PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP	2. LOCATION
8 April 66 09/0200-0500Z	Colorado Springs, Colorado (1 Witness)
3. SOURCE	**10. CONCLUSION**
Civilian	Astro (STARS/PLANETS) ~
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS	
Three to Six	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	**11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS**
3 Hours	Objects were round, about the size of a half dollar, red, green, and white in color. White haze surrounding the objects. Motion was erratic and seemed to bounce around. Objects were visable for at least 3 hours. Slow change of position, length of time of sighting and white haze indicates a bright group of stars seen through a thin cloud layer.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION	
Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE	
Erratic, Bouncing	
8. PHOTOS	
☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE	
☐ Yes ☒ No	

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COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO

8 APR 66
0730Z

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INCOMING MESSAGE

AF IN : 64771 (24 Apr 66) N/ata

ACTION : NIN-7

INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, DIA-1, RDC-4 (19) ADV CY DIA.

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R 122237Z

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RUWGKG/10AF RICHARDS GEBAUR AFB MO

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UNCLAS WGOOT-B 00684 APR 66.

FOR: OSAF (SAFOI); CSAF (AFNIN); NORAD (NINT); ADC (ADOCP) AND (ADCIO-P); AFSC (FTC); UFO, UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT. REPORT FOLLOWS PARA 14, AFR 200-2.

A. (1) ROUND.

(2) HALF DOLLAR.

(3) RED, WHITE, GREEN.

(4) VARIED, THREE TO SIX.

(5) TRIANGULAR FORMATION.

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(6) WHITE HAZE SURROUNDING OBJECTS.

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(7) N/A

(8) N/A

(9) N/A

B. (1) OBSERVER'S FATHER CALLED ATTENTION TO SIGTING.

(2) 20 EGREES.

(3) 80 DEGREES; STILL VISIBLE DURING QUESTIONING.

(4) ERRATIC-BOUNCED AROUND.

(5) STILL VISIBLE AT 090500Z-.

(6) AT LEAST THREE HOURS.

C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL.

(2) BINOCULARS

(3) N/A

D. (1) 090200Z.

(2) NIGHT

E. NORTHEASTERN COLORADO SPRINGS.

F. (1) [redacted]

SPRINGS, COLO; UNK; RELIABLE.

(2) N/A

G. (1) CLEAR

(2) SURFACE 14/09; 6000' 36/02; 10000' 36/06; 16000'

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27/29; 20000' 29/36; 30000' 30/41; 50000' 30/43; 80000'

UNK.

(3) NONE

(4) 45 MILES.

(5) 1/10

(6) N/A

(7) UNK

H. NONE

I. N/A

J. N/A

K. MAJOR EDWARD L. STRICKER, ASST BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER, PETERSON FLD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: SLOW CHANGE OF POSITION, LENGTH OF TIME OBSERVED, AND WHITE HAZE INDICATE A BRIGHT GROUP OF STARS SEEN THROUGH THIN CLOUD LAYER. ATMOSPHERIC INTERFERENCE WOULD ACCOUNT FOR CHANGING COLORS.

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PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP	2. LOCATION
8 April 66 09/0543Z	Colorado Springs, Colorado
3. SOURCE	**10. CONCLUSION**
Civilian	Astro (METEOR) ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS	
One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	**11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS**
2 - 3 Seconds	Cylindrical object three to four inches long was seen traveling very fast to the norht. First seen 30 degrees above horizon and disappeared behind a hill. Appeared as a blue light with a tail the length of the object.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION	
Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE	
N	
8. PHOTOS	
☐ Yes XXNo	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE	
☐ Yes XXNo	

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AF IN: 51428 (16 Apr 66) A/gb

ACTION: NIN-7 INFO: SAFOS-3, XOP-1, XOPX-2, DIA-1 (15)
ADV CY DIA

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UNCLAS WGOOI-B 00685 APR 66.

FOR: OSAF (SAFOI); CSAF (AFNIN); NORAD (NINI); ADC (ADOCP) AND (ADCIO-P); AFSC (FTC); UFO, UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT. FORMAT FOLLOWS PARA 14, AFR 200-2.

A. (1) CYLINDRICAL.

(2) THREE TO FOUR INCHES LONG.

(3) BLUE

(4) ONE

(5) N/A

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(6) N/A

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(7) N/A

(8) N/A

(9) N/A

B. (1) OBJECT OBSERVED THROUGH WINDSHIELD OF AUTO TRAVELING NORTH.

(2) 30 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON.

(3) UNKNOWN-WENT STRAIGT DOWN BEHIND HILL, RAPIDLY.

(4) DESCENDING.

(5) WENT BEHIND HILL.

(6) TWO TO THREE SECONDS.

C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL.

