

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 7 August 1956		2. LOCATION Gower, Missouri		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☒ Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 08/0325Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Redur ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Redur		☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION twenty-three minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE variable	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One large plane-shaped object. Resembling large a/c at approx 10,000 feet altitude. Color was red. Object moved w/great maneuverability and speed; flight path varied in all directions; stopped at times and speed varied. Object was observed visually for twenty-three minutes and left area of observation with tremendous burst of speed. Halo effect remained after disappearance.				11. COMMENTS On the basis that object was observed overhead for 23 minutes with erratic movements - possibly balloon. Winds not given. Disappearance and halo attributed to balloon burst.	

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(1) A. 0-445 0-3. ←

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G. CALC EFFECT REMAINED AFTER UPON LEFT.

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(2) A. } 1st & Last observation directly overhead. 23 minutes in sight. erratic movements. (Generally, elevated ya. balloon). 079

2. FLIGHT PATH VARIED IN ALL DIRECTIONS. STOPPED AT TIMES. SPEED VARIOUS.

3. LEFT WITH UNUSUAL BURST OF SPEED.

4. 23 MINUTES

(3) A. GROUND-VISUAL

5. NONE

6. N/A

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(4) A. 1325/3 AND 56 "710 XENT"

7. NIGHT ^{sighting over}

(5) LR 1137 (GEORGE) approx. 40 mi. N. of Kansas City, Mo.

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