

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE January 10 Feb 13 February 1956		2. LOCATION Harrisonville, 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 14/0245Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION unknown		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE see description	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING This object seen by observer three times, late in Jan, 10 Feb 56, and 13 Feb 56. Source stated that the object resembled a flying saucer (?) that was very bright and moving slowly. The first time the object disappeared to the north after appearing in the east. The object circled Harrisonville during the sighting on the 14th of Feb. Source described the object as being brighter than any star and did not disappear as would a star.				11. COMMENTS Received by AF Form 112 (copy attached). This hq concurs with the opinion of the reporting officer that this sighting was probably generated by aircraft.	

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COUNTRY OF ORIGIN USA	REPORT NO. 56-1	(Leave blank)
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
AREA REPORT CONCERNS Harrisonville, Missouri		
AGENCY OF ORIGIN Hq 328th Fighter Group Grandview AFB, Missouri	DATE OF REPORT 23 Feb 56	
SOURCE OF INFORMATION Mrs Robert Spangler	DATE OF INFORMATION 13 Feb 56	
PREPARING OFFICER F. W. GERHARD JR., Major, USAF	EVALUATION F-6	
REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable) AFR 200-2		
SUBJECT Unidentified Flying Objects		
SUMMARY (Enter concise summary of report. Give significance in final one-sentence paragraph. List inclosures at lower left. Begin text of report on AF Form 112a.) On 13 February 1956, the Aircraft Dispatcher on duty in Base Operations, Grandview AFB, Mo., recieved the following information by telephone: "At 2045 a Mrs. [REDACTED] at Harrisonville, Mo. (Telephone: [REDACTED]) called to report what she thought was an object in the sky that resembled a flying saucer over Harrisonville, Mo. 3 times that she remembers. The first occurence was 3 weeks ago; the next time was last Friday, 10 Feb 56; and again tonight, 13 Feb 56. The first time she saw the object she thought it was not very important and immaterial but then after seeing this object 2 other times, she thought she'd notify someone. She stated that the strange looking object resembled a flying saucer that was very bright and moving slowly. The first time she saw this object it came from the east and then disappeared to the north. Tonight she said the object made a circle pattern over Harrisonville, Mo., and then disappeared to the east. She said that the object was brighter than any star in the sky and when it disappeared, it did not fall out of sight like a star." COMMENTS OF REPORTING OFFICER: There are many types of conventional and jet aircraft operating in the vicinity of Harrisonville, Mo. It is probable that what Mrs. [REDACTED] actually saw were aircraft. (Information required by par 7d, AFR 200-2, is not available to this hq.)		
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