(2) NONE

(3) N/A

D. (1) 090543Z

(2) NIGHT

E. 21ST STREET AND ZEBULON PIKE, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

F. (1) [redacted] 17[redacted], COLO SPRINGS, COLO, STUDENT, RELIABLE.

31 19

(2) N/A

G. (1) CLEAR

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(2) SURFACE 14/09; 6000' 36/02; 10000' 36/06; 16000' 27/29; 20000' 29/36; 30000' 30/41; 50000' 30/43; 80000' UNK.

(3) NONE

(4) 45 MILES

(5) 1/10

(6) N/A

(7) UNK

H. N/A

I. N/A

J. N/A

K. MAJOR EDWARD L. STRICKER, ASST BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER, PETERSON FLD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: DUE TO SHORT DURATION OF SIGHTING, HIGH SPEED, AND TAIL THE LENGTH OF OBJECT, IT IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN A METEOR.

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PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 10 April 66 10/2310Z	2. LOCATION Colorado Springs, Colorado (2 Witness)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Other (BIRDS) Prob.
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 12 - 15	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Twelve tO fifteen objects were observe all moving in a large circle. As a group the objects trajectory was circling and risign. The color of the objects was cilver and their size was about like a marble. The sun is low in the west and setting. The objects were probably the result of reflected sunlight off the bodies of birds
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE NW	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
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AF IN : 42845 (12 Apr 66) A/ata Page 1 of 3

ACTION : NIN-7 INFO : DIA-1, XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, RDC-4 (19)

ADV CY DIA.

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ZNR UUUUU

P 112358Z

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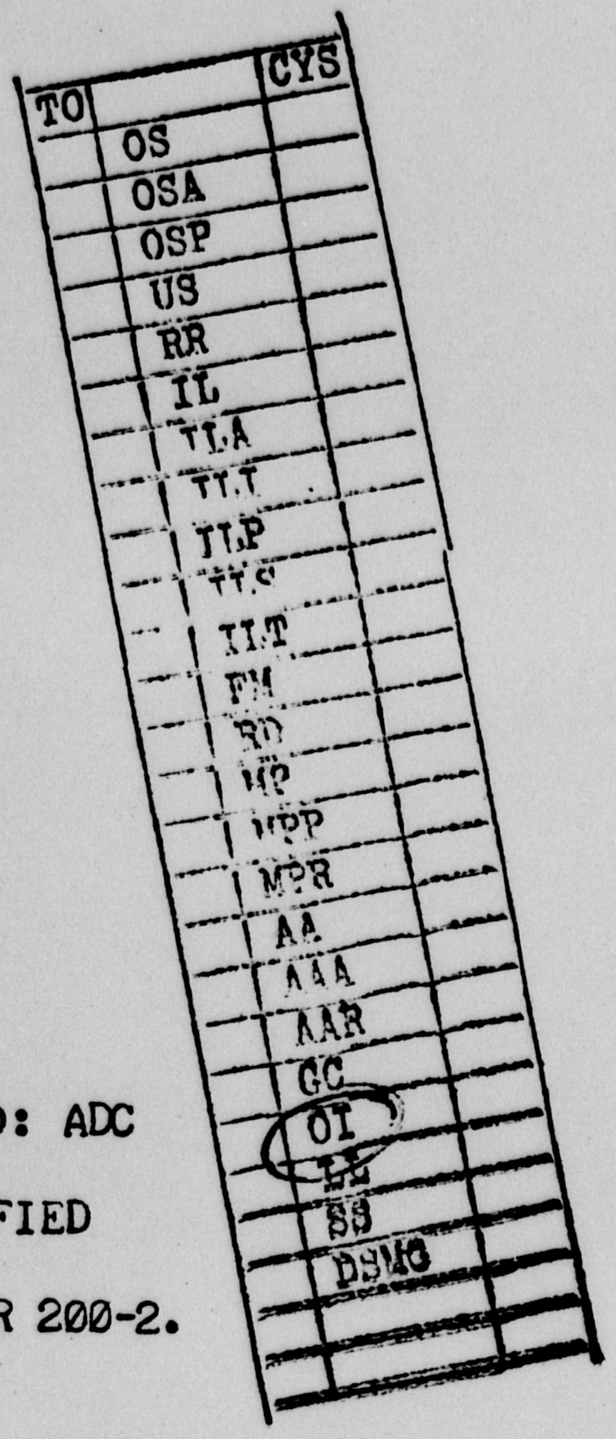
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A. (1) ROUND - SAUCER SHAPED.

(2) BASEBALL.

(3) SILVER.

(4) 12-15.



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(5) CIRCULAR - EACH OBJECT ALSO MOVING IN CIRCLES.

(6) TURNING AT HIGH SPEED.

(7) N/A

(8) N/A

(9) N/A

B. (1) JUST LOOKING OUT WINDOW.

(2) JUST ABOVE HORIZON TO THE NORTH.

(3) CLIMBING, THEN VANISHED.

