

PROJECT 10075 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 15 Jul 52		2. LOCATION TACOMA WASH		3. CONCLUSION ☐ Was Enemy ☒ Probably Enemy ☐ Possibly Enemy	
4. DATE OF GROUP 15/1748 PST		5. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Infrared Radar		6. Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft	
7. PROCS ☐ Yes ☒ No		8. SOURCE Civilian man		9. Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
10. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 20 min		11. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1		12. COURSE ☐ Other ☐ Insufficient Data for Entry ☐ Unknown	
13. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Slow, dipping object observed by carpenter for 20 min.			14. COMMENTS		

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HEADQUARTERS
25TH AIR DIVISION (DEFENSE) UNCLASSIFIED
McChord Air Force Base, Washington

ODI 319.1

26 JUL 1952

SUBJECT: Unidentified Flying Object Report

TO: Chief, Air Technical Intelligence Center
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
Dayton, Ohio

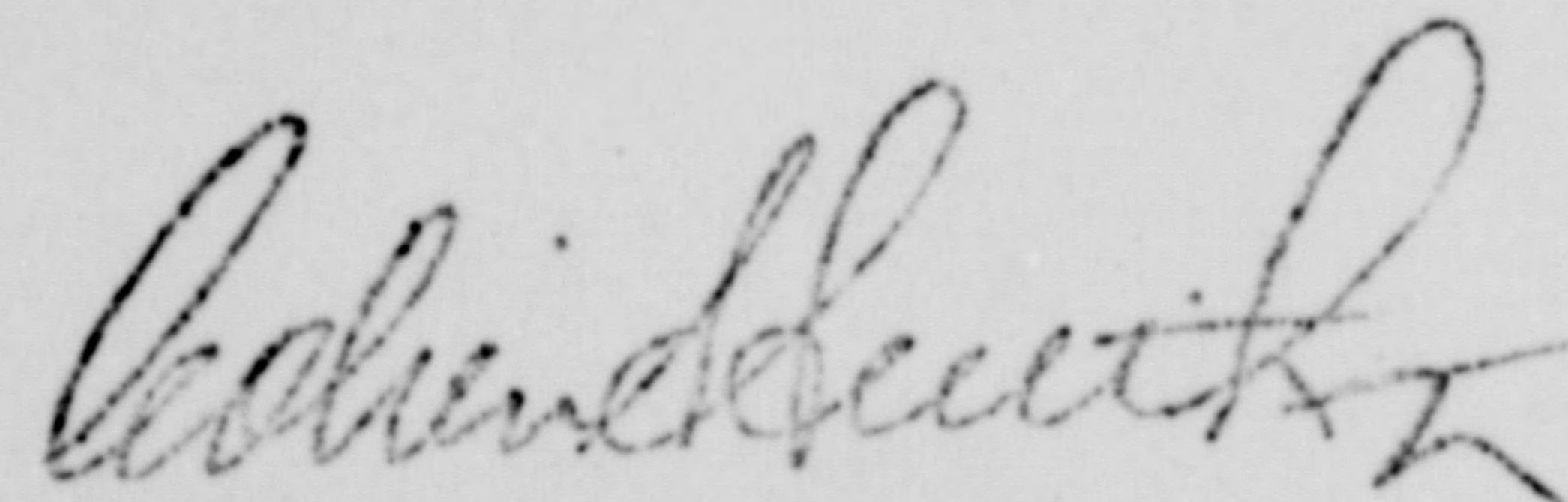
15 July 52
Tacoma, Wash.
16/01482

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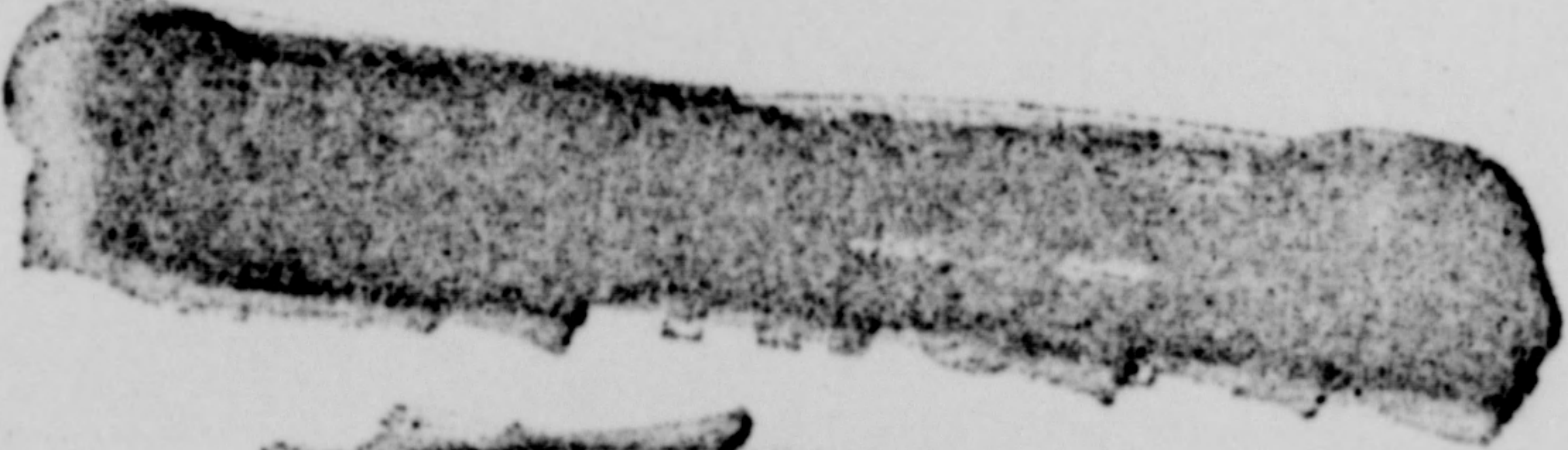
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FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

