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At 11:15 a.m. a rotating top-shaped object, with beams of light streaming from its portholes, was seen by several on board an airliner flying near Barquisimet. Radio contact with the control tower was interrupted when the plane's radio operator tried to tell the airport about the UFO. The UFO was green with a red strip in middle, and descended very rapidly. (Sources: Dominique Weinstein, *Aircraft UFO Encounters*, p. 22; Loren E. Gross, *UFOs: A History. 1954: January-May*, p. 34; Coral & Jim Lorenzen, *UFOs: The Whole Story*, p. 65).