

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 7 February 1963		2. LOCATION Gibson City, Illinois		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 07/1215Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 15 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE stationary	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round red object like lightbulb in sight at 05 dgr elevation. Direction not reported. Sighting near new microwave relay station. Visibility 4 mi in haze. WX overcast. Object noticed while driving to work.				11. COMMENTS Believed to be light on microwave relay tower by investigating officer.	
12. CONCLUSIONS ☒ Other <u>Light on tower</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown					

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1215Z
7) February
INCOMING

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ACTION: NIN-17

INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAF-OS-3, DIA-15, DIA-CIIC-2 (41)

SMB C63

DE RUCDNU 106

ZNR

P 072045Z

FM CHANUTE TECH TNG CEN ATC CHANUTE AFB ILL

TO RUWGAL/ADC ENT AFB COLO

RUCDAH/30 ADIV TRAUW FLD WISC

RUWAFF/AFSC ANDREWS AFB WASH DC

RUEAHQ/CSAF

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UNCLAS OP-SD4B. CSAF FOR AF CIN AND SAFOI. UFO.

THE FOLLOWING REPORTS IS SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH

PARAGRAPH 14 AFR 200-2

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

- (1) ROUND
- (2) LIGHT BULB
- (3) RED
- (4) ONE
- (5) N/A
- (6) N/A
- (7) N/A
- (8) N/A
- (9) STATIONARY

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

- (1) NOTCED RED LIGHT WHILE DRIVING TO WORK
- (2) 5 DEGREE
- (3) LEVEL
- (4) STATIONARY

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(5) N/A

(6) 15 MINUTES

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

(1) GROUND

(2) N/A

(3) N/A

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

(1) 01215Z

(2) DAWN

E. 13 MI W OF RANTOUL ILLINOIS AND 3 MI N OF HIWAY 136

F. CIVILIAN, [REDACTED]

GIBSON CITY ILLINOIS - INSTRUCTOR IN JET ENGINE BRANCH

G. WEATHER AND WINDS - ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME
AND PLACE OF SIGHTING

(1) IFR

(2) SURF

N/11

, 6,000

010/23

10, M

360/30

16, M

350/45

20, M

360/45

30, M

010/65

50, M

330/35

80, M

N/A

(3) 500 FT

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(4) 4 :I

(5) OVERCAST

(6) N/A

(7) SFC 10,000'	31 DEGREE/1,000
10 - 20,000	A4/1,000
20 - 30,000	A 5.3 DEGREE/1,000
30 - 40,000	A 7.9 DEGREE/1,000
40 - 50,000	A7.9 DEGREE/1,000

H. NONE

I. NONE

J. NONE

K. 1LT WILLIAM C L YOUNG AO 3100312. OBJECT SIGTED
WAS A NEWLY INSTALLED MICRO WAVE RELAY TOWER.

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