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AIRPORT NO. _____ DATE OF INFO 2 July 50
AF ID. _____ LOCATION Raleigh, N.C.
CIVIC NO. _____ CLASS Civilian (Newspaper Apt)
DATE OF REPORT _____
TIME OF THE OBSERVATION Night
GRADE _____
SIC _____
COUNTY NW
NO. IN GROUP 9
VOLUME _____
ELEVATION _____
TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground
HAIR DRESSING Formation 2F 3's
DISPONER _____ SIGNATURES _____
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**HEADQUARTERS THIRD ARMY
FORT McPHERSON, GEORGIA**

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11 July 1950

SUBJECT: Unconventional Aircraft

TO: Commanding General
Air Materiel Command
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
Dayton, Ohio

Attention: MCI (Control No. A-1917)

Inclosed herewith is newspaper clipping from the NEWS AND OBSERVER, Raleigh, North Carolina, 3 July 1950 re "flying saucers" reported over Raleigh.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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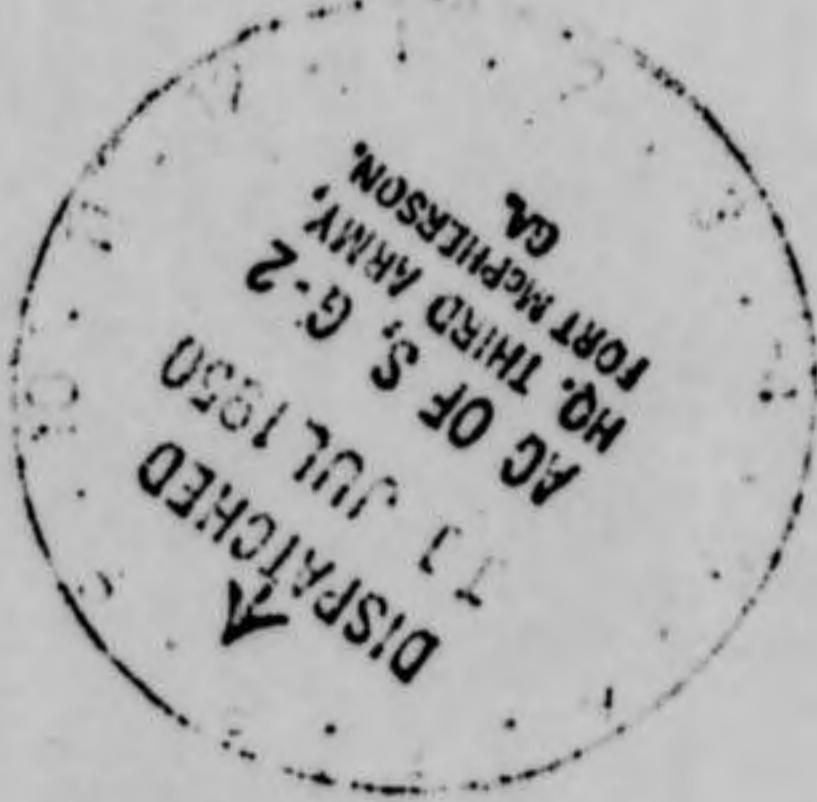
... AND OBSERVER, RALEIGH, N. C., MONDAY MORNING, JULY 3, 1960.

Saucers Sighted

Louis Polier, local architectural engineer, last night reported seeing nine "flying saucers" pass over Raleigh, headed in a northwesterly direction.

Polier said each of the nine objects "glowed" rather brightly, but did not appear to be planes with windows, as some saucers have been described. In the darkness, he said, he could not estimate their altitude, so could gain no idea of their speed. They were in "ragged" formation of threes. No noise accompanied them, he said.

Polier said he was in the front yard of his home on North Boylan Avenue when he saw the objects.



July 5, 1950
Los Angeles, California

**Sees Circular Object
Flying at 500 M. P. H.**

LOS ANGELES, July 6 (AP).—William Grant, twenty-six former Marine Corps aerial photographer, today reported seeing a brilliantly lighted circular object in the sky last midnight. He estimated the object was fifty feet in circumference and when first seen was about 1,000 feet overhead. Its speed at first was about 100 miles an hour, then increased to about 500 miles an hour before disappearing behind the Hollywood hills, he said. "It was in sight about forty-five seconds," Mr. Grant said. "It left no exhaust trail and made no sound."

His story was confirmed by a friend, Gilbert Magill, thirty-five, president of a concern conducting research with helicopters.