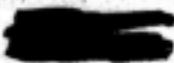


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Unidentified Flying Objects Reporting (UFO/UFPP)

DESCRIPTION

An intense blue-green light was seen traveling at a high rate of speed across the horizon in a level line of flight at an altitude of about 20,000 feet. The light was traveling in a south-westerly direction on a line between Cheyenne Canyon, coordinates 41°3'N 104°45'W, and Halloran Colorado, Cochrans Pass, Colorado, bearing 150°.

The source of the light could not be determined. No object of any shape or size characteristic of any conventional aircraft could be seen. The blue-green light seemed to be a high frequency tuned flash about two feet in area. The observer stated that although the object appeared to have a definite line of flight, no sound could be heard to denote any type of propulsion system.

TIME

The object described above was observed on 22 June 1952 at about 0830 local time by a Mr. Gertrude G. Nicholls of ~~Fort Collins, Colorado~~. Due to the terrific rate of speed at which the object was traveling, the time of observation lasted from twenty to twenty-five seconds.

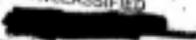
NAME OF OBSERVER

This sighting was visual. Mr. Nicholls, a night watchman for the Frontier Railway Company in Cheyenne, was the only observer. There were no other witnesses. Mr. Nicholls was at work at the time of sighting. No type of optical or electronic equipment was used in this observation.

Mr. Nicholls has been a night watchman in the same area for three and one-half years. During the course of his present employment he has witnessed many astronomical occurrences and is familiar with typical aircraft movement in this area. This is the first time that he has ever observed this type of object.

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