

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 5 April 1956	2. LOCATION Newport, Rhode Island	12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 05/1730Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual	<input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION five minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE seen in north prob stationary
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One circular object, the size of a large grapefruit held at arm's length, silver in color, appeared in the north at an azimuth of approximately 350 dgrs and at an angle of elevation of 45 Mgrs. The object disappeared by "whirling into the haze." Seen thru binoculars of unknown power. Visibility was unlimited with no surface wind at the time of the sighting.		11. COMMENTS Received by letter. Due to the description of the object and the fact that the color of the object compares with pibal balloons released on clear days, it is the opinion of this HQ that this sighting was possibly generated by a weather balloon.
NO REPORT IN FILE		

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