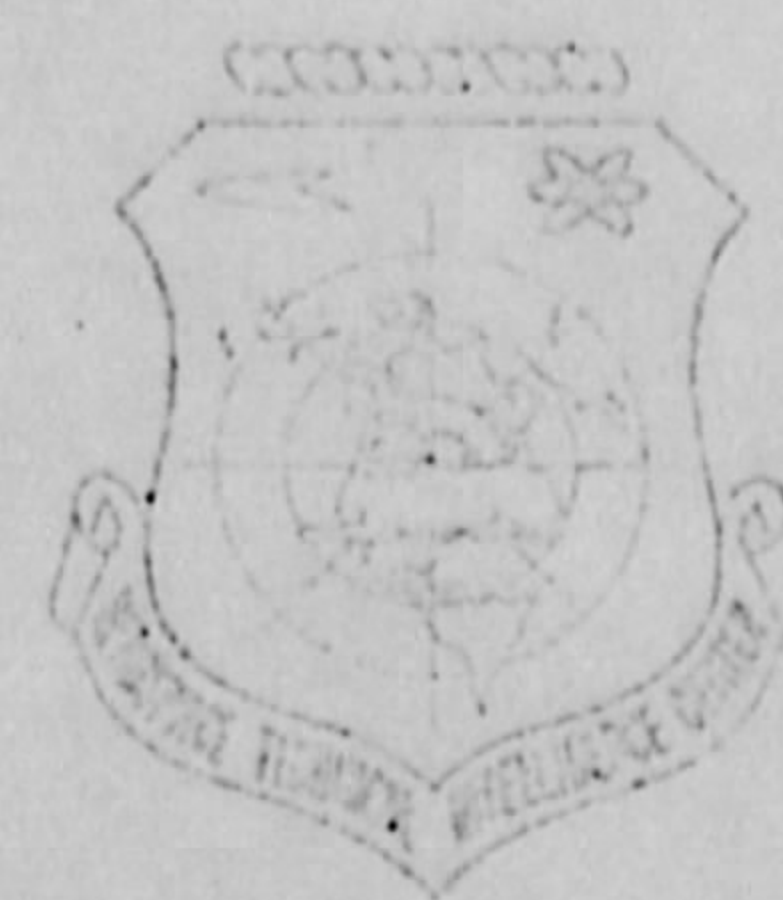


PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 7 Dec 60		2. LOCATION Vandalia, Ohio		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2015 GMT 08/0115Z		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		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE	
				☐ Other <u>Emulsion flaw</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Single, round, white light on photograph submitted to ATIC.				11. COMMENTS ATIC opinion that the object results from a defect in the film emulsion.	

AEROSPACE TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE
OHIO



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: AFCIN-4E2x

SUBJECT: Request for Photoanalysis

21 December 1960

TO: AFCIN-4D4a

1. Request an analysis be made of the attached prints and negatives. The object in question is the single, round, white light.

2. The photograph was taken with a [REDACTED] camera. The basic data follows:

- a. Aperture $9\frac{1}{2}''$
- b. Focal length 38"
- c. Schmidt type optics
- d. Exposure approximately eight seconds
- e. Direction northwest at about 65 to 70 degrees elevation
- f. Exposure made at about 2015, 7 December 1960

3. If further information is required, direct communication with the owner of the film is authorized. The owner's name, address, and phone number follows:

Home - Mr. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Vandalia, Ohio
[REDACTED]

Business - [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Dayton View Station
Dayton 6, Ohio
[REDACTED]

Richard R. Shoop

RICHARD R. SHOOP
Colonel, USAF
AFCIN-4E2

1 Atch:
Envelope containing
two photographs
and negative

ROUTING	COORDINATION	
	AFCIN-4	Unidentified Flying Object
	AFCIN-4X3	Mr. [REDACTED] Box 325 Vandalia, Ohio
	AFCIN-4X4	Dear Mr Lapenas:
	AFCIN-4X5	1. The negative and photographs of an unidentified object, which you turned over to the Aerospace Technical Intelligence Center for analysis, are hereby returned to you.
	AFCIN-4X6	2. From a photoanalysis standpoint, no positive conclusion can be reached as to the identity of the object. However, the opinion of one of our more experienced analysts is that the object results from a defect in the film emulsion.
	AFCIN-4X7	3. Your interest and cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.
	AFCIN-4A	Sincerely,
	AFCIN-4B	<i>[Signature]</i>
	AFCIN-4C	PHILIP G. EVANS Colonel, USAF Deputy for Science and Components
	AFCIN-4D	
	AFCIN-4E	
	AFCIN-4F	
	OTHERS	

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 AFCIN-4E2x
 OFFICE OF RECORD
 17 JAN 1961

COORDINATION:

AFCIN-4E2: *[Signature]* Maj Date *12 Jan 61*
 AFCIN-4E2: *[Signature]* Col Date *13 Jan 61*

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