

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE <u>24 Apr 52</u>		2. LOCATION <u>Colorado Springs, Colo.</u>		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local <u>2215 MST</u> GMT <u>25/0515Z</u>		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE <u>Civilian - male</u>			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>5-10 seconds</u>		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>1</u>		9. COURSE ☒ Other ☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☒ Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Dark with luminous glow. Swept wing, no fuselage. Straight and level maneuvers. Possibly conventional a/c except for the absence of sound. If object was large and report indicates it was, an a/c could be heard.				11. COMMENTS Swept wing - no fuselage. Disappeared behind roof line. Viewed through bare tree branches - no sound. 10 times larger than jet a/c.	

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FLYING OBJECT:

(1) SWEPT WING, NO FUSELAGE, 10 TIMES LARGER THAN JET FTR, SPEED 250 MPH, NO SOUND, COURSE 315 DEGREES, COLOR DARK W/LUMINOUS GLOW, FLIGHT STRAIGHT AND LEVEL, DISAPPEARED BEHIND ROOF LINE.

(2) ~~2015~~ 2015 HRS MST - 5 TO 10 SEC.

(3) VISUAL, GROUND.

(4) IN BACK YARD OF 313 S CASCADE, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO. OBJECT TO RIGHT AND ABOVE OBSERVER, APPROX 5,00 FT.

(5) MR ~~REDACTED~~ OWNER OF ~~REDACTED~~, COLO SPRINGS, COLO, PROBABLY RELIABLE, NO TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE, OBJ SIGHTED THROUGH BARE TREE BRANCHES WHICH ARE GRAYISH-WHITE IN APPEARANCE.

(6) ~~2030~~ 2030 MST 6500 THIN BROKEN, EST 15,000 OVERCAST, VISIBILITY 15 PLUS, SEA LEVEL PRESSURE 1012.2, TEMP 27 DEG F, DEW PT 12, WIND SW 5 MPH, ALTIMETER 29.73. OBSERVER STATED HE SAW STARS AT TIME WHICH WOULD HAVE BEEN POSSIBLE. WEATHER CAVU AT 0030 HRS.

(7) NONE

(8) NONE

(9) NONE

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UNIDENTIFIED OBJ, ITEM (2) SHOULD READ 2215 HRS MSG AND ITEM (6)

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EXTRACT FROM STATUS REPORT # 6

DATE: 24 Apr 52

TIME (Local): 2215

LOCATION: Colorado Springs, Colo.

LENGTH OF TIME OBSERVED: 5-10 Seconds

SOUND: None

SPEED: Moderate

ALTITUDE: Moderate

HEADING: 315°

SOURCE: Civilian

ACTION OR COMMENTS: No conclusions. Insufficient data.

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT: An object resembling a "flying wing" aircraft was observed. It appeared to have swept wings, 10 times larger than jet fighter, and had a luminous glow. Object was observed through bare tree branches. ~~REDACTED~~

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