

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 10 August 1956	2. LOCATION Washington, D. C.	12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical Mars <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 10/0510Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION one hour, still visible	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE stationary
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One reddish to bright amber obj which varied in shape fm circular to a cigar or pinpoint of light. Obj was abt. size of dime at arm's length & seemed to elongate at times & had depth. Erratic pendulum movement (E-W, up down) was noticed. Light intensity of obj decreased as obj gained alt. Intense light clearly different fm visible stars. Obj was initially sighted at approx 70 dgr elevation in a northeasterly direction. Viewed visually for 1 hr still visible in approx same position when source stopped		11. COMMENTS Description of sighting could conceivably conform to criteria for an astro (star). Mars in East at 30 dgr elevation.
		REVIEWED BY Director, Aerospace Studies ATTN. Archives Branch Maxwell AFB, Alabama

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 25 SEP 52)

POSITION WHEN SOURCE STOPPED

10 Aug = 10 Aug 56

ACTION

IN

10 AUG 1956 08 19

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Afro
EWA

ACB78

UFP141 YD1.1 TYC127 TDB228NQB294

TO RJEDEV KJEDUM

TO RJEDEV

(1) 6152

RJEDEV AFMOSC

TO RJEDEV/WHITE WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

WHITE/WRIGHT AFB COLORADO

THIS IS THE 21 THIS AM UTOB MESSAGE. 41691 PARA ONE IS ADDED

ONE, (1) ON PENDULUM OF LIGHT; (2) SIGHT; (3) VIBRATION OF LIGHT

PARA TWO: (1) COULD NOT HEAR; (2) COULD HEAR

PARA THREE: (1) LIFTED UP; (2) SWUNG APPROX 70 DEG, NO

SWING; (3) SWING; (4) ELLIPTIC PENDULUM EAST-WEST, WHICH MOVED UP AND

DOWN. ← charante (balloons)

LIGHT VARIED IN INTENSITY AS OBJECT INCREASED ALTITUDE,

WEAKER UP AND STRONGER DOWN. INTENSE LIGHT CLEARLY DIFFERENT FROM

VISIBLE STARS; (5) APPARENT AND HOUND. SOURCE THEN WENT INTO HIS HOUSE.

IS STILL VISIBLE AT TIME. PARA THREE: (1) GROUND-VISUAL; (2) NOISE;

(3) COULD SEE; (4) APPROX 1.51 Z; (5)

1000 feet

ASTRO
VEGA
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PAGE TWO - SOURCE SEE

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LIGHT; COLOR: S;

N/E WASHINGTON, DC.. PARA SIX: AD DR. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], N/E, WASHINGTON, DC. DENTIST; WIFE, AND
SISTER-IN-LAW, [REDACTED], SAME ADDRESS. NOTE: [REDACTED] ASKED
HIS NAME NOT BE USED THIS CASE IN ANY PUBLIC RELEASE; BD ADD'L SOURCE
WHILE STANDING OUTSIDE AT FORT MEYER, VA (WASH. DC) GLANCED UP
momentarily and observed object a previously described time was apprx

(Q412) [REDACTED] A/1C USAF, AFON N215 HQ USAF, CABLE DISTRIBUTOR

SIXTY, 1000-1000, SEVEN: BD RADAR-CLEAR; BD AMS AIRMEN AFDS:

100/01; 100/02; 100/03; 100/04; 100/05; 100/06; 100/07. TIME: *Left*
Conditions
100/01, 1000-1000, SOURCE REPORTING DISCONTINUOUS IN NEXUS; BD SEVEN IN RADAR

100/02, 1000-1000, SOURCE LOCATED 3/4 MILE WEST OF RESIDENCE, SOURCE REPORTING RADAR

100/03, 1000-1000, SOURCE LOCATED 3/4 MILE WEST OF RESIDENCE, SOURCE REPORTING RADAR

100/04, 1000-1000, SOURCE LOCATED 3/4 MILE WEST OF RESIDENCE, SOURCE REPORTING RADAR

100/05, 1000-1000, SOURCE LOCATED 3/4 MILE WEST OF RESIDENCE, SOURCE REPORTING RADAR

100/06, 1000-1000, SOURCE LOCATED 3/4 MILE WEST OF RESIDENCE, SOURCE REPORTING RADAR

100/07, 1000-1000, SOURCE LOCATED 3/4 MILE WEST OF RESIDENCE, SOURCE REPORTING RADAR

100/08, SOURCE PARA SIX-A REPORTED CIVIL AIR TRAFFIC

IMPATIENT OVER RESIDENCE AT EST ALTITUDE 1500 FEET. OBJECT

DEFINITELY WAS NOT ACTL LIGHT, AND WAS ABOVE

1000' above ground sea

could not identify animals or birds. Sawed log found

in hole - 10' long, 10" wide, 10" thick.

Inside hole - no debris, no bones, no shells.

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1000' above ground sea

note no sighted above land
below ground - approximate each other.

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