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Ouse (Truk Island)

6 February 1953

I. Description of Incident

At 1130 local time an Air Force officer in charge of the Weather Bureau Station on Truk sighted an unidentified bullet-shaped object traveling at an estimated 150 mph at an approximate altitude of 400 to 500 ft. three to four miles away. The object appeared to be "slightly larger than a C-47 aircraft" with an noticeable wings or tail section and gave a shiny appearance as if of highly polished metal.

II. Discussion of Incident

A check with Guam flight service indicates that a C-47 was in the area at the time of sighting. The day was clear with a bright sun capable of obscuring the normal features of a C-47.

III. Conclusion

Probably aircraft.

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