

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 14 Jul 58		2. LOCATION Xenia-Bellbrook, Ohio		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 4:30 to 5:30 A.M. GMT 11/0930Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar Binoculars			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 hr		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1 & appeared as three (3)		9. COURSE stationary	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Obj which appeared as a bright star, and often appeared as three lights.				11. COMMENTS Astro-check made--Venus.	

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4:30 to 5:30 local
14/0730 Z

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MEMO FOR CASE FILE - 15 July 1958, Xenia, Ohio

SUBJECT: Telephone Interview of Source - Mrs. [REDACTED]

1. After two days of attempting to contact this person, reached at 10:30 A.M. this date.

2. After explaining that we cannot do much with only a report of some lights seen in the general vicinity of Xenia, without specific information as to direction, bearings, locations, altitudes, etc., Mrs. [REDACTED] gave the following additional data:

a. Object in sight from about 4:30 to 5:30 A.M.

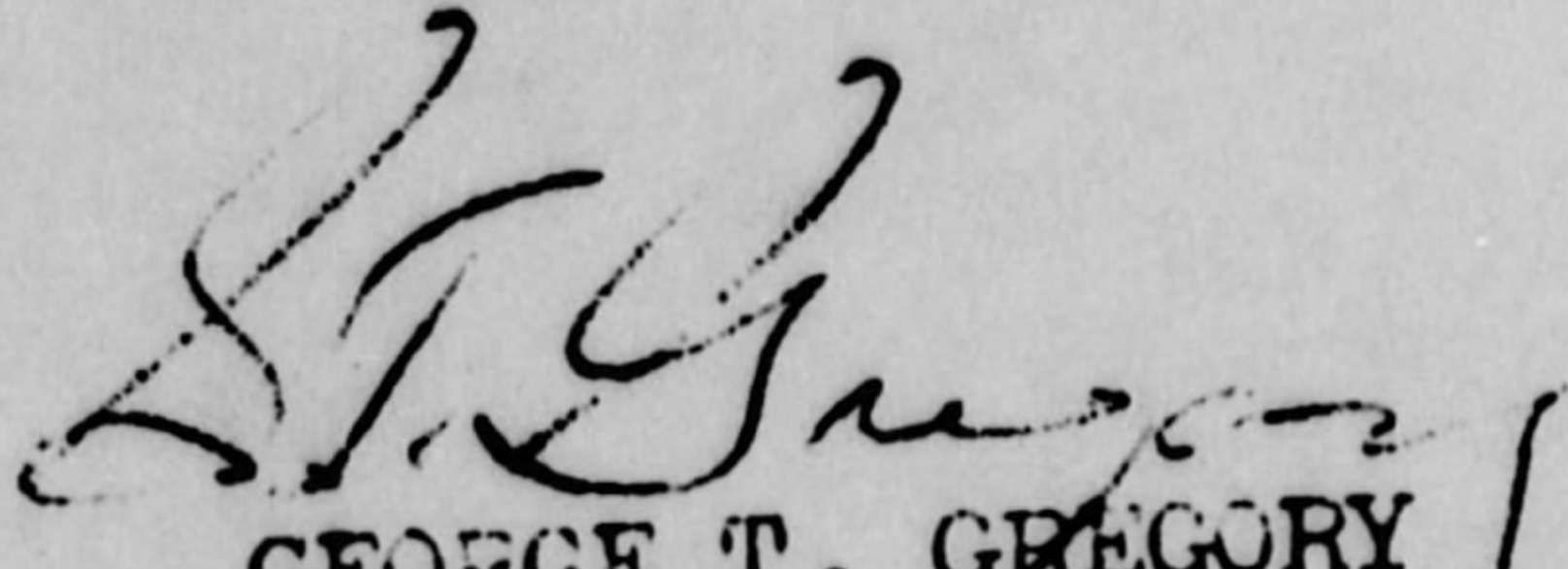
b. Was not sure of direction but believed to be East Northeast. (Astro computers and tables show Venus rising out of the Northeast (LHA 93 degrees)) at that time. WX conditions such that it appeared highly magnified.

c. Object looked like a very bright star - often appeared as three lights.

d. There were clouds in the area during the last half of the sighting and light faded out when clouds moved in front of it.

3. She asked if anyone else reported it. Replied that nothing unusual reported by local radar, flights in the air (B-47), COC or other persons.

4. Checks and analysis: As object was reported in same position for one hour - Astro check made. See Par. 2 b. above. *Venus only*


GEORGE T. GREGORY
Captain, USAF

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15 July 1958

Name if possible in interest
for more info

At 0420 hrs. this date I was in the [redacted] P.
[redacted] and said somebody had reported
3 lights in the vicinity of Xena [redacted] (by use of [redacted])
said that a 27 [redacted] could have been in
that vicinity at the time, and the object could
have possibly been the landing lights.

where was observer located when
he saw the object?
what was the direction, bearings,
elevation of object?

At 0435 hrs. Jones called about the same
report, and gave the name of a [redacted]
of Belknap, Ohio, phone [redacted] as the
reporter.

Call tomorrow Insult Info.
(although probably correct)

Re [redacted] from [redacted]
[redacted] [redacted] SDO

What was he doing out at 4:30 in the morning
with a pair of binoculars

Nothing here to
a light [redacted] can
remember [redacted] between 4:20
[redacted] ?