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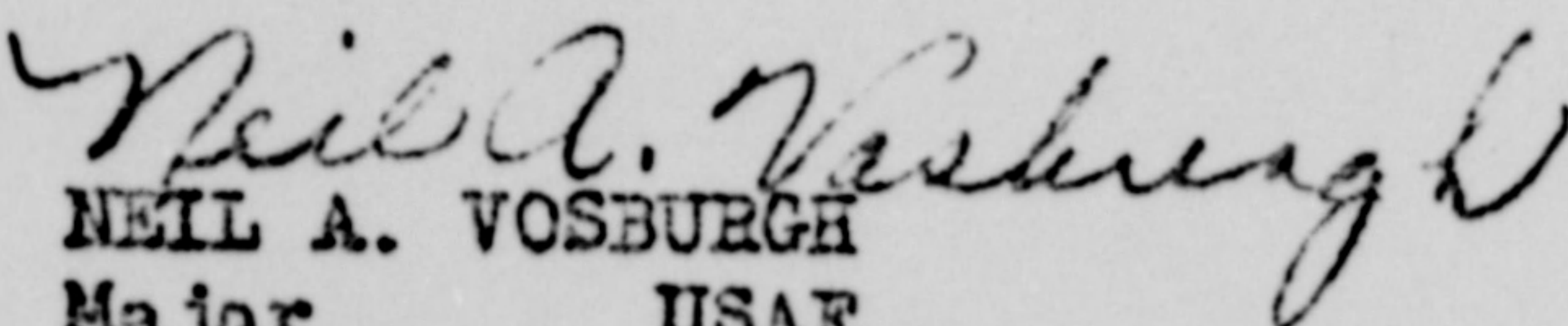

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COUNTRY United States	REPORT NO. IR-25DI-9-52	(LEAVE BLANK)
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT FLYOBREP		
AREA REPORTED ON TACOMA WASHINGTON	FROM (Agency) HQ 25th ADIV (Def)	
DATE OF REPORT 17 July 1952	DATE OF INFORMATION 160148Z JUL 52	EVALUATION F-0
PREPARED BY (Officer) NEIL A. VOSBURGH, MAJOR, USAF		SOURCE MR. [REDACTED] TACOMA WASHINGTON
REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable)		
SUMMARY: (Enter concise summary of report. Give significance in final one sentence paragraph. List inclusions at lower left. Begin text of report on AF Form 112--Part II.)		
1. Unidentified flying object reported by [REDACTED] Tacoma Civilian. 2. Description of Object: Silver glow at about 10-15,000 feet. 3. Time of Sighting: 160148Z Jul 52. 4. Location of Observance: About 20 miles Southeast of Tacoma, Washington. 5. Length of time object was observed: 20 minutes. 6. Speed of Object: Very Slow. 7. Maneuvers of Object: "Dipping". 8. Direction of observance: SE portion of sky, 45 degrees from horizon. 9. Weather conditions: Very Clear, vision unlimited. Wind: 290 degrees at 50 knots. 10. Witness to observance: Mrs. [REDACTED], wife of Reporter. 11. Occupation of Observer: Carpenter. 12. No Radar Contact in area involved.		
 NEIL A. VOSBURGH Major USAF Director of Intelligence		
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TYPE OF CASE

15/221 PST

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Large red flash seen over ammunition dump.

1. Message very brief, details not available.

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16 Jul 52
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CSAF ITEM 1 / ~~REDACTED~~
SECURITY INFORMATION

TO ATIAA-6 RUPPELT FM AFOIN-2C5 FOURNET
FOLG GIST OF MSG FM WADF RELAYED
BY PHONE TO COMMAND POST BY ADC:

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TIME 160714Z.

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