, JR.  
Lieutenant Colonel, USAF  
Acting Chief, Collection Branch  
Air Intelligence Requirements Division  
Directorate of Intelligence

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE  
WASHINGTON

12 May 1948

Mrs. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Wildwood, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. [REDACTED]

Your letter of April 23rd to Mr. [REDACTED] with its inclosures, has been referred to this office during his temporary absence and we wish to thank you very much for your patriotic interest.

We assure you, Mrs. [REDACTED], that rather than being treated lightly, your reports of information concerning unusual aerial phenomena have in every case been studied by those persons concerned with such matters.

We sincerely hope that you will continue to send any further reports of these sightings, should they occur, to the Air Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio.

Very truly yours,

JOEL E. MALLORY  
Colonel, USAF  
Acting Chief, Air Intel Req. Div.  
Directorate of Intelligence

To Col McCoy

From:

[REDACTED]  
Wildwood, N. J.

July 17th/48

This is to inform you that there is activity in Wildwood again and after several week's absence - the saucers have been appearing since July 1st, the enclosed from a recent "Life" gives almost a perfect reproduction of what we see here. The color is the same as a gaslight. It would be advisable to watch over Wildwood.

/s/ Sincerely  
[REDACTED]

NOTES This longhand note was sent on USAF ltr to McCoy

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29 October 1948

Mrs. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Wildwood, New Jersey

Dear Madam:

This Headquarters wishes to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 18 October 1948 addressed to Commanding Officer, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio.

Your patriotic interest in reporting unusual types of aerial phenomena is deeply appreciated, and this report will be made a matter of record.

W. R. CLINGERMAN  
Colonel, USAF  
Chief, Tech Intelligence Division  
Intelligence Department

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SUBJECT: Unidentified Aerial Objects

NOV 4 1948

TO: Commanding Officer  
Langley Air Force Base  
Langley Field, Virginia  
ATTN: Base Intelligence Officer

*MC I copy*

1. This Headquarters has received numerous reports of sightings of unidentified aerial phenomena alleged to have been seen in the area between Wildwood, New Jersey and the vicinity of Norfolk, Virginia, during October 1948.

2. It is requested your office be alerted in order that an immediate investigation may be made of any future sightings reported from this area.

3. As an aid to the investigating officer, we are inclosing two (2) copies of our Essential Elements of Information forms to be used as a guide when securing the desired data.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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*M. E. G. Lee*  
H. M. MCCOY  
Colonel, USAF  
Chief, Intelligence Department

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b. The second and third articles are bakelite coil forms wrapped with ordinary thin enamel copper wire. These coils indicate that they were skillfully made at one time but were crudely ~~xxxx~~ rewrapped by one not familiar with the art of making a coil. These coils also have no connection with any AMC project.

c. The fourth article is a metallic box which is the remains of an electronic filter condenser made by the Polymet Manufacturing Co. of New York, N. Y. This article also has no connection with any AMC project.

d. The fifth article is the remains of a metallic magnetic ring that could not be identified as any part of any device used at this Command.

4. This information and attached photograph may be transmitted to the FBI to inform various agencies throughout the United States as to what action they deem necessary to take in the event of other similar specimens brought to their attention.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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8 x 10 GLOSSY  
PHOTO OF  
ALLEGED "FLYING SAUCER"  
SPECIMENS FROM

AUG 1947

DANFORTH, ILLINOIS  
UFO SIGHTING CASE  
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"FLYING SAUCER", ALLEGED SPECIMENS

(HOAX)

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Recovered from  
Invest. Rept.

SAUCER HEATER BASE

RADIO CUBE

