PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 23-24 May 58	**2. LOCATION** National City Airport, 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 0245 GMT 23/1045Z 24/1030Z	**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 mins	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** one	**9. COURSE** Circling

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

23) a rnd silver white obj was seen c circling w/verticle movements in the SW.
24) a red, orange, & white obj, oval in shape, was seen circling in the WSW area.

11. COMMENTS

The maneuvers rptd rule out a balloon. It is possible the obj could be an a/c circling for a landing; however, the obj disappeared in the same spot as it was first seghted. It could also be a searchlight shining on a cloud, The amount of cloud cover was omitted however. There is no size given. Cannot properly evaluate without the size & cloud cover.

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

5212 . Ifd . 24/1452 at

[redacted]

INSUFF INFO

RAD92

MAY 24 14 23 MAY 50 00 06

SQC611 YDD954 XYA676 XDA596ZCZCYJBA063

FP RJEDDN RJEDSQ RJEFHQ

DE RJWPJB 4G

F 240700Z

FM COMDR 751ST ACWRON

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC

RJWPJB/COMDR 27TH ADIV

RREDSQ/COMDR AIR TECHNICAL INTEL CENTER

RJEPHQ/COMDR DIR OF INTELL HQDS USAF

BT

751ST OPS TAC 463-C PD

1. A. ROUND PD

B. UNK PD ← size?

C. SILVER WHITE PD

D. ONE PD

E. NONE PD

F. NONE PD

G. NONE PD

H. NONE PD

I. NONE PD

1-
2-
3- 5 4E4
4- 4 X 2a

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B. 45DEGREES 240DEGREES (SW) } APPARENTLY NO MOVEMENT

C. 45DEGREES/240DEGREES (SW)

D. CIRCLING AND VERTICAL MOVEMENT PD

DISAPPEARED FROM SIGHT PD

E.($8-WA3-435 !49. 8&5 US

F. 10 MINUTES PD

3. A. GROUND VISUAL PD

B. NONE PD

C.; N/A

4. A. 23/1045 1045-8=0245

B. NIGHT PD

5. NATIONAL CITY AIRPORT - Calif. PD

6. A. CIVILIAN [redacted]

DETECTIVE AGENCY, [redacted] NATIONAL CITY

RELIABILITY: GOOD PD

7. A. CLEAR PD

B. LGT/VAR.

220/6 SW

220/15 SW

220/30 SW

220/40 SW

230/55 SW

240/40

070/5

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C. UNLIMITED PD

D. 15PLUS PD ITEM "E" OMITTED - AMOUNT OF cloud cover?

F. NONE PD

8. NONE PD

9. ADDC CHECKED OTHER RADAR UNITS IN AREA NEG. RESULTS PD

10. NONE PD

NNN

Multi

24/1030Z

Poss A/C

26 MAY 53 14 52

1-3
2-5
4 EM

3-4 Yrs
Tue 27

1020 SQC799 YDB062 XYD289 XDA655ZCZCYJBA061

PP RJEDDN RJEDSQ RJEPHQ

DE RJWPJB 6G

P 261545Z

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11. 1/LT. SIDNEY M. DUNITZ

12. NONE PD

NOTE: Nothing Picked up on Radar

REMARCS:; THIS INFORMATION WAS PASSED BY (RD) AT LINDBERGH TOWER AT 1115Z PD

BT

24/0849Z MAY RJWPJB

The sighting has all the characteristics of a searchlight beam shinning off on broken clouds at different altitudes. However, the cloud cover is not given, therefore cannot conclude.

[redacted] INSUFF INFO

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NNNN

RJEPHQ/COMDR DIR OF INTELL HQDS USAF

BT

UNCLAS 751ST OPS TAC 481-C PD

1 ~~A~~ VAL PD

B PEA PD

C FIRE RED CMM ORANGE CMM WHITE PD

D ONE PD

E ONE PD

F N/A

G NONE PD

H NONE PD

I OBJECT CIRCLED AT RANDOM PD

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The ~~page~~ previous sighting doesn't have the descriptions of this one!

2 SAW SAME THING LAST NIGHT AND WAS WATCHING FOR IT PD

NOTE: (NOT SAME object)

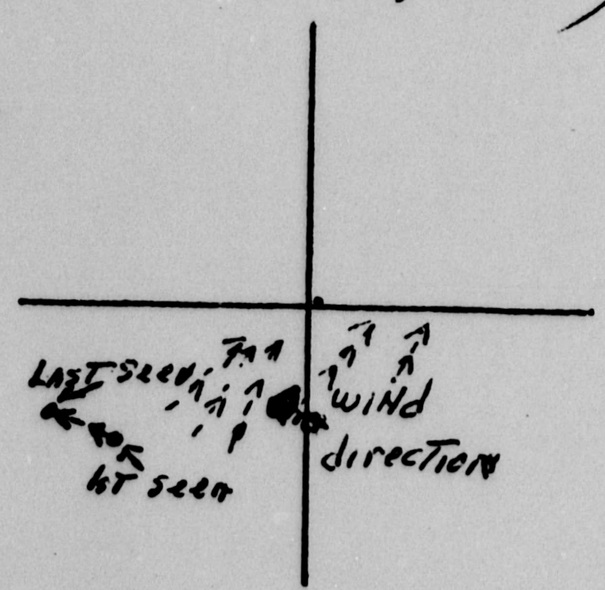
B 020 DEG AT 240 WSW PD

C 005 DEG AT 250 WSW PD

D RANDOM MOVEMENTS AND LEFT INTO THE WEST PD

E FADE PD

F EST. 20 MINUTES PD



3 A GROUND VISUAL PD

B NONE PD

C N/A

4 A 24/1030Z PD 1030 − 8 = 0230

B UNKNOWN PD

5 A 11DEGS WEST 20DEGS NORTH (NATIONAL CITY AIRPORT) PD

6 CIVILIAN-PATROLMAN CMM LEONARD E. WADE, (AGE 25) AND [redacted]

(AGE 21) EMPLOYED BY THE CRAWFORD DETECTIVE AGENCY PD

Ü A GOOD CLEAR PD

B N 35Ø	11K	SSW 21Ø	34K
SW 22Ø	23K	MISSING	
SSW 2ØØ	28K	MISSING	
SSW 2ØØ	39K	MISSING	

C NONE PD

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D 12 MILES PDO

E CLEAR PD

F NONE PD

8 NONE PD

9 NONE AT THIS TIME PF

1Ø NONE PD

11 WILLIAM E. HAGGETT, 2/LT USAF PD

12 NONE PD

BT

26/1838Z MAY RJWPJB

1. Object was circling.
2. disappeared into the west.
3. the wind was from SW.

The above rules out a balloon. However, it is possible an acft from one of the several airports in the vicinity was circling for a landing. (NOTE the elevation). Aero chart #404 indicates 3 major airports west of the sources location.

POSS A/C