

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE <u>13 Jan 52</u>		2. LOCATION Middletown, Pa.		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical (METEOR) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT <u>0004</u>		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		6. SOURCE multiple			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE NW		
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Bluish white to yellow. Very fast.			11. COMMENTS Possible meteor.		

COUNTRY United States	REPORT NO.	(LEAVE BLANK)
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## AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT

SUBJECT (UNCLASSIFIED) Unidentified Flying Objects Reporting (Short Title: ELYORREP)		
AREA REPORTED ON Middletown Air Materiel Area	FROM (Agency) Intelligence Office Olmsted Air Force Base, Middletown, Pa.	
DATE OF REPORT 16 September 1952	DATE OF INFORMATION 13 September 1952	EVALUATION
PREPARED BY (Officer) John L. Spierel, 2d Lt, USAF	SOURCE Civilian observers	

REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable)  
Air Force Letter No. 200-5, 29 Apr 52

SUMMARY: (Enter concise summary of report. Give significance in final one-sentence paragraph. List inclusions at lower left. Begin text of report on AF Form 112—Part II.)

Reference teletype 130209Z, this Headquarters, according to Base observers this object was unquestionably a meteor.

This report is submitted only to nullify teletype referenced above.

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SEP 13 13 29 1952

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OPOP JEPHQ JEDWP JEDEN 33

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OP 130209Z ZNJ

FM CO FLTOPNS OLMSTED AFB MIDDLETOWN PENN

TO JEPHQ/DIR OF INTEL HQ USAF WASHDC

JEDWP/AIR TECH INTEL CEN WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OHIO

AEDWP/CG AMC WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OHIO

JEDEN/CG ENT AFB COLORADO SPRINGS COLO

ACTION

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SEP 12 22:4  
INFO 7

[REDACTED] ATTN AT1AA-2 FLYOBRPT MBEBF-9-10 RE AFL 200-5

ON 13SEPT 1952 AT 0004Z OBSERVERS FROM DAUPHIN AND ADJACENT  
COUNTIES SIGHTED OBJECT IN SKY. NUMBER OF BASE EMPLOYEES SIGHTED  
SAME OBJECT AND REPORTED IT TO BE A METEOR TRAVELLING FROM SOUTHEAST  
TO NORTHWEST. APPARENT SIZE WAS APPROXIMATELY 25 INCHES IN  
DIAMETER NEAR LROUND. LAST SIGHTED AT 40-10N 76-40W APPEARING TO  
GO BELOW HILLS TO WEST OF FIELD ACROSS SUSQUEHANNA RIVER. LIGHT  
WAS BLUEISH WHITE TURNING TO YELLOW. FAST RATE OF SPEED. NO SOUND.

SLIGHT TAIL SAID BY OBSERVERS TO BE MERELY DUE TO GREAT RATE OF SPEED.

WEATHER AT TIME OF SIGHTING CLEAR WITH 7 MILES VISABILITY SURFACE.

WINDS CALM 2000 FT 280 DEGREES AT 7 <sup>KNOT</sup> 4000 FT 320 DEGREES AT 6

KNOTS. NO AIR TRAFFIC IN AREA AT TIME. ALL OBSERVERS MAKING

REPORTS WERE ON GROUND. OBSERVERS APPEAR TO BE RELIABLE. AT LEAST

TWO ARE BASE GUARDS.

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