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COUNTRY U.S.A.	REPORT NO.	(LEAVE BLANK) 539395
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT FLYOB RPT, GROUND OBSERVER POST REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT		
AREA REPORTED ON WATERTOWN, NEW YORK PQ 5010	FROM (Agency) 655TH AC&W SQUADRON, WATERTOWN, NEW YORK	
DATE OF REPORT 12 MARCH 1953	DATE OF INFORMATION 1825 EST, 11 MARCH 1953	EVALUATION RESTRICTED
PREPARED BY (Officer)		SOURCE GOC POST, WATERTOWN, NEW YORK
REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable) AFL 200-5, DATED 29 APRIL 1953 MSG THIS HQ ACL 03041, 12 MARCH 1953		
SUMMARY: (Enter concise summary of report. Give significance in final one-sentence paragraph. List inclosures at lower left. Begin text of report on AF Form 112—Part II.) <p>At approximately 1825 EST, 11 March 1953, the following information was received by this station (P-49) from the GOC Post at Watertown, New York:</p> <p>GOC post at Watertown, New York notified this station that an unidentified flying object was observed approximately one (1) mile West of their post located 43 degrees 58 minutes N, 75 degrees 54 minutes W, at approximately 1810 EST, 11 March 1953. This object was observed by twelve (12) persons of the GOC, and was reported as oval in shape, with two (2) fairly large shafts, glowing like a star, white, orange, blue, and green in color, traveling at jet speed, at an altitude of approximately 20,000 to 25,000 feet. Color was later given as orange. No sound was audible. Object was observed for approximately two hours and 10 minutes.</p> <p>Weather in that vicinity was 5,000 thinly overcast, with winds 20 to 25 knots.</p> <p>The authenticity of this report seems fairly genuine since it was observed by twelve persons of the GOC for approximately two hours.</p> <p>This object was not picked up on the radar at this site at any time.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Thomas C. Schiebel</i> THOMAS C. SCHIEBEL Captain, USAF Intelligence Officer</p> <p style="text-align: center;">20</p> <p style="text-align: right;">DECLASSIFIED E.O. 11652, Sec. 3(E) and 5(D) of (E) USAF memo 7/31/78 By [signature] NARS, Date 4/28/78 J.B.J.</p>		
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