

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 5 Oct 60		2. LOCATION Point Lookout, Long Island, New York		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 2100 GMT 06/0200Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Not given		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE NE-SW-NE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Bright, white object appeared to pass near moon, which was full. At time of sighting and while object was near moon, a reddish vapor trail could be seen. As it passed over Point Lookout, it turned to SE; then made wide sweeping turn to right and eventually passed out of sight going back towards the moon in a NE direction. No noise heard.				11. COMMENTS Although description of the object could well be that of a high flying a/c, information contained in this report is insufficient to allow for a positive conclusion.	

HEADQUARTERS
CONTINENTAL AIR COMMAND
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
MITCHEL AIR FORCE BASE, NEW YORK

REPLY TO
ATTN OF: OIN

SUBJECT: Unidentified Flying Object

9 NOV 1960

TO: Hq USAF (AFCIN) *CIN-3* ATIC, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio

1. On or about 5 October 1960 at 2100 hours, T/Sgt [REDACTED], 2500 Air Base Wing, Mitchel Air Force Base, New York, with duty as chauffeur for Lt. General William E. Hall, Commander, CONAC, sighted an unidentified flying object.
2. The sergeant and his son were fishing on the beach at Point Lookout, Long Island, New York (located 4 miles east of Long Beach), when they sighted a bright object appear high in the sky moving from northeast to southwest. On first sighting, the object appeared to pass near the moon, which was full. At the time of initial sighting and while the object was near the moon, a reddish vapor trail could be seen. During this time the object resembled a falling star. As it passed over Point Lookout, it turned to the southeast and then made a wide sweeping turn to the right and eventually passed out of sight going back towards the moon in a northeasterly direction. During the turn, the object appeared only as a bright, very fast moving star with no indications of a tail or vapor trail being present. The turn was wide, extending almost to the southwest and western horizons before going again towards the northeast.
3. The observer said the object appeared to be very high and moving faster than any airplane that he had ever seen. There was no noise. The object was visible only as a continuous white light.
4. The only other known observer was Sgt. [REDACTED] young son who was with him at the time of the sighting.

5. Sgt. [REDACTED] had forgotten about the incident but was reminded of it during a conversation with General Hall who recommended that he report it.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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