

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE-TIME GROUP 24 July 1957 Local 1935 (PST) GMT 22/0335Z		2. LOCATION Hawthorn, California		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft Arcturus <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		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 Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION continuous		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE		
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING A round red object the size of a dime at arm's length was seen directly overhead.			11. COMMENTS The bright star Arcturus was at the approximate position given by observ...		

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RETURN TO
 1957
 91-31061
 K145.6010-1

22 July 1957
0335 Z

(0735 PM (PST))
= 1935 hrs

59117
NTFD

23/00357
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Witness

23 Jul 57 00 20z

NNNN BPPEV WPB203 YDD231 XYD268 XDA269 JBA117 JBE221

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FM COMDR 669TH ACWRON FORNUE CALIF

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLORADO SPRINGS COLORADO

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UNCLAS 6690PS 059-Y PD UFOB PD 1.A.ROUND. B.DIME. C. RED. D.ONE.

E.NONE. F.NONE. G.NONE. H.NONE. I.NONE. 2.A.OBSERVER LOOKED UP. B.

STRAIGHT UP 90 DEGREE AND TO THE NORTH. C.NONE. D.MOVAD FROM NORTH TO

WEST BACK AND FORTH. E.NONE. F.STILL IN SIGHT WHEN CALLED TO ART AT

0410Z. 3.A.GROUND VISUAL. B.NONE. C.NONE. 4.A.22 JULY 1957 AT 0335Z.

B.NIGHT. 5.BD 3454 NEAR THE TOWN OF HAWTHORN. 6.~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

AGE 17. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ LAWDALE, CALIFORNIA PHONE ORCHARJ ~~XXXXXX~~.

B.NONE. 7.A.CLEAR VISIBILITY 10 MILE. B.VAR. C.NONE. D.10 MILES. E.

CLEAR. F.NONE. 8.NONE KNOWN. 9.NONE. 10.;,9,3. 11.POSSIBLE A REDDISH

COLOR STAR ONLY SEEMINGLY IN MOTION. SENIOR DIRECTOR 1/LT EDWARD

R. MARTIN. 12.NONE.

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22/2150Z JUL RJWPJB

Ephemeric Data Check

0735 Z = 8 = 0735 PM (PST)

10054657

Mars

July - Eccl 129° } 14° off
Aug - 148°

110, 210, 310, 410, 510, 610, 710, 810, 910, 1010, 1110, 1210

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Astro

The bright star ARCTURUS was at the approx. location given by observer. Fixed gaze on small object overhead on first viewing of movement. Field

16'000' 220/25K-20'000' 090/24K

- C. UNLIMITED. D. VISIBILITY- 10 MILES. E. NONE. F. NONE.
- 8. NONE.
- 9. NONE. ART AND SWANNY NOTIFIED TO KEEP CLOSE SURVEILLANCE OF AREA.
- 10. NO KNOWN TRAFFIC.
- 11. SENIOR CONTROLLER ADCC. ART AND SWANNY WERE ADVISED TO MAINTAIN CLOSE SURVEILLANCE OVER THIS AREA. LONG BEACH CAA



Will check if any nuclear device exploded E-NE of LA (i.e. Southern Nevada). Nuclear A-Rocket fired on 19th July. Explosion would appear low on horizon from L.A.

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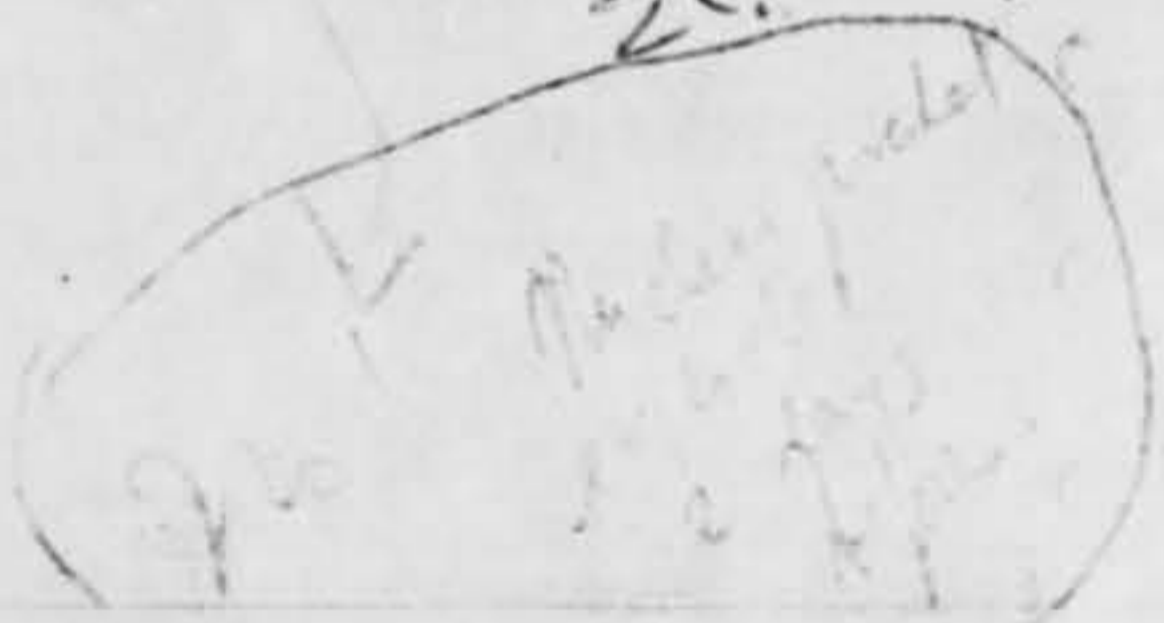
RADAR WAS CHECKED AND REPORTED NOTHING UNUSUAL OBSERVED. THE OBSERVERS ARE WELL QUALIFIED AND MUST HAVE SEEN SOMETHING OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

