PROJECT 10073 RECORD

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1. DATE - TIME GROUP 6 May 1949 6/2040-2130(L)	2. LOCATION Camp Hood, Texas
3. SOURCE Ono (Military)	10. CONCLUSION 1. Astro (VENUS)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Ono	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 50 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object was just a brilliant light. Pinkish to green and round. Appeared as if were constantly spinning, alternating red, green and white.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE West & North	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☐ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☐ No	

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ETD SEP 43 0-909 (TDS) Previous editions of this form [illegible].

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1. Date of Observation 6 May 1949 Date of Interview _____
2. Exact Time (local) 2040-2130
3. Place of Observation Camp Hood, Texas (OP-1-2-3-4)
4. Position of observer Ground
5. What attracted attention to object Brilliant Light
6. Number of objects One
7. Apparent size 1/2 Dollar, diminishing to quarter at arms length
8. Color of object Pinkish to green
9. Shape Round
10. Altitude 440-1,200 ft
11. Direction from observer 5,200 miles (292.5°)
12. Distance from observer 4,000 yds
13. Direction of flight of object(s) West & North 300 or 400 yds back and forth
14. Time in sight 50 min.
15. Speed very slow
16. Sound and odor None
17. Trail None
18. Luminosity Brighter than star
19. Projections None
20. Maneuvers Slow lowering of altitude
21. Manner of disappearance faded from view
22. Effect on Clouds none
23. Additional information concerning object Seemed as if were constantly spinning, alternating red green and white
24. Weather Conditions Clear visibility unlimited

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Name and address of observer: Lt. [redacted], Hq 11th A.F.A. Bn

Occupation and hobbies: Task Forces Commander
USA Officer

Comments of Interrogator relative to intelligence and character of observer(s):

NARRATIVE SUMMARY:

Object viewed with naked eye. Field glasses & BC Scope

CONTROL NO.	SUBJECT: Ltr	DECIMAL FILE NO.	FOLLOW UP ON
Q-1206	Unidentified Aerial Phenomena (Cor G-2657		DATE

FROM: HQ Forth Army Texas
TO: IAXS
DATED 5/27/49
NO. INCLS. 1

RECORDING DESK AAT-1
DATE RECORDED 5/24/49
HOUR 1430

	ROUTED TO	SUSPENSE DATE	ESTABLISHED BY (INITIALS)	DATE
1	IAXS	N/R	RWT	15 m
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DATE OF REPLY	OTHER DISPOSITION:	TRANSMITTAL AMC FORM NO. 10-2 (20 NOV. 47) SEE OTHER SIDE FOR REMARKS

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HEADQUARTERS FOURTH ARMY
FORT SAM HOUSTON, TEXAS

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17 May 1949

SUBJECT: Unidentified Aerial Phenomena

TO: Commanding General
Air Materiel Command
Wright Patterson Air Force Base
Dayton, Ohio
ATTN: M.C.I.

1. References:

a. Letter, Director of Intelligence, General Staff, United States Army, CSGID 452.1, 25 March 1948, subject, "Unconventional Aircraft," and to Control No. A-1917.

b. 1st Indorsement, Commanding General, Air Materiel Command, Wright Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio, MCIAXO-3, 25 March 1949, to letter, Headquarters Fourth Army, 452.1 AKADB, subject, "Unconventional Aircraft," 15 March 1949.

2. The inclosed "Guide to Investigation" re unusual light observed at Camp Hood, Texas, 6 May 1949, is forwarded for your information and any action deemed necessary.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl
As stated

MAX H. GOOLER
Colonel, GSC
Actg AC of S, G-2

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Q-1105 | Unidentified Aerial Phenomena (Cor | G-2659 | DATE

FROM: HQ Forth Army Texas | DATED 5/27/49

TO: IAXS | NO. INCLS. 1

RECORDING DESK AXT-1 | DATE RECORDED 5/24/49 | HOUR 1430

ROUTED TO	SUSPENSE DATE	ESTABLISHED BY (INITIALS)	DATE
1 IAXS	N/R	[illegible]	[illegible]
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DATE OF REPLY | OTHER DISPOSITION:

TRANSMITTAL AMC FORM NO. 10-2 23 NOV 47 SEE OTHER SIDE FOR REMARKS

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give details:)

OP--Crossville No. 1-2-3-4

5. What attracted attention to object: Brilliant Light

6. Number of objects and sketch of formation or grouping: One

7. Apparent size (compare to known object, i.e., sun, moon, thumb or fist at arms length): Half dollar diminishing to short quarter size

8. Color of object: Alternating pinkish to green

9. Shape (give graphic description - compare with known object): Round

10. Altitude (Angle of elevation above horizon - 0° at horizon, 90° overhead): Approximately 1,200 ft dropping to 440 ft

11. Direction from observer (Angle clockwise from north): 5,200 mils

12. Distance from observer (distance to town, bldg, etc., over which object appeared to be): 4,000 yards

13. Direction of flight of object (s): West and north 300 or 400 yards back and forth.

14. Time in sight: 50 minutes

15. Speed (time to cover given angular distance): Very slow

16. Sound and odor: None

17. Trail (color, length, width, persistence, etc.) None

18. Luminosity (visible by reflection, incandescence, other - degree of brilliance): Very brilliant--brighter than any star visible.

19. Projections (fins, wings, rods, antennae, canopies, etc.): None

20. Maneuvers (turns, climbs, dives, etc - sketch of flight path): Slow lowering of altitude [redacted]

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21. Manner of disappearance: Faded from sight. Grew smaller

22. Effect on clouds: Not observed.

23. Additional information concerning object: Seemed as if it were constantly spinning, alternating red, green, and white.

24. Weather conditions and light at time of sighting: Clear visibility unlimited.

25. Name and address of observer: Lt. [redacted] Hq 14th A.F.A. Bn

Occupation and hobbies: Task Forces Commander

Comments of interrogator relative to intelligence and character of observer (check neighbors, police dept, FBI records, employer, etc.)

Did observer wear glasses, especially polaroid glasses at time of sighting, or was object viewed through canopy, window, or other transparent material?

Object was viewed with naked eye, field glasses, and BC Scope.

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