

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 23 March 1956		2. LOCATION Goose Bay, Labrador		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 23/1039Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☒ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military		☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 60 seconds		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE east to west	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One round object blue in color, trailing heavy yellow - orange fire and sparks. Over all shape was a teardrop.				11. COMMENTS Object looked like tail fire of jet going away. Duration excessive for meteor. Case evaluated as jet a/c.	

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FM SAC CONTROL GOOSE AB LABR
TO RJEDMH/ CINC SAC OFFUTT AFB NEBR
RJEPEO/ COMAF 8 WESTIVER AFB MASS
RJEDEN/ COMADC ENT AFB COLO
RJEDWP/ COMDR AIR TECH INTELL WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OHIO
RJEPHQ/ DIR OF INTELL HQS USAF WASHINGTON D. C.
INFO RJWFFB/ COMSRW 55 FORBES AFB KAN
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// [REDACTED] /ZIPPO 03-218/M-12 AMPLIFY/72-56/8AF/55SRW/HOMERUN/

3. UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

4. PIGTAIL 13

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6. 39-50N 94-15W

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8. APPROX 4 MINUTES AFTER LEVERL OFF AT 30,500 FT ON A HEADING OF 070 DEGREES THE A/C ANNOUNCED OVER INTERPHONE AN ACFT HIGHT AT TEN O' CLOCK. WATCHED IT FOR SEVERAL SECONDS AS IT WAS APPROACHING FROM THE EAST WHEN I REALIZED IT WAS NOT AN ORDINARZ ACFT. IT APPEARED TO BE 2-3 MILES TO MY LEFT AND 2 TO 5,000 KT ABOVE. AT THIS TIME THE OBSERVER SAW IT PASS FROM HIN NINE O' CLOCK POSITION AND DISAPPEAR OUT OF HIS VISION APPROX SEVEN 9' CLOCK. PILOT AND CO-PILOT BOTH OBSERVED IT FOR APPROX SIXTY SECONDS UNTIL IT DISAPPERED BEHIND US. BOTH PILOTS ESTIMATED IT TO BE TRAVELLING AT 500-600 KNOTS. IT WAS ROUND IN SHAPE AND BRIGHT BLUE IN COLOR, IT WAS TRAILING HEAVY YELLOW-ORANGE FIRE AND SPARKS. THE OVERALL SHAPE OR SILOUETTE WAS TEARDROP AND IT WAS MOVING IN LEVEL FLIGHT. THE OBSERVER BEST COMPARED IT TO V-2 ROCKETS HE SAW DURING WW II. THE CO- PILOT TURNED IN HIS SEAT AS FAR AS POSSIBLE AND SAID IT LOOKED ALMOST LIKE LOOKING IN THE END OF A TAIL PIPE AS IT PROGRESSED AWAY FROM US.

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