

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE <u>12 August 1952</u>	2. LOCATION <u>Oran, Algeria</u>	12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☒ Possibly Astronomical - NOUVEAU
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local <u>Night</u> GMT	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE <u>CIV</u>	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>UNK</u>	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>1</u>	9. COURSE <u>E to W</u>
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Ball of fire leaving a luminous pink trail. Obj. stopped suddenly, became bright red and seemed to explode, but observer did not hear any noise.		11. COMMENTS

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LUMINOUS OBJECTS SEEN OVER ALGERIA -- Oran, Oran Republicain, 16 Aug 52

3. In Ain Sefra, on the night of 12 August 1952, a railroad agent observed a ball of fire suddenly appearing against a background of clouds, racing across the sky from east to west and leaving behind a luminous pink trail. Apparently increasing in volume, the object stopped suddenly, became bright red, and seemed to explode, but the observer did not hear any noise.

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