

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 01/0507Z (Aug)		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE civilian (GOC)			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 20 mins		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1 sometimes 3		9. COURSE Stationary in NE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round. Blue changes to yellow. When 3 objs appeared, two small ones rotated around a big one.				11. COMMENTS Capella in NE on Horizon - 10 ddeg elev. No toher major astro body in that section of sky. Insufficient data for evaluation.	

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5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE <u>Civilian (GOC) 17 yrs of age</u>			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>Approx twenty (20) Minutes</u>		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>three</u> <u>One, sometimes</u>	9. COURSE <u>Stationary</u>		
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One and sometimes three objects. There appeared to be two small objects to the observer, which rotated around a larger object. Blue changing to yellow. Appeared and disappeared in the NE.			11. COMMENTS Due to the age and probable inexperience of the observer the veracity of the data contained can be doubted. It is possible that while looking thru binoculars at a star the object could attain color in the process of the light passing thru the binoculars and any slight movement of the binoculars would tend to give movement to the object. The fact that the object remained in the same position would tend to support the star theory.		

POST TO GO HOME BEFORE REPORTING DISAPPEARANCE OF OBJECTS.

OBSERVER WAS STILL SEEING OBJECTS AT THEE HE CALLED IN REPORT,

WHICH WAS APPROXIMATELY 20 MINUTES. NO EXPLANATION OR FURTHER COMMENT
CONCERNING THIS SIGHTING.

12. NONE

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1. ROUND ONE LARGER THAN THE OTHER TWO (A) ROUND (B) PIN (C) BLUE CHANG-
ING TO YELLOW (D) ONE SOMETIMES THREE (E) TWO SMALL ONES ROTATING

AROUND ONE LARGER ONE (F) NONE (G) NONE (H) NONE (I) NONE

2. (A) FLASHES IN SKY (B) 25 DEGREES TO THE NORTHEAST (C) 25 DEGREES

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4 " HX2a

TO THE NORTHEAST (D) STOOD STILL (OBJECT WAS HIGH) (E) SEE REMARKS

(F) UNKNOWN SEE REMARKS

3. (A) GROUND-VISUAL (B) BINOCULARS (C) N/A

4. (A) 0507Z 1 AUG 55 (B) NIGHT

5. (A) EJ CC 5644

6. (A) ~~REDACTED~~ AGE 17 ~~REDACTED~~ SAN DIEGO. CALIF. STUDENT (GOOD)

(B) N/A

7. (A) CLEAR WITH HIGH CLOUDS (B) SURFACE WINDS 320-03 KTS

(C) 1200 SCATTERED 6,000' 020-07KTS 30,000 090-05KTS

(D) 10 MILES VISIBILITY 10,000' 080-09KTS 50,000 230-15KTS

(E) 1/10 16,000' 100-13KTS 80,000 UNKNOWN

(F) NONE 20,000' 050-12KTS

8. NONE

9. NONE

10. POSSIBLE LOCAL TRAFFIC

11. SENIOR DIRECTOR 1ST LT JAMES D. BUNCH (REMARKS) OBSOBER LEFT HIS

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01/12/12
Gordon James
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Hqs 4602d AISS AISR Subj: Monthly UFOB Summary, Jul 55

Investigative Efforts (con't)

	INVESTIGATIVE UNIT	LOCATION OF SIGHTING	CONCLUSION	<i>Astro (meteor)</i>
8 July	1. Flight 1-C	Riverside, Calif.	Optical Phenomena	
13 July	2. Flight 1-C	Glen Avon, Calif.	Possibly Astronomical	<i>A/C</i>
	3. Flight 1-C	Hollywood, Calif.	Possibly Astronomical	
11 July	4. Flight 1-C	China Lake NAS, Calif.	Not Concluded	Balloon
20 July	5. Flight 3-F	Harrisburg, Pa.	Probably Hoax	<i>NEWPORT, PA</i>
17 July	6. Flight 3-F	Penbrook, Pa. <i>MONROEVILLE</i>	Reliability Check	<i>A/C</i>
	7. Det 3	New York City, N.Y.	Hoax	
30 July	8. Det 3 <i>REGO PARK</i>	New York City, N.Y.	Not Concluded	SEARCHLIGHT
25 July	9. Flight 1-B	Glendive, Montana	Unknown	<i>ASTRO (ARCTURUS)</i>
30 July	10. Det 2 & Flt 2-A	Shelby, Iowa	Not Concluded	<i>ASTRO (STARS)</i>

b. In addition to the above, two (2) limited follow-up investigations are being conducted by Headquarters, 4602d AISS, by means of ATIC Form 164 (U.S. Air Force Technical Information Sheet). The above forms were sent to the observers of UFOB sightings at Kansas City, Kansas and Santa Maria, California.

*26 July
Balloon*

*22 July
Blimp*

c. The one (1) investigation which was not concluded at the time of the June summary has been finished by Flight 2-D with results as follows:

	INVESTIGATIVE UNIT	LOCATION OF SIGHTING	CONCLUSION
20 June <i>A/C</i>	Flight 2-D	Dallas, Texas	Unknown

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3. UFO STATISTICS (Continued)

4. UFO Reports from Foreign Countries

	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
a. Balloon - - - - -	7	30.4%
b. Aircraft - - - - -	4	17.4%
c. Astronomical - - - - -	3	13.1%
d. Other - - - - -	2	8.6%
e. Insufficient Data - - - - -	6	26.1%
f. Unknown - - - - -	1	4.4%
Total	23	

Foreign UFO sightings are generally difficult or impossible to thoroughly investigate, or evaluate towards some firm conclusion. They should not, therefore, be considered in any statistical breakdown, which primarily concerns itself with sightings within the continental USA.

