

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 27 May 58		2. LOCATION Denver, Colorado		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical Meteor ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2357 GMT 28/0657Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 to 12 secs		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE .not given	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING A rnd obj, size of a pea at arms length, orange to bluish green in color, w/a tail was sighted 45 degrees above gorizon. Appeared to burn out.				11. COMMENTS Objx has characteristics of meteor including tail. Case evaluated as a meteor sighting.	

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Witness

~~3405~~
POSS

balloon

28/06572

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FM FLT SVC CEN LOWRY AFB COLO

TO COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO

COMDR 34 AIR DIV

COMDR AIR TECHNICAL INTEL CEN WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

ACOFs INTEL HQ USAF WASHDC

OIS HQ USAF WASHDC

ET

//UFOB//

1 DESCRIPTION

A ROUND WITH TAIL

B PEA

C ORANGE TO FLUSH GREEN

D ONE

E N/A

F FIRST WAS ORANGE THEN CHG TO FLUSH GREEN

G HAD TAIL AT FIRST THEN TAIL APPEARED TO FURN OUT

H NONE

TELEPHONED

TO Mr. Cornman

NO. 52171-59117

TIME 1158

Date 28/06/57

By: PC

1-3 4E4
2-3 4X5
3-4X5
-1107

1 NONE

2 DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

A SITTING IN PARKED CAR NOTICED OBJ BECAUSE OF LONG ORANGE TAIL

B 45 DEGREE ABOVE HORIZON *in what direction?*

C 35 DEGREE ABOVE HORIZON

D SLOW SPEED AT FIRST THEN ACCELERATED. HAD UP AND DOWN

OSCILLATING FLIGHT PATH ←

↑ NOTE!

E DISAPPEARED WITH DISTANCE

F TEN TO TWELVE SECONDS

3 MANER OF OBSERVATION

A GROUND VISUAL

B NONE

C N/A

4 TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

A 280657Z 0657-7=2357

B NIGHT

5 LOCATION OF OBSERVERS

██████████ DEVELOPMENT DENVER COLORADO

6 IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF ALL OBSERVERS

A ██████████ 30 ██████████ DERFY COLO TOOL AND DIE

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DIE MAKER SUNDSTRAND CORP DENVER

B N/A

7 WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT CONDITION AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING

A CLEAR

B SURFACE

6000-^{SSE}160 DEG 10KT
10000-^S130 DEG 16KT
16000-^{WNW}290 DEG 30KT
20000-^{WNW}300 DEG 30KT
30000-^{WNW}300 DEG 38KT
50000-^{WNW}290 DEG 40KT
80000 DEG KT

C NONE

D 15PLUS MILES

E NONE

F DISTANT LIGHTING TO THE NORTH

8 NONE

9 NONE

10 NO ACFT SHOULD HAVE BEEN IN THIS AREA OR DIRECTION OF FLIGHT

NOTE: LIGHTNING IN AREA

ATIC comment:

- 1. a check with Balloon schedules indicate a balloon was released at Stapleton field at approx. the time of sighting.*
- 2. Balloons released at night have lights attached.*
- 3. Balloons seen under adverse weather conditions present some weird appearances.*

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*~~From~~ Balloon
POSS*

11 FLT SVC OPERATIONS OFFICER POSSIBLE METEORITE
SIGHTING OBSERVER NOT POSITIVE OF DIRECTIONS DUE
DUE TO CONFUSION OF STREET LAYOUT

12 NONE

BT

*with an oscillating, up and
down flight path? Impossible!*

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