

**PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD**

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| <b>1. DATE</b><br>31 Jul 55                                                                                                           | <b>2. LOCATION</b><br>San Diego, California                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                    | <b>12. CONCLUSIONS</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other _____<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation<br><input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |
| <b>3. DATE-TIME GROUP</b><br>Local _____<br>GMT 01/0507Z (Aug)                                                                        | <b>4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION</b><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar<br><input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar |                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>5. PHOTOS</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No                                            | <b>6. SOURCE</b><br>civilian (GOC)                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION</b><br>20 mins                                                                                            | <b>8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS</b><br>1 sometimes 3                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>9. COURSE</b><br>Stationary in NE                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING</b><br>Round. Blue changes to yellow. When 3 objs appeared, two small ones rotated around a big one. |                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>11. COMMENTS</b><br>Capella in NE on Horizon - 10 ddg elev. No toher major astro body in that section of sky. Insufficient data for evaluation. |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

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| 1. DATE<br><b>31 JULY</b><br><del>2 August 1955</del>                                                                                                                                                                                   |  | 2. LOCATION<br><b>San Diego, California</b>                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 12. CONCLUSIONS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  |
| 3. DATE-TIME GROUP<br>Local _____<br>GMT <b>01/0507Z August 1955</b>                                                                                                                                                                    |  | 4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar<br><input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical |  |
| 5. PHOTOS<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                                                                     |  | 6. SOURCE<br><b>Civilian (GOC) 17 yrs of age</b>                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation<br><input type="checkbox"/> Unknown                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| 7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION<br><b>Approx twenty (20) Minutes</b>                                                                                                                                                                           |  | 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS<br><b>three</b><br><b>One, sometimes</b>                                                                                                                                         | 9. COURSE<br><b>Stationary</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  |
| 10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING<br><br><b>One and sometimes three objects. There appeared to be two small objects to the observer, which rotated around a larger object. Blue changing to yellow. Appeared and disappeared in the NE.</b> |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 11. COMMENTS<br><br><b>Due to the age and probable inexperience of the observer the veracity of the data contained can be doubted. It is possible that while looking thru binoculars at a star the object could attain color in the process of the light passing thru the binoculars and any slight movement of the binoculars would tend to give movement to the object. The fact that the object remained in the same position would tend to support the star theory.</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  |



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U F O B

1. ROUND ONE LARGER THAN THE OTHER TWO (A) ROUND (B) PIN (C) BLUE CHANG-  
ING TO YELLOW (D) ONE SOMETIMES THREE (E) TWO SMALL ONES ROTATING  
AROUND ONE LARGER ONE (F) NONE (G) NONE (H) NONE (I) NONE
2. (A) FLASHES IN SKY (B) 25 DEGREES TO THE NORTHEAST (C) 25 DEGREES

TO THE NORTHEAST (D) STOOD STILL (OBJECT WAS HIGH) (E) SEE REMARKS  
(F) UNKNOWN SEE REMARKS

3. (A) GROUND-VISUAL (B) BINOCULARS (C) N/A

4. (A) 0507Z 1 AUG 55 (B) NIGHT

5. (A) EJ CC 5644

6. (A) ██████████ AGE 17 ██████████ SAN DIEGO, CALIF. STUDENT (GOOD)  
(B) N/A

7. (A) CLEAR WITH HIGH CLOUDS (B) SURFACE WINDS 320-03 KTS

(C) 1200 SCATTERED 6,000' 020-07KTS 30,000 090-05KTS

(D) 10 MILES VISIBILITY 10,000' 080-09KTS 50,000 230-15KTS

(E) 1/10 16,000' 100-13KTS 80,000 UNKNOWN

(F) NONE 20,000' 050-12KTS

8. NONE

9. NONE

10. POSSIBLE LOCAL TRAFFIC

11. SENIOR DIRECTOR 1ST LT JAMES D. BUNCH (REMARKS) OBSOBER LEFT HIS

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Hqs 4602d AISS AISC Subj: Monthly UFOB Summary, Jul 55

