

1. DATE & TIME GROUP 21 Feb 53 22/0420	2. LOCATION Green Bay, Wisc.
3. SOURCE Varied	10. CONCLUSION Astro (ARCTURUS)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 Hrs 40 Min.	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Red light was observed approx 25° above horizon appearing to change colors. Object moved S and color changes stopped as it came nearer. At 2230 object appeared to be 40° above horizon where it stayed. Object was observed by various people in the vicinity.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	COMMENTS: The fact that the object was observed for so long plus its slow movement gives it all the characteristics of a bright star. Arcturus in position reported.
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

Multiple

[REDACTED]

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DETACHMENT 9
4671st Ground Observer Squadron
1120 North Irwin Avenue, Green Bay, Wisconsin

GOSP 319.1

25 February 1953

SUBJECT: (Restricted) FLYOBRPT

THRU: Commanding Officer
4671st Ground Observer Squadron
Willow Run Airport
Belleville, Michigan

TO: Director of Intelligence
Headquarters USAF
Washington 25, D.C.

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1. On 21 February 1953, a call was received in the Green Bay Filter Center at 2125 hours by Al [REDACTED]. The person making this call was Mrs [REDACTED], Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin.

2. Mrs [REDACTED] is the supervisor of the observation post in Sturgeon Bay and is also well versed on aerial phenomena. She reported an object north as west of Sturgeon Bay, Geographic Reference Grid System, Coca Quash 1250, about twelve (12) degrees above the horizon. This object was changing colors, white, red, and a flash of green. It was moving away and to the west and was out of sight in approximately thirty minutes. Its size was compared to a street light about five blocks away.

3. Mrs [REDACTED] attention was called to this object by a call from Mrs [REDACTED] of Fish Creek, Wisconsin. This is the information just as it was given:

a. At 2120 Mrs [REDACTED] twin boys called her outside to view a strange light in the sky. She described it as being a red light like the tail light of a car, and said that it was about as big as a tail light at one block distance. She said it appeared to be at about the tip of Chambers Island and traveling north west. She went inside to get a telescope but when she got out it was gone. It had been viewed just a few degrees above the horizon and appeared to be out over Green Bay.

b. Immediately after Mrs [REDACTED] call, military personnel at this detachment went out and could also observe a similar sight. The object that was observed at Green Bay was about twenty (20) degrees east north east and twenty-five (25) degrees above the horizon and

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