PROJECT 10073 RECORD (MULTIPLE)

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 5 Oct 66 6/0435Z	2. LOCATION Osceola, Wisconsin
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Unidentified ✓ FOF
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	NOTE. OBSERVER said IT Passed between her and trees.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 20 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	Observers watched a stationary object suddenly speed up and move toward the western sky. When the object was stationary it appeared as a very small bright orange moon. After the object took off it moved toward the west and was very white as it was in the northern sky. The object appeared to be traveling away from the observers.
7. COURSE Westward	It appears that the moon could have been responsible for the initial observation. At the time of the sighting the moon would have on an azimuth of 70 degrees and at an elevation of approximately 23 degrees. This could have well accounted for the initial observation but could not accounted for the final observations.
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM
FTD SEP 63 0-329 (TDE) Previous editions of this form may be used.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
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INCOMING MESSAGE

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AF IN : 66258 (7 Oct 66) A/wkt

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

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FOR: ADC (ADOIN), 10AF (NINT), AFSC (FTD) CSAF (AFRDC), OSAF (SAFOI)

SUBJECT: UFO. REFERENCE AFR 200-2.

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT:

A. DOME.

B. BASKETBALL AT ARMS LENGTH.

C. ORANGE AND WHITE, CHANGING.

D. ONE.

E. NOT APPLICABLE.

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F. SHARPLY DEFINED, BRIGHTLY GLOWING.

G. NONE.

H. NONE.

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2. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT:

A. BRIGHT ERRATIC FLIGHT PATH.

B. LOW IN NORTHEAST, DISTANCE UNKNOWN.

C. LOW IN WEST.

D. STOPPED AND HOVERED SEVERAL TIMES.

E. DISAPPERED IN DISTANCE

F. TEN MINUTES.

3. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

A. GROUND VISUAL.

B. BINOCULARS.

C. NOT APPLICABLE.

4. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTINING.

A,. 06/0435 OCT 66.

B. NIGHT.

5. LOCATION OF OBSERVER: ONE AND ONE-HALF MILES SOUTH OF OSCEOLA, WISCONSIN. FORTY FIVE DEGREES EIGHTEEN MINUTES NORTH AND NINETY-TWO

DEGREES FORTY-TWO MINUTES WEST.

6. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER: CIVILIAN - [redacted]

[redacted] AGE 24, MR AND MRS [redacted] AGE 65 AND 60 RESPECTIVELY

RFD NUMBER ONE, OSCEOLA, WISCONSIN, TELEPHONE [redacted] RELIABILITY

IS UNKNOWN.

7. WEATHER AND WINDS-ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME AND PLACE OF

SIGHTING:

A. OBSERVERS' ACCOUNT: CLEAR, MOON AND STARS VISIBLE.

B. AWS ACCOUNT OF WIND DIRECTION AND VELOCITY IN DEGREES AND

KNOTS:

(1) 260/6

(2) 290/10

(3) 320/25

(4) 320/35

(5) 320/40

(6) 310/50

(7) 310/50

(8) UNKNOWN.

C. NONE.

D. FIFTEEN MILES PLUS.

E. NINE

F. NONE.

G. NINE DEGREE INVERSION FROM SURFACE TO 2500 FEET.

8. ANY OTHER UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITION: NONE.

9. INTERCEPTOR OR IDENTIFICATION ACTION TAKEN: NONE

10. AIR TRAFFIC AND BALLOON RELEASES IN THE AREA: UNKNOWN.

11. POSITION TITLE AND COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER:

INTELLIGENCE OFFICER. OBSERVER SAID OBJECT PASSED BETWEEN HER AND TREES. NO DATA ON POSSIBLE PROXIMITY OF POWER LINES. SOME MILITARY PERSONNEL OF OSCEOLA AFS WISCONSIN CLAIMED TO HAVE SEEN A BRIGHT OBJECT THE NIGHT OF THE SIGHTING.

12. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE: NONE.

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6 Oct 66

FTD (TDETR) HQ
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
7 October 1966

[redacted]
R F D # 1
Osceola, Wisconsin 54020

Dear Mr. [redacted]

Reference your unidentified observation of 6 October 1966. The information which we have received is not sufficient for evaluation. Request you, your wife and daughter complete the attached FTD Forms 164 and return them in the envelope provided.