5. UFO Sightings Reported Directly to ATIC by General Correspondence, (From Non AF Sources, General Public - Category IV Reports) 1 Jun 55 - 31 May 56

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>LOCATION OF SIGHTING</u>	<u>CONCLUSION OR EVALUATION</u>
June 1955	South Bend, Indiana	Other
	Cincinnati, Ohio	Insufficient Data
	Wichita, Kansas	Balloon
	Dayton, Ohio	Balloon
	Dayton, Ohio	Probably Aircraft
	Extertown, Pennsylvania	Balloon
	Dayton, Ohio	Insufficient Data
	Long Beach, California	Unknown
<u>July 1955</u>	Paris, Illinois	Astronomical
	Dayton, Ohio	Possibly Astronomical
	Dayton, Ohio	Possibly Balloon
	Cincinnati, Ohio	Possibly Balloon
	Ochlochnee, Georgia	Balloon
Aug. 1955	Nicholsville, Kentucky	Aircraft
	Cincinnati, Ohio	Possibly Balloon
	Dayton, Ohio	Probably Astronomical
	Senora, New Mexico	Balloon
	Park Ridge, Illinois	Balloon
	Cimarron, New Mexico	Other
	Dayton, Ohio	Astronomical
	Stroudsburg, Illinois	Astronomical
	Cincinnati, Ohio	Balloon
	Rio, Illinois	Unknown
	Bedford, Virginia	Aircraft
	Dayton, Ohio	Possibly Balloon
	Temple, Texas	Aircraft
	Lake Village, Indiana	Astronomical

AUGUST 1955 SIGHTINGS

	LOCATION	OBSERVER	EVALUATION
1	Jul- Early Aug Mulberry Corners, Ohio	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
2	Platte County, Missouri	[REDACTED]	Other (UNRELIABLE RPT)
3	Sanville, California	GOC Observer	Insufficient Data
4	Rialto, California	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
5	Fresno, California	[REDACTED]	Balloon
6	Charlotte, North Carolina	[REDACTED]	Astro (METEOR)
7	McDonald, Pennsylvania	[REDACTED]	Aircraft
8	Malden, Massachusetts	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
9	Akron, Ohio	[REDACTED]	Balloon
10	Hobart, Indiana	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
11	Rochester, New York	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
12	Saginaw, Michigan	[REDACTED]	Astro (ARCTURUS)
13	Akron, Ohio	[REDACTED] (Multi)	Balloon
14	San Diego, California	[REDACTED]	Aircraft
15	British Columbia, Canada	[REDACTED]	Aircraft
16	Levelland, Texas	[REDACTED]	Astro (METEOR)
17	Albuquerque, New Mexico	[REDACTED]	Balloon
18	Corvallis, Oregon	[REDACTED]	Astro (CAPELLA)
19	Iceland	[REDACTED]	UNIDENTIFIED
20	Glenwood, Iowa	[REDACTED]	Balloon
21	Beloit, Wisconsin	Multiple	Astro (METEOR)
22	Pinecastle AFB, Florida	[REDACTED]	Aircraft
23	St Edward, Nebraska	[REDACTED]	
24	Battlecreek, Nebraska	[REDACTED]	Balloon
25	St Paul, Minnesota	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
26	Wadena, Minnesota	[REDACTED]	Astro (STARS/PLANETS)
27	Crystal, Minnesota	[REDACTED]	Astro (METEOR)
28	London, England	Military	Aircraft
29	Klamath, Oregon	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
30	Hollywood, California	[REDACTED]	Astro (METEOR)
31	Roseville, California	[REDACTED]	Balloon
32	Las Vegas, Nevada	[REDACTED]	Other (PSYCHOLOGICAL)
33	Newport Beach, California	[REDACTED]	Astro (METEOR)
34	Seattle, Washington	[REDACTED]	Aircraft
35	Alhambra, California	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
36	Seattle, Washington	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
37	Ishpeming, Michigan	[REDACTED]	Astro (METEOR)
38	Madrid, Spain	[REDACTED]	Balloon
39	Cutlerville, Michigan	[REDACTED]	Astro (CAPELLA)
40	Sacramento, California	[REDACTED]	Aircraft
41	Arlington, Virginia	[REDACTED]	UNIDENTIFIED
42	Harrisburg, Pennsylvania	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
43	North Branch, New York	[REDACTED]	Aircraft
44	Green Bay, Wisconsin	[REDACTED]	Other (HOAX)
45	Pattilion, Nebraska	[REDACTED]	Insufficient Data
46	Fordland, Missouri	Military (RADAR)	Other (INVERSION)
47	Chicago, Illinois	[REDACTED]	Other (UNRELIABLE RPT)
48	Muscatine, Iowa	[REDACTED]	Astro (STARS/PLANETS)
49	Paisley, Oregon	[REDACTED]	Balloon
50	Burbank, California	[REDACTED]	Balloon
51	Hermosa Beach, California	[REDACTED]	Balloon
52	Mulberry Corner, Ohio (FOLDER)	[REDACTED]	Other (PSYCHOLOGICAL)
53	Old Greenwich, Connecticut (FOLDER)	[REDACTED] (PHOTO)	Other (HOAX/Emulsion Flaw)
54	Trenton, New Jersey (CASE MISSING)	Civ & Mil	Balloon