

UNKNOWN (Civilian Pilot)

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 3 February, 1960		2. LOCATION 22 mi NW of Carbondale, Illinois		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1506 GMT 03/2106Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Not Given		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One		9. COURSE East	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Meteor or rocket like object of silver color with blaze on top (or trailing), moving East at approximately 2,000 ft.				11. COMMENTS Limited information. Insufficient for analysis or conclusion. Unable to contact pilot who made initial report.	

Sgt Lafferty called to report that St Louis ARDC had called to report a sighting by Cessna N7416M at 3:06, 3 February 1960, enroute to Carbondale, Ill - a meteor or rocket, silver colored with blaze on top or trailing (not sure) 22 miles NW of Carbondale, Ill moving east at approximately 2000 Feet. Aircraft which spotted the object also at 2000 feet.

JOINT MESSAGEFORM				SECURITY CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED			
SPACE BELOW RESERVED FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER							
PRECEDENCE		TYPE MSG (Check)			ACCOUNTING SYMBOL	ORIG. OR REFERS TO	CLASSIFICATION OF REFERENCE
ACTION	PRIORITY	BOOK	MULTI	SINGLE	AF	X	
INFO							
FROM: 2046 AACSRON WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO						SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS	
TO: ADC ENT AFB COLO SPRINGS COLO							
30TH ADIV TRUAX FIELD WISC							
ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO (MAIL)							
ASS'T CHIEF OF STAFF INTELLIGENCE USAF WASH 25 DC							
OFFICE OF INFO HEADQUARTERS USAF WASH 25 DC							
UNCLAS FS-03-B-62 UFO							
A. (1) UNKNOWN							
(2) NONE							
(3) SILVER							
(4) ONE							
(5) N/A							
(6) BLAZE ON TOP							
(7) NONE							
(8) NONE							
(9) NONE							
SYMBOL 2046th AACCS Sq				SIGNATURE			
TYPED NAME AND TITLE (Signature, if required) PHILLIP W. BRINKLEY A/1C				TYPED (or stamped) NAME AND TITLE TRUMAN C. WEAVER Captain, USAF Operations Officer			
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FROM:

2046 AACSRON WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

B. (1) UNKNOWN

(2) 2000 FEET

(3) 2000 FEET

(4) MOVING EAST

(5) TO THE EAST

(6) UNKNOWN

C. (1) UNKNOWN

(2) UNKNOWN

(3) CESSNA, N7416M, 2000 FEET, ENROUTE CARBONDALE ILL.

D. (1) UNKNOWN

(2) DAY

E. ~~III~~ 89 30N 37 30W 22 MILES NORTHWEST CARBONDALE ILL.

F. (1) PILOT OF N7416M CESSNA

(2) N/A

G. NONE

H. UNKNOWN

I. NONE

J. UNKNOWN

K. OPERATIONS OFFICER NO COMMENT

L. NONE

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FROM:

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80000 UNKNOWN

(3) 12000 SCATTERED HIGH OVERCAST

(4) 6 MILES VISIBILITY

(5) 10/10

(6) NONE

(7) 33 TEMPERATURE GRADIENT

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