

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 11 July 1957	2. LOCATION Elmira, New York		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 11/1230Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 hour 30 minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE N then E	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One object, circular, size of pea, color white. First appeared motionless, then moved slowly north and east. Object was not watched continually.		11. COMMENTS Winds to E and SE. Description and flight confirm to balloon analysis.	

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FM COMDR 648 AC&W SQ BENTON AFS BENTON PA

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO

RJEDWP/COMDR AIR TECH INTEL CEN WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RJEPHQ/COMDR DIR OF INTEL HQ USAF WASH WT DC

RSJEPNY/COMDR 26ADIV (DEF) ROSLYN AFS ROSLYN NY

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UNCL/ACDODO 56. SUBJECT; UFOB REPORT. (1) DESCRIPTION:
(A) CIRCULAR (BL) PEA (C) WHITE K(D) ONE (E) NONE
(F) NONE (G) NONE (H) NONE (I) APPARENTLY MOTIONLESS,
TRAVELING EAST (2) DESCRIPTION OF COURSE: (AL) RT 17,
TERRANCE HILL (B) 45 DEGREES (C) UNKNOWN (NOT BEING
WATCHED CONTINUALLY) (D) VERY SLOWLY NORTH THEN EAST (E)
NOT BEING WATCHED CONTINUALLY (F) 1 HOUR 30 MINUTES (3)
MANNER OF OBSERVATION (A) GROUND VISUAL (B) BINOCULARS
(4) TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING: (A) GROUND VISUAL (B)
(A) 1230Z 11JULY 57 (C) DAWN AND DAY (5) LOCATION OF OBSERVER:

(F) NONE (G) NONE (H) NONE (I) APPARENTLY MOTIONLESS,
TRAVELING EAST (2) DESCRIPTION OF COURSE: (AL) RT 17,
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[REDACTED] ELMIRA NY (6) IDENTIFYING INFORMATION
OF ALL OBSERVERS: (A) [REDACTED]
ELMIRA NY COUNTY CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] FARMER - MISS [REDACTED]
CLERK (B) NONE (7) WEATHER & WINDS-ALOFT CONDITION AT TIME &
PLACE OF SIGHTING: (-) CLEAR (B) SURFACE- 270 DEGREESN,
13 NKNOTS, 10,000FEET- 320 DEGREES, 30KNOTS, 16,000 FEET
- 315 DEGREES, 40 KNOTS, 20,000FEET- 320 DEGREES, 50 KNOTS
30,000FEET- 320 DEGREES, 75 KNOTS, 50,000FEET - 290 DEGREES
30 KNOTS () UNLIMITED (D) 20 MILES (E) NONE (F) NONE (8)
NONE (9) NONE (10) ONE PLANE AT 1230Z VERY HIGH (11) CAPT
SIDNEY SMITH, AO 1849470 - HARRISBURH GOC FILTER CENTER (12)
NONE

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