

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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| 1. DATE<br>8 Jul 58   | 2. LOCATION<br>Devils River, Texas   | 12. CONCLUSIONS<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon |
| 3. DATE-TIME GROUP<br>Local _____<br>GMT 09/0255Z   | 4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Binoculars <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar | <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft                            |
| 5. PHOTOS<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No                             | 6. SOURCE<br>Civilian  | <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical                |
| 7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION<br>1 hr  | 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS<br>one  | 9. COURSE<br>NW  |
| 10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING<br>Rnd, white obj, size of basketball w/long tail. Obj moved slowly NW and faded. |  | 11. COMMENTS<br>Undoubtedly a balloon.   |

ATTC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

1 Witness

0255 Z 9 July 58

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TO Kearney  
NO. 5212  
TIME 2300  
Date 9 July 58  
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P 161300Z  
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TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO  
RJEDSQ/COMDR AIR TECH INTELL CTR WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO  
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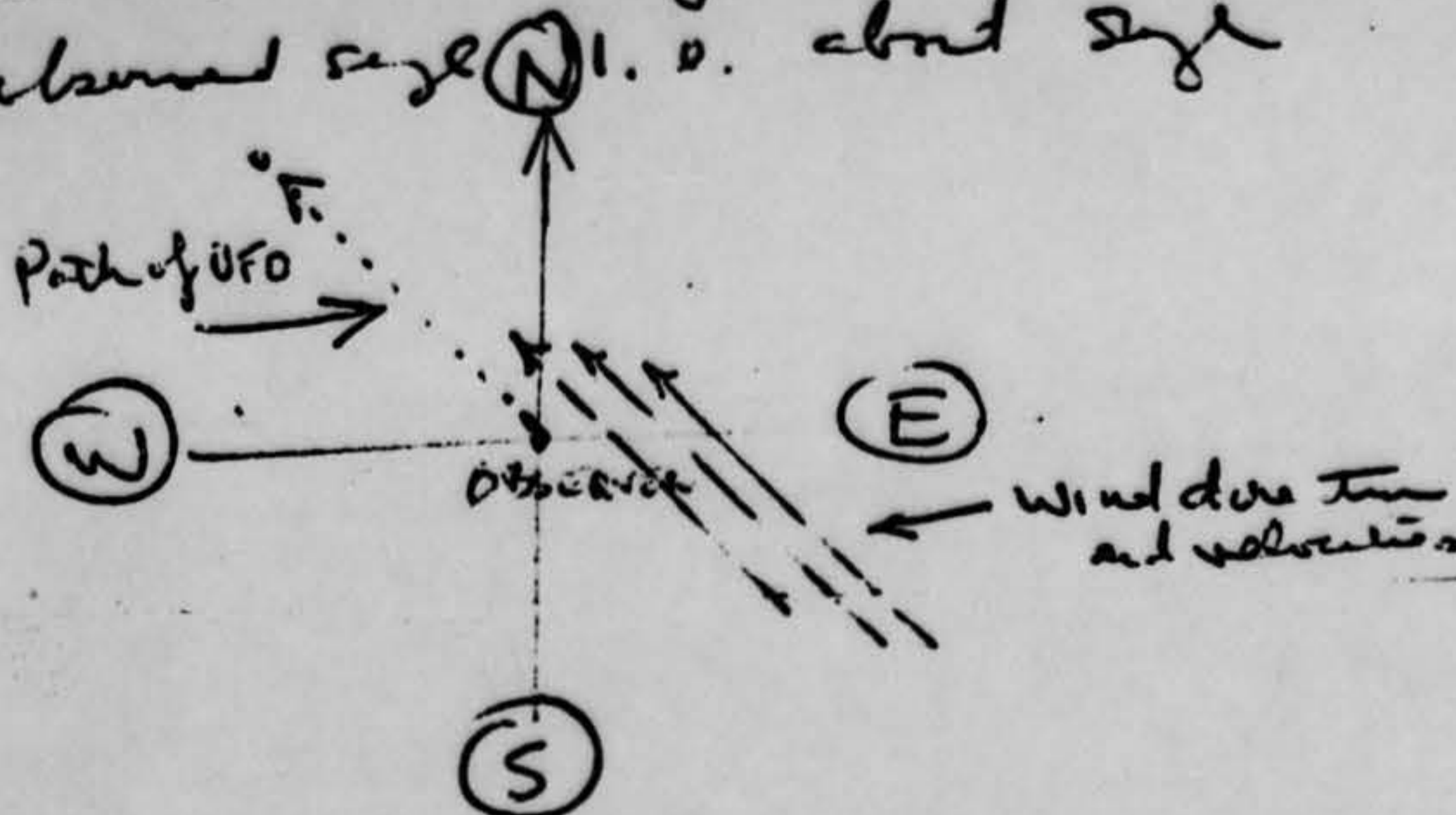
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*[Handwritten notes and stamps]*  
Read  
white ball  
M. VINZ NORTHW...

ITEM ONE: (A) ROUND (B) BASKETBALL (C) WHITE (D) ONE (E) N/A.  
 (F) LUNG TAIL (G) TAIL (H) NONE (I) NONE ITEM TWO:  
 (A) OBSERVER WAS JUST LOOKING FOR AIRCRAFT (B) OVERHEAD,  
 MOVING SLOWLY NORTHWEST, OUT OF SIGHT (C) TRAVELED NW AND  
 FADED OUT OF SIGHT (D) JUST WENT NW AND FADED (E) FADED OUT  
 OF SIGHT (F) ONE HOUR IN SIGHT FOR ITEM THREE: (A) GROUND VISUAL (B)  
BINOCULARS (C) N/A ITEM FOUR: (A) 0255Z, 9 JULY 1958 (B)  
 NIGHT (C) N/A ITEM F VEBC DEVILS RIVER POWER PLANT (NEAR DLF)  
 ITEM SIX: (A) [REDACTED], NO AGE GIVEN, DEVILS RIVER,

0255Z -

Note: Source states appeared size of basketball - but note -  
 as observed with binoculars. Actual size to naked eye  
 therefore at least 1/4 observed size of N. P. about size  
 of golf ball.



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HOUSEWIFE, PHONE NUMBER WAS 57K2 (B) N/A ITEM SEVEN: (A) <sup>slow winds</sup> CALM (B) SURFACE 140 DEGREES 4 MILES 6,000/090 DEGREES 12 MILES 10,000/20 DEGREES 13 MILES 16,000/120 DEGREES/15 MILES 20,000/030 DEGREES/20 MILES 30,000/330 DEGREES/25 MILES 50,000/330 DEGREES/35 MILES 80,000/N/A/N/A (C) C30 BROKEN 15 (D) FIFTEEN (E) UNABLE TO GET IT. (F) NONE (G) N/A ITEM EIGHT: NONE, ITEM NINE: NONE ITEM TEN: NONE, ITEM ELEVEN: NO UNUSUAL SIGHTING PICKED UP ON RADAR. ITEM TWELVE: NONE.

NOTE: Winds up to 16,000 feet alt - check out perfectly with direction of UFO - both moving from SE to NW.

Winds velocity very slow 4-8 MPH. This acc'ts for object being in sight for 1 hr and moving slowly.

Not observed by a/c in area - or by radar  
BALLOON

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