(4) GENERALLY CIRCULAR AND CLIMBING.

(5) CLIMBED SHARPLY, THEN VANISHED.

(6) 2-3 MINUTES.

C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL.

(2) NONE

(3) N/A

D. (1) 110010Z

(2) DAY

E. WIDEFIELD SUBDIVISION, SECURITY, COLORADO.

F. ([redacted] SECURITY, COLORADO, RELIABLE.

(2) N/A

G. (1) CLOUDY

(2) SURFACE 22/15G25, 6000' 29/20, 10000' 28/15, 16000'

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24/15, 20000' 27/55, 30000' 24/60, 50000' 29/60, 80000'

29/40.

(3) 8000' SCATTERED, 14000 BROKEN, HIGH BROKEN.

(4) 65 MILES.

(5) 6/8 BROKEN.

(6) SOME SHOWER ACTIVITY SW.

(7) PLUS 14 0

H. N/A

I. N/A

J. N/A

K. MAJOR EDWARD L. STRICKER, ASST BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER,
PETERSON FIELD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: SIGHTING
DOES NOT CORRELATE WITH ANY KNOWN AIR OR SPACE TRAFFIC.

L. N/A.

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FTD (TDEW)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
18 April 1966

Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
Security, Colorado 80911

Dear [redacted]

Reference your recent unidentified observation of 11 April 1966. The information which we have received is insufficient for evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

We wish to thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

Sincerely,

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes. Your name will *not* be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

10 (Day) 4 (Month) 66 (Year)

2. Time of day: 5 (Hour) 10 (Minutes)

(Circle One): A.M. or (P.M.)

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern
b. Central
c. (Mountain)
d. Pacific
e. Other _____

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving
(b. Standard)

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

Security (Nearest Postal Address) Colo. Springs (City or Town) Colo. (State or County)

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) _____ Hours 3 Minutes _____ Seconds

a. Certain
(b. Fairly certain)
c. Not very sure
d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? by timing

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes ✓ No _____

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY	NIGHT
a. (Bright)	a. Bright
b. Cloudy	b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you
b. In back of you
c. To your right
(d. To your left)
e. Overhead
f. Don't remember

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8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS *(Circle One)*:

a. None
b. A few
c. Many
d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON *(Circle One)*:

a. Bright moonlight
b. Dull moonlight
c. No moonlight – pitch dark
d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS *(Circle One)*:

a. Clear sky
b. Hazy
c. Scattered clouds
d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER *(Circle One)*:

a. Dry
b. Fog, mist, or light rain
c. Moderate or heavy rain
d. Snow
e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: *(Circle One)*:

a. Solid
b. Transparent
c. Vapor
d. As a light
e. Don't remember

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? *(Circle One)*:

a. Brighter
b. Dimmer
c. About the same
d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

_____

12. The edges of the object were:

(Circle One):
a. Fuzzy or blurred
b. Like a bright star
c. Sharply outlined
d. Don't remember

e. Other _____
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_____
_____

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

a. Appear to stand still at any time?	Yes	No	Don't know
b. ~~Suddenly~~ speed up and rush away at any time?	Yes	No	Don't know
c. Break up into parts or explode?	Yes	No	Don't know
d. Give off smoke?	Yes	No	Don't know
e. Change brightness?	Yes	No	Don't know
f. Change shape?	Yes	No	Don't know
g. Flash or flicker?	Yes	No	Don't know
h. Disappear and reappear?	Yes	No	Don't know

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

It moved to the northwest & just disappeared.

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes (No) Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind: ____

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes (No) Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what in front of: ____

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound no apparent sound

b. Color very bright silver

18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

about the size of a marble

19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails. Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.



there appeared to be 12-15 objects all moving in a large circle formation

20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) Yes (No)

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? _____

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) Yes (No)

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? _____

22. Where were you located when you saw the object? *(Circle One):*

(a. Inside a building)
b. In a car
c. Outdoors
d. In an airplane (type)
e. At sea
f. Other _____

23. Were you *(Circle One)*

a. In the business section of a city?
(b. In the residential section of a city?)
c. In open countryside?
d. Near an airfield?
e. Flying over a city?
f. Flying over open country?
g. Other _____

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? *(Circle One)*

a. North c. East e. South g. West
b. Northeast d. Southeast f. Southwest h. Northwest

