

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE  3 Jun 58	2. LOCATION  Marshalltown, Iowa	12. CONCLUSIONS	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP  Local <u>between 9-9:30PM</u>	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon	
GMT <u>04/0300Z</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft	
5. PHOTOS  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Physical <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Specimen	6. SOURCE  Civilian	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION  N/A	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS  one	9. COURSE  N/A	10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING  Obj struck the roof of a trailer house/submitted for evaluation.  See specimen 7-3745-450
11. COMMENTS  Volcanic debris.			

DETACHMENT 1  
4715TH GROUND OBSERVER SQUADRON  
Knights of Columbus Building  
601 South 6th Street  
Springfield, Illinois

GOS1

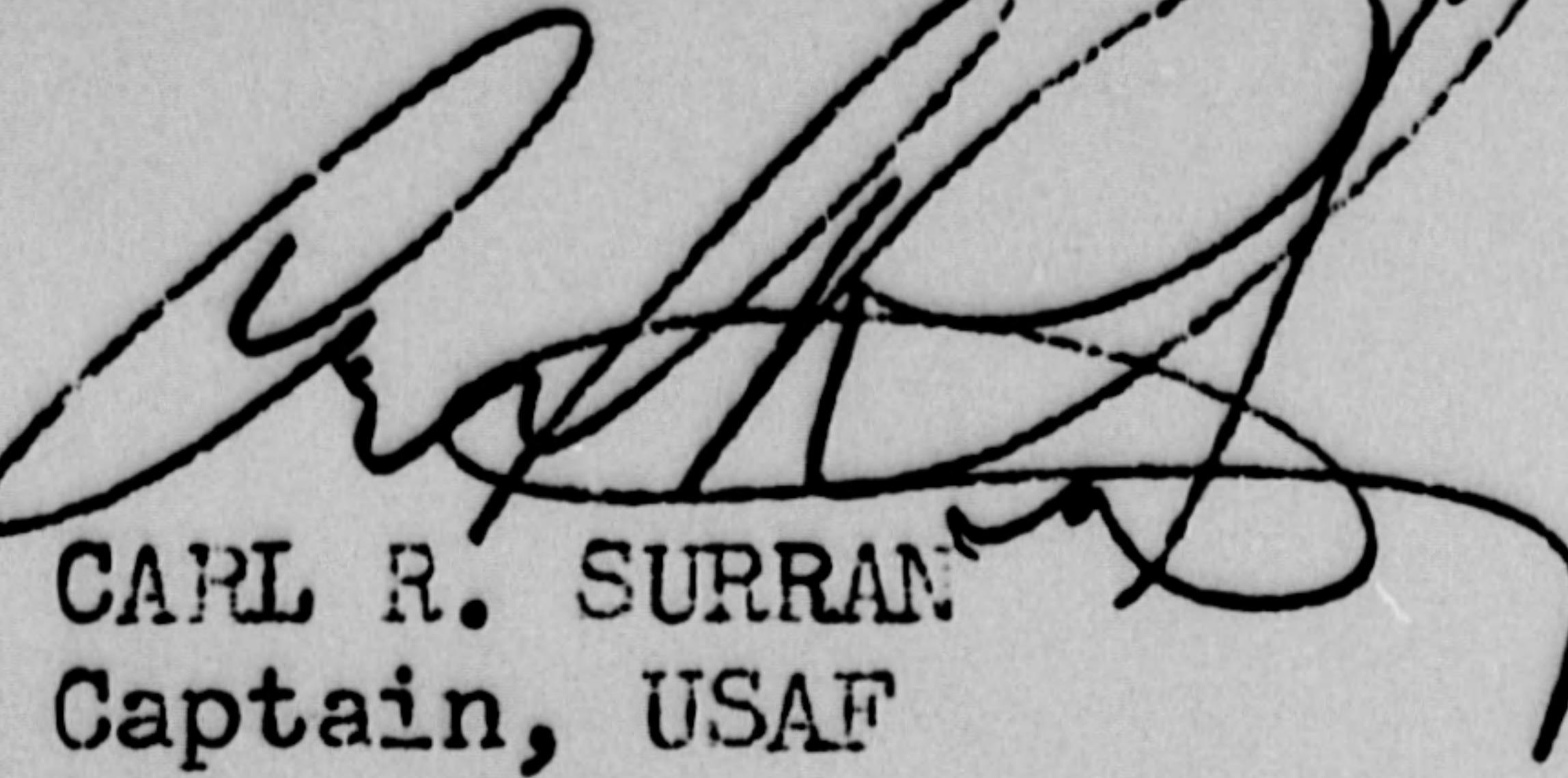
10 June 1958

SUBJECT: Unknown Object

TO: Commander  
4715th Ground Observer Squadron  
Richards-Gebaur Air Force Base  
Grandview, Missouri

Forwarded for your information and necessary action are the attached letter and sample sent to the Springfield Filter Center by Mr. ██████████ GOC Post Supervisor at Marshalltown, Iowa.

2 Incls:  
1. Ltr  
2. Sample

  
CARL R. SURRAN  
Captain, USAF  
Commander

Marshalltown, Iowa  
June 7, 1958

Capt. Carl R. Surran, USAF  
Commander  
Det. #1, 4715th GO Sqdn.  
601 South 6th Street  
Springfield, Illinois

Dear Captain Surran:

I am enclosing a fragment from an object that struck the roof of the trailer house of [REDACTED]  
Tuesday nite, June 3rd, between 9 and 9:30 PM.

Mr. [REDACTED] brought this object to us last nite following a radio broadcast from our local radio station KFJB regarding a Russian appeal for information concerning their latest sattelite. Mr. [REDACTED] reported as follows: "when the object struck, it sounded like a loud report of a rifle", also that when he went out to investigate he found many fragments, this being the largest piece.

At this time he and his wife felt that this possibly was a fragment from a meteor. After hearing the broadcast they felt it should be turned over for investigation.

Will you please forward this to the proper department for investigation and let us know what the results are.

Yours very truly,  
C. F. Kelley  
C. F. Kelley  
Post Supervisor

Enc'd

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GOS-1, Det #1, 4715th Gnd Obr Sq, 10 Jun 58, Subj: Unknown Object.

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4715th Ground Observer Squadron, Richards-Gebaur Air Force Base, Missouri, 16 June 1958

TO: Commander, 20th Air Division (Def), ATTN: Director of INT, Richards-Gebaur Air Force Base, Missouri

1. Forwarded for your information and necessary action.
2. The attached object was checked for radioactivity by M/Sgt Brown, 328th CAMRON and was found to be completely non-radioactive.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

*Martha K. Statham*  
MARTHA K. STATHAM  
2nd Lt, USAF  
Adjutant

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Hq Central Air Defense Force, Richards-Gebaur Air Force Base, Missouri

TO: Commander, Air Technical Intelligence Center, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio

For your information and necessary action.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

*O'Neill*

2 Incls  
n/c

D. R. T. O.  
Lt. Col. USAF  
Adjutant

*The physical specimen, a volcanic debris, is in specimen drawer of safe #6*

ARTIFACT # 341-7-471  
Located in Artifact Room