PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION OF 4-5 Seconds	& NUMBER OF OBJECTS	9. COURSE SE	000	Other Insufficient Data for Evaluation Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING		11. COMMENTS		
Silver object, shape of triangle, base approx 1 long as legs of triangle covered by golf ball he length. Small vapor traby its high speed, which cribed as twice as fast a/c.	/2 to 1/3 as e. Could be ld at arms' il. Attn drawn h source des-	trying to copects the covered with morning sur	eed obs ou th	with illusion of due to effects of erve fast moving gh a sky half clouds and early slant rays inter- en a/c and clouds,

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

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Headquarters 450TH FIGHTER_DAY WING United States Air Force Foster Air Force Base, Texas

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14 August 1957

SUBJECT: UFOB Report

TO:

Commander

Air Defense Command

Ent Air Force Base, Colorado

Following report compiled in accordance with AFR 200-2, paragraph 7.d.

(1) Description of the object

(a) Isosceles triangle, base of triangle approximately 1/2 to 1/3 as long as legs of triangle.

(b) Object could be covered by a golf ball held at arms length from the observer.

(d) One

(a) Nat applicable

(f) None

Vapor visible against sunlit clouds.

- (h) None
- (i) None
- (2) Description of course of object
- (a) Observer's attention attracted to object due to high speed of flight which observer describes as twice as fast as F-100C aircraft.

(b) Object first sighted southeast of observer 750-800 at an estimated altitude of four to five thousand feet.

(c) Same as "b". 2

(d) Object pursued a southeasterly course straight and level for three seconds, began to climb 85° to 90° and at the same time bank

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Transant and G, Hq 450th Ftr Day Wg, 14 Aug 57, Subj: WFOB Report to the left so that the objects undersides were presented to observer. Object continued climbing and disappeared in clouds. (f) Four or five seconds & (4) Time and date of sighting: 1627-8= 8:2714 (a) 12 1627Z August 1957 (6) Identifying information of all observer estimate 35 years, A Employee of Southern Pacific RailwayCompany. Coserver has four years active service with the Air Force as an administrative officer. _ urandad to make him a qualifier t observer of asmie phenomena, many of these (7) Weather and winds-aloft conditions at time and place of stattes and mes mes us

sighting:

(e) See "(d)" above

(3) Manner of observation:

(b) None

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(5) Locations of observer:

(a) Ground - visual

(c) Not applicable

Numerous bright cumulus clouds

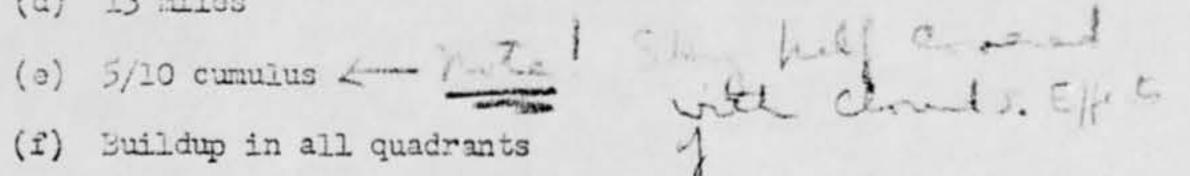
Report by Foster Air Force Base Weather Office of winds aloft -

> Surface SE at 8 kts 6,000 ft 1900 at 15 kts 10,000 ft 111° at 12 kts 16,000 ft 160° at 3 kts 20,000 ft 180° at 10 lts 30,000 ft 320° at 4 kts 50,000 ft 080° at 17 kts 80,000 ft 080° at 21 kts

(c) 4,000 feet and scattered

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- (d) 13 miles



- (8) Any other unusual activity or condition, meteorological, astronomical, or otherwise, which might account for the sighting: . None.
 - (9) Interception or identification action taken: 818th AC&W Squadron at Foster Air Force Base, Texas reports negative traffic, of characteristics mentioned in this report, in area at time of sighting of object. -CLUE F-100c
 - (10) Location of any air traffic in the area at time of sighting: Unknown number of Felooc aircraft in area at time of sighting. No pilot reports of unusual air activity received by this organization.
- (11) Position title and comments of the preparing officer, in-A cluding his preliminary analysis of the possible cause of the sighting:

Object possibly F-102 aircraft as wing planform shape approximates that of the F-102. High rate of speed as reported by observer possibly due to low altitude of object. Tight turn and rapid rate of climb appear superior characteristics to my known USAR operational sireraft

Preparing officer holds position of Wing Intelligence Officer of this organization.

(12) Existence of physical evidence, such as materials and photo graphs: None.

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