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

Sincerely,

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Chief, Project Blue Book

TDETR
Office of Record

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1. When did you see the object?

5 (Day) Oct. (Month) 66 (Year)

2. Time of day: 11 (Hour) 35 (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?

OSCEOLA (Nearest Postal Address) OSCEOLA (City or Town) Wis (State or County)

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) _____ (Hours) 20 (Minutes) _____ (Seconds)

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

5.1 How was time in sight determined? WATCH

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
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f. Don't remember

FORM FTD OCT 62 164 This form supersedes FTD 164, Jul 61, which is obsolete.

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23° El

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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:

A BRIGHT ORANGE NEW MOON

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 _____

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?

NO

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:

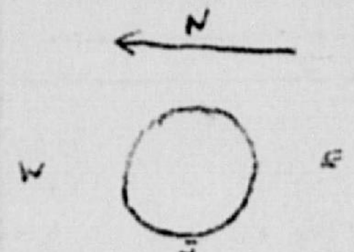
a. Sound NONE

b. Color ORANGE

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 ½

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.



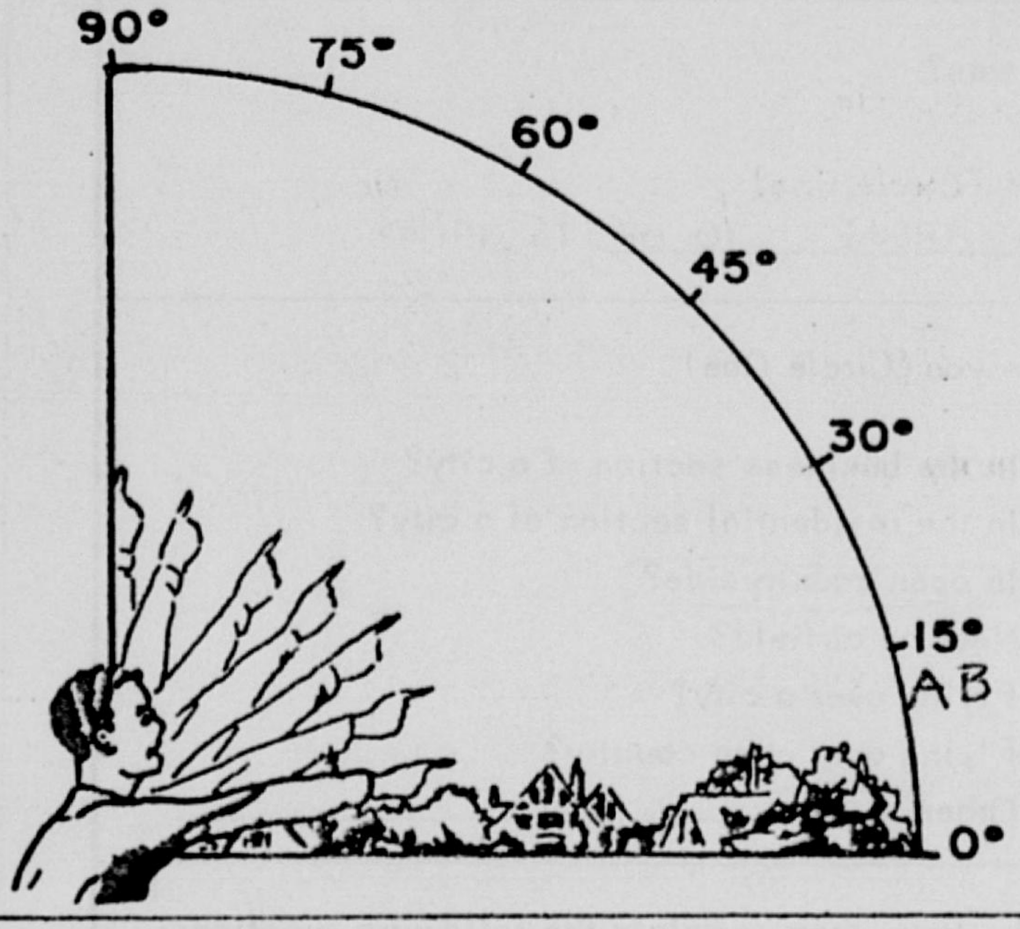
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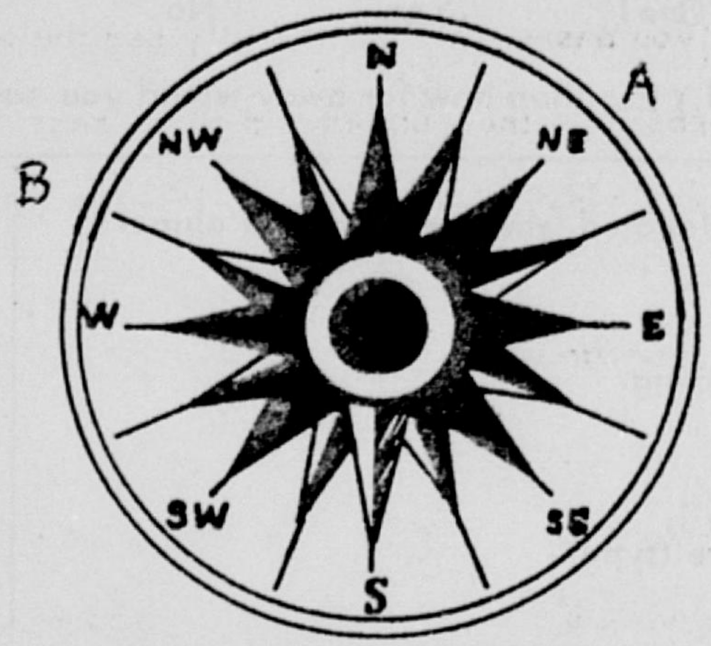


