PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 17 August 1958	**2. LOCATION** Warren, Michigan	**12. CONCLUSIONS** ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other UNIDENTIFIED ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☒ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local GMT 18/0005Z	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION** ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar Binoculars 8X30 ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	**6. SOURCE** Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 6-10 minutes	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** one	**9. COURSE** WSW

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Ball shaped obj, then saucer shaped. Sice of pea or smaller, white. Extremely bright. Gave impression of huge size. Motionless for first 5 mins, then moved NNE, flipped over & sped toward WSW where it disappeared.

11. COMMENTS

Unidentified.

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UNCLAS FROM DO 8-189. SUBJ: UFO REPORT

A. (1) INITIAL APPEARANCE: BRIGHT METALLIC CIRCULAR OBJECT (2) SIZE OF PIN AT FIRST APPEARAFCE. FOCUSED BY 8X30 FIELD GLASSES REVEALED LARGE CIRCULAR GRAY-WHITE OBJECT WHICH HAD A CENTERED CIRCULAR OBJECT AND WAS CIRCULARIZED BY ANOTHER RING OBJECT SOME DISTANCE FROM THE CENTERED OBJECT. AT ARMS LENGTH, WITH THE NAKED EYE, THE OBJECT APPEARED TO BE THE SIZE OF A DIME. (3) GRAY OPAQUE THROUGH THE FIELD GLASSES, EXTREMELY BRIGHT WITH THE NAKED EYE. (4) ONE (5) THE OBJECT WAS INACTIVE FOR APPROXIMATELY SEVEN TO EIGHT MINUTES, THEN BECAME ACTIVE.

(6) THE DISTINGUISHABLE CIRCULAR RING SURROUNDING THE CENTER OBJECT WHICH WAS LIKEWISE CIRCULAR, HOWEVER, A BRIEF VIEW IN ITS FINAL STAGE OF MOVEMENT REVEALED AN ELONGATED RIMMED OBJECT WHICH WAS BUBBLED IN THE CENTER. NO VISIBLE EXHAUST MOTION OF SUCH, OR ANY DISCERNABLE CONTRIVANCE IN MOTION NEAR THE OBJECT. (7) SEE ABOVR. (8) NO SOUND (9) AS MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY, THE CIRCULAR OBJECT (THIN) ENCIRCLING THE CENTER OBJECT. (B) (1) THE APPEARANCE OF FOUR AIRCRAFT IN FLIGHT AT AN EXTREME ALTITUDE, PROGRESSING NORTH. THE OBJECT APPEARED, OR WAS NOTICED TO BE AS AN INTENSE BRIGHT STAR, EVEN AT THE HOUR OF 190T HRS. (2) WEST BY NORTHWEST. IT APPEARED INANIMATED AT ABOUT 75 DEGREES FROM THE SURFACE OF THE EART FROM OUR POSITION AND ABOUT 30 DEGREES FROM A DIRECT WEST HEADING. (3) OBJECT MOTIVATED FROM THIS TRANSFIXED POSITION AND ROTATED TO A SLIGHT TWO O'CLOCK POSITION; ARCHED AROUND DOWN TO AN EIGHT O'CLOCK POSITION. IT WAS AT THAT PRECISE POSITION THAT THE OBJECT REVEALED A TRUE END VIEW, ELONGATED AND BUBBLED CENTRALLY. THE OBJECT THEN RIGHTED ITSELF SLIGHTLY AND VANISHED OUT OF SIGHT.(4) IN ALL PHASES OF MOVEMENT, IT APPEARED TO MOVE ALMOST DIRECTLY OUTWARD. (5) THE OBJECT DISAPPEARED AS MENTIONED ABOVE. (6) JUDGING FROM THE VIEW OF THE GLASSES IT WAS

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ABOUT 60 FEET IN DIAMETER. IT WAS VISIBLE APPROXIMATELY TEN MINUTES, HOWEVER, IT COULD HAVE BEEN THERE LONGER. (C) (1) GROUND VISUAL (2) 8 X 30 FIELD. THESE ARE MILITARY TYPE JAPAFESE FIELD GLASSES WITH METRIC READINGS ON ONE GLASS TO AID ARTILLERY SPOTTING. (3) N/A. (D) (1) 0005 TO 0015Z (2) IT WAS DAYLIGHT, GOOD VISIBILITY. (E) 29150 CUNNINGHAM, WARREN, MICH. LOCATED GETWEEN EIGHT MILE AND NINE MILE ROADS AND RUNNING PARALLEL TO RYAN ROAD. (F) (1) CIVILIAN, MR. [redacted] WARREN, MICHIGAN. PHONE: [redacted] OCCUPATION: BUSINESS MACHINE REPAIR AND SALES AND ADVERTISING. (G) (1) UNKNOWN (2) WIND VELOCITY UNKNOWN, VERY LITTLE (3) UNKNOWN (4) CLEAR (5) UNKNOWN (H) NONE, MILD TEMPERATURE (I) NONE (J) ALTITUDE ESTIMATED AT APPROXIMATELY 200 TO 500 MILES. FOUR AIRCRAFT NEARBY IN FLIGHT ESTIMATED TO BE AT ABOUT TWO AND ONE-HALF MILES. (K) NO COMMENT (L) NO PHOTOS.

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EGG IN PAN, WITH BLISTER ON DISK.