Investigative Efforts (con't)

|                | INVESTIGATIVE UNIT                   | LOCATION OF SIGHTING               | CONCLUSION                         | <i>Astro (meteor)</i>           |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <i>8 July</i>  | 1. Flight 1-C                        | Riverside, Calif.                  | Optical Phenomena                  |                                 |
| <i>13 July</i> | 2. Flight 1-C                        | Glen Avon, Calif.                  | Possibly Astronomical - <i>A/C</i> |                                 |
|                | 3. Flight 1-C                        | Hollywood, Calif.                  | Possibly Astronomical              |                                 |
| <i>11 July</i> | <del>4. Flight 1-C</del>             | <del>China Lake NAS, Calif.</del>  | <del>Not Concluded</del>           | <del><i>BALCON</i></del>        |
| <i>20 July</i> | 5. Flight 3-F                        | Harrisburg, Pa.                    | Probably Hoax - <i>NEWPORT, PA</i> |                                 |
| <i>17 July</i> | 6. Flight 3-F                        | Penbrock, Pa. <i>MONROEVILLE ?</i> | Reliability Check - <i>A/C</i>     |                                 |
|                | 7. Det 3                             | New York City, N.Y.                | Hoax                               |                                 |
| <i>30 July</i> | <del>8. Det 3 <i>REGO PARK</i></del> | <del>New York City, N.Y.</del>     | <del>Not Concluded</del>           | <del><i>SEARCHLIGHTS</i></del>  |
| <i>25 July</i> | 9. Flight 1-B                        | Glendive, Montana                  | Unknown <i>ASTRO (ARCTURUS)</i>    |                                 |
| <i>30 July</i> | <del>10. Det 2 &amp; Flt 2-A</del>   | <del>Shelby, Iowa</del>            | <del>Not Concluded</del>           | <del><i>ASTRO (STARS)</i></del> |

b. In addition to the above, two (2) limited follow-up investigations are being conducted by Headquarters, 4602d AISS, by means of ATIC Form 164 (U.S. Air Force Technical Information Sheet). The above forms were sent to the observers of UFOB sightings at Kansas City, Kansas and Santa Maria, California.

*26 July Balcon*

*22 July Blimp*

c. The one (1) investigation which was not concluded at the time of the June summary has been finished by Flight 2-D with results as follows:

*20 June A/C*

| INVESTIGATIVE UNIT | LOCATION OF SIGHTING | CONCLUSION |
|--------------------|----------------------|------------|
| Flight 2-D         | Dallas, Texas        | Unknown    |

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3. UFO STATISTICS (Continued)

4. UFO Reports from Foreign Countries

|                                | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percentage</u> |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| a. Balloon - - - - -           | 7             | 30.4%             |
| b. Aircraft - - - - -          | 4             | 17.4%             |
| c. Astronomical - - - - -      | 3             | 13.1%             |
| d. Other - - - - -             | 2             | 8.6%              |
| e. Insufficient Data - - - - - | 6             | 26.1%             |
| f. Unknown - - - - -           | 1             | 4.4%              |
| Total                          | 23            |                   |

Foreign UFO sightings are generally difficult or impossible to thoroughly investigate, or evaluate towards some firm conclusion. They should not, therefore, be considered in any statistical breakdown, which primarily concerns itself with sightings within the continental USA.

5. UFO Sightings Reported Directly to ATIC by General Correspondence, (From Non AF Sources, General Public - Category IV Reports) 1 Jun 55 - 31 May 56

| <u>MONTH</u>          | <u>LOCATION OF SIGHTING</u> | <u>CONCLUSION OR EVALUATION</u> |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| June 1955             | South Bend, Indiana         | Other                           |
|                       | Cincinnati, Ohio            | Insufficient Data               |
|                       | Wichita, Kansas             | Balloon                         |
|                       | Dayton, Ohio                | Balloon                         |
|                       | Dayton, Ohio                | Probably Aircraft               |
|                       | Extertown, Pennsylvania     | Balloon                         |
|                       | Dayton, Ohio                | Insufficient Data               |
|                       | Long Beach, California      | Unknown                         |
| <u>July 1955</u>      | Paris, Illinois             | Astronomical                    |
|                       | Dayton, Ohio                | Possibly Astronomical           |
|                       | Dayton, Ohio                | Possibly Balloon                |
|                       | Cincinnati, Ohio            | Possibly Balloon                |
|                       | Ochlochnee, Georgia         | Balloon                         |
| Aug. 1955             | Nicholsville, Kentucky      | Aircraft                        |
|                       | Cincinnati, Ohio            | Possibly Balloon                |
|                       | Dayton, Ohio                | Probably Astronomical           |
|                       | Senora, New Mexico          | Balloon                         |
|                       | Park Ridge, Illinois        | Balloon                         |
|                       | Clarron, New Mexico         | Other                           |
|                       | Dayton, Ohio                | Astronomical                    |
|                       | Stroudsburg, Illinois       | Astronomical                    |
|                       | Cincinnati, Ohio            | Balloon                         |
|                       | Rio, Illinois               | Unknown                         |
|                       | Bedford, Virginia           | Aircraft                        |
|                       | Dayton, Ohio                | Possibly Balloon                |
|                       | Temple, Texas               | Aircraft                        |
| Lake Village, Indiana | Astronomical                |                                 |

