UFOB INDEX CARD

AISS-UFOB-203-55

1. DATE ~~9~~ July 1955	2. LOCATION Arlington, California	12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☑ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 09/0648Z July 1955	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian (Student)	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Four (4) Seconds	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One (1)	9. COURSE UNK

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

One (1), round, white object, the size of a silver dollar held at arms length, appeared to travel in a straight line and then fade away in the east.

11. COMMENTS

In connection with AISS-UFOB-202-55 and AISS-UFOB-204-55 this sighting is being investigated. Upon receipt of AF Form 112, the results of investigation are to be filled in on this card.

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//UNCLASSIFIED//SSS ACWS 35 -Y PD UFOB. 1. A.ROUND.B.SILVER DOLLAR C. WHITE. D. ONE. 00 N/A. F. NEGATIVE.G. NEGATIVE.H.NEGATIVE. I.NEGATIVE 2.A.NEGATIVE B.NEGATIVE.C. EAST. D. STRAIGHT LINE. E. FADE. F. 4 SECONDS 3. A. GROUND-VISAL. 4. A. 09064SZ JUL 55. B. NIGHT 5. CD-3156. 6. MR [redacted] ARLINGTON , CALIF. STUDENT. 7. CLEAR. 8. NEGATIVE. 9. NEGATIVE.10. NEGATIVE. 11. INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR ANY CONCLUSION. 1/LT JOHN E. ANDREWS, CONTROLLER. 12. NEGATIVE.

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I. SOURCE: [redacted]

Address: [redacted] Arlington, California

Age: 13 yrs.

Occupation: Student and Ground Observer.

Education: Completed seven years of grade school.

Qualifications: Member of the Ground Observer Corps.

II. RELIABILITY: Fair. At apersonal interview [redacted] appeared to be sincere and positive of the sighting that he had seen. His age, and the imagination which he exhibited during the interview, places him as a fair source.

III. SOURCE'S DESCRIPTION OF SIGHTING: Source was on duty at ground level outside of the Arlington Ground Observation Post at the time of the sighting (0906h8Z July 1955). The night was dark, clear, dry and cool with a slight breeze blowing. There was dull moonlight and many stars were out. The single object was observed for four to five seconds and appeared brighter than the background. The object seemed close but the distance could not be judged by source.

A. The object did not appear to stand still nor suddenly speed up and rush away at any time. Source did not know if the object exploded but stated that it faded out fast. It did change brightness and gave off smoke or fumes in the form of a tail or trail but did not change shape nor flicker during sighting.

B. The object appeared to be solid and did not move in front of nor behind any object at any time. Source does not wear glasses and no visual aids were used for the sighting.

C. Source was indefinite in his estimation of the objects size. It varied between the size of a half-dollar to that somewhat larger than a volley ball held in the hand at arms length. Object traveled in a downward arc from Northwest to Northeast. The arc decreased from 60^0 to 45^0 elevation above the horizon.

D. Source stated that he had seen meteors before but never at such close range. He believed this object to be a meteor.

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Inclosure #[redacted] Part Two, Report #1C-UFOB-10-55. Statement of

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I saw a bright object orangish yellow in color coming from the West and traveling to the East. It traveled across the sky in a downward arc. I observed it for 4 to 5 seconds. I believed it to be a meteor, but reported it immediately as I had never seen one that close and was not sure that it was a meteor. The tail changed in color from orange to red and then to blue.

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TRUE COPY:

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