

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 16 July 1954		2. LOCATION Wilmington, Delaware		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical VENUS ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 17/0301Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian (GOC)			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 28 Minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1		9. COURSE West	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Star like object - sank gradually - no radial movement. Gold with red tinge, sinking in west (270 deg).				11. COMMENTS I.O evaluates as bright star. Venus setting in west at time of the report.	

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QWY

YDC119

TYD105

TDE065

JEPNL 050

RR JEDEN JEDWP JEPHQ 333

DE JEPNLC 07P

R 191214Z

FM COMDR 525 AIR DEF GP NCCA WILM DEL

TO JEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO

INFO JEDWP/COMDR ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

JEPHQ/COFS USAF WASHDC

/U N C L A S/GPOT 1383 PD ATTN USAF DIR OF INTELLIGENCE PD THE FOLLOWING
INFORMATION IS SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF AFR 200-2 CMM
DATED 26 AUG 53 PD

1. A. ROUND

B. LARGE PEA

C. BRILLIANT WITH GOLD AND RED TINGE

D. ONE

E. N/A

F. NONE

G. NONE

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ACTION

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ATIAES
E. Atia
G. Atty-2
H. R. file

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7. A. CLEAR CMM LIGHT WIND

B. SURFACE 330 AT 12 K 30CMM000 CMM 320 AT 40K

5CMM000 360 AT 10K 50CMM000 CMM 330 AT 70K

10CMM000 315 AT 20K

16CMM000 310 AT 30K

20CMM000 310 AT 35K

C. CLEAR

D. 15

E. LESS THAN ONE-TENTH CUMLUS AT 5CMM000 FEET

F. N/A

8. MARS VERY BRIGHT CLN DOWNTOWN STORE USING SEARCHLIGHT FOR
ADVERTISING

9. NONE

10. NO INTERCEPTION PD 770TH AC&W SQUADRON AT PALERMO RECORDED NO
UNUSUAL TRACKS PD

11. NEGATIVE

12. INTELLIGENCE OFFICER PD OBSERVER REPORTS SEEING SAME PHENOMENON
LAST FALL PD PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS PD OBJECT MADE NO SOUND CMM NO
MOVEMENT OTHER THAN GRADUALLY SINKING SMCLN BELIEVE OBSERVER SAW
BRIGHT STAR PD

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- H. NONE
- I. FUZZY OUTLINE
- 2. A. OBSERVER WAS LOOKING FOR UNUSUAL OBJECTS
 - B. ELEVATION 50 DEGREES AZIMUTH 270 DEGREES
 - C. ELEVATION 20 DEGREES AZIMUTH 270 DEGREES
 - D. OBJECT GRADUALLY SANK
 - E. SANK BELOW A LINE OF TREES
 - F. 28 MINUTES
- 3. A. GOUND VISUAL
 - B. NONE
 - C. N/A
- 4. A. 17/0301Z/JUL 54
 - B. NIGHT
- 5. WILMINGTON CMM DELAWARE
- 6. A. MRS [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
WILMINGTON CMM DELAWARE
HOUSEWIFE AND ELEVATOR OPERATOR
MEMBER GOC AND LOCAL UFOB SPOTTERS ASSOCIATION
- B. N/A