

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE <u>1 November 1956</u>	2. LOCATION <u>McKeesport, Pennsylvania</u>	12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local <u>02/0130Z</u> GMT <u>02/0130Z</u>	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual	5. SOURCE <u>Civilian</u>
6. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>four minutes</u>	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>three</u>
9. COURSE <u>Westerly</u>	10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Three round bright red objects, size of head of pin at arm's length. Obs were in scattered formation, glowing. Obs were first seen at 45dgr elevation, azimuth unknown & disappeared at 270dgr azi, elevation unknown. Obj was seen in a westerly course w/one obj leading, other two intermittently crossing its path. Obs appeared to be moving at great rate of speed at 40,000 ft. Obs were seen visually and through binoculars for 4 minutes by approx 25 witnesses.	11. COMMENTS Probably a/c sighting.

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Witness

Headquarters
54TH FIGHTER GROUP (AIR DEFENSE)
United States Air Force
Greater Pittsburgh Airport
Coraopolis, Pennsylvania

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SUBJECT: Unidentified Flying Object Report

TO: Commander
Air Defense Command
Ext Air Force Base
Colorado Springs, Colorado

The inclosed report is forwarded in accordance with Air Force Regulation 200-2, dated 12 August 1954, and Air Defense Command Regulation 200-7, dated 29 January 1955, for your information and necessary action.

1 Incl
Air Intelligence Information
Rept - Unidentified Flying
Object, 6 Nov 56

JOE K. MCNAY
Colonel, USAF
Commander

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Comdr, 30th Air Div
Comdr, EADP

COUNTRY U.S.A.	REPORT NO.	(LEAVE BLANK)
AIR INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT		
SUBJECT UFOB	AREA REPORTED ON McKeesport, Pennsylvania	
DATE OF REPORT 6 November 1956	DATE OF INFORMATION 2 November 1956	FROM (Agency) Hq 54th Ftr Gru (AD), Gtr Pgh Aprt, Pa.
PREPARED BY (Officer) Captain McLoyd M. Hollowell, USAF	SOURCE Mr. [REDACTED]	EVALUATION B-1
REFERENCES (Control number, directive, previous report, etc., as applicable)		

AIR 200-2, ADCR 200-7

SUMMARY: (Enter concise summary of report. Give significance in final one-sentence paragraph. List inclosures at lower left. Begin text of report on AF Form 118-Part II.)

6. Identifying Information of observer:

a. Mr. [REDACTED], age - 29, [REDACTED]
Pennsylvania; Occupation - Car Blocker at US Steel Corporation.

7. Weather and winds aloft conditions at time and place of sight:

a. Unknown

b. Surface wind 45° - 8K; 6M, 170° - 12K; 10M, 190° - 2K; 16M, 340° - 11K;
20M, 330° - 16K; 30M, 320° - 24K; 50M, 280° - 21K

c. Unlimited

d. 10

e. None

f. None

8. None

9. None

10. Unknown

11. Assistant Group Operations Staff Officer. Mr. [REDACTED] reported his sighting to Master Sergeant Albert N. Wyatt, the NCO Officer of the Day. The CAA Control Tower and the 772nd AC&W Squadron received no reports which could verify the sighting. No local jet flying was in progress at this time. Mr. [REDACTED] witnessed the sightings in the company of approximately twenty-five (25) other witnesses. There is little doubt that what was reported was seen, but apparent cause of phenomena could not be definitely determined. Due to the time delay, it was not feasible to scramble aircraft or take other verifying action.

12. Negative.

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1. Description of the object:

- a. Object appeared to be round in shape.
- b. Size of the objects was compared to the head of a pin.
- c. Bright red.
- d. Three (3)
- e. Scattered
- f. Glowed
- g. None
- h. None
- i. None

2. Description of course of object:

- a. Observer was directed to the objects by other witnesses.
- b. 45° elevation; azimuth unknown.
- c. Angle of elevation unknown and 270° azimuth.
- d. Westerly course. One (1) object was leading, two others intermittently crossed its path. They appeared to be moving at great speed at an estimated altitude at 40,000 feet.
- e. Abrupt disappearance.
- f. Approximately four (4) minutes.

3. Manner of observation:

- a. Ground visual.
- b. Binoculars.
- c. N/A

4. Time and date of sighting:

- a. 0130Z, 2 November 1956.
- b. Night

5. Location of observer: McKeesport, Pennsylvania

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