24.2 How fast were you moving? _____miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

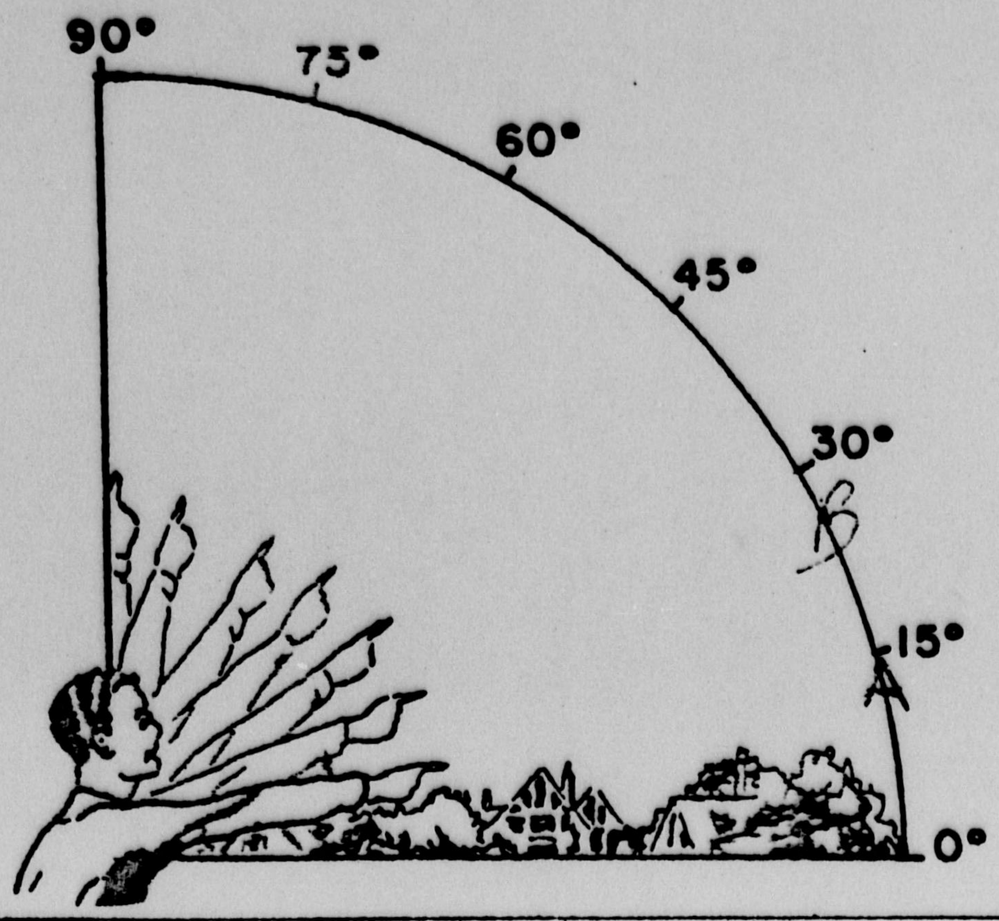
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

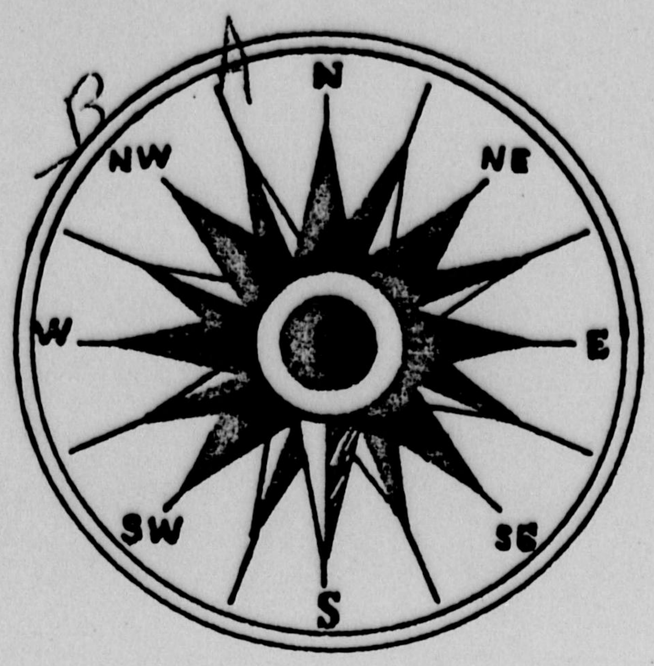
a. Eyeglasses	Yes	No	e. Binoculars	Yes	No
b. Sun glasses	Yes	No	f. Telescope	Yes	No
c. Windshield	Yes	No	g. Theodolite	Yes	No
d. Window glass	(Yes)	No	h. Other _____		

26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

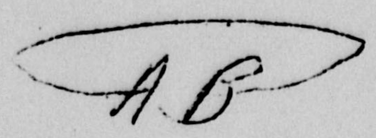
If a car tire was a very bright silver color

27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the compass where you *last* saw the object.





28. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.



29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? 12 to 15
Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.



30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

NO

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? *(Circle One)* Yes No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? *(Circle One)* Yes No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

[redacted]
[redacted]
C/o. Springs, Colo 80911

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS [redacted] C/o Springs Colo
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER None AGE 21 SEX Female

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

10 4 66
Day Month Year

Air Defense Command

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 25 (Day) 4 (Month) 61 (Year)

35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.

