PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE	2. LOCATION	12. CONCLUSIONS
[illegible] November 1957	Lake County, Ohio	☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION**	☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft
Local _____	☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar	
GMT [illegible]Z	☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical
5. PHOTOS	**6. SOURCE**	
☐ Yes ☒ No	Civilian	☐ Other _____ ☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** / **9. COURSE**	
[illegible] minutes	one / not reported	

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

[illegible] AM I saw an object or space ship. It was so bright it blurred my eyes. It was like setting on the tables and when it came right up. It was round in shape, very low and much larger than an airplane. Odd in color. Only there a few minutes. It definitely was not the sun, moon, or an airplane. There was no vapor trails or noise. End of report [illegible]rs. [redacted]

11. COMMENTS

Report second hand. No investigation due to delay in receipt of report. Probably an unreliable report attributed to psychological causes. However, case considered as insufficient data.

OFFICE OF CIVIL DEFENSE
LAKE COUNTY
OHIO

9 November 1957

Civil Defense minutes of Chardon meeting to interview Mr. [redacted] on U F O sightings.

Mr. [redacted] and Mr. [redacted], Lake County Civil Defense, arrived in Chardon at 2000 and were met by Col. L. John and Lt. C. Reinecke of the 5th Area. We waited until 2100 at which time the personnel of Station W N B K - T V of Columbus, Ohio arrived.

They interviewed Mr. [redacted]; The [redacted] and Mr. [redacted]

We were also told of a report on another sighting of a U F O by Mrs. [redacted] Ledge Road, 2[redacted] south of Underledge Road. Phone [redacted] Time 0636 Nov. 7, 1957. Received by [redacted] Sheriff's Office Nov. 8, 1957 at 11:26. She told as follows:

Yesterday at 6:30 A.M. I saw an object or space ship. It was so bright that it blurred my eyes. It was like setting on the ledges and then it went right up. It was round in shape, very low and much larger than an airplane. Odd in color. Only there a few minutes. It definitely was not the sun, moon, or an airpland. There was no vapor trails or noise. End of report.

Minutes by [redacted]

U F O Interview at Chardon, Ohio, S[redacted] Nov. 8, 1957
2030 P.M. [redacted] Ohio RT 528, Huntsburg, Ohio

Present at this interview was a group of C.D. personnel, including Col. Leroy John, Fifth Area Director, Ohio Civil Defense Corps., Lt. Charles Reinecke, Administrative Ass't. 5th Area C.D., [redacted] Lake County Director and Group Commander of 51st Mobile Support. [redacted] Rescue Chief of Lake County D.D., and three people from Columbus, representing W N B K - T V Station. Also [redacted] and three deputies of Geauga County.

Mr. [redacted] said he was coming from Painesville toward his home when he sighted this object pass before him. It seemed to split into two parts, one rising and the other landing on a knoll about five hundred feet to the right of road. Mr. [redacted] stopped his car and shut off his motor and started across the field, he stopped about two hundred feet from his car and thought he should have a witness to what he saw. He returned to his car and drove to his home to get his wife to go back and see this object.

Upon arriving at the scene he found the object was gone. They returned home and Mrs. [redacted] called the [redacted] to report the incident.

Mr. [redacted] was then asked as to the color, and shape and noises of this object.

He replied, the color was a blueish green color much the same as a luminous watch with a metalic appearance. The noise of the object was similar to a quiet generator, and much like the sound of a running light meter, used to measure electricity in the home.

The shape of the object was to his description, something shaped like a Mexican hat with the crown being about fourteen feet high and the rim being about eight to ten feet thick. The object, he said, was about thirty feet across.

Mr. [redacted] was then asked about vision into the object or seeing any people or things about the object. The answer was he had seen nothing nor could he see into the object.

Mr. [redacted] then was asked why he was absent for a whole day and night after this happened.

He explained of his fears of the jeerings and the general attitude of his friends and fellow workers.

Mr. [redacted] was then asked if he had forgotten to mention anything else that might help to throw some light on the subject for the investigators of these reports.

He said no, that was all he know and saw.

