PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE · TIME GROUP 29 Mar 67 2315Z	2. LOCATION Waterbury, Conn. (1 witness)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Possible (Hot Air) BALLOON
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION None Stated	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer stated that the object appeared as a cigar shaped with a dome at the bottom and at the top. Object appeared white. The Cigar appeared white and the domes appeared to be red. Object appeared transparent with white and red lights inside. The object blinked on and off every 2 seconds. Object disappeared to the south.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE South	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM
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POSSIBLE
(HOT AIR BALLOON)

29 Mar 67
Waterbury, C

[redacted]
Waterbury, Connecticut 06706
March 29, 1967

Dear Sir,

I hope the following report will aid you in your investigation of UFO's.

Name: [redacted]
Address: same as above
Telephone: [redacted]
Occupation: student (at present, in 10th grade)
Age: 16
Date of observation: March 29, 1967
Time: 8:11-8:15 PM (EST)
Locality of observer: on second floor, in house at above address
Weather: clear night, stars visible, no moon or wind
Number of objects: one
Details: with naked eye, object appeared as a 0.0 magnitude star, with binoculars, object appeared cigar-shaped, with domes on top and bottom
Color: with naked eye, object appeared white, like a star, with binoculars, cigar was white and domes were red
Illumination: object appeared transparent with white and red lights within, when viewed through binoculars
Sound: none
Maneuvers: Object first observed traveling south over Town Plot (a hill in Waterbury), near forested area of Town Plot object turned left, traveling east (at this time, use of binoculars began). When object was almost directly south of observer, object turned (up to this time, illumination of object did not increase or decrease in brightness) and began to fade, probably traveling directly south (at this time, use of binoculars discontinued). Object gradually faded and disappeared, not to be seen again.

During entire sighting, object blinked off and on, approximately once every two seconds.

During entire sighting, object remained at same level, approximately 20 to 30 degrees above the horizon.

Speed: steady speed, slower than a piston plane
Other observers: Mrs. Stanley Horzepa (my mother), (same address as above)
Additional information: When observed with naked eye, object appeared as a star, with binoculars, object appeared somewhat fuzzy.

At time of sighting, no conventional aircraft was observed in area.

Object was first observed, when I happened to glance towards Town Plot, while I was star-gazing with a telescope. (I tried, unsuccessfully, to observe object through telescope)

Object was called to the attention of second observer at 8:12 PM. Third person (my sister) was called, arrived at time when object was fading, but was not able to definitely observe object.

See second page for sketches.

Your identification or conclusion of this sighting would be appreciated. Please inform me of such information.

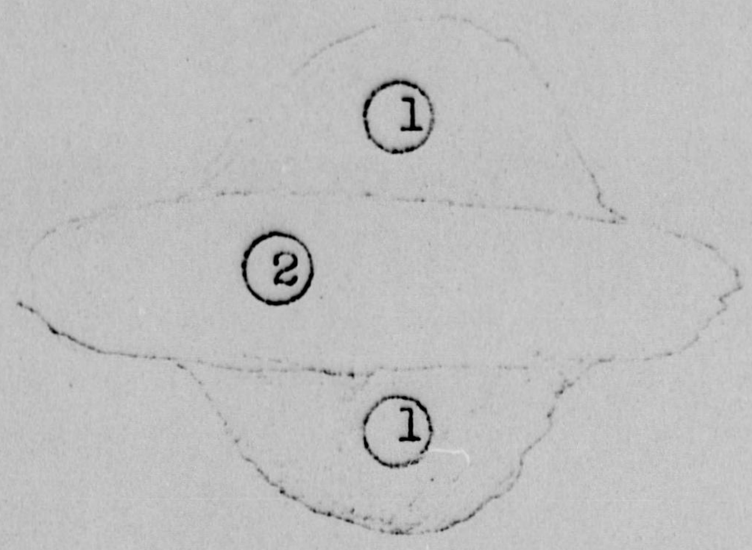
Sincerely,

[redacted]

