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Three reliable US observers, Senator Richard Russell, Lt. Col. E. U. Hathaway, Army, Mr. Ruben Efron, visited Prague 12-13 October. Arriving direct from Kiev, via Baku, Tiflis, Dnieper Petrovsk, Black Sea Area, and reported following to USAIRA and USARMA:

On 4 October 1955 at 1910 hours between Alyat Station and Adzhijabul (40 02 N-48 56 E) 10 minutes by rail after departing Alyat in Trans Caucasus Region, 2 mound (as received) and circular unconventional aircraft resembling flying discs or flying saucers were seen taking off almost vertically one minute apart. Disc aircraft ascended near dusk with outer surface revolving to right slowly and with 2 lights stationary on top near middle part. Sparks or flame seen coming from aircraft. No protrusions seen on aircraft which passed over observers' train. Both flying disc aircraft ascended relatively slowly to about 6,000 then speed increased sharply in horizontal flight both on northerly heading. Flying attitude of disc remained same during ascent as in cruise, like a discus in flight. Two operating searchlights pointing almost vertical seen near take-off area located about 1-2 miles south of railroad line. After sighting, Soviet train men became excited and lowered curtains and refused permission to look out windows. US observers firmly believe these unconventional aircraft are flying saucer or disc aircraft. USAIRA rates info B-2.

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