

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 10 April 1957	2. LOCATION Ogden, Utah		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 11/0330Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☒ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian & Military		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION G/R 23 minutes G/V 10 to 15 mins	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE East to West	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One white object with red halo. Object moved from East to West, stopped, then proceeded west, made abrupt 90 dgr turn and proceeded south. Object was seen visually and through ground radar for the times noted above.		11. COMMENTS CONAD forecast center reported that a balloon had escaped from Las Vegas, Nevada and was over the area of the sighting trailing a 100 foot steel cable. Description of sighting and the above indicate that this sighting was caused by a balloon.	

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Multi

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ATTC

7
2/4EH
1/3 4x2a
(SHE)

PHILIT- ATIC

PPH 13 YBC 136 XYD 136 XNE 12 APR 57 10 59

R RJWEDR RJEDEN RJEDWP RJEPHO

R PJMPHL 72D

124030Z

TO HQ COAKA HILL AFB UTAH

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO SPRING COLO

TO RJWEDR/COMDR HQ 34TH AIR DIV KIRTLAND AFB NMEX

TO RJEDWP/COMDR AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER WPAFB OHIO

TO RJEPHO/DIR OF INTELLIGENCE HQ USAF WASHDC

TO RJEDWP/COMDR HQ AMC WPAFB OHIO

UNCLAS/FROM OOB-4-41-E FOR MCEP UFOB /1/ /A/ ROUND /B/ CASEYALL
/C/ WHITE WITH RED HALO /D/ ONE /E/ N/A /F/ NEGATIVE /G/ RED GLOW AT
CIRCUMFERENCE OF OBJECT /H/ NEGATIVE /I/ NEGATIVE /2/ /A/ MOVEMENT
OF "SHOOTING STAR" TYPE OBJECT IN THE SKY /B/ GROUND-VISUAL 75 TO 80
DEGREES ANGLE OF ELEVATION 45 DEGREES AZINUTH GROUND-ELECTRONICS
ANGLE OF ELEVATION UNKNOWN AZINUTH 177 DEGREES /C/ GROUND-VISUAL
ANGLE OF ELEVATION 57 TO 60 DEGEES AZINUTH 240 DEGREES GROUND-ELECTRONICS
ANGLE OF ELEVATION UNKNOWN AZINUTH 30 DEGREES /D/ GROUND-VISUAL LEVEL
FLIGHT EAST TO WEST STOPPED MOMENTARILY PROCEEDED WEST MADE AERUPT
90 DEGREE TURN PROCEEDING SOUTH GROUND-ELECTRONICS FIRST OBSERVED

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ON 177 DEGREE HEADING FLIGHT PATH ERRATIC DEPARTING FROM ELECTRONIC
VIEW ON 30 DEGREE HEADING /A/ GROUND-VISUAL FADED FROM VIEW AT
APPROXIMATELY 20 DEGREE HEADING GROUND-ELECTRONICS RADAR VIEW
OBSCURED BY WASATCH MOUNTAINS WHEN OBJECT ON HEADING OF 30
DEGREES /F/ GROUND-VISUAL 10 TO 15 MINUTES GROUND-ELECTRONIC 23
MINUTES /3/ /A/ GROUND-VISUAL GROUND-ELECTRONIC /CPN/ 13 200 MILE RANGE
GILFILLAN EQUIPMENT /B/ NEGATIVE /C/ N/A /4/ /A/ GROUND-VISUAL
ESTIMATED 11:35:02 11 APR 57 GROUND-ELECTRONIC 11:31:52 11 APR 57
/5/ RIGHT /5/ GROUND-VISUAL INTERSECTION OF 31ST AND JEFFERSON OGDEN
UTAH GROUND-ELECTRONIC 47 DEGREES 07 MINUTES NORTH 101 DEGREES 58
MINUTES WEST /HILL AIR FORCE BASE UTAH/ /6/ /A/ GROUND-VISUAL [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] AGE 14 [REDACTED] BLVD OGDEN UTAH STUDENT
[REDACTED] 14 [REDACTED] OGDEN UTAH STUDENT [REDACTED]
14 [REDACTED] BLVD OGDEN UTAH STUDENT GROUND-ELECTRONIC
GEORGE K BAKER 35 338 WEST 800 SOUTH BOUNTIFUL UTAH RADAR OPERATOR
CAA RAPCON FACILITY HILL AIR FORCE BASE UTAH GORDON J BAKER JR 40
481 NORTH 200 EAST KAYSVILLE UTAH RADAR OPERATOR CAA RAPCON FACILITY
HILL AIR FORCE BASE UTAH /E/ GROUND VISUAL NEGATIVE GROUND-ELECTRONIC
A/10 WILLIAM J HENDERSON AF 24 524 447 25 GENERAL DELIVERY CLEARFIELD
UTAH ATC RADAR REPAIRMAN /7/ /A/ GROUND-VISUAL CLEAR GROUND-ELECTRONIC

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12000 SCATTERED HIGHER THIN BROKEN LAYER /B/ 3000 FT - 300 DEGREES

- APPROX 20 KNOTS 10000 FT - 130 DEGREES - APPROX 5 KNOTS 16000

11 - 270 DEGREES - APPROX 10 KNOTS 20000 FT - 300 DEGREES - APPROX 20

KNOTS 30000 FT - 230 DEGREES - APPROX 15 KNOTS 50000 FT - NEGATIVE

30000 FT - NEGATIVE /C/ NONE /D/ 40 MILES /E/ .3 /F/ NONE /G/

NONE /H/ NEGATIVE /I/ RADAR CONTACT WITH 4 AIRCRAFT APPROX 20

MILES WEST OF HILL AFB /11/ PROVOST MARSHAL HQ CCAMA ALTHOUGH DIRECTION

AND BEHAVIOR OF OBJECT DIFFERED BETWEEN VISUAL AND ELECTRONIC CITING

THE FACT THAT ELECTRONIC CITING WAS OBSERVED AT APPROXIMATELY THE SAME

TIME AS REPORTED VISUAL CITING WOULD APPEAR TO VERIFY EXISTENCE OF

AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT OR METEOROLOGICAL OR ASTRONOMICAL

PHENOMENA OF SUCH SUBSTANCE AS TO BE VIEWED BOTH VISUALLY AND

ELECTRONICALLY /12/ NEGATIVE

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