

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 27 August 1954		2. LOCATION Lambert Field, Missouri		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☒ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 28/0100 Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION 6 x 30 BX ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 - 4 Minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1		9. COURSE NW	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Spherical, black, spinning 8 to 10 ft. diameter 30 to 200 Kts. Disappeared in NW. Believed to be balloon until suddenly gained speed.				11. COMMENTS Possible balloon.	

27 Aug

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ACTION

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~~LAST~~ LAMBERT FIELD
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30 AUG 1956

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RA113

Multi

YDE158

dy

TYA253

TMP182

BT287

BEC B162

BECN 11

OO/MN JEPHO JEDWP JEDEN JEPNE PEPW BEGC BECC 777

DE BECN 8

OO/M 281817Z

FM BAR STL

TO JEPHO/DIRINT HQ USAF

JEDWP/AIR TECHNICAL INTGEN ATTAA-2C WPAFB

JEDEN/COMDRADC ENT AFB

JEP Z/COMDREADF STEWART AFB

INFO BEPW/DNI

BEGC/COM EASTSEA FRON

BECC/COMNABNINE

NAVY GRNC

FLYCERT X OBJECT SINGULAR SPHERICAL BLACK EST 3 TO 12 FT DIAM SPINNING

NO SOUND CMM TRAIL OR SUDDEN MANEUVERS SPD RANGED BTWN 30 AND 200 KT

DISAPPEARED NW X SIGHTED AT 280 100Z OBSERVED 3 TO 4 MIN X SURFACE

OBSERVATION SIGHTED NAKED EYE AND LATER WITH 6 X 30 GLASSES X

DESER

VED FROM PT 2.05 MILES NE LAMBERT STL AIRPORT X OBJ EST OVER

LAMBERT 1000 FT X WITNESSES LCDR [REDACTED] USN AVIATOR X MRS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AIRCRAFT MECH X [REDACTED] X FIRST BELIEVED BALLOON

CMM SUDDEN CHANGE OF SPEED CMM AND DIRECTION DISAPPEARED MADE

DOUBTFUL X WEATHER REL CLEAR 2-4 TENTHS HIGH SCATTERED X

WINDS SURFACE WEST 5 5000 WEST 15 10000 SOUTHWEST 15 X-NO

CFN 8 10 30 200 280 100Z 3 4 6 30 2.5 1000 2-4 5 5000 15 10000 10

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METEOROLOGICAL ACTY X NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE CMM CAA RADAR DID NOT
HOLD X NO INTERCEPTION CMM NO OTHER SIMLAR REPT S MMMMTTMMAL CIVIL
AIR TRAFFIC AROUND LAMBERT X NO WEATHER BALLOONS RELEASED BY
CAA CR NAVY AT LAMBERT PREVIOUS 17 HOURS

CFM 17

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