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To: CO Flight Service Wash DC

Nr: AT-542

7 February 1949

Unidentified flying object report.

USAF

Location and time of sighting: Godman AFB Ft Knox Ky
7 Feb 1949 0250 eastern. Weather at the time: 0230
eastern weather clear 10 miles visibility 1016.3 MB, temp
31, dew point 29, wind west north west at 7, Kolzman
setting 29.99. 0330 eastern weather: clear 10 miles
visibility 1016.9 MB, temp 29, dew point 26, wind north
west at 4, Kolzman setting 30.01.

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Names occupations and addresses of witnesses:
Sgt Donald E Ledbetter Tower Operator Fort Knox Ky, PFC
Richard G Dumphy Weather Observer Fort Knox Ky, PFC Richard
E Peterman Weather Observer Fort Knox Ky, Cpl Charles L
Rogers occupation unknown Fort Knox Ky.

INFO
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Photographs of objects if available: none available.
Sketches of objects configuration: none. Object sighted:
number: 1. Shape: no report, size: no report, color: bright
green yellow red, speed: unknown, heading: south west from
Godman Field, maneuverability: object appeared to be rotating,
attitude, horizontal angle 242.5 degrees, vertical angle
03.6 degrees. Sound: no report, exhaust trail or not: none.
General remarks: at 0250 eastern bright object sighted
west of Fort Knox Ky by weather observers. Traced on
Theodolite. Object appeared to be rotating with green,
yellow and red colors. The object were dimmer as time
passed. At 0310 eastern object disappeared in south west
completely after a series of bright flashes.

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