

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 8 December 1963		2. LOCATION Bremerton, Washington		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical Meteor ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 09/0211Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10-15 seconds		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE West		
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round object, size of baseball with yellow glow. Object moved from 45 dgr in East to 80 dgr in west. Obsvation of object beyond and above hill near GOC post. 800'.			11. COMMENTS Probable meteor sighting.		

8 9/0417 DEC 57

1 Witness

Bremerton Wash.

Called at

17

9 DEC 57

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0630 '57

0639Z

RA 013

SQE015 YDA003 XYA046 XDC010DMA015

OO RJEDDN RJEDSQ RJEPHQ

DE RJWPDM 5A

O 090211Z

FM COC 25TH CADD

TO RJEDDN/COMDR NORAD

RJEDSQ/COMDR AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB

RJEPHQ/COMDR DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE HEADQUARTERS USAF WASH 25 DC

ZEN/COMDR 25TH CADD

BT

/UNCLAS/ TAC L-36 ATTN D/I

I

II

1. ROUND

2. BASEBALL

3. YELLOW GLOW

4. ONE

5. HNEG

6. NEG

7. NEG

8. NEG

9. NEG

• YELLOW GLOW

2. 45 DEGREES

3. 080 DEGREES

4. EAST TOWEST

5. BEHIND HILL

6. 10-15 SECONDS

IN WHAT
direction

III

IV

1. VISUAL-GROUND

2. NONE

3. NONE

1. 09/0211Z 0711-8-1811

WM DARK

V OBSERVATORY POST IN BERMINGTON, WASH 4 MILES

Bremerton

OBJECT

BALLOON (?)

RADCLIFF
ACKNOWLEDGED



1)
2) 4E4
3)
4-4X2a
RHO

Balloon
released
at 1800+

APPEARED ABOUT 500FT UP IN THE SKY OVER
THE TOP OF THE HILL WHICH WAS ABOUT 800FT HIGH.

VI 1

2. N/A

VIII. NONE

2. SURFACE ^{ESE} 120 DEGREES ^{SW} 5 KNOTS 6000 FT 230 DEGREES 34 KNOTS

3. 4000 SCTD HIGH SCTD

4. 15

5. 1/10 LOW CLOUDS

6. NONE

VIII NONE KNOWN

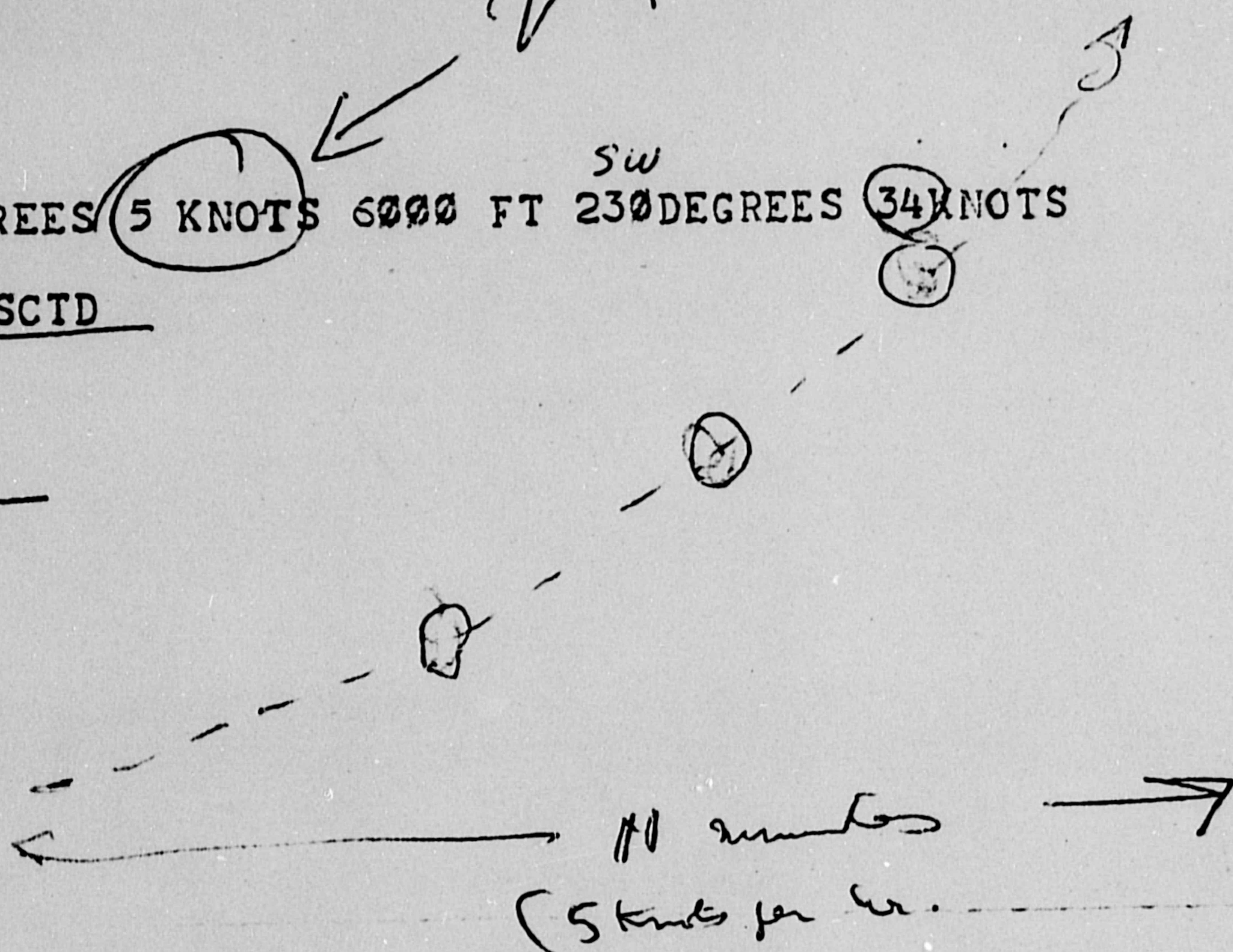
IX NONE

X NONE

BT

09/0534Z DEC RJWPDM

Note slow wind speed



ATTC Comments:

U.S. WX schedules show balloon released just a few minutes prior to sighting i.e. (1800 released; sighted at 1811) Note slow wind velocity (5K).

As has been proven many times - Sun's rays off splendent surface of balloons give red, orange & yellow glare effect.

Ballon

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