

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 3 September 1956	2. LOCATION Henderson Harbor, New York		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 04/0248Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian & Military		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION forty-five minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE easterly	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One circular sphere shaped object, red on the inside & green on outside. Object initially sighted at approx 310 dgrs azimuth & move approximately due east in a straight line. Object disappeared after 25 minutes by fading out of sight. Object was viewed visually & through binoculars.		11. COMMENTS Wind direction, course & manner of disappearance indicates that sighting was possibly caused by a balloon. Although scrambled a/c JJA-1 obtained visual contact w/the object & the pilot indicated that obj was most likely a star, it is believed that visual contact was made w/some other object rather than original object. Evaluated as a possible balloon.	

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ACTION

Busy 0147/05
01557/05

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112 700
CALLED CAPT
DUTY OFFICER

NNNN

RC022

WPE013YDA001 TYE095 TMB083 TTB026 SNA048SND001

PPNCJEDEN RJEPNB RJEDWP RJEPHQ

DE RJEPSN 1D *Multa*

P 041330Z

FM CMDR 655TH ACWRON WATERTOWN NY

TO RJEDEN/CMDR ADC ENT AFB COLORADO SPRINGS COLO

RJEPNB/CMDR EADF STEWART AFB NEWBURGH NYO

RJEPSN/CMDR 32D AD(D) SQRACUSE AF STA SYRACUSE NY

RJEDWP/CMDR AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER WPAFB OHIP ✓

RJEPHQ/CDIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE HQ USAF WASHINGTON D C

BT

/UNCL/ ACL C-OPS 09006 PD FLYOBRPT CLN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT CMM

AFR 200-2 PD

Q. A. CIRCULAR SPHERE

B. UNKNOWN

C. RED ON INSIDE AND GREEN ON OUTSIDE

D. ONE

E. N/A

F. MENTIONED ABOVE

G. NONE

H. NONE

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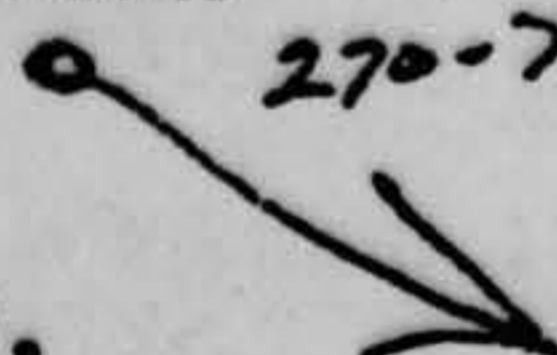
USING FIELD GLASSES. A/2C ROBERT MYERS, 655TH AC&W SQUADRON, RADAR

7. A. CLEAR

B. WATERTOWN WINDS ALOFT : ~~300~~/10, ~~310~~/15, ~~300~~/20, ~~300~~/25,
300/35, 290/35, 290/35, 290/35, 280/45, 290/50

AV. 280°

270-700



C. CLEAR

D. 15 MILES

E. NONE

F. NONE

8. UNKNOWN

9. NONE

10. SCRAMBLED JUMPING JACE ABLE ONE AND TWO AT 0302Z TALLY-NO AT 0340,

JJA-1 VISUSL CONTACT WITH OBJECT SEEMING ABOVE THEM AND TO NW, MOST
LIKELY A STAR

11. NONE

12. JOSEPH B WAGMAN, 1/LT., SENIOR DIRECTOR, ABLE CREW, 655TH ACWRON,

IT IS BELIEVED THAT THE OBJECT COULD HAVE BEEN A STAR. HOWEVER, THE
OBJECT DID MOVE AT RAPID PACE AND AFTER 45 MINUTES, DID FINALLY DISAPPEAR.

THESE ACTIONS ARE NOT CHARACTERISTIC OF A STAR.

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04/1445Z SEP RJEPSN

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K I. MENTIONED ABOVE

2. A. NOTICED UNUSUAL OBJECT IN SKY

B. UNKNOWN ELEVATION AND APPROXIMATELY 310 DEGREES FROM P-49

C. 310 DEGREES FROM P-49

← D. MOVING APPROXIMATELY DUE EAST IN STRAIGHT LINE

E. FADED

F. APPROXIMATELY 45 MINUTES

3. A. GROUND-VISUAL

B. NONE AT FIRST SIGHTING MEMBERS OF A CREW, 655TH ACWRON USED

BINOCULARS


C. (F-94), JUMPING JACK ALFA ONE, 29,000 310 DEGREES, 260 KNOTS,


ROME

4. A. FIRST SIGHTING APPROX 0248Z, 4 UEP 56. SECOND SIGHTING 0300,

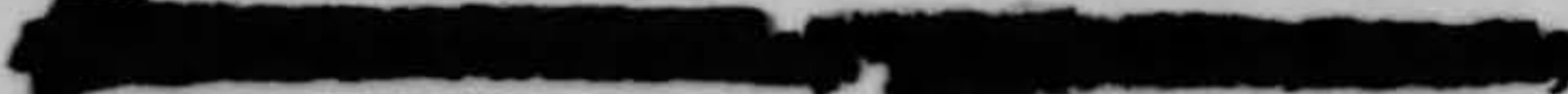
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B. NIGHT

5. HENDERSON HARBOR, MISS 


AND 655TH AC&W SQUADRON,

WATERTOWN, N.Y.

6. A. MISS , SYRACUSE, STUDENT

(COLLEGE). SHE WAS FIRST OBSERVER WITH SIX OTHER PARTIES.

B. VARIOUS MEMBERS OF ABLE CREW AT 655TH ACWRON, ALL RELIABLE,