PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 12 November 1957	**2. LOCATION** Corona Del Mar, Calif.	**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 13/0630Z	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION** ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	**6. SOURCE** Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not reported	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** one	**9. COURSE** crossing moon

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Long black object resembling a rope crossed in front of moon from left to right. Rope tilted at 45 degree angle to the right.

11. COMMENTS

Insufficient data for analysis. Duration not reported.

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[redacted] CORONA DEL MAR, CALIF. [redacted]

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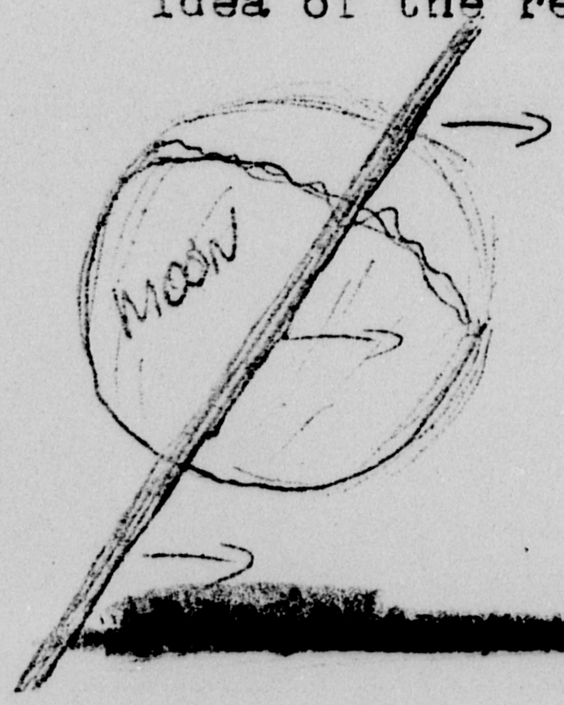
possible analysis and evaluation

Dear Sir,

Please refer this letter to the proper department, concerning inquiry into reports of UFO.

All pertinent information is in the story enclosed, in this week's issue of [redacted] newspaper, and written by [redacted] I class myself as a serious, observing newspaperman, not given to hysteria or illusions. Age [redacted], good health, good eyesight. Perhaps you have a perfectly normal and logical explanation of what I saw at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12. If so, would you please inform me.

The sketch below will give you an idea of the relative size of the object., and direction of motion.



There were no clouds nearby. The object was very clearly defined, not fuzzy, and almost perfectly straight. It's about a half moon.

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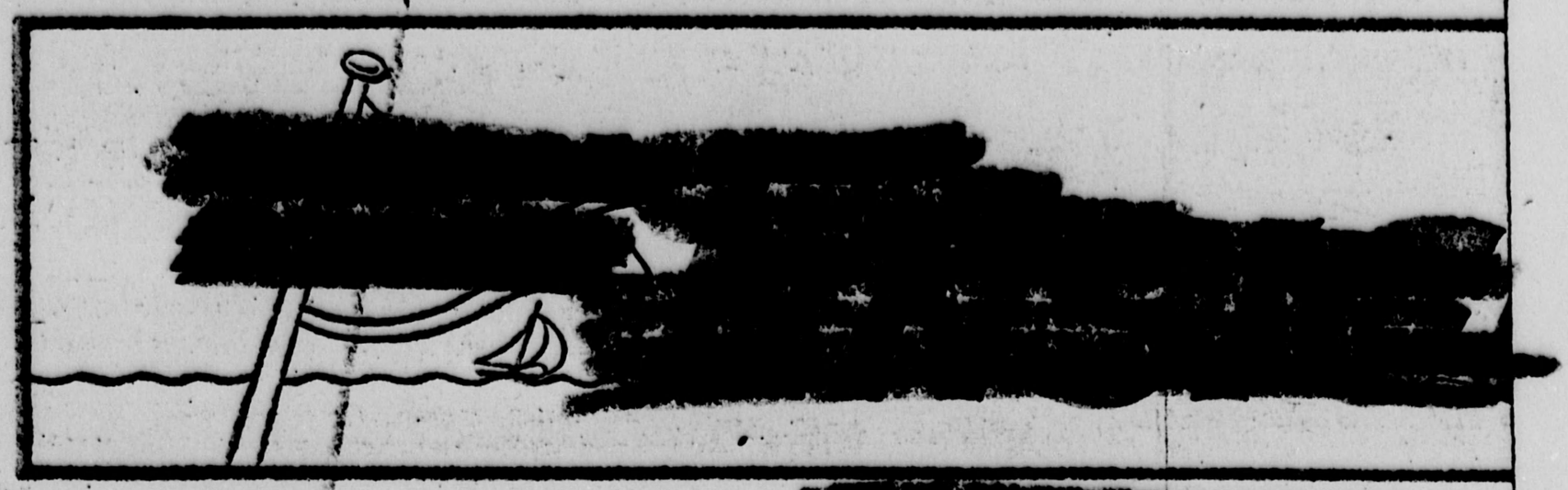

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WHATZIT THIS TIME?

