

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 31 October 1956		2. LOCATION Temple City, California		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 31/0930Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION five minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE Easterly	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One round yellowish orange object, larger than a star. Object was extremely bright and for three to five minutes remained motionless. Then the light diminished and moved east at slow speed. Object was seen visually for five minutes. No Report in File.				11. COMMENTS Concur w/rptg officer that sighting was probably caused by a/c exhaust.	

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Witness

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M 312133Z

FM COMDR 27TH AIR DIV DEF NORTON AFB CALIF ✓

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLORADO.

RJEDWP/COMDR AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER WRIGHT

PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RJEPHQ/DIR OF INTELLIGENCE HQ WASHINGTON 25 DC

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UNCLAS 2701 TAC J-0755 UFOB PD

1. A. ROUND B. LARGE COMPARED TO A STAR C. YELLOWISH ORANGE

D. ONE. E. N/A F. NONE G. NONE H. NONE I. EXTREMELY BRIGHT

3 TO 5 MINUTES MOTIONLESS, LIGHT DIMINISHED AND MOVED EAST AT
SLOW SPEED. ← note

2. A. BRILLIANCE, LARGE COMPARED TO A STAR OR PLANET, LOW ALTITUDE
ESTIMATED ~~5000~~ TO ~~8000~~ FEET. B. UNKNOWN C. UNKNOWN D. 2 MINUTES
EAST AND FADED E. SLOWLY FADED. F. 5 MINUTES.

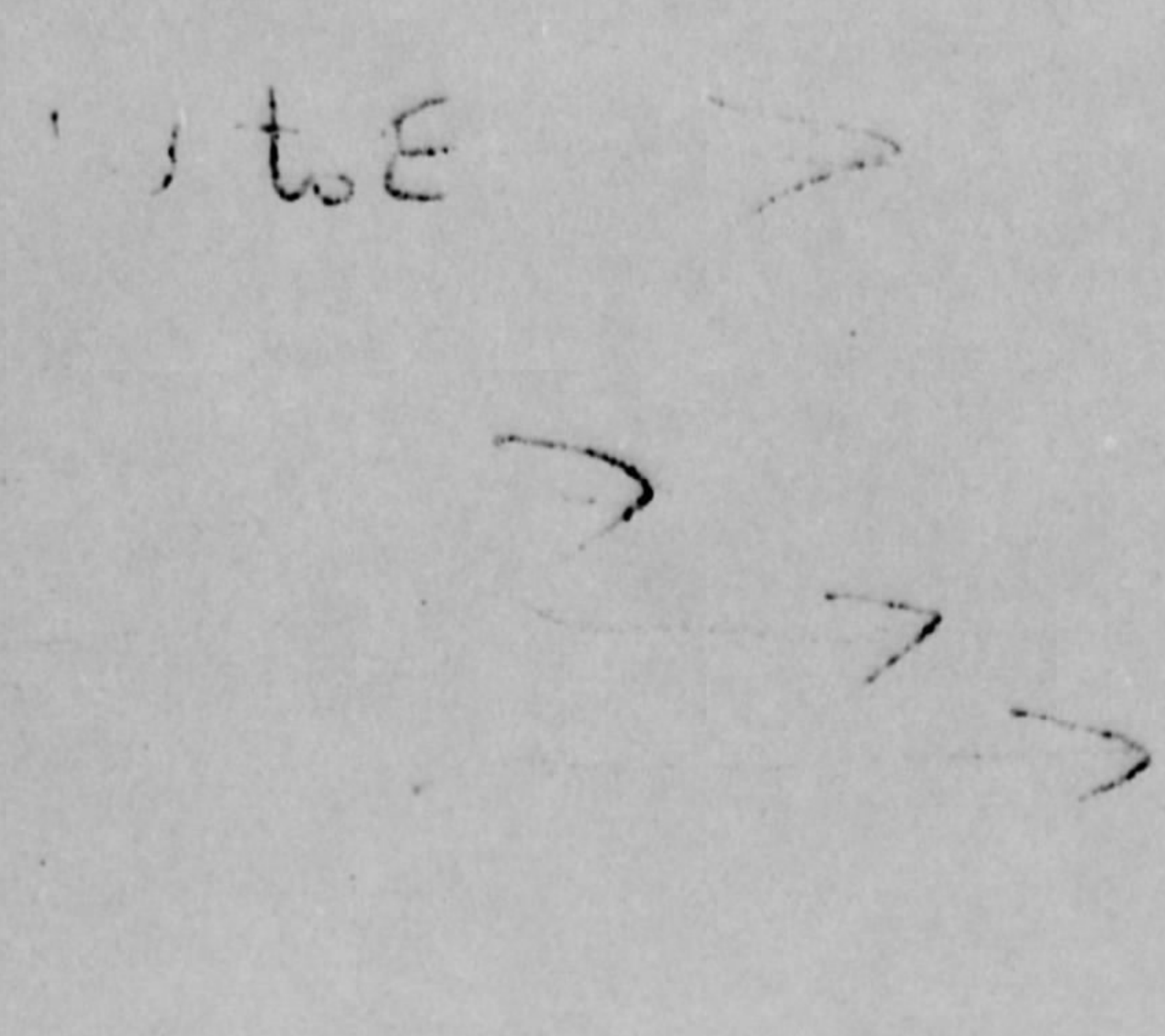
3. A. GROUND VISUAL B. NONE C. N/A

A. 0133 PST B. NIGHT

1. 4E4
2. 472a

ACTION INFO. INFO.

09:03



See Ballon
File but at
"one or more
lights below"

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5. SIERRA MADRE AND SIERRA MADRE VILLA, TEMPLE CITY, CALIF
6. CIVILIAN, [REDACTED] ADUTY SHERIFF, ALTANDENA (EX-PILOT)
7. A. CLEAR B. SURFAEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEE, 145 DEGREES, 4 KNOTS, 6000 FT
19 KNOTS, 10000 FT 28 DEGREES, 27 KNOTS, 16000 FT -250 DEGREES,
31 KNOTS, 20000 FT -250 DEGREES, YR KNOTS, 30000 FT AWRP DEGREES
80 KNOTS, 45000 FT -250 DEGREES, 75 KNOTS. C. WPPP FT SCATTERED
MEASURED 3200 FT BROKEN D. 15 MILES PLUS E. 8/10 R. NONE

8. NONE

9. NONE

10. UNKNOWN

11. CONTROLLER, CAPT WB TAPPAN AND LT CR HOSKINS, INTELLIGENCE

OFFICER ALTHOUGH INFORMATION IS MEAGER, IT IS LIKELY AND EXHAUST
FROM AN AIRCRAFT.

12. NONE

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Winds, generally West to East

Aircraft! What stupidity! Everything here points to
Ballon (continuous; moving slowly West
to East)