(7) DEFINITELY NO TRAIL NOR EXHAUST VISIBLE

(8) NO SOUND

(9) EXTREMELY BRIGHT-BRIGHTER THAN VENUS OR OTHER STARS. GAVE IMPRESSION OF HUGE SIZE AT EXTREME RANGE- SAY 6ØØ MI. ESTIMATE.

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

(1) ATTENTION CALLED BY OTHER A/C IN AREA, PLUS BRIGHT LIGHT.

(2) 7Ø DEG. ELEVATION (ESTIMATE) AND 3ØØ DEG. AZIMUTH (ESTIMATE) WNW

(3) APPROZIMATELY SAME.

(4) MOTIONLESS FOR FULL FIRST FIVE MINUTES, THEN MOVED TOWARDS 2 O'CLOCK NW AND AWAY, FLIPPED OVER, AND SPED TOWARD 8 O'CLOCK, WHERE IT DISAPPEARD WITHIN 3Ø SECONDS. NNE WSW

(5) OBJECT FADED VERY RAPIDLY, WITHOUT NOTICEABLE DIMINISHMENT IN SIZE, VAPORIZED.

(6) 6 MINUTES

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

(1) GROUND-VISUAL

(2) FIELD GLASSES, JAPANESE METRIC INDICES 8X 3Ø

D. TIME AND DATE

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(2) TOWARD DUST 1 HR (ONE) PRIOR TO SUNSET

located approx 7 miles N. of Detroit.

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS, AT WARREN, MICH., 83 DEG. W-42DEG 3Ø,

F. (1) [redacted] AGE 3Ø. [redacted] WARREN MICH

CENTERLINE [redacted] OCCUPATION-TYPEWRITER MECHANIC

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G. (1) CLOUDLESS

(2) WINDS 330 NNW DEG. TO 35 KNOTS

(3) Ø

(4) 15 PLUS

(5) NONE

(6) NONE

H. NONE

I. NONE

J. 4 A/C 2 ENGAGED IN FORMATION, FLYING DIRECTLY NORTH (LIKE B-25S AT 15 M) PASSED BETWEEN OBLERVERS AND UFO. APPARENTLY

K. SENIOR DIRECTOR 661ST AC&W. OBSERVER EXTREMELY IMPRESSED BY THUS OBJECT.

L. NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE.

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/UNCLASSIFIED/OPNS 2558. UFOB IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2 DATED 5 FEB 58 THE FOLLOWING REPORT IS HEREBY SUBMITTED:

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

(1) BALL SHAPED AT FIRST-THEN SAUCER SHAPED

(2) SIZE-PEA OR A LITTLE SMALLER a pea is approx. 1/4" diameter. with the binoculars used, the object would appear to the naked eye 1/8th of 1/4", or 1/32". This is so small, it is doubtful it could be seen with the naked eye.

(3) WHITE

(4) ONE

(5) N/A

(6) WHEN ROUND APPEARED LIKE SATURN, WITH CENTER AND RING BRIGHTER THAN BAND BETWEEN. WHEN MANEUVERING APPEARED SHAPED LIKE FRIED

The observer is giving a lot of details of the outline for the object to be so small. "a pea or smaller".

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3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local_____ GMT 17/0245Z	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 South

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Rnd, bluish-white obj, approx the diameter of a pencil. Obj blinked near the rate of once per second, brightening. Had a halo twice its size. Traveled on a straight path South.

11. COMMENTS

Possibly an a/c.

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SUBJECT: UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS. REPORT IS DOWNGRADED TO

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//S E C R E T// SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS (UFO) PARA A. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT 1. SHAPE-ROUND 2. SIZE-APPROXIMATELY THE DIAMETER OF A PENCIL 3. COLOR-BLUISH-WHITE 4. NUMBER 1 5. FORMATION-N/A 6. FEATURES-OBJECT BLINKED AT OR NEAR THE RATE OF ONCE PER SECOND, BRIGHTENING A HALO TWICE ITS SIZE 7. TAIL, TRAIL, OR EXHUST-NONE 8. SOUND-NONE 9. OTHER MEASURES-NONE PARA B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT 1. ROUTINE OBSERVATION 2. ABOUT 30 DEGREES (IN THE CONSTLLLATION SWAN) AZ. SE 3. ABOUT 75 DEGREES 4. STRAIGHT SOUTH 5. OVER SOUTH HORIZION (BUILDING) 6. APPROXIMATELY 10 MIN C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION. 1. GROUND VISUAL 2. NO OPTICAL AIDS 3. N/A PARA D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING. 1. 0245Z 17 AUGUST 58. 2. NIGHT PARA E. LOCATION OF SIGHTING: DETROIT (LOTHROP AT GRAND RIVER) PARA F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER: [redacted] 61 [redacted] DETROIT 6 MICHIGAN

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OCCUPATION GM ENGINEER PARA G. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT 1. CLEAR 2. 'INDS ALOFT AT 20,000 FT 280/50 30,000 FT 280/60 3. CLEAR 4. 15 MILES 5. NONE. 6. NONE 7. BLANK PARA H. NOT TO OUR KNOWLEDGE PARA I. NONE PARA J. NONE PARA K. COMMENTS. PARA 1. FROM THE DESCRIPTION RECEIVED OF THE OBJECT AND ITS ACTIONS, IT WOULD APPEAR TO BE AN AIRCRAFT FLYING IN A STRAIGHT AND LEVEL FLIGHT PATH WITH A BROKEN OR MISSING TAIL LIGHT LENS. PARA 2. NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE.
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