

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 9 Feb 54		2. LOCATION Bridgeport, Conn		12. CONCLUSIONS <input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 09/2115Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual BX <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 civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 21 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE not reported		
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Half sphere, bright silvery, no erratic movements. Disappeared behind clouds at 20 deg elev. Initial observation at 30 deg elevation. Numerous routine phone calls.			11. COMMENTS Duration flight and description indicate balloon observation.		

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Witness

10 FEB 54 02 14z

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1/ATTAF
3 Reading file
4 Claims

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WP12345

YH 2222

JEDLS 1234

IFD 534

PP JEDEN JEDWP JEPFF JEPNS JEPON SSS

DE JEDLS 55

P 39234JL

FM COMDR FLT SV CENT AIR FORCE AFB WHEELING PENN

TO JEPON/DIA INTL WASH DC

JEDWP/COMDR AIR TECH INTL WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OHIO

JEDEN/COMDR NADC ENT AFB COLO

JEPFF/COMDR MATS ANDREWS AFB WASHDC

JEPON/COMDR CONAC MITCHEL AFB NY

JEPNS/COMDR FLT SV WASHDC

DESCRIPTIONS

A. HALF OF SP. ENL

B. HALF OF PIN

C. HALF SILVER

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F. 1/2

G. 1/2

1. NONE

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2. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

- A. PHONE CALLS
- B. 50 DEG. OVERHEAD
- C. 45 DEG. ANGLE
- D. NO ERRATIC MOVEMENTS
- E. BEHIND CLOUDS
- F. 21 MINUTES

3. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

- A. VISUAL
- B. BINOCULARS 7 POWER
- C. N/A

4. TIME AND DATE ASSIGNMENT

- A. 092115Z
- B. DAY

5. CONTROL TOWER BRIDGEPORT AIRPORT BRIDGE PORT CONN

6. NR [REDACTED] STAFFORD CONN RELIABILITY UNK.

7. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT

- A. SM 191628Z 20:150, 12,
- B. 1000-340/31 20:00-320/31
- C. 1000-340/25 20:00-330/71

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1638-323/45 51300-UNK

00380-UNK

C. -3010

D. -12

E. -6-9/13

F. -11/1

8 NONE

9 NONE

10 NONE

11 LOCAL LANDING TRAFFIC

12 CAPT W. A. MANN ASST OPERATIONS OFFICER CLMSTED FLIGHT SERVICE
CENTER

13 NO FURTHER INFO AVAILABLE

SIGNED W.A. MANN CAPT USAF

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