

"Glowing Objects" Over Kamloops

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Kamloops, B.C. (CP) Three young boys here have the laugh on RCAF officials who said "glowing objects" over the city last week were "atmospheric phenomenon". The boys admitted Thursday the objects were home-made variations of lighter-than-air balloons. Hundreds saw the objects. They were described as being 1,000 feet up, like balls of fire blinking on and off. The boys covered light, wooden cone-shaped frames with tissue paper, then attached a gasoline-soaked blob of cotton at the base. The hot air expanded when the gas burned, the cones rose, and people were mystified.

"We didn't pick anything up on radar," said the air force.

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