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1. Description:

a. Shape: Circular - Global

b. Size: Very difficult to determine as distance was undetermines but it appeared larger than a large 120 foot balloon at 50 miles distance; however, it appeared to be a much greater distance away.

c. Color: Silver, changing to light blue, golden, pink, silver, pinkish red.

d. Number: One, with a small spot just to the west of the larger body for the latter part of the sighting.

e. Formation: Small object just to the west of larger.

f. Features: Circular, global. Seemed to split and then reform, however this could have been an illusion as the object's distance was hard to determine.

g. Tail or exhaust: None

h. Sound: None noticed.

i. Other features: Brighter at some times, very much brighter than any stars or other objects in the sky.

2. Description of course: Moved from position 200° from Larson AFB at 30° elevation above the horizon at 0110Z to position 240° from Larson where it dropped below the horizon at 0250Z.

3. Manner of Observation:

a. Object first called to my attention by Mr. Larry Peterson of 839 Fairbanks, Moses Lake, Washington by telephone at 0110Z, 20 Oct 57 (Phone RO-53512). He stated, "A bright spot, silvery, circular in shape, like the sun, SSW of Moses Lake moving in westerly direction".

b. I stepped on the roof of Base Operations and could spot it very easily with the naked eye, also studied the object with field glasses. I then went to the Control Tower for a better look.

c. It appeared circular in shape 40 to 50 thousand feet up and seemed to change shape slightly. It sort of split in half and then come together. I estimated it to be 150 to 200 miles from Larson, possible over Portland, Oregon. At this time I could clearly see Mt. Rainier, Mt. Hood, and other mountain ranges against the light sky background. By 0145Z it was a bit lower on the horizon, had become brighter, changed color from silver to light blue, from golden to pink, from pinkish red to silver. A small object, just a speck, appeared just to the west of the larger object and stayed along that side until the larger object disappeared under the horizon at 0250Z. Just prior to its going below the horizon, it changed color from silver to blue, to pink, then a reddish orange, like the sun does prior to its setting below the horizon.

4. Time and date of observation: 20 Oct 57, 0110Z to 0250Z.

5. Location of observation: Larson AFB Operations and Control Tower, 47°12'N, 119°19'W.

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6. Object distant, ball shaped, silvery, moving west.

7. Weather and winds aloft at time and place of sighting:

a. Weather clear, visibility unlimited, 2400Z 20 Oct 57

b. Wind (from Larson Weather) 6,000'- 030/15
10,000'- 030/25
16,000'-020/25
20,000'- 020/25
30,000'- 010/30
50,000'- 310/18

c. Ceiling, (None) clear.

d. Visibility: Unlimited, more than 200 miles. Mt. Rainier observed.

e. Clouds: None

f. Thunderstorms: None

8. Any other conditions: None

9. Interception or identification taken: Notified "Igloo Control" on hot line, asked if they could pick up object on radar. They were unable to, but did sight it with naked eye. Asked if they would try to intercept with jet or notify another radar station to pick up object, they said they believed object to be PLUTO, no interception deemed necessary.

10. No other known traffic in vicinity.

11. Preparing Officer: Captain Leo Polnaszek A0690976, Base Airdrome Officer, C-124 Aircraft Commander. At first I assumed object to be a large balloon with the sun reflecting off it, but as soon as it grew dark I assumed it to be part of the solar system, however, it appeared to move too fast for this.

12. No other evidence.

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