

MULTIPLE SIGHTING

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

<b>1. DATE</b> 31 July, 1960	<b>2. LOCATION</b> Los Angeles, California & Vicinity		<b>12. CONCLUSIONS</b> <input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical Meteor <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
<b>3. DATE-TIME GROUP</b> Local _____ GMT 31/C845Z	<b>4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		
<b>5. PHOTOS</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<b>6. SOURCE</b> Civilian		
<b>7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION</b> 3 seconds	<b>8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS</b> One	<b>9. COURSE</b> Manuvered	
<b>10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING</b> Round cylindrical object with flat top and tear-drop shaped bottom coming to a slight point observed for 3 seconds. Appeared to be green color with tail of red sparks. Size of half-dollar to grapefruit at arm's length. Moved very fast upwards to about 60 deg and then downward in an arc and disappeared over the horizon		<b>11. COMMENTS</b> It has been determined from interviews description and duration that the object of this sighting was a meteor. On occasion the appearance of rising is present and as the distance from the observer increases the object then has the appearance of descent. Also evaluated meteor by astronomers at Griffith Observatory.	

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(1) NIGHT LOCATION OF OBSERVERS PD (1) THREE MEN AT INTERSECTION  
OF CLAUDON AND FAIRFAX BLVD BALDWIN HILLS AREA LOS ANGELES PD  
(2) MOTORIST DRIVING SOUTH ON SANTA ANA FREEWAY NEAR PICO AREA PD  
(3) MOTORIST DRIVING WEST OF OLYMPIC BLVD JUST WEST OF SANTA ANA  
FREEWAY PD (4) CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROLMAN IN NEWHALL CALIFORNIA PD  
IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVERS 1) [REDACTED] REPORTER  
FOR RADIO STATION NEWS IN LOS ANGELES 2) [REDACTED] RADIO TECH  
[REDACTED] RADIO COMPANY IN LOS ANGELES (3) [REDACTED] NEWS  
[REDACTED] NEWS AGENCY IN WEST LOS ANGELES (4) [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY  
PATROLMAN (5) [REDACTED] CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROLMAN WEATHER  
AND TRAFFIC (6) THREE (7) UNKNOWN PD NOTION ARE CARRYING ON FURTHER  
INVESTIGATION PD END

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UNCLASSIFIED, EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE BY THIS MARKING

(1) FOUND CYLINDER  
 (2) FLAT TOP WITH TRAP DROP SECTION COMING TO A SLIGHT POINT  
 (3) ONE-HALF DOLLAR TO QUARTER DIME  
 (4) GREEN  
 (5) ONE  
 (6) NONE  
 (7) APPEARED TO HAVE TAIL OF RED STRIPS  
 (8) SAME AS ABOVE  
 (9) NONE  
 (10) NONE  
 (11) DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT  
 (12) UNKNOWN  
 (13) THREE  
 (14) MOVING VERY FAST UPWARD FROM IN SIGHT  
 ALONG THE SURFACE TO APPROXIMATELY 50 FEET AND RETURNED IN A  
 DOWNWARD ARC AND DISAPPEARED OVER THE HORIZON  
 (15) THREE SECONDS  
 (16) MANNER OF OBSERVATION  
 (17) GROUND VISUAL  
 (18) NONE USED  
 (19) NOT APPLICABLE  
 (20) TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING  
 (21) 31 JULY 67 0145Z

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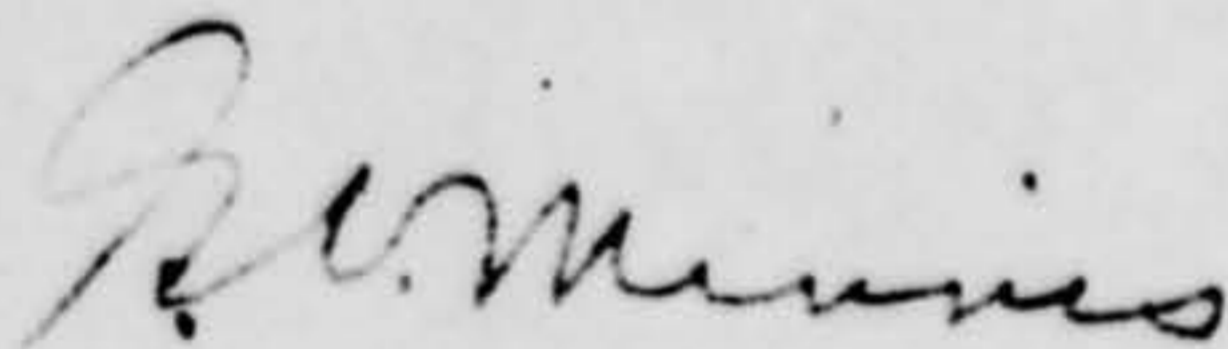
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SUBJECT: Final Report on UFO Sighting

TO: Air Technical Intelligence Center  
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio

1. Reference TWX SBBFD-8-3E, UFO, 032345Z August. All personnel having knowledge of the UFO Sighting reported in this message were interviewed and their information recorded on audio tape. These tapes have been transcribed and the transcriptions placed on file at Base Operations, Norton AFB.
2. Evaluation of the sighting as reported and interview with personnel of the Griffith Park Observatory, Los Angeles, indicated that the object sighted was a meteorite.
3. It is recommended that this case be considered closed.



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