

PROOF

12 CONCLUSIONS

13 Sep 52

1. DATE OF REPORT

2. TYPE OF

Local 13/0145

XXXX

GMT 12/1645 Z

3. ALTIMETER

4. PHOTOS

5. SOURCE

Yes

Civilian

XXXX

6. LENGTH OF REPORT

NUMBER OF

15

☐ Was Balloon
☐ Probably Balloon
☐ Possibly Balloon

☐ Not Aircraft
☐ Probably Aircraft
☐ Possibly Aircraft

☐ Not Astronomical
☐ Probably Astronomical
☐ Possibly Astronomical

☐ Other
XXXX Insufficient Data for Conclusion
☐ Unknown

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF INCIDENT

Radio officer saw 15 flying saucers pass over Hong Kong in "arc" formation. Objects were fluorescent and lit up clouds they passed through.

newspaper item.

Abstract of 27 Oct 52, Fort de St., object also illuminated

COUNTRY Hong Kong	REPORT NO. IR 305-52	(LEAVE BLANK) 9/520535
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT Report of Flying Saucers Seen Over Hong Kong		
AREA REPORTED ON Hong Kong	FROM (Agency) Air Liaison Office, Hong Kong	
DATE OF REPORT 22 September 1952	DATE OF INFORMATION 13 September 1952	EVALUATION F-6
PREPARED BY (Officer) Frederick W. Gerhard, Jr., Major, USAF	SOURCE South China Morning Post (Newspaper)	
REFERENCES (Control number, direction, previous report, etc., as applicable)		

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.)

1. The following article appeared in the 16 September 1952 edition of the Hong Kong "South China Morning Post":

FLYING SAUCERS REPORTED SEEN OVER HONG KONG

Taipei, 15 Sept.

A radio officer, whose hobby is the studying of electronics, said today that he had been able to witness the passage over Hong Kong of 15 "flying saucers."

The informant, who asked that his name be withheld, added that the flying objects appeared over Hong Kong at 1:45 a.m. on Saturday.

He said that they passed over the Colony toward the southeast in an "arc" formation. Their size were three times as big as a star. Light was fluorescent and the altitude could not be determined, but while on their way, the objects passed into a small cloud and light was seen through the cloud.

The informant said that he did not immediately report to the authorities, as he did not wish to be delayed in his trip to Taiwan. However, on his return to Hong Kong next Thursday, he would get in touch with the Royal Observatory there.

This is the first time that reports have been made of flying saucers in Hong Kong.

2. COMMENTS of Reporting Officer:

The Hong Kong weather at 0200 local time 13 September (121700Z) was "overcast with continuous light rain."

The time of the alleged incident, 1:45 a.m. Hong Kong time, 13 September 1952, is 121645Z.

The person who made this report is so far unknown to this office. Further information will be reported if it becomes available.

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PROJECT 10076 RECORD CARD

1. DATE
20 Sep 52

2. LOCATION

KUCHING, SARAWAK

12. CONCLUSIONS

☐ Was Balloon
☐ Probably Balloon
☐ Possibly Balloon

3. DATE TIME GROUP

Local 20/2315

4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION

☒ Ground-Visual

☐ Ground-Radar

☐ Air-Visual

☐ Air-Intercept Radar

☐ Was Aircraft
☐ Probably Aircraft
☐ Possibly Aircraft

5. PHOTOS

☐ Yes

☒ No

6. SOURCE

Civilians

☐ Was Astronomical
☐ Probably Astronomical
☐ Possibly Astronomical

7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION

10 Sec.

8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 9. COLOR

1

☐ Other
☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation
☐ Unknown

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Greenish-white object with a screeching sound was seen by audience of an open-air concert.

11. COMMENTS

1. Newspaper article.

COUNTRY Singapore, R.C.C.	REPORT NO. IR 193-52	(LEAVE BLANK) AF534635
SUBJECT AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
PREPARED BY (Officer) Building, Sarawak	DATE OF INFORMATION 21 September 1952	FROM (Agency) Air Liaison Office, Singapore, R.C.C.
PREPARED BY (Officer) KIRKWOOD C. MIMS	SOURCE 1/11/10	EVALUATION The Sunday Times
REFERENCES (Control number, direction, previous report, etc., as applicable)		

AF 200-5

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 113-Part II.)

1. The following article appeared in the Sunday Times, a Singapore newspaper, on 21 September 1952.

KUCHING'S SAUCER TAIZ**Kuching. Sat.**

Members of an open-air concert audience near Kuching last night reported seeing a brightly illuminated greenish-white object travelling at great speed and high altitude from north to south at about 11.15 p.m.

The object was visible for about 10 seconds. It was preceded by a screeching sound which lasted three seconds.

This is the second occasion that a phenomenon of this type has been seen in Sarawak recently.

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Comments of Approving Officer:

This is the fifth of the reports of the flying saucer in the Malaya-Borneo area. The first three from Malaya were discredited by the R.A.F. (R.A.F. Jet contrails). Although there has been little speculation on the latter reports from Sarawak, it is the consensus that the "saucer" was probably an optical illusion and the sound a mere coincidence.

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PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 23 Sep 52	2. LOCATION GANDER LAKE, NEWFOUNDLAND	3. CONCLUSIONS
4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION XX Ground-Visual Ground-Radar Air-Visual Air-Intercept Radar	5. SOURCE AF Officer	☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other ☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☒ Unknown
6. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 Min.	7. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	8. COURSE E
9. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING		10. COMMENT

Bright light moved slowly and soundlessly toward Gander Airport. Source is operations officer at Pepperrell AFB. Seven others in group observed phenomena.