

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 2 June 1962	2. LOCATION Southwest Canada 5543 N - 12008 W		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 1743 GMT 3/0134	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☐ No	6. SOURCE Civilian		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 4 Min.	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING An object resembling a weather balloon and reported to be the size of a basketball at arms length was reported by one witness in SW Canada. The object was reportedly moving S and was observed for 4 min. Then witness stopped watching. Object was observed through 10x50 binoculars.		11. COMMENTS Witness was using binoculars to observe this object and this is probably cause for estimate of objects size as that of basketball at arms length. Four min. is hardly long enough to watch a slow moving object and determine accurately its direction of motion. Is probably balloon. One witness case.	

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AF IN : 45811 (26 May 62) C/au

ACTION: CIN-17

INFO : SAFS-3, OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, DIA-7 (31)

SNB C 045

GB674ZC WJA912

PP RJEZHQ

DE RJWFKD 60A

ZNR

P 252000Z

FM 4900 ABGP KIRTLAND AFB NMEX

TO RJWFAL/ADC ENT AFB COLO

RJWFBH/832ND AIR DIV DEF CANNON AFB NMEX

RJEDSQ/FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIV WPAFB OHIO

RJEZHQ/USAF WASH

RJEZHQ/SECRETARY OF AIR FORCE WASH DC

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SWBF 25-5-10 FOR TD-3, AFCIN, SAFIS, REFERENCE

PRELIMINARY UFO REPORT DATED 25 MAY 62. DISREGARD

THIS REPORT. RELEASE OF BALLON FROM HOLLOMAN AIR

FORCE BASE ON 23 MAY IN MID AFTERNOON HAS BEEN

CONFIRMED.

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Director Acceptor Studies Inst ATTN: J. J. J. Branch Maxwell AFB, Alabama	RETURN TO:	K243.6012-1 JUN 1962
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AF IN: 50030 (30 May 62) **INCOMING**
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INFO : CIN-14, OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, SAFS-3, DIA-7 (28)

SMB C 050

ZCHQB686ZCQJC307

PP RJEZHQ

DE RJWZGP 11

ZNR

P R 292334Z

FM HQ 92SAW FAIRCHILD AFB WASH

TO RJEDSQ/ATIC WPAFB OHIO

INFO RJWFAL/ADC ENT AFB COLO

ZEN/18SAW FAIRCHILD AFB WASH

RJEZBL/HQ COMD USAF BOLLING AFB WASH DC

RJEZHQ/OSAF WASH DC

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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION PERTAINS TO AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORTED IN NORTHWESTERN UNITED STATES AND SOUTHWESTERN CANADA: AN EXTREMELY LARGE BRIGHT, GREEN, ORANGE AND WHITE OBJECT STREAKED ACROSS THE SKY FROM A NORTHERLY TO SOUTHERLY DIRECTION. IT WAS SIGHTED BY LARGE NUMBERS OF PEOPLE ON 28 MAY 1962, AT APPROXIMATELY 224;3 HOURS, PACIFIC STANDARD TIME. THE OBJECT APPEARED TO SOME VIEWERS TO BE 200 FEET LONG. A BALL OF BRIGHT LIGHT, WITH A LONG TAIL BEHIND. THE TAIL APPEARED AS BURNING, AND PIECES FALLING FROM THE OBJECT. INVESTIGATIONS BEING MADE THE INTELLIGENCE

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OFFICER AT FAIRCHILD AFB, WASH CEASED WHEN

IT WAS LEARNED THAT THE HEAD OF THE DOMINION ASTR-PHYSICAL
OBSERVATORY, VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, DR. R.M. TEPETTRE
REPORTED THE OBJECT TO BE AN EXTREMELY LARGE METEORITE.

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1962 JUN 4 06 02

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TELEPHONED
TO FTD
NO. 71222
TIME 0603Z
Date 4 JUN
By: 67

RC288

CZCSQM465ZCQX983

PP RJEDSQ

DE RJWZGS 2A

ZNR

P 040420Z

FM SPADS LARSON AFB WASH

TO RJWFAL/ADC ENT AFB COLO

RJWZBH/25AD MCCHORD AFB WASH

RJEDSQ/ATIC, WPAFB OHIO ✓

ACTION

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2) E (UFO)
3)

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RJEZHQ/HEDUSAF WASH DC

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FOR INTELLIGENCE. SUBJECT UFO REPORT

1. A. ROUND
B. ABOUT SIZE OF BASKETBALL, ABOUT ONE MILE HIGH
C. SILVER
D. ONE
E.
F. ROUND
G. NO EXHAUST, ABOUT SIZE OF BASKETBALL AT ARMS LENGTH
H. NO SOUND
I. RESEMBLED WX BALLON, EST. VERY HIGH, SIX MILES UP
2. A. OBJECT HEADING SOUTH, BUT UPPER WINDS WERE HEADING SOUTH WEST
B. OVERHEAD NINETY DEGREES
C. WATCHED FOR FOUR MINUTES AT FORTY-FIVE DEGREES
D. STRAIGHT OR SLIGHT CURVE
E. UNKNOWN, STOPPED WATCHING
F. WATCHED FOR FOUR MINUTES, THEN PHONED EDMONTON GOBC
3. A. GROUND VISUAL
B. NOT VISUAL WITH NAKED EYE, USED 10 X 50 BINOCULARS
C.
4. A. 2134Z
B. DAY LIGHT, VISIBILITY - GOOD TO VERY GOOD
5. A. DKQL5243 5543N - 120 28W, FIVE MILES SOUTH OF DAWSON CREEK
6. A. MISTER [REDACTED] AGE 31 [REDACTED], CHIEF OBN
RELIABILITY VERY GOOD
7. A. EST. 5,000 FEET BROKEN, 15 MILES LIGHT RAIN, INTER TEMP. 51 DEGREES, DEW POINT 41 DEGREES, WINDS FROM

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NORTH AT 7 KNOTS, ALTIMETER 29.57

B. 4 THOUSAND 250/15

6 THOUSAND 230/15

10 THOUSAND 220/20

18 THOUSAND 170/25

55 THOUSAND 180/10

C. 5,000 BROKEN

D. FIFTEEN MILES

E. BROKEN TO SCATTERED

F.

G. FIFTY-ONE DEGREES

8. NONE

9. NONE

10. UNKNOWN

11. OBJECT COULD HAVE BEEN WX BALLOON, HOWEVER IT WAS TRAV-
ELLING CONTRARY TO WINDS. INITIALLY REPORTED TO EDMON-
TON GOBC THENCE TO BILLY BOY. NO RADAR RETURNS FROM
OBJECT. NO OTHER REPORTS RECEIVED

12. NONE

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