About 15 minutes later, in the same direction - only lower, my sister & I saw one larger object. It was the same color & general shape. It was in sight for about 30 seconds. Either it went behind a small hill in view or disappeared. It didn't have wings or smoke trail nor sound that was heard.

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 11 April 66 12/0315-0425Z	2. LOCATION Colorado Springs, Colorado (2 Witnesses)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Other (ARTILLARY FLARES) ~ prd
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 4 - 7	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 5 - 10 Seconds Each	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS ☒ Four objects seen by one observer 7 by the other. Objects appeared for 5-10 seconds separately. Observed above the horizo and appeared to go down into the ground. Their shape was round, and they were gold or yellow in color. Ft Carson had seven artillary batteries firing 10-15 miles south of the city until 0700Z. Artillary flares were used. Flares are generally yellow and star shaped. Parachute descent would allow flare to be in line of sight, on burn out, appear to be fading away, and descending.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Downward	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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AF IN : 51682 (16 Apr 66) A/jg

ACTION: NIN-7 INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, DIA-1 (15) : ADV CY DIA

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FOR: OSAF (SAFOI); CSAF (AFNIN); CINCNORAD(NINT); ADC (ADOCP) AND (ADCIVIAP); AFSC (FTD). UFO, UNIDENTIFIED FLYINT OBJECT REPORT. FORMAT FOLLOWS PARA 14, AFR 200-2.

A. (1) LIKE A STREET LIGHT OR STAR.

(2) QUARTER

(3) GOLD OR YELLOW

(4) SEVEN.

(5) MAXIMUM OF TWO TOGETHER.

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(6) STAR SHAPE.

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(7) N/A

(8) NA/A

(9) N/A

B. (1) FRIEND OBSERVED OBJECT.

(2) ABOVE HORIZON

(3) ABOVE.

(4) UNK

(5) WENT DOWN INTO GROUND.

(6) FIVE-TO-TEN SECONDS EACH SIGHTING.

C. (1) GROUND - VUSUAL.

(2) BINOCULARS.

(3) N/A

D. (1) 120315Z-120425Z

(2) NIGHT.

E. NE SIDE OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

F. (1) [redacted] 14[redacted], COLORADO SPRINGS COLO;

STUDENT: RELIABLE.

(2) N/A

G. (1) RAINY TO SLIGHT DRIZZLE.

(2) SURFACE 06/08; 6000' 07/15, 1000' 19/06; 16000'

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26/10; 20000' 25/20; 30000' 21/33; 50000' 26/29; 80000' UNK.

(3) 7000' BROKEN, 14000' OVRCAST.

(4) 15 MILES.

(5) 9/10

(6) NONE

(7) PLUS 3 TO 22000' MINUS 5 TO TROPOPAUSE.

H. N/A

I. N/A

J. FT CARSON HAD SEVEN ARTILLERY BATTERIES FIRING 10-15 MILES SOUTH OF CITY UNTIL 0700Z. ARTILLERY FLARES WERE USED.

K. MAJOR EDWARD L STRICKER, ASST BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER, PETERSON FIELD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: SIGHTING IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN ARTILLERY FLARES ON FT CRSON RANGE. FLARES ARE GENERALLY YELLOW AND LIKE A STAR FROM A DISTANCE. PARACHUTE DESCENT WOULD ACCOUNT FOR THE DOWNWARD DISAPPEARANCE.

L. N/A

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STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
INCOMING MESSAGE

AF IN: 51429 (16 Apr 66) A/gb Pg 1 of 3

ACTION: NIN-7 INFO: XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, DIA-1, (15)
ADV CY DIA

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ZNR UUUUU

R 140110Z

FM 4600ABWG ENT AFB COLO

TO RUEDHQA/OSAF WASH DC

RUEDHQA/CSAF

ZEN/CINCNORAD

ZEN/ADC

RUEBBAA/AFSC

RUWGKG/10AF RICHARDS GEBAUR AFB MO

BT

UNCLAS WGOOT-B 00687 APR 66.

FOR: OSAF(SAFOI); CSAF(AFNIN): CINCNORAD(NINT): ADC(ADOCP)

AND (ADCIO-P); AFSC(FTD). UFO, UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJEXT

REPORT. FORMAT FOLLOWS PARA 14, AFR 200-2.

