

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE (week of) 6 August 1962	2. LOCATION Colorado <i>Hayden</i>		12. CONCLUSIONS
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local <u>midnight</u> GMT _____	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 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
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical Meteor <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not rptd	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE not given	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Something huge passed through sky, front end round like a ball of fire with sparks trailing. Accompanied by swooshing sound. Close to Earth and estimated landing 200-300 miles away.		11. COMMENTS Description of meteor sighting although duration not rptd.	

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Aug 6

Hayden, Colo., P.O. KS

9/5/62

Office of Sec'y of Defense
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

About mid night during
the week of Aug. 6, something
huge - of box car size - passed
thru the sky near Rabbit Ear
Pass in Colo. The front end
was round like a huge ball
and fiery red; the long tail
seemed to be flames or
sparks; it made a loud
swosh - and was gone.
It was close to earth; at the
time I was sure I felt pressure
from it after it passed; It
must have landed not too
many hundred miles from
here.

My companions were asleep
but I was afraid of the bears;
we have about 800 of them in
the Routt Co. National Forest.

The next morning they ribbed
me lightly, like, "you been out
in the sun too long?"

But some of the folks I told
about it, said I should tell you.
so there it was.

Yours very truly

Mrs. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

(aged 60 years)

P.S. I wondered if
it might have been part
of the ^{Swain} headed racket Mr. Chit
Huntley + David Brinkley
talk about on J. V.
They said tell you
if it fell in
my back
yard.