MEBBE THOSE RUSSIANS JUST MISSED THE MOON

No Sputnik this time, I hope. But it's sure a Whatzit!

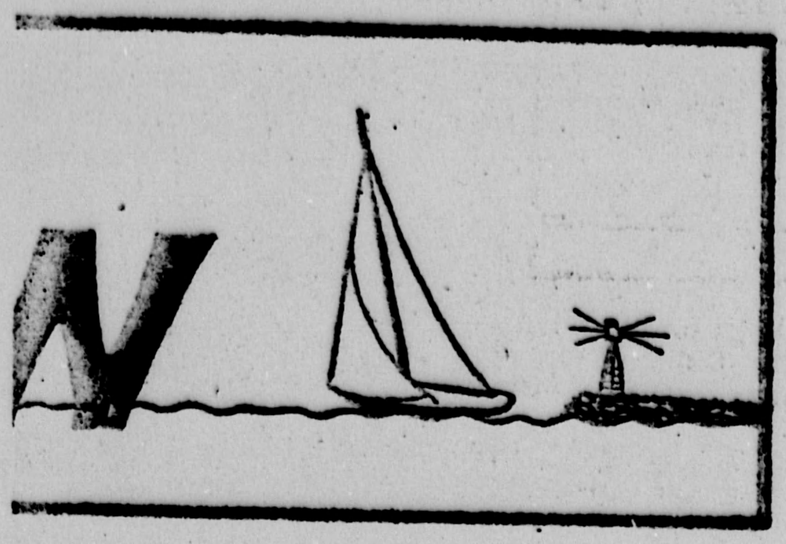
This eerie mystery object was sighted at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, while [redacted] was driving home from the Newport City Council meeting. I was driving almost due east, crossing the Upper Bay bridge toward Corona del Mar, and I glanced at the moon, which was low in the sky and just a little to the left of my direction of travel.

A long, narrow, black object, resembling a huge rope, or a finger of a tornado, passed across the face of the moon from left to right. It was several diameters of the moon in length, and inclined about 45 degrees to the right. It seemed to drift slowly without wavering, and it gradually disappeared in the darkness beyond the immediate light of the moon.

By then I had stopped the car, just on the easterly end of the bridge, and I was looking at the object through the open car door. My first impulse had been to brush at my eyes, then to check the windshield for some object. It was no optical illusion, no twig or branch of a tree or a telephone or power line. It was definitely something far away up there in the sky, drifting past the moon in a southerly direction.

I took care to check the time on the car clock, made note of the fact that I was wide awake and cold sober. Only possible aberration could come from an affliction known as "councilitis," which may result from some 6 hours of listening to city government at work.

That's the story. You name it.



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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1957

games, seen from seats in the comfort of the air conditioned communications center. Met a lot of old timers, reminisced on the "good old days" of Joes, the Orient, Larry Dams, et cetera for into the night. These 3 were upper class saloons—upper classmen only. The Michigan Union has removed the doorman who politely but firmly requested coeds to use the side entrance. The old school was a man's school, in the minds of the male students, at least.

The women have now taken over. The Pretzel Bell, a downtown beer garden, is over-run with co-eds. I got the distinct impression that the new order is all to the good.

I got back with the impression that people are wonderful. I enjoyed the whole trip, but I'm like nearly everyone else who leaves Corona del Mar. I'm glad to be back. I am sure I'm a lot gladder than you are to know I'm back. I'm going to start right in by reminding you of your civic duty in not only keeping our village the way it is, but fighting for it at the polls, where you are Mr. and Mrs. America every 2 years.

Are you sure that you are a registered voter? Have you received a notice of cancellation for not voting in last June's primary or in last November's general election? Have you recently moved to California? Have you moved to Newport Beach from another city in California?

To be eligible you must be in the state one year and in the city 3 months before the election. The city councilmanic election will be April 8, 1958.

You can register at City Hall or County Courthouse during of-

There were no upsets in Big 10 Saturday in spite of the newspaper headlines. The Illinois game has proven to be a jinx for Michigan. Over a period of years, Michigan has won but games from the Illini.

Saturday's loss definitely kills Michigan's Rose Bowl hopes. Remember my prediction after the Michigan-USC game? "No Rose Bowl this season."

There are 2 Big 10 teams left in the race, Ohio State, with a 5-0 record and 2 to play, and Michigan State, 4-1, with one to play. Ohio State can come by winning just one more game. Michigan State's only hope is to have OSU lose to both Iowa and Michigan. It could happen!

On the coast, the experts have already picked Oregon, counting on that team losing no more than one of her 2 remaining games, with SC and Oregon State. Oregon then will be the logical choice on seniority, even if the only other contender, Stanford, wins both remaining games, Oregon State and Cal.

Now if I've got you confused completely, I suggest you just wait for 2 weeks and you will get it all straight from the second guessers.

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