

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE <u>16 November 1962</u>	2. LOCATION <u>Madison, Tennessee</u>		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 _____ GMT <u>17/0120Z</u>	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE <u>Civilian</u>		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>17 seconds</u>	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>2-3</u>	9. COURSE <u>South</u>	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Obj like huge star of mag -8 lasting about 8 seconds observed to break into 2 objs of about third magnitude. Sighted east moving south. Yellowish white. Sighting included impression of explosion. Covered 20 dgr arc in 15 seconds while moving toward the south. Estimated to be 15-20 miles away. Gave impression of reflecting light rather than being self-luminous. Did not think it was an a/c.			11. COMMENTS Speed indicates that obj was a meteor. Amature star gazer-- should be aware of meteor characteristics. Characteristics conform to bolide observation & case considered as a probable meteor sighting.

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Report Sheet for M.F.O

[REDACTED], Madison, Tennessee, U.S.A

Nov. 16, 1962

8:20 P.M., Sighting lasted about 17 seconds,
dark night

My location: latitude - $36^{\circ}10'$ North

longitude - $86^{\circ}45'$ West

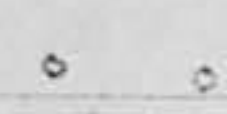
100 feet above sea level

Appearance of source(s) - *Like a huge star
first with very large radiating points, about
magnitude - 8, only lasted about 8 seconds, after
2 seconds large star like thing faded into 2
small points ^{which were 40 yards} around 3rd magnitude. Moved on
toward South

Facing toward East

Sky ~~to~~ covered by clouds, all cloudy except
in patches. Objects below level of clouds. Heavy
stratus was the cloud type

Sun or moon was not shining

	First	8 seconds later
Shape of source -		

Yellowish White color

* Looked like an explosion

Report Sheet for U.F.O

The direction of the saucer did not
coincide with the direction of the wind.

It couldn't have been a searchlight playing
on a newly invisible cloud layer.

Please reach reply!

Yours sincerely,

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Report Sheet for UFO

Altitude of saucer above horizon - 12°

Apparent size of saucer - First object sighted
size of quarter at arm's length, objects
second sighted size of pea held at arm's
length.

Motion of saucer - From where I was it
appeared to be moving from North to
South

Estimated rate of Motion - 20° every 15 seconds
Saucer did not appear to be self-luminous
It didn't possess a dull finish

It reflected like a mirror.

It wasn't partially transparent

The observation was confirmed by only me.
I just stayed in one place and did not
move around.

The saucer wasn't near the sun or
the moon.

There wasn't a halo around the sun.

General Remarks - I am an amateur star-gazer,
and an amateur meteorologist. I have seen
many different types of meteorological
phenomena and I've never seen anything
like this. Also saucer was around 15-20
miles away. I don't think it's an airplane
but you people know more about it than I do.