

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 10 February 1957		2. LOCATION 50 mi S of Bismark, N.D.		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 11/0451Z		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		<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 Housewife		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION .30 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE NE	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Red and green flashing light observed at 75 dgr azimuth, 30 min later still at same bearing but had advanced about 40 dgr. in elevation. Changed to dim white and faded out.			11. COMMENTS Star chart and almanacs disclose that ARCTURUS a very bright star was at the approximate bearings and elevations given. Increase in elevation of 45dgr is not probable. Sighting most probably balloon since flight and description conform with this analysis		

Witness

1 } 4E4
2 }
34x2a
EW

ATTC
100257-1
11 FEB 57 15 34

6

WPR 12

CTW19 WUS 45 MA129 N FGA057GOVT PD

FARGO NDAK 11 935ANC

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IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2 THE FOLLOWING UFOB IS SUBMITTED:

SECTION 1: A. ROUND B. PENNEY C. RED&GREEN FLASHING

← TWINKLING ?

AND CHANGED TO DIM WHITE. D. ONE (1) E. NEGATIVE F.

NEGATIVE G. NEGATIVE H. NEGATIVE I. NEGATIVE. SECTION

2: A. THE CHANGING OF COLORS. B. 20 DEGREE ELEVATION

Bearing:
75 degrees
from
observers
position

075 AZIMUTH. C. 65 DEGREE ELEVATION 075 AZIMUTH. D.

STANDING STILL E. SEEMED TO FADE OUT. F. 30 MINUTES.

SECTION 3: A. GROUND VISUAL B. NEGATIVE C. N/A SECTION

4: A. 0436Z 11 FEB 57. B. NIGHT. SECTION 5: FKED

5108. SECTION 6: A. [REDACTED] STRAUSBURG, NORTH

← approx 50
miles SSW
of
Bismarck, N.D.

DAKOTA, HOUSEWIFE, P. [REDACTED]. B. NEGATIVE. SECTION

7: A. CLEAR B. NEGATIVE C. NEGATIVE D. UNLIMITED E.

0436 - 7 = 2136
Local
Time

SMALL AMOUNT OF CLOUDS IN THE EASTERN SKY F. NEGATIVE. SECTION

8: NEGATIVE SECTION 9: 0451Z 11 FEB 57. SECTION 10:

NEGATIVE. SECTION 11: OPERATIONS OFFICER, AFTER TALKING

WITH OBSERVER ITS SOUNDS LIKE IT COULD BE A PLANET RISEING.

SECTION 12: NEGATIVE

COMMANDER DETACHMENT 1, 4672D GROUND OBSERVER SQUADRON

ECX 1873 FARGO NORTH DAKOTA

AFR 200-2 UFOB 1 A B C D (1) E F G H I 2 A B 23 075

C 65 075 D E F 30 3 A B C 4 A 0436Z 11 57 D 5

FKED 51 8 6 A 4351 B 7 A B C D E F 8 9 0451Z 11 57

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[However, see attached note on back]

Note: launching
Time for Wx
Balloon at
Bismarck is
approx 2130.

← Capt. Gupat