

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 5 Apr 59		2. LOCATION Dallas, Texas		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☒ Possibly Astronomical Mars ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1852 GMT 06/0020 - 0050		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 mins		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1 breaking into 3		9. COURSE None	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Rnd obj, size of dime, turned fm shiney silver to deep red. One obj broke into three major objs. No definite formation.				11. COMMENTS The witness probably saw the planet Mars. A very high haze layer is probably responsible for the illusion that the obj broke up, and for its fading. The long period of time that the obj was visible & apparent absence of motion supports this conclusion. Mars was at a position coincident with that rptd by the witness.	

TELEPHONED
TO ATC 00
NO. 71222
TIME 192332Z
Date 07 Apr 59
By 07 Apr 59

CZCSQD433ZSWY0944

MAR 9 23 26 59

10 APR 59 07 31

PP RJEDSQ

DE RJWFHWW 9

P 092025Z

FM COMDR 745TH ACWRON DUNCNAVILLE AFS TEX

TO RJWFAL/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO

RJWFHW/COMDR 33D ADIV OKCTY AFS OKLA

RJEDSQ/COMDR ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RJEZHQ/ASST CHIEF OF STAFF INTELL HDQ USAF WASH DC

RJEZHQ/OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES HDQ USAF WASH DC

INFO RJWFAL/COMDR 1006TH AISS ENT AFB COLO

BT

UNCLAS FM OPS 04-525 FOR 33RD ODI SUBJ: UFO

A. 1. ROUND

2. DIME

3. TURNED FROM SHINEY SILVER TO DEEP RED

4. ONE, BUT BROKE UP INTO THREE OTHER MAJOR OBJECTS.

5. NO DEFINATE FORMATION

6. NONE

7. NONE

8. NO

9. NEGATIVE

PAGE TWO RJWFHWW 9

E. 1

. WATCHING A B-47

2. 075 DEGS ELEVATION, 310 DEGS AZIMUTH

3. 075 DEGS ELEVATION 310 DEGS AZIMUTH

4. N/A

5. BROKE UP INTO THREE MAJOR PARTS, TURNED TO A DEEP RED
AND FADED OUT OF SIGHT.

6. APPROXIMATELY 30 MINUTES

14E48
3
44X22

52

G. 1. CLEAR

2. SURFACE 210 DEG AT 25 KTS. 6,000 FT-210 DEG AT 23 KTS
10,000 FT- 210 DEG AT 12 KTS. 16,000 FT- 250 DEG AT
20 KTS. 20, 000 FT-280 DEG AT 25 KTS. 30,000 FT-250 DEG
AT 61 KTS. 50,000 FT-320 DEG AT 8 KTS. 80,000 UNKNOWN

3. CLEAR

4. 15 MILES

5. CLEAR

6. NONE

H. 1. NEWS ARTICLE QUOTED FROM THE DALLAS TIMES HERALD ON 7 APR 59
QUOTE: METEOR FALLS NEAR FRESCO (TITLE) FOFFETT FIELD,
CALIFORNIA SKY LAST NIGHT (6 APR 59) AND APPARENTLY CRASHED
INTO A MOUNTAIN PEAK ABOUT 75 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SAN
FRANCISCO. OBSERVERS AT THE NAVAL AIR STATION HERE SAID
THEY SPOTTED THE OBJECT AT 8:45 P.M. (PST), AND IT APPEARED
TO BREAK INTO THREE PIECES. TWO PIECES APPARENTLY BURNED

PAGE FOUR RJWFHWW 9

OUT BUT THE THIRD PLUNGED TO THE GROUND IN THE PACHECO PASS
AREA BETWEEN GILROY AND LOS BANOS. ENQUOTE
(COMMENT) THE TIMES DO NOT AGREE WITH THE TIME THE INCIDENT
WAS REPORTED TO THIS STATION. EVERYTHING EXCEPT THIS AGREES
WITH THE OBSERVERS STATEMENT.

I. 1. N/A

J. 1. B-47 LOCATED IN THE AREA, BUT WAS OBSERVED BY THE REPORTER.

K. 1. DAVID A. SPALDING INTLL AIC. A/1C. IT IS BELIEVED THAT
THIS INCIDENT WAS EITHER THE SAME METEOR OR ANOTHER ONE
THAT FELL IN THIS AREA.

L. 1. N/A

BT

09/2040Z APR RJWFHWW

B. 1

. WATCHING A B-47

2. 075 DEGS ELEVATION, 310 DEGS AZIMUTH

3. 075 DEGS ELEVATION 310 DEGS AZIMUTH

4. N/A

5. BROKE UP INTO THREE MAJOR PARTS, TURNED TO A DEEP RED
AND FADED OUT OF SIGHT.

6. APPROXIMATELY 30 MINUTES

C. 1. GROUND-VISUAL

2. BINOCULARS, 7 POWER, SEARS ROEBUCK AND COMPANY

3. N/A

D. 1. 0020Z TO 0050Z 6 APR 59, *SUNSET - 1852 (LOCAL)*

2. DAY

3. 1. 22 46 ^{N 101} 96 49W. OAK CLIFF SECTION OF DALLAS TEXAS

F. Q. (A) [REDACTED] AGE 42, [REDACTED]
DALLAS 8, TEXAS. OCCUPATION-[REDACTED] OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDING CONSTRUCTION

(B) MRS [REDACTED] AGE 35, [REDACTED]
DALLAS 8, TEXAS. OCCUPATION HOSEWIFE.

(C) [REDACTED] AGE 14, [REDACTED]
DALLAS 8, TEXAS, OCCUPATION: STUDENT.

(D) [REDACTED] AGE 16, [REDACTED]

PAGE THREE RJWFHWW 9

DALLAS 8 TEXAS. OCCUPATION STUDENT

RELIABILITY: (FOR ALL OF ABOVE) THE RELIABILITY OF THE ABOVE
PERSONS ARE- RELIABLE, PROBABLY TRUE.

2. N/A

G. 1. CLEAR

2. SURFACE 210 DEG AT 25 KTS. 6,000 FT-210 DEG AT 23 KTS
10,000 FT- 210 DEG AT 12 KTS. 16,000 FT- 250 DEG AT
20 KTS. 20, 000 FT-280 DEG AT 25 KTS. 30,000 FT-250 DEG
AT 61 KTS. 50,000 FT-020 DEG AT 8 KTS. 80,000 UNKNOWN

3. CLEAR

4. 15 MILES

5. CLEAR