

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 12 February 1957		2. LOCATION Between Valley Forge and Coatsville, Penn;		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☒ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 12/1313Z		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 Civilian		☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 18 mins still in sight		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE stationary	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One oblong-shaped object the size of a pencil at arm's length. Object was seen stationary in the sky at about 5,000 feet from a moving automobile and was still in sight after 18 minutes, when the observer left the auto.				11. COMMENTS Description, duration, time of sighting indicate that this sighting was probably caused by a balloon.	

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UNCLASSIFIED/ACDODO 32. SUBJECT: UNFOB REPORT. (1) DESCRIPTION: *Does not state whether vertical or horizontal position*

(A) OB LONG CYLINDER (B) COMPARED TO SIZE OF PENCIL HELD AT ARMS LENGTH

(C) WHITE (D) ONE (E) NONE (F) NONE - POSSIBLY A BALLOON (G) NONE

(H) NONE (I) NONE (2) DESCRIPTION OF COURSE: (A) ACCIDENTLY NOTICED

(B) UNDETERMINED, ABOUT 5000 FEET (C) HAS NOT DISAPPEARED (D) STATIONARY

(E) NONE (F) 18 MINUTES (OBSERVER LEFT) (3) MANNER OF OBSERVATION: (A)

GROUND VISUAL (B) NONE (4) TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING: (A) 1313Z / 12

FEB 57 (B) DAY (5) LOCATION OF OBSERVER - ENROUTE FROM VALLEY FORGE

TO COATSVILLE PA BY AUTOMOBILE (6) IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF ALL

OBSERVERS: (A) SGT [REDACTED] - GUARD FOR LIKENS STEEL (B) NONE (7)

Location: Between Coatsville & Valley Forge?
Time: 1313 - 5 = 0813 A.M. Local Time

A little more info would have been helpful

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WEATHER & WINDS-ALOFT CONDITION AT TIME & PLACE OF SIGHTING: (A) CLEAR

(B) NONE (C) UNLIMITED (D) UNLIMITED (E) NONE (F) NONE (8) NONE

(9) NONE (10) UNDETERMINED (11) NONE (12) NONE

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Prob. Balloon

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