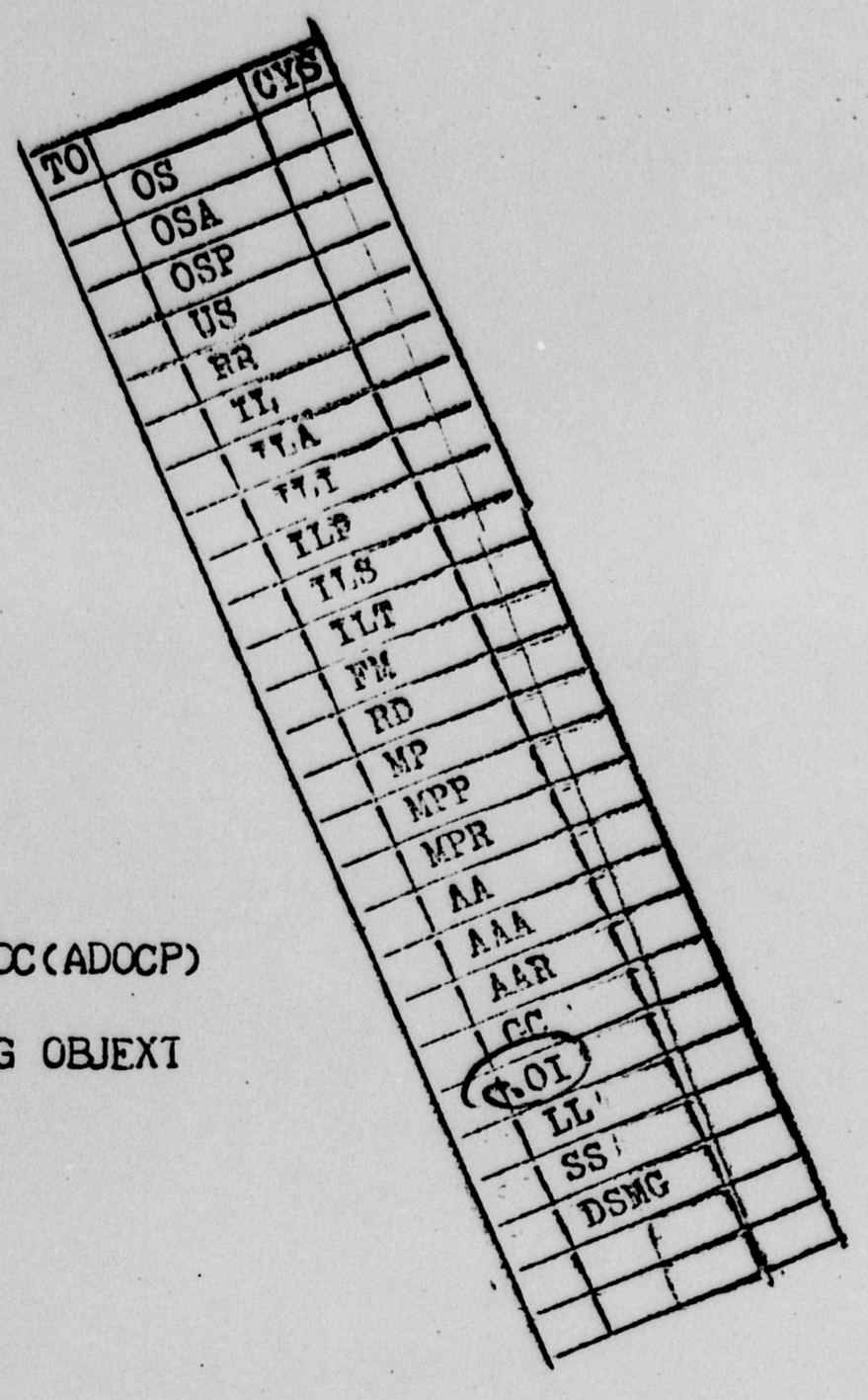
A. (1) ROUND

(2) DIME

(3) YELLOW

(4) FOUR

(5) SEPARATELY



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(6) SMALL-TO-BIG SIZE, THEN FADED.

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(7) N/A

(8) N/A

(9) LAST ONE SIGHTED BROKE APRART THEN FUSED TOGETHER.

B. (1) SKY ILLIMINATION.

(2) LEVEL WITH OBSERVER.

(3) LEVEL WITH OBSERVER.

(4) MOVED ABOUT FIVE BLOCKS.

(5) FADED AWAY.

(6) FORTY-FIVE MINUTES.

C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL.

(2) NONE

(3) N/A

D. (1) 120318Z-120400Z

(2) NIGHT

E. WASSON HIGH SCHOOL (NE COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.)

F. (1) [redacted] 13; [redacted], COLORADO SPRINGS.

COLO; STUDENT: RELIABLE.

(2) N/A

J. FT CARSON HAD SEVEN ARTILLERY BATTERIES FIRING 10-15

MILES SOUTH OF CITY UNTIL 0700Z. ARTILLERY FLARES WERE USED.

K. MAJOR EDWARD L STRICKER, ASST BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER,

PETERSON FIELD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: SIGHTING IS

BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN ARTILLERY FLARES ON FT CARSON RANGE.

