

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 12 August 1956		2. LOCATION East Danville, Illinois		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 12/0600Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION thirty minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE westerly	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One round bright glowing object with red hue, the size of a baseball at arm's length. Object had a red light on one end and an intense beam of light glowing downward from it. Object was directly overhead, seemed to hover and then move off in a westerly direction. Object observed for period of 30 minutes.				11. COMMENTS Possible Astro body such as Mars. However, there is insufficient data for an evaluation.	

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FM COMDR/1478TH FLTSEVRON WP AFB OHIO

TO RJEDEN/CMDR/ADC ENT AFB COLO SPRINGS COLO

RJEDFL/58TH AD WP AFB OHIO

RJEDWP/CMER ATIC WP AFB OHIO

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UNCL MCLAME

B. BASEBALL

C. BRIGHT GLOWING OBJECT OF RED HUE

D. ONE

E. N/A

F. BRIGHT GLOWING OBJECT WITH A RED LIGHT IN ONE END INTENCE

BEAM OF LIGHT LIKE A SEARCH LIGHT GLOWING DOWNWARD OBJECT

2. A. BRIGHT LIGHT B. DIRECTLY OVER HEAD SEEMINGLY HOVERING

C. ALT UNKNOWN MOVING EAST TO WEST D FROM HOVERING POSITION

F. 30 MIN. 3. GROUND/VISUAL 4. A. 12/0600" B. NIGHT

EAST DANVILLE ILL. 6. CIVILLIAN, MRS [REDACTED] AGE UNKNOWN

ADDRESS EAST DANVILLE ILL HOUSEWIFE

7 A. CLEAR DARK STARS VISIBLE B. CLEAR 10 MILES VIS WINDS

SURFACE WEST AT 3K 6000FT 340/15 10,000 FT 300/15 16,000FT

290/25 C. CLEAR D. 10 MILES E. NONE F. NONE

8. NONE

9. NONE

10. NONE

11. LEE R WALDROP OPERATIONS OFFICER 1478TH FLIGHT SERVICE SQDN

WPAFB NONE

12. NONE

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*Note → 4 airports central
around this sight location
and not more than 5 miles
from 000 location
Air traffic supposed to
Lafayette adjacent to
the point.
Probably a/c
missing lights
to land.*