# PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 25 SEP 52)

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/UNCLAS/FROM DP 4724 X SUBJECT: UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT, THE FOLLOWING REPORT IS SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARA 15, AFR 200-2: WRIGHT-PATTERSON ATTN: ATIC, HU USAF ATTN: AFCIN, SECT OF THE AF ATTN: SAFIS.

A. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECTS:

- (1) SHAPE BRIGHT LIGHT, STAR SHAPE
- (2) SIZE HALF DOLLAR
- (3) COLOR WHITE AND RED.
- (4) NUMBER 4
- (5) FORMATION 2 AS A PAIR, 2 OTHERS
  SCATTERED

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- (6) DETAILS NONE DISTINGUISHED.
- (7) RED COLOR APPEARED AS A TAIL OR EXHAUST APPEARED AND DISAPPEARED, ALTERNATELY :
- (8) NO SOUND.
- (9) NO OTHER FEATURES.
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECTS' COURSE:
  - (1) BRIGHT LIGHT.
  - (2) DIRECTLY OVERHEAD
  - (3) VEERED 45 DEGREES SOUTH DISAPPEARING IN POSITION WITH DAYLIGHT.
  - (4) STATIONARY DURING PERIOD OBSERVED, EXCEPT FOR ONE DIRECT MOVEMENT SOUTH.
  - (5) DISAPPEARED IN POSITION AT DAYLIGHT.
  - (6) 30 MINUTES.

#### C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

- (1) GROUND VISUAL.
- (2) NO OPTICAL AIDS USED
- (3) SIGHTED FROM GROUND.
- D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:
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(2) NIGHT TO DAWN.

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS:

WARSAW, NEW YORK - 42 DEGREES, 40 MINUTES NORTH,
78 DEGREES 09 MINUTES WEST.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER:

WARSAW, NEW YORK.

RACE-HORSE TRAINER - RELIABLE.

(2) MILITARY - NONE.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS:

- (1) SCATTERED CLOUDS.
- (2) FROM DETACHMENT 5, 12TH WEATHER SQUADRON, NIAGARA FALLS MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.

SURFACE CALM 34 DEGREES FAHRENHEIO
6,000 FEET 300 DEGREES/10 KNOTS 31 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT
10,000 FEET 300 DEGREES/30 KNOTS 26 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT
16,000 FEET 290 DEGREES/50 KNOTS 5 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT
20,000 FEET 290 DEGREES/50KNOTS 10 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT
30,000 FEET 290 DEGREES/70 KNOTS 50 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT
50,000 FEET 290 DEGREES/65 KNOTS 76 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT
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80,000 FEET 290 DEGREES/40 KNOTS 65 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT (APPROXIMATELY)

(3) CEILING - FROM 0520 - 0540 EAST 3500'.

NO CEILING DURING REST OF PERIOD.

- (4) VISIBILITY 7 MILES.
- (5) SCATTERED TO BROKEN.
- (6) NO THUNDERSTORMS
- (7) SEE G(2) ABOVE.

ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIIONS WERE SUCH AS TO CAUSE A SUPERIOR MIRAGE. UPPER AIR SOUNDINGS AT 0700 EAST REVEALED A SHARP TEMPERATURE INVERSION OCCURRED AT THE 4000 FEET LEVEL.

I. NO ACTION TAKEN SINCE SKIES WERE CLEAR AND NO EVIDENCE WAS AVAILABLE AT TIME REPORT WAS RECEIVED AT 1000 HOURS EASTERN DAYLIGHT TIME.

J. 15TH FIGHTER GROUP, NIAGARA FALLS MUNICIPAL AIRPORT AND BUFFALO MUNICIPAL AIRPORT REPORT NO SCHEDULED FLIGHTS IN AREA AT STATED TIME.

K. PREPARING OFFICER: DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL AND ACTION INFORMATION OFFICER, 15TH FIGHTER GROUP, Page 4 of 5

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NIAGARA FALLS MUNICIPAL AIRPORT. FROM
DISCUSSION WITH THE INDIVIDUAL REPORTING THE
INCIDENT AND COMMENTS OF THE LOCAL WEATHER
SERVICE PERSONNEL THE SIGHTING IS ATTRIBUTED
TO METEOROLOGICAL AND ATMOSPHERIC CAUSES.
L. NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE EXISTS.

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