

# PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 11 June 1949 12/0357Z	2. LOCATION Los Alamos, New Mexico 383
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (METEOR)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 4 - 5 Seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS  Object appeared as a star or light. Object green then red at end of flight, with short, red tail. Appeared to climb sharply then fell almost straight down.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE NE	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

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**UNIDENTIFIED AERIAL OBJECTS**

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1. Date of Observation 11 June 49 Date of Interview \_\_\_\_\_
2. Exact time of observation (local) 2057 MST
3. Place of Observation: Los Alamos, N.M.  
(Map Coordinates)
4. Position of observer (air, car, bldg, location of - give details):  
N/S
5. What attracted attention to object: Light
6. Number of objects and sketch of formation or grouping: One
7. Apparent size (compare to known object, i.e., sun, moon, thumb or  
fist at arms length): About size of star
8. Color of object: Green, then red at end of flight
9. Shape (give graphic description - compare with known object):  
N/S
10. Altitude (Angle of elevation above horizon - 0° at horizon, 90°  
overhead): Appx 25 degrees
11. Direction from observer (Angle clockwise from north):  
Appx 210 degrees
12. Distance from observer (Distance to town, bldg, etc., over which object  
appeared to be):  
Estimated 20 to 30 miles
13. Direction of flight of object (s):  
Southwest to northeast
14. Time in sight: 4 to 5 seconds
15. Speed (time to cover given angular distance):  
N/S
16. Sound and odor: None

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*Aster (meteor)*

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17. Trail (color, length, width, persistence, etc.)

Short red trail

18. Luminosity (visible by reflection, incandescent, other - degree of brilliance):

Self luminous

19. Projections (fins, wings, rods, antennae, canopies, etc.):

None

20. Maneuvers (turns, climbs, dives, etc. - sketch of flight path):

Appeared to be climbing sharply then fell almost straight down

21. Manner of disappearance: Seemed to "go out"

22. Effect on clouds: N/S

23. Additional information concerning object:

Did not appear to be a meteor, according to observer, because of color and path

24. Weather conditions and light at time of sighting:

Clear weather, just after good darkness

Name and address of observer: Inspector [REDACTED] AESS, Los Alamos, N.M.

Occupation and hobbies: AESS Security Inspector

Comments of Interrogator relative to intelligence and character of observer  
(Check neighbors, police dept., FBI records, employer, etc.):

CBI required prior to employment per PL 585

Did observer wear glasses, especially polaroid glasses at time of sighting, or was object viewed through canopy, window, or other transparent material?

N/S as to glasses

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1. Date of Observation 11 June 1949 Date of Interview \_\_\_\_\_
2. Exact Time (local) 2057
3. Place of Observation Los Alamos, New Mexico
4. Position of observer Ground
5. What attracted attention to object Light
6. Number of objects 1
7. Apparent size of star
8. Color of object Green then red at end of flight
9. Shape
10. Altitude 25°
11. Direction from observer 210°
12. Distance from observer 20-30 Miles
13. Direction of flight of object(s) SW to NE
14. Time in sight 4 - 5 Seconds
15. Speed
16. Sound and odor None
17. Trail Short, red tail
18. Luminosity Self luminous
19. Projections None
20. Maneuvers Appeared to climb sharply then fell almost straight down.
21. Manner of disappearance Appeared to go out.
22. Effect on Clouds
23. Additional information concerning object Because of color and path, observer did not think object a meteor.
24. Weather Conditions Clear

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Astro (meteor)

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Name and address of observer:

~~REDACTED~~  
AESS Los Alamos, N. M.

Occupation and hobbies:

Security Inspector AESS

Comments of Interrogator relative to intelligence and character of observer(s):

Met requirements for employment with AESS.

NARRATIVE SUMMARY:

For original report see Incident 382.

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STATE HIGHWAY PATROL

Case No.

Case No.

Date

By

Date

Subject

12-22-45

Place

Officer

Officer

Officer

Officer

Date

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Officer

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Interviewed on 12-22-45 at 10:00 AM by 12-22-45  
This is a copy of the original.

This officer while interviewing this subject was much impressed by the fact that he appeared to be a person of considerable intelligence by telling such a story with the thought that people would think he was crazy. However, the fact is that it was his duty to report to the proper authorities. This subject appeared to be of average or above average intelligence, with a good deal of common sense and a good character.

This photograph was taken on 12-22-45 and is located by Mr. Ruzick.

FRONT VIEW



Small Flipper

BOTTOM OR SIDE VIEW



REAR VIEW



Assigned to Office

12-22-45

Date

By

Date