AUGUST 1955 SIGHTINGS

|       | <u>LOCATION</u>                       | <u>OBSERVER</u>    | <u>EVALUATION</u>          |
|-------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| 1     | Jul- Early Aug Mulberry Corners, Ohio | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
|       | Platte County, Missouri               | [REDACTED]         | Other (UNRELIABLE RPT)     |
|       | Sanville, California                  | GOC Observer       | Insufficient Data          |
|       | Pialto, California                    | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
|       | Fresno, California                    | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
|       | Charlotte, North Carolina             | [REDACTED]         | Astro (METEOR)             |
|       | McDonald, Pennsylvania                | [REDACTED]         | Aircraft                   |
|       | Malden, Massachusetts                 | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
|       | Akron, Ohio                           | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
|       | Hobart, Indiana                       | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
|       | Rochester, New York                   | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
|       | Saginaw, Michigan                     | [REDACTED]         | Astro (ARCTURUS)           |
|       | Akron, Ohio                           | [REDACTED] (Multi) | Balloon                    |
|       | San Diego, California                 | [REDACTED]         | Aircraft                   |
|       | British Columbia, Canada              | [REDACTED]         | Aircraft                   |
|       | Levelland, Texas                      | [REDACTED]         | Astro (METEOR)             |
| 10    | Albuquerque, New Mexico               | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
| 10    | Corvallis, Oregon                     | [REDACTED]         | Astro (CAPELLA)            |
| 11    | Iceland                               | [REDACTED]         | UNIDENTIFIED               |
| 11    | Glenwood, Iowa                        | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
| 11-12 | Beloit, Wisconsin                     | Multiple           | Astro (METEOR)             |
| 12    | Pinecastle AFB, Florida               | [REDACTED]         | Aircraft                   |
| 12    | St Edward, Nebraska                   | [REDACTED]         |                            |
| 12    | Battlecreek, Nebraska                 | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
| 14    | St Paul, Minnesota                    | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
| 14    | Wadena, Minnesota                     | [REDACTED]         | Astro (STARS/PLANETS)      |
| 14    | Crystal, Minnesota                    | [REDACTED]         | Astro (METEOR)             |
| 15    | London, England                       | Military           | Aircraft                   |
| 15    | Klamath, Oregon                       | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
| 16    | Hollywood, California                 | [REDACTED]         | Astro (METEOR)             |
| 17    | Roseville, California                 | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
| 17    | Las Vegas, Nevada                     | [REDACTED]         | Other (PSYCHOLOGICAL)      |
| 17    | Newport Beach, California             | [REDACTED]         | Astro (METEOR)             |
| 17    | Seattle, Washington                   | [REDACTED]         | Aircraft                   |
| 18    | Alhambra, California                  | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
| 18    | Seattle, Washington                   | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
| 19    | Ishpeming, Michigan                   | [REDACTED]         | Astro (METEOR)             |
| 22    | Madrid, Spain                         | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
| 22    | Cutlerville, Michigan                 | [REDACTED]         | Astro (CAPELLA)            |
| 22    | Sacramento, California                | [REDACTED]         | Aircraft                   |
| 23    | Arlington, Virginia                   | [REDACTED]         | UNIDENTIFIED               |
| 23    | Harrisburg, Pennsylvania              | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
| 24    | North Branch, New York                | [REDACTED]         | Aircraft                   |
| 25    | Green Bay, Wisconsin                  | [REDACTED]         | Other (HOAX)               |
| 25    | Pattilion, Nebraska                   | [REDACTED]         | Insufficient Data          |
| 25    | Fordland, Missouri                    | Military (RADAR)   | Other (INVERSION)          |
| 25    | Chicago, Illinois                     | [REDACTED]         | Other (UNRELIABLE RPT)     |
| 26    | Muscatine, Iowa                       | [REDACTED]         | Astro (STARS/PLANETS)      |
| 26    | Paisley, Oregon                       | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
| 26    | Burbank, California                   | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
| 29    | Hermosa Beach, California             | [REDACTED]         | Balloon                    |
| 29    | Mulberry Corner, Ohio (FOLDER)        | [REDACTED]         | Other (PSHYCOLOGICAL)      |
| 30    | Old Greenwich, Connecticut (FOLDER)   | [REDACTED] (PHOTO) | Other (HOAX/Emulsion Flaw) |
|       | " following folder                    |                    |                            |
| 31    | Trenton, New Jersey (CASE MISSING)    | Civ & Mil          | Balloon                    |