

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 14 November 1957		2. LOCATION Galveston, Texas		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 14/1908Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☒ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian		☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE North	☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Very large silver ball moving from south to north at high speed and high altitude. No sound. Appeared to be metallic construction.			11. COMMENTS Probable misidentification of a/c.		

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Witness

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at 15/02073

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44X20

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PP RJEPHQ RJEDWP RJEDEN RJEPNB RBEPM RBECK

DE RBETNFJ 44

P 142219Z

FM CCCDEIGHT

TO RJEPHQ DIPINT HQ USAF WASHDC

RJEDWP/AFITECHINT CENTER WRIGHT

PATT AFB OHIO ATTN AT1AA-21

RJEDEN/CONAIRDEF COMMAND ENT AFB COLORADO SPRINGS

RJEPNB/CONEASTERN AIR DEFENSE COMMAND STEWART AFB NYK

RDEPM/DIPNAVINT NAVY DEPT WASHDC

RBECK/CONEASTSEAFTON

USCG CPNC

BT

FLYOBRT X ONE VERY LARGE SILVER BALL MOVING FROM SOUTH TO NORTH

AT HIGH SPEED AND HIGH ALTITUDE X NO AUDIBLE SOUND X APPEARED TO BE

ON METALLIC CONSTRUCTION X SIGHTED AT 141928Z FOR 3 MINS X OBSERVED

WITH NAKED EYE AT EST DIST OF 5 MILES X OBSERVER STANDING IN YARD

AT HOME ~~████████~~ 0 1/2 GALV X SKY CLEAR NO CLOUDS TEMP 73 DEGREES

WIND ESE 1 MPH SEA 1 X NO UNUSUAL METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS X NO

PHYSICAL EVIDENCE REMAINED X 4 JET PLANES SEEN ABOUT 2 MINUTES

BEFORE SIGHTING BY REPORTING PARTY X CALV WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

RELEASING ONE WEATHER BALLOON AT 1800Z

BT

OTN 141928Z 3 5 015 10 73 1 1 4 2 1822Z

142219Z NOV RBETNFJ

BALLOON

At the Command
the wind direction in velocity
would bring the balloon released
at 1800Z over observers location
in an hour or more. The winds
at a higher altitude was
probably fast enough to move
the balloon at a fairly high
rate of speed.

UPD(?) and
have been solved
the spot
by the local
C.O.

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