

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 20 January 66 20/2230Z	2. LOCATION North of Marlboro, New York
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION AIRCRAFT ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS ONE	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2-3 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer saw an object about the size of a medicine ball. It had two bright lights and a red and green rotating light on the back of the object. First the object headed South then turned North and continued flying in a rectangular pattern over the river. Investigating officer believes the object to be an a/c in a holding pattern for landing at a local airfield.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE South, then North	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

A. Description of Object

1. Shape: Possibly circular.
2. Size: About the size of a medicine ball held at arms length.
3. Color: Could not distinguish any.
4. Number: 1.
5. Formation: N/A
6. Features or Details: 2 bright lights, each about 1 1/2 times the size of a car headlamp. Red and green rotating light on backend of object.
7. Tail, trail or exhaust: None
8. Sound: None
9. Other features: Object was narrow in width.

B. Description of Course

1. What first called the attention of the observer to the object: 2 lights in sky and a rotating red and green light.
2. Angle or Elevation and Azimuth of object when first observed: 1/4 to 1/2 mile away approximately 500 feet above river.
3. Angle or Elevation and Azimuth of object upon disappearance: Did not disappear. Observer did not remain very long. Object was still there when he left.
4. Description of Flight Path: First headed south and then turned north and continued flying in a rectangular pattern over the river.
5. How did the object disappear: Observer left before the object disappeared.
6. How long visible: 2 or 3 minutes.

C. Manner of Observation

1. Ground - visual
2. Optical Aids - None

D. Time and Date of Sighting

1. Thursday, 20 Jan 66, 2230Z
2. Light Conditions: Dark

E. Location of Observer: On Route 9W, 2 miles north of Marlboro, New York.

F. Identifying Information on Observer:

1. Name - M [REDACTED]
2. Age - 26
3. Mailing Address: [REDACTED] New York.
4. Occupation - Research Technician for International Nickel.
5. Estimate of Reliability - Fair

G. Weather and Winds:

1. Observer's account of weather conditions: high clouds.
2. Report from U.S. Weather Bureau Office or AWS

a. Wind direction and velocity at:

Surface	060/06
6000'	020/15
10,000'	340/10
16,000'	110/05
20,000'	260/05
30,000'	200/02
50,000'	280/55
80,000'	-

b. Ceiling - 8,000 ft

c. Visibility - 15 miles

d. Amount of cloud cover - Broken clouds

e. Thunderstorms in area and quadrant in which located: None

f. Vertical temperature gradient:

3,000'	-5
5,000'	-8
8,000'	-11
10,000'	-12
15,000'	-23
20,000'	-31
25,000'	-43
30,000'	-53
35,000'	-52
40,000'	-50
45,000'	-52
50,000'	-58

H. Any other unusual activity or conditions: N/A

I. Location approximate altitude and direction of air traffic or weather balloons.

J. Position, Title and Comments of Preparing Officer:

2nd Lt John Barnauskas, Jr.
NAV/EWO
4713th Def Sys Eval Sq
Stewart AFB, New York

It is my opinion that the observer saw an aircraft in a holding pattern for landing at a local airfield.

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 4603D AIR BASE GROUP (ADC)
STEWART AIR FORCE BASE, NEW YORK 12554



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ATTN OF: 4603ODC

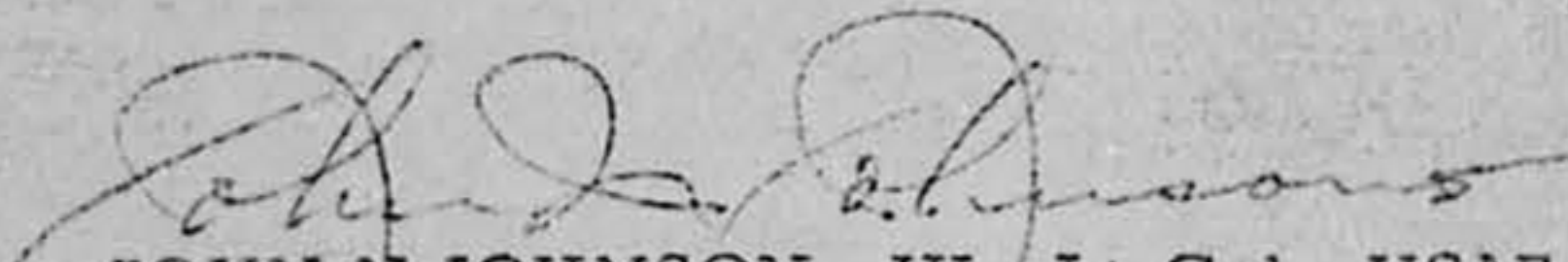
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SUBJECT: UFO Sighting

TO: Hq AFSC (TDEW)

The attached report is submitted in accordance with para 13b,
Change A to AFR 200-2.

FOR THE COMMANDER


JOHN N JOHNSON, III, Lt Col, USAF
Chief, Operations & Training Division

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UFO Report