PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 7 Jul 62	**2. LOCATION** Hanscomb ~~Hanscom~~ Field, Mass.	**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 _____ GMT 08/0320Z	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION** ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	**6. SOURCE** Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 mins	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** four	**9. COURSE** North

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Four rnd red objs appeared to be following each other as red spperes in a line, moving parallel to the line. No sound, tail, trail or exhaust. Obj appeared 15dgr elev to the East of obsvrs position.

11. COMMENTS

Evaluated as a/c sighting. Speed as indicated by duration and flight characteristics consistent w/a/c performance.

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REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS	Date 8 JUL 62

.e word "negative" in reply to any numbered item of the following report format will indicate that all logical leads were veloped without success. The phrase "not applicable" (N/A) will indicate that the question does not apply to the sighting being investigated.

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF OBSERVER(S)

Civilian *(Name, age, mailing address, occupation)*

Military *(Name, grade, organization, duty, and estimate of reliability)*

[redacted], S.SGT DET 6 4TH WEATHER SQ, WEATHER OBSERVER

LOCATION OF OBSERVER(S)

Exact latitude and longitude of each observer, or Georef position, or position with reference to a known landmark

APPROXIMATELY 42° 35' N, 71° 30' W ON ROUTE 3, TRAVELING SOUTH

TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

Zulu time-date group of sighting	Light conditions *(use one of the following terms: Night, day, dawn, dusk)*
08/0330 Z	NIGHT

DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT(S)

Size compared to a known object *(use one of the following terms: Head of a pin, pea, dime, nickel, quarter, half dollar, silver dollar, baseball, grapefruit, or basketball)* held in the hand at about arms length

HALF DOLLAR

Shape	Color	Number	Formation, if more than one
ROUND	RED	4	ONE FOLLOWING THE OTHER

Any discernible features or details

APPEARED JUST AS RED SPHERES IN A LINE, MOVING PARALLEL TO THE LINE

Tail, trail, or exhaust, including size of same compared to size of object(s)

NONE

Sound, if heard, describe sound

NONE

Other pertinent or unusual features

NONE

DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT(S)

What first called the attention of observer(s) to the object(s)?

WAS DRIVING SOUTH ON ROUTE 3 TOWARD HANSCOM FLD, AND DUTY AS A WEATHER OBSERVER. WAS SCANNING THE SKY TO DETERMINE CLOUD TYPE & HEIGHTS, WHEN I NOTICED THE OBJECTS.

Angle of elevation and azimuth of the object(s) when first observed

ELEVATION 45°, TO THE EAST OF MY POSITION

Angle of elevation and azimuth of the object(s) upon disappearance

cription of flight path and maneuvers of object(s)

COULD NOT ESTIMATE ANY FLIGHT PATH OR MANEUVERS AS I WAS DRIVING AT THE TIME, HOWEVER THEY APPEARED TO BE MOVING NORTH, ONE FOLLOWING THE OTHER

Manner of disappearance of object(s)

DIDN'T ACTUALLY SEE THEM DISAPPEAR AS I WAS DRIVING AT THE TIME

Length of time in sight

ABOUT 2 MINUTES

MANNER OF OBSERVATION

Use one or any combination of the following items: Ground-visual, ground-electronic, air-electronic. *(If electronic, specify type of radar)*

Statement as to optical aids *(telescopes, binoculars, and so forth)* **used and description thereof**

NAKED EYE

If the sighting is made while airborne, give type aircraft, identification number, altitude, heading, speed, and home station.

WEATHER AND WINDS-ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTINGS

Observer(s) account of weather conditions

CCD 1 (2255E) 10 15+ 59/52 CALM 29.49

Report from nearest AWS or U. S. Weather Bureau Office of wind direction and velocity in degrees and knots at surface

CCD 2000/E - CALM

6,000′	[illegible]	30,000′	[illegible]
10,000′	[illegible]	50,000′	[illegible]
16,000′	[illegible]	80,000′	[illegible]
20,000′	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Ceiling

NONE

Visibility

15+ miles

Amount of cloud cover

0/10

Thunderstorms in area and quadrant in which located

NONE

Any other unusual activity or condition, meteorological, astronomical, or otherwise, which might account for the sighting

Interception or identification action taken *(such action may be taken whenever feasible, complying with existing air defense directives)*

Location of any air traffic in the area at time of sighting

Position title and comments of the preparing officer, including his preliminary analysis of the possible cause of the sighting(s)

Existence of physical evidence, such as materials and photographs

NONE