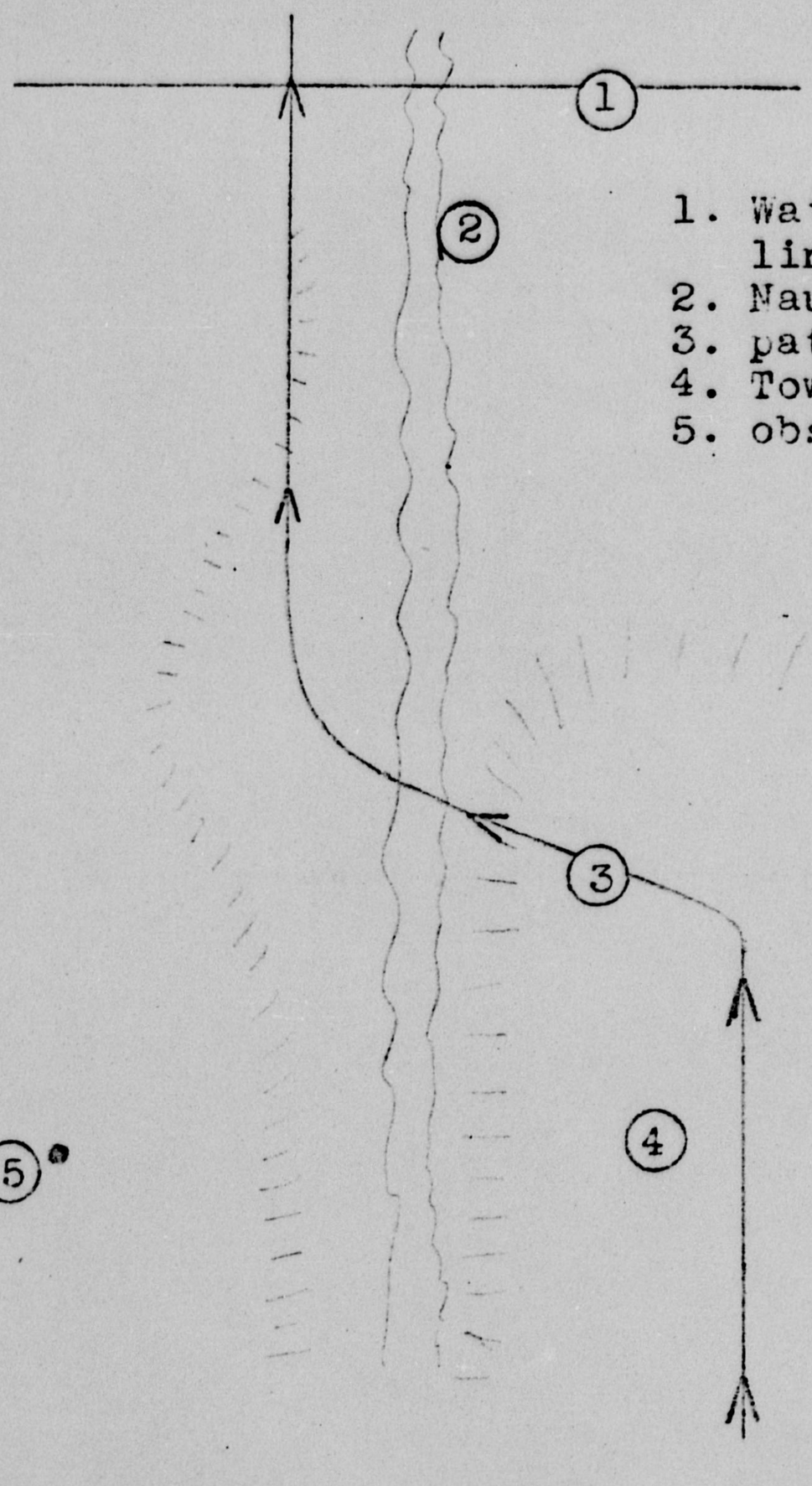
Sketches (drawn by observer)

Sketch of object as seen through binoculars (greatly enlarged)

1. red domes
2. white cigar-shaped area



Sketch of approximate path of object (1 inch equals about ¼ mile)



1. Waterbury-Naugatuck town-line
2. Naugatuck River
3. path of object
4. Town Plot
5. observer's location