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REF, AIC ENT AFB, HAS, DTG 200535Z APR 53. REGARDING AP RADIO  
NEWS SERVICE MSG WP-182, 5 IN 15 MIN SUMMARY, NOT HELD THIS PG.  
ONLY INFO THIS PG CONCERNS AP REPORT BY UNIDENTIFIED OFFICER OF FRONT  
LINE DIVISION "THAT OTHER LUMINOUS OBJECTS TRAVELING AT SUPER-  
SONIC SPEEDS OF 800 MPH HAD BEEN OBSERVED IN THE BALLY-PORKWAMP  
AREA AND TRACKED ON RADAR ALSO WITHIN THE LAST FEW DAYS."

IN VIEW OF GREAT SPEED DIFFERENTIAL BETWEEN KOREAN REPORT AND  
THE 1600 MPH LAKE SUPERIOR REPORT, ESTIMATES DUTY OFFICER FEELS  
DISSIMILAR OBJECTS ARE INVOLVED. FURTHER EVALUATION WILL FOLLOW  
WHEN INFO BECOMES AVAILABLE.

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REQUEST FOR AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE REPORT

THRU: AFIA  
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TO: AFTRC

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REF: ATIAS-5

DATE: 29 April 1993

SUBJECT: (Conf) High Speed Screen Radar Tracks

## 1. PERTINENT BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Information from HQ USAF to Project Blue Book (unidentified flying objects) states that "L.F. radio news service summary of 5 April 53 indicates that luminous objects traveling at supersonic speeds have been observed and tracked on radar within the past few days in Park Chop and Old Baldy Hills area, Eastern Korean Front".

## 2. SPECIFIC REQUEST:

1. It is requested that the above be verified and, if true, the following information be obtained:
  - a. The specific dates and times of both visual and electronic observations to determine if the objects seen and tracked were in reality one and the same.
  - b. Estimated speeds by radar, by visual observation, the heading and altitude estimates, how long observed in both cases, and the size of blips on the radar screen.
  - c. The location (coordinates) of the visual and electronic observations.
  - d. A complete description of the objects' appearance investigating the possibility that such "luminous" objects could not be high speed jet aircraft such as the F-86 or MIG-15.
- a. Project 10073
- b. This is a routine request, but information should be obtained as soon as possible.

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
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FORM NO. 104 OCT 65	CLASSIFICATION	17
COMB. NO. TIC-4979	SPECIFIC REQUEST FOR INFORMATION	
SUBJECT: (UNCLASSIFIED) High Speed Korean Radar Tracks		
TO: Commanding General 1st AF West Air Force APO 925 c/o Post Master San Francisco, California	FROM: Headquarters USAF Directorate of Intelligence Washington 25, D. C.	
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<p>1. Request the intelligence material described below be furnished this Headquarters, AFHQ, Directorate of Intelligence, bearing the Control Number TIC-4979 (UNCLASSIFIED)</p> <p>2. In any documents generated, this office has indicated whether loss or retention copies are desired by using one of the following signals: "Clean", "Retention if possible, otherwise loss", or "Retention only". (UNCLASSIFIED)</p> <p>3. The A. P. radio news service summary of 5 April 53 indicated that luminous objects traveling at supersonic speeds had been observed and tracked on radar in Park Chap and Old Baldy Hills area, western Korean front. (UNCLASSIFIED)</p> <p>4. It is requested that the above be verified and if true, the following information obtained: (UNCLASSIFIED)</p> <p>a. The specific dates and times of both visual and electronic observations to determine if the objects seen and tracked were in reality one and the same.</p> <p>b. For both radar and visual observations, obtain estimated speeds, heading and altitude estimates, how long observed in both cases, and the size of blips on the radar screen.</p> <p>c. The location (coordinates) of the visual and electronic observations.</p> <p>d. A complete description of the objects' appearance (investigating the possibility that such "luminous" objects could not be high speed jet aircraft such as the F-86 or MiG-15).</p>		
<p>REMARKS (including guidance, if appropriate)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">DOWNGRADED AT 3 YEAR INTERVALS; DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS. DOB DIS 820010</p> <p style="text-align: center;">UNCLASSIFIED</p> <p style="text-align: right;">70-5168-6</p>		
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20 Apr 53

Our AF Radio News Service Mag AF 322 5th 25 min summary, Death Even, signed (Disc) states that luminous objects traveling at speeds faster than sound have been observed and tracked on radar within past few days in Peck Chop and Old Baldy Hills area Western Texas Front. (5th 25 Min Summary signed BY 1023 F23 19). In view of radar sightings of possibly similar supersonic objects-Info Superior area 20/0135 to 20/0200 for further info or evaluation of this AF report is requested.

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Reference SRI No. ATIC-4679, Subject: High Speed Radar Tracks.

Report received from G/1, 1st AF indicates that an investigation at 7th Infantry Division G-2, 7th Artillery S-2, and the 900th Tactical Control Group, 5th Air Force fail to reveal any record of luminous objects traveling at supersonic speeds that intrude on radar and the "Pork Chop" or Old Baldy Hill area.