12. NONE

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22/2036Z JUL RJWPJB

(See 2.B. + 2.C. above)



Multa 22 July 57

0407 to 0445Z

= () = 2007 to 2005

the night before

(17)

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21 July 57

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UNCLASSIFIED 2701 TAC G-0513UFOB PD

- 1. A. ROUND. B. H10 TO 15 FEET IN DIAMETER. C. ORANGE TINT.
- D. THREE (EACH OCCURED AT DIFFERENT TIMES). E. NONE. F. NONE.

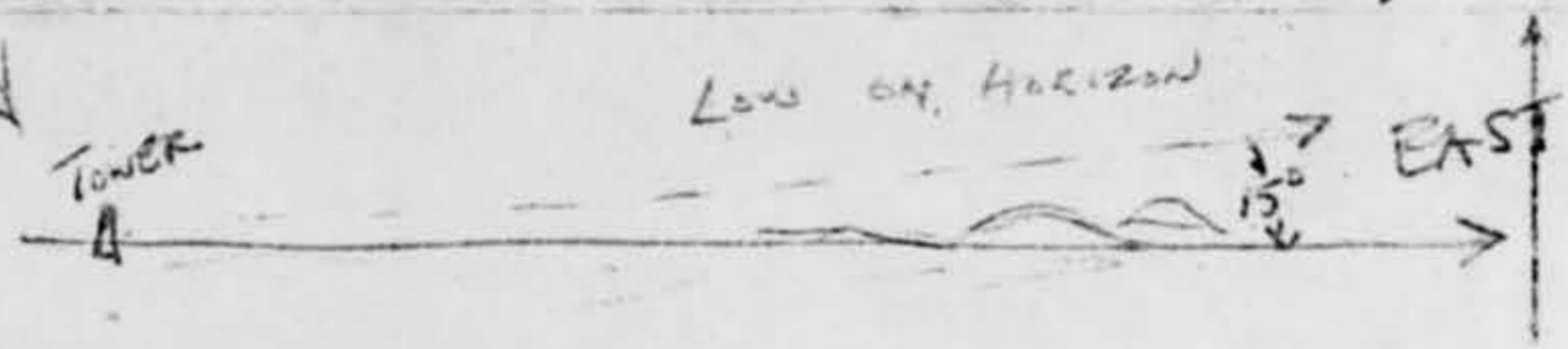
G. NONE. H. NONE. I. SEEMED TO BE EXPOSITIONS. FIRST WAS AT 0407Z AND APPEARED BRILLIANT WHITE AND VERY HIGH. TIME OF SECOND WAS NOT REPORTED. LAST OCCURED AT 0445Z. LAST TWO WERE DESCRIBED AS LOW AND ORANGE IN COLOR.

0407Z-8 = 08:07 PM (2007 hrs) the next report i.e. on 21 July 07

- 2. A. JUST HAPPENED TO SEE THEM. B. TWO MILES EAST OF LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, 15 DEGREE ABOVE HORIZON. C. TWO MILES EAST OF LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT 15 DEGREE. D. NONE. E. FLARED

*Control tower
heard
many
miles
away*

Note



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UP AND FADED. F. BRIEFLY.

*See 1 G. above - not in agreement!
believe in case*

- 3. A. GROUND VISUAL. B. NONE. C. NONE.
- 4. A. 22/1017Z TO 22/0445Z. B. NIGHT. *(Converted:)*
- 5. CONTROL TOWER, LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT.
- 6. A. CIVILIAN: MR. [REDACTED] MR. [REDACTED] AND MR. [REDACTED] CAA PERSONNEL CONTROL TOWER OPERATORS LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. AN UNKNOWN CIVILIAN (TELEPHONE [REDACTED]) CALLED AND CLAIMED THAT 15 TO 20 ADDITIONAL PEOPLE SEEN THE OBJECTS.

7. CLEAR SKY-VISIBILITY 10 MILES. ^W 270/5K-20,000' ^{SW} 230/32K
 6'000' ^S 160/10K-30'000' ^{SW} 230/49K