FLARES ARE GENERALLY YELLOW AND LIKE A STAR (ROUND) FORM A

DISTANCE. PARACHUTE DESCENT WOULD ALLOW FLARE TO BE IN LINE

OF SIGHT, ON BURN-OUT, APPEARING TO FADE AWAY.

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PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP	2. LOCATION
15 April 66 16/0350Z	Colorado Springs, Colorado
3. SOURCE	**10. CONCLUSION**
Civilian	AIRCRAFT ✓ jet
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS	
One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	**11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS**
10 Minutes	A group of girls were discussing UFO's when they went out into the yard and saw one. The object was oval in shape, with orange and red colored lights. Object was moving slowly to the north. Object was an aircraft northbound in the vicinity of Colorado Springs. The rotation beacon would be easily visable. very likely
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION	
Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE	
N	
8. PHOTOS	
☐ Yes XXNo	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE	
☐ Yes XXNo	

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STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
INCOMING MESSAGE

AF IN: 58856 (21 Apr 66) A/ap

ACTION: NIN-7 INFO: SAFOS-3, XOP-1, XOPX-2, DIA-1, RDC-4 (19)
ADV CY DIA

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ZNR UUUUU

R 202126Z

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ZEN/ADC

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RUWTFLA/10AF RICHARDS GEBAUR AFB MO

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UNCLAS WGOOT-B 00690 APR 66.

FOR: OSAF (SAFOI); CSAF (AFNIN); CINCNORAD (NINT); ADC (ADOCP) AND (ADCIO-P); AFSC (FTD). UFO, UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT. FORMAT FOLLOWS PARA 14, AFR 200-2.

A. (1) OVAL

(2) UNK

(3) RED AND ORANGE LIGHTS.

(4) ONE

(5) N/A

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(6) N/A

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(7) N/A

(8) N/A

(9) N/A

B. (1) GROUP OF GIRLS DISCUSSING UFOS, THEN WENT INTO YARD AND SAW ONE.

(2) 30DEGREES

(3) UNK

(4) MOVING SLOWLY TO THE NORTH.

(5) UNK.

(6) TEN MINUTES.

C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL

(2) BINOCULARS

(3) N/A

D. (1) 160350Z

(2) NIGHT

E. NORTHEAST SIDE OF COLORADO SPRINS, COLO.

F. (1) [redacted]UNK; [redacted] COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO; STUDENT; RELIABILITY, QUESTIONALBEL.

(2) N/A

G. (1) UNK

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(2) SURFACE 15/06; 6000'27/12; 10000'30/27; 16000'
29/35;20000'30/35; 30000'34/37: 50000'29/16; 80000'UNK.

(3) SCATTERE CLOUDS.

(4) FIFTEEN PLUS MILES.

(5) 3/10

(6) N/A

(7) UNK

H. N/A

I. N/A

J. NUMEROUS AIRCRAFT IN THE COLORADO SPRINGS AREA AT TIME
OF OBSERVATION.

K. MAJOR EDWARD L STRICKER, ASST BASE OPERATIONS OFFICCER,
PETERSON FIELD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: BELIEVE
OBJECT WAS AIRCRAFT NORTHBOUND VICINITY OF COLO SPRINGS.
ROTATIN BEACON WOULD BE EASILY VISIBLE, EVEN FROM TRAFFIC
ON AIRWARYS WEST OF PIKES PEAK.

L. N/A
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PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 16 April 66 17/0345Z	2. LOCATION Colorado Springs, Colorado
3. SOURCE Military	10. CONCLUSION Astro (METEOR) Prob. Jmk From the information that was reported the sighting seems to resemble a meteor. It appeares that the meteor broke up into three distinct pieces prior to its disappearence.
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Three	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 Seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer and wife noticed silver-gray disk shaped object traveling from the east to the west, then turned north, then west. Thre were three objects visible. The objects appeared at about 10 degrees elevation and disappeared at same. They just disappeared in the distance.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE E to W (Zig-Zag)	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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16 APR 66
12/0345Z

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STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
INCOMING MESSAGE

AF IN : 3078 (29 Apr 66) A/kc

ACTION: NIN-7 ADV CY DIA

INFO : RDC-4, SAF-OS-3, XOP-1, XOPX-2, DIA-1 (19)

SMB 825RTTU JAW RUWMFVA2844 1130025-UUUU--RUEDHQA.

ZNR UUUUU

R 230017Z

FM 4600ABWG ENT AFB COLO

TO RUEDHQA/OSAF WASH DC

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ZEN/CINCNORAD

ZEN/ADC

RUEBBAA/AFSC

RUNTFLA/10AF RICHARDS GEBAUR AFB MO

BT

UNCLAS WGOOT-B 00692 APR 66

FOR: OSAF (SAFOI); CSAF (AFNIN); CINCNORAD (NINT); ADC (ADOCP) AND (ADCIO-P); AFSC (FTD). UFO, UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT. FORMAT FOLLOWS PARA 14, AFR 200-2.