Mr. [redacted] was then interviewed and gave this account of the incident. Asked, how he was notified. He said by radio and then he called to 5th Area to have someone meet him at the scene.
Arriving, and seeing what the problem consisted of, he then returned to Headquarters for Gieger Counters. Checking for radiation of an area one hundred feet across he found with the help of Lt [redacted] a reading of from twenty Mikrorentgens to one hundred and fifty mikrorentgens in the center of the area. He then decided to check again later which he did about three hours after. He told of the rapid decay of radiation and found it had a count of twenty mikrorentgens. He also told of checking a womans car that lived in the area. The car had small rock marks on it and was checked for radiation. Result was a reading of twenty to sixty four mikrorentgens, which is not a normal fact at any time.

By [redacted]

6 NOVEMBER 1957 SIGHTINGS

	DATE	LOCATION	OBSERVER	EVALUATION
5169-6		United States /21 Report: ([redacted])		Astro (AURORA)
5170-6		N of Seoul, Korea	Military	Balloon
5171-6		Philippines	Military & Civilian	Astro (VENUS)
5172-6		Taejong, Korea ([redacted])	Multi	Astro (METEOR)
5173-6		Farmingdale, New York	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5174-6		Milwaukee, Wisconsin	Military	Insufficient Data
5175-6		Anaheim, California ([redacted])	[redacted] (PHOTO)	Other (HOAX)
5176-6		Shiroi AB, Japan	Military	Astro (METEOR)
5177-6		Whiteman AFB, Missouri ([redacted])	Military (RADAR)	Other (FALSE TARGET)
5178-6		Georgia, Florida, Alabama	Multi (6 cases)	Astro (METEOR)
5179	6	New Orleans, Louisiana	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5180	6	Denbigh, North Dakota (CASE MISSING)	Civilian	Astro (VENUS)
5181	6	Lake County, Ohio	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5182	6	Robbins AFB, Georgia	[redacted]	Other (UNRELIABLE REPOR
5183	6	Washington Island, Wisconsin	[redacted]	Aircraft
5184	6	Kogashima, Japan	Military RADAR & Vis	1. Aircraft 2. Radar (MX Effects)
5185	6	Danbury, Connecticut	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5186	6	Atlantic 43.20N 17.30W	Military	Astro (METEOR)
5187	6	Atlantic 35.22N 74.14W	Civilian Ship	Astro (AURORA)
5188	6	Laredo AFB, Texas	Military (RADAR)	Other (ANOMALOUS PROP)
5189	6	Vassalboro, Maine	[redacted]	Astro (VENUS)
5190	6	Selma, North Carolina	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5191	6	Oak Tree, New Jersey	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5192	6	Haverhill, Massachusetts	[redacted]	Aircraft
5193	6	Harrisburg, Pennsylvania	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5194	6	Columbus, Ohio (CASE MISSING)	Civilian	Aircraft
5195	6	Buffalo, New York	[redacted]	Astro (VENUS)
5196	6	Abington, West Virginia	[redacted]	Aircraft
5197	6	New York, Maine	Multi (6 cases)	Astro (VENUS)
5198	6	Great Neck, New York	[redacted]	Aircraft
5199	6	Ft Knox, Kentucky	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5200	6	St Albans, West Virginia (CASE MISSING)	GOC	Astro (METEOR)
5201	6	Rydal, Georgia	[redacted]	Aircraft
5202	6	Macon, Georgia	Multi [redacted]	Other (UNRELIABLE REPOR
5203	6	Englishtown, New Jersey	[redacted]	Astro (METEOR)
5204	6	Oconto, Wisconsin	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5205	6	Boerne, Texas	[redacted]	UNIDENTIFIED
5216	6	Montville, Ohio (FOLDER #3) (*)	[redacted]	Astro (METEOR)
5206	6	Cleveland, Ohio	[redacted]	Other (Searchlight)
5207	6	Hempstead, Long Island, New York	[redacted]	Aircraft
5208	6	Chilo, Ohio (CASE MISSING)	Civilian (GOC)	Other (UNRELIABLE RPT)
5209	6	Turner AFB, Georgia	Military	Astro (METEOR)
5210	6	Bellmoer, Long Island, New York	[redacted]	Insufficient Data
5211	6	El Paso, Texas	[redacted]	Astro (METEOR)
5212	6	Greensboro, North Carolina	[redacted]	Aircraft
5213	6	Lakewood, California	[redacted]	Aircraft
5214	6	Albuquerque, New Mexico	Military	Astro (VENUS)

TAPE (*)

(*) In following folder

5215 Additional sightings (not cases)
Massachusetts, Calif., N.J. Canada, Indiana
— Sputnik