

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

DATE 5 Jul 1950		2. LOCATION Hill AFB, Utah		12. CONCLUSIONS	
DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1540 Hrs. MST		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☒ Was Aircraft ☒ Probably Aircraft ☒ Possibly Aircraft	
GMT PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE M11		☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 min		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1		9. COURSE SW ☐ Other ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING 50' long, circular in shape. No sound or exhaust trail. No radar contact. Silver in color.		11. COMMENTS Poss. ACFT.			

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FROM: DIST COMDR, 16 OSI DIST, Hill AFB, Ogden, Utah
TO : OS USAF, Washington D.C., attn: Dir of Spec Investigation
NR : 16D OSI-7-1

6 July 1950

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Subj is Unidentified Aerial Object.

At 1540 hours MST 5 July 50, 3 Staff Sergeants on duty at the Hill AFB Radar Station observed an unidentified aerial object flying at an estimated 25,000 feet altitude on a course of approx 120 degrees and passing almost directly over Hill AFB. Object reportedly under observation for approx 3 minutes, and described as about 50 feet in length, circular in shape with diameter-thickness ratio of about 4 to 1. Estimated ground speed of between 5 and 700 miles per hour. No sound or exhaust trail observed. Described as silver in color. Radio set was switched on shortly after object was sighted, however object disappeared before radar set warmed up sufficiently for tracking. Advise extent of investigation this sighting and whether reports covering any future sightings are desired.

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ACTION: CSI

INFO : CIG, OIN, OOP, OPO, SLO

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