

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 4 Feb 53 5/0200Z	2. LOCATION Lancaster, Pa
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR EVALUATION Comments: Both Mars & Venus in West. Color more closely associated with Mars, however insufficient data.
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION - - -	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Orange coloredobj estimated to be 3 times the size of a star hovered several minutes 30 deg above the horizon then flew out of sight.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ground visual	
7. COURSE W	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☐ No	ALSO OBSERVED OBJECT 1 FEB, 1953

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1953 FEB 5

10:25

OPERATIONAL IMMEDIATE

WPB84

YMA63

Witness

JEDLS A015

OPOP JEPHQ JEDWP JEDEN 333

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EXTRACTED

*NR 1. Atia
2. Atia
3. files*

DE JEDLS 1B

OP 050130Z

FM CO FLTOPNS OLMSTED AFB MIDDLETOWN PENN

TO JEPHQ/DIR OF INTEL HQS USAF WASHDC

JEDWP/CG WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OHIO

INFO JEDWP/CG AMC WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OHIO

JEDEN/CG ENT AFB COLORADO SPRINGS COLO

ATTN AT1AA-2 MBEBF-2-2-E 4 FEB AT APRX 2100E MR JOHN RIPPLE

LANCASTER R D 6 REPORTED SIGHTING AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

719806
14 MILES WEST OF LANCASTER PA. HE REPORTED IT TO BE ABOUT THE SIZE
OF THREE STARS AND ORANGE IN COLOR. IT WAS APRX 30 DEGREES ABOVE
THE HORIZON AND HOVERED SEVERAL MINUTES THEN FLEW OUT OF SIGHT TO
THE WEST. THE WEATHER AT LANCASTER WAS CLEAR AND 15 MILES
VISIBILITY.

05/0512Z FEB JEDLS

*AT 10
04/2100E
LANCASTER PA*

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