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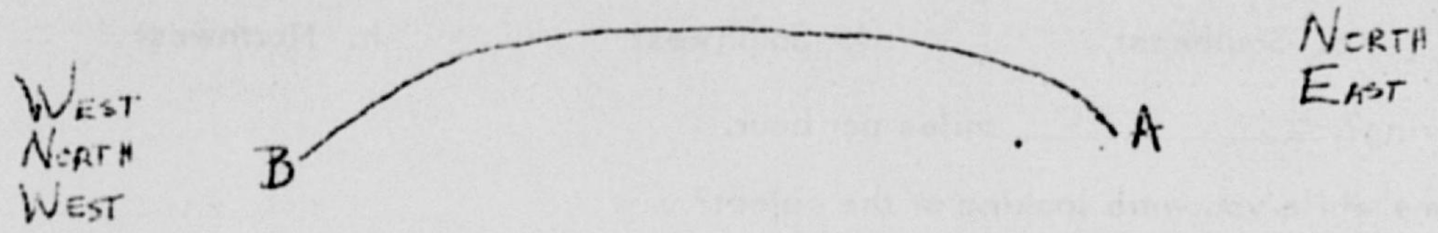
LOOKING THROUGH FIELD GLASSES IT LOOKED KIND OF HAZY, BUT BRIGHT IN THE MIDDLE.

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? _____
Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

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? VERY FAST

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? ABOUT 10 OR 15 MILES

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) ALL DIRECTIONS

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

24.2 How fast were you moving? APPROX. 30 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.

WHEN IT WAS STATIONARY IT APPEARED AS A VERY SMALL BRIGHT ORANGE MOON

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 14 (Day) Oct. (Month) 66 (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.

When it was first sighted it was in the N.E and stationary. It was stationary about 10 Minutes, then suddenly took off very fast and moved sto the W.N.W, When in the North it suddenly looked white on the right side, then seemed to go back to the orginal orange again as it moved on.

By this time we were home and ran to get the field glasses and looked at it through them, Thats when you could see it was not round as it appeard with the naked eye, but was flatter on the bottom. It was getting farther away and smaller as we watched it.

M/y parents did not see it till Mrs. Johnson and I reached home and drew their attention to it.

Did they ever see it move while they were standing still?

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:

Mr. [redacted] Osceola, Wis
Mrs. " " " [redacted] "
Miss. [redacted] Amery, Wis.

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

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

ADDRESS [redacted] (Street) Osceola (City) ___ (Zone) Wis. (State)

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 25 SEX F

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?

5 (Day) Oct (Month) 61 (Year)

Osceola Radar Station
Osceola. Wis.