A. (1) DISK

(2) NICKEL

(3) SILVER-GRAY

(4) THREE

(5) TRIANGULAR

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(6) NONE

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(7) N/A

(8) N/A

(9) N/A

B. (1) OBSERVERS WIFE NOTICIED IT.

(2) 10 DEGREES OR LESS.

(3) 10 DEGREES OR LESS.

(4) TRAVELED EAST TO WEST, THEN TURNED NORTH, THEN WEST.

(5) DISAPPEARED IN DISTANCE.

(6) TEN SECONDS.

C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL

(2) NONE

(3) N/A

D. (1) 170345Z

(2) NIGHT

E. EAST EDGE OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

F. (1) N/A

(2) PAUL R. ARGUIEN, A2C, USAFA, DUTY PHONE: 472-4190;

HOME PHONE: 632-4979. RELIABILITY, GOOD.

G. (1) CLEAR

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(2) SURFACE 02/07; 6000'02/07; 10000'26/05; 16000'
27/20; 20000'29/25; 30000'28/30; 50000'30/30; 80000'UNK.

(3) NONE

(4) 15 PLUS MILES.

(5) 6/8 THIN CIRRUS.

(6) NONE

(7) NORMAL

H. NONE

I. N/A

J. N/A

K. MAJOR RICHARD J EBEL, ASSISTANT BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER, PETERSON FIELD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: AIRPORT TRAFFIC PATTERN IS VISIBLE FROM LOCATION OF SIGHTING. IT COULD HAVE BEEN AIRCRAFT LIGHTS WHICH WERE SEEN.

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PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 16 April 66 17/0645Z	2. LOCATION Colorado Springs, Colorado (1 Witness)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (STAR/PLANET) ✓ ~~UFO~~ Object was definately a star or planet. No further identification action is deemed necessary
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object appeared as a point of light, like a star only brighter than an average star. Object moved in a circular and triangular path covering one square inch of the observers field of vision. Observed for 30 minutes and still visable when the observer left.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Circualr, Triangular	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
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AF IN : 58885 (21 Apr 66)A/bw

ACTION: NIN-7

INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, DIA-1, RDC -4 (19)ADV CY DIA

SMB C024RTTU JAW RUWMFVA2110 1102126-UUUU--RUEDHQA.

ZNR UUUUU

R 202126Z

FM 4600ABWG ENT AFB COLO

TO RUEDHQA/OSAF WASH DC

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ZEN/CINCNORAD

ZEN/ADC

RUEBBAA/AFSC

RUWTFLA/10AF RICHARDS GEBAUR AFB MO

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UNCLAS WGOOT-B 00689 APR 66.

FOR: OSAF (SAFOI); CSAF (AFNIN); CINCNORAD (NINT); ADC (ADOCP) AND A(ADCIO-P); AFSC (FTD). UFO, UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT. FORMAT FOLLOWS PARA 14, AFR 200-2.

A. (1) A POINT OF LIGHT, LIKE A STAR.

(2) VERY SMALL, FAR AWAY.

(3) YELLOWISH.

(4) ONE.

(5) N/A.

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(6) BRIGHTER THAN AVERAGE STAR.

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(7) N/A

(8) N/A

(9) N/A

B. (1) BRIGHT STAR APPEARED TO BE MOVING.

(2) 40 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON.

(3) STILL VISIBLE WHEN OBSERVER LEFT.

(4) CICURLAR AND TRANGULAR PETTERN COVERING APPROXI-
MATELY ONE INCH AREA OF OBSERVER'S FIELD OF VISION.

(5) STILL VISIBLE WHEN OBSERVER LEFT.

(6) THRITY MINUTES.

C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL.

(2) NONE.

(3) N/A

D. (1) 170645Z

(2) NIGHT

E. UNK MILES SOUTHEAST OF COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

F. (1) [redacted]; 19; [redacted] PUEBLO,
COLO; COLLEGE STUDENT; RELIABILITY, GOOD.

(2) N/A

G. (1) UNK.

(2) SURFACE UNK, 6000' 35/22, 10000' 32/09, 16000' 26/09,
20000' 27/25, 30000' 27/41, 50000' 27/23, 80000' UNK

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(3) NONE.

(4) 15 PLUS MILES.

(5) 9000' SCATTERED, HIGH THIN BROKEN.

(6) NONE.

(7) NORMAL.

H. N/A

I. N/A

J. N/A

K. MAJOR EDWARD L STRICKER, ASST BASE OPERATIONS OFFICER,
PETERSON FIELD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: NO CHANGE IN
LOCATION AND FLIGHT PATTERN INDICATES OBJECT WAS A STAR.
MANY RELATIVELY BRIGHT ONES VISIBLE INTHAT AREA.

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