PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE
6 November 1957

2. LOCATION
Farmingdale, New York

3. DATE-TIME GROUP
Local
GMT 06/0600Z

4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION
- ☒ Ground-Visual
- ☐ Ground-Radar
- ☐ Air-Visual
- ☐ Air-Intercept Radar

5. PHOTOS
- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

6. SOURCE
Civilian

7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION
ten minutes (?)

8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS
one

9. COURSE
ascended

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING
White light became surrounded by flaming red. Radio went off for the time the obj was visible. Passed overhead & ascended.

11. COMMENTS
Possibly ball lightning. Possible unreliable report as suggested by Levelland sighting. Insufficient data for analysis.

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

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

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1 Witness

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Flaming Lights N.Y.

47
1
2 } 4E4
34x28

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JEDWP HØ19 WPE117 YDBØ83 TZDBWPP TMB144NYAØ36

RR RJEDWP RJEDDN RJEPHQ RJEPNB

DE RJEPNY 21

R Ø712ØØZ

FM 26 ADIV ROSLYN AFS N.Y.

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB

RJEDWP/COMDR ATIC WRIGHT PATERSON AFB

RJEPHQ/AC OF S INTEL HQ USAF WASH 25

INFO RJEPNB/COMDR EADF STEWART AFB ATTN CIC

BT

/UNCL/

(1) (A) UNK ← Shape

(B) UNK -- Size

(C) WHITE LIGHT BECAME SURROUND BY FLAMING RED

(D) ONE

(E) N/A

(F) NONE

(G) NONE

(H) NONE

(I) RADIO WENT OFF FOR THE TIME THE OBJECT WAS VISIBLE

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(2) (A) BRIGHT LIGHT

(B) 1ØØ FT FRONT OF CAR

(C) PASSED OVERHEAD AND ASCENDED

(D) UNK

(E) ACENDED OVER THE CAR

(F) P MIN

(3) (A) GROUND-VISUAL

(B) NONE

(C) N/A

(4) (A) 0600Z 6 NOV 57

(B) NIGHT

(5) (A) GOING N ON BETHPAGE PKWAY FARMINGDALE LI, N.Y.

(6) (A) MRS. [redacted] HOUSEWIFE) 33 YRS.

[redacted].

FARMINGDALE, N.Y.

(7) (A) DRIZZLE

(B) SURFACE 290 DEG 15 KT

6,000 290 DEG 14 KT

10,000 270 DEG 30 KT

YNPPP WTP DEG 48 KT

20,000 240 DEG 51 KT

30,000 250 DEG 83 KT

50,000 250 DEG 42 KT

80,000 250 DEG 10 KT

(C) E120

(D) 15 NM

(E) 10/10

(F) NONE

(8) DRIVING N ON BETHPAGE PARKWAY, OBSERVER SAW WHAT LOOKED LIKE ONE HEADLIGHT 100FT IN FRONT OF HER. FOR ABOUT 5 MIN IT REMAINED AT THE SAME DISTANCE. AS SHE WWENT UNDER THE BOUNDRY AVE. OVERPASS SIGHT OF THE OBJECT WAS LOST AND THE CAR RADIOCUT-OFF; THE OBJECT REAPPEARED 50 FT IN FRONT OF HER AND SHE SAW THE SAME LARGE LIGHT THIS TIME SURROUNDED BY A FLAMING RED MASS AS LARGE AS A CAR. FRIGHTENED, SHE PUSHED ON THE EXCELERATOR AND SPED TOWARDS THE OBJECT. WHENSHE GOT TO IT, THE OBJECT LIFTED AND PASSED OVERHEAD. THEN SHE SWUNG OFF THE HIGHWAY WHERE THE RADIO WENT ON AGAIN. A RECHECK OF THE HIGHWAY SITE BY HER HUSBAND AND HERSELF 30 MIN. LATER REVEALED NOTHING.

(9) NONE

NOTE: if a tail light is broken out, it will look similar to a headlight, especially when observed during a drizzle.

Naturaly; almost all car radios will cut-out when going under an overpass.

(10) NO AIR TRAFFIC OR GROUND TRAFFIC AT THE TIME

(11) INTELLENGENCE ORS SPEC. NONE