

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 28 Feb 67 - 1/0050Z ^{2110Z} *	2. LOCATION Cushing, Wisconsin 2
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro(Venus) <i>Prro. 7Hd</i> Venus was on Az of 260 deg at an El of 15 deg
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 25 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer watched a brightly colored object in the western sky for about 25 minutes. The object was disc shaped and all colors. A relative had seen a similar object on the previous night so the witness thought she could see it again. The object was slightly above the horizon in the western sky. The object was still in sight when the witness made her call to the local AFB. No radar contact with the object. The description is consistent with that of an astronomical observation. Venus was in the western sky and quite bright.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION (GND RADAR) Ground Visual (G+)	
7. COURSE Stationary	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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AFIN: 45380 (2 Mar 67) Q/crg

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ACTION: RDC-4 INFO : XOP-1, DIA-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, NIN-7(19) ADV CY DIA

SMB A134RTTU JAW RUCIHM0007 0602240-UUUU--RUEDHQA

ZNR UUUUU

R 012130Z

FM OSCOLA AFS WIS

TO RUWMFV & ADC INT AFB COLO

RUCIHM & 29 AIR DIV DULUTH INTL APRT MINN

RUEDF IF/ FTD WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RUEDHQ & CSAF WASH DC

RUEDH & OSAF WASH DC

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UNCLAS 674000 02056 MAR 67. FTD FOR TDETR, CSAF FOR AFRDC, OSAF
FOR SAF OI, 29 AD FOR INT. SUBJECT: INFORMATION ON UFO SIGHTING THIS
MESSAGE IN TWO PARTS. PART I. "UFO" THIS UNIT WAS CONTACTED 1 MARCH
67 AT 0110Z 67. MISS ~~JOHN A. LEE, JR., CUSHING WISCONSIN~~
MISS ~~JOHN A. LEE, JR.~~ WAS REFERRED TO HQ USAF, OFFICE OF INFORMATION PUBLIC
INFORMATION DIVISION FOR FURTHER INFORMATION. THIS ORGANIZATION DID
NOT CONFIRM, DENY OR ACKNOWLEDGE ANY QUESTIONS OR STATEMENTS MADE
CONCERNING THIS UFO SIGHTING, NOR DID IT CREATE THE IMPRESSION THAT
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A. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT.

- (1) ROUND DISC
- (2) UNABLE TO DETERMINE
- (3) ALL COLORS- GLOWE J

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- (4) ONE (1)
- (5) NO FORMATION
- (6) LIGHTS BLINK, IT GLOWS AND APPEARS TO REVOLVE
- (7) NONE
- (8) NONE
- (9) NONE

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT

- (1) OBSERVERS WERE LOOKING FOR OBJECT. A RELATIVE MR. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] HAD SEEN IT THE PREVIOUS NIGHT AT 0140Z, 28 FEB 67.
- (2) SLIGHTLY ABOVE THE HORIZON
- (3) COULD NOT ASCERTAIN
- (4) HOVERING-TEN (10) MILES WEST OF CUSHING, WISCONSIN
- (5) OBJECT WAS STILL IN SIGHT WHEN PHONE CALL WAS TERMINATED
- (6) TWENTY-FIVE (25) MINUTES.

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C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

- (1) GROUND-VISUAL
- (2) 10X35 POWER BINOCULARS

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- (3) DOES NOT APPLY

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

- (1) 0055Z 1 MARCH 67 (1830L, 28 FEB 67)
- (2) NIGHT

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS. IN THE TOWN OF CUSHING, WISCONSIN

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF OBSERVERS.

- (1) CIVILLIAN, ~~SARON~~ 20 YEARS OLD, ~~CUSHING~~ WISCONSIN. MRS ~~ELM~~, HER MOTHER ALSO OBSERVED THE OBJECT
- (2) DOES NOT APPLY

G. WEATHER AND WINDS ALFT CONDITIONS AT TIME OF SIGHTING

- (1) CLEAR-STARS VISIBLE
- (2) (A) SURFACE-VARIABLE-5 KNOTS
- (B) 5,000-330/15-MINUS 12 DEGREES
- (C) 10,000-330/40-MINUS 18 DEGREES
- (D) 16,000-320/60-MINUS 25 DEGREES
- (E) 20,000-330/70-MINUS 34 DEGREES

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(F) 30,000-320/100-MINUS 51 DEGREES

(G) 50,000-300/60-MINUS 52 DEGREES

(#H) 80,000-NOT AVAILABLE

(3) CLEAR

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(3) CLEAR

(4) UNLIMITED

(5) NONE

(6) NONE

(7) SEE ABOVE

H. NONE

I. NONE

J. WATCH SUPERVISOR AT FRAMINGTON ARTCC CONTACTED. NO AIRCRAFT IN
THE AREA OF THE SIGHTING

K. POSITION TITLE AND COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER

(1) COMMUNICATIONS-ELECTRONICS OFFICER

(A) NO UNUSUAL SIGHTINGS OBSERVED ON SEARCH, HEIGHT
FINDER OR GAP FILLER RADARS AT THIS UNIT.

(B) MR. [REDACTED] AT GRANTSBURG, WIS.

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RANGER STATION WAS CONTACTED 1 MARCH 67. MR. [REDACTED] INFORMED
ME A RADIO TOWER WITH A BEACON IS LOCATED AT SUNRISE
MINNESOTA THE LOCATION OF THIS BEACON WOULD BE APPROXIMATELY
260 DEGREES AND BETWEEN TEN AND FIFTEEN MILES FROM
CUSHING, WISCONSIN

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION (AFSC)
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO 45433

27 Feb 67

REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TDET/UFO

15 March 1967

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 27 Feb 67

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TO: Mr. E. [REDACTED]
General Delivery
Cushing, Wisconsin 54006

Cushing, Wisconsin
28/01/67

Reference your unidentified observation. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

JAMES C. MANATT, Colonel, USAF
Director of Technology and Subsystems

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FTD Form 164 w/envelope

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ACTION: RDC-4, INFO: XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, NIN-7, DIA/JCS-1, (19)
SMB B180CZCSVA250

PTTU ZYY RUCIHM0006 0590730-UUUU-RUEDHQA.

PTTU JAW RUCIHM0006 0590730-UUUU-RUWMFVA RUEDFIA RUEAHQA.

ZNR UUUUU

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RED LIGHTS OR GLARE APPEARED STEADY AND REVOLVED. (4) ONE (1)) (5) N/A
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ACTION: RDC-4 INFO: XOP-1, XOP-2, SAFOS-3, NIN-7, DIA-1 (19) ADV CY DIA- JCS
SMB A134TE

PTTU JAW RUC IHMH0007 0590730-UUUU--RUEDHQA

ZNR UUUUU

P 2805615Z

FM 90SCEOLA AFS WIS

TO RUWMFV ADC ENT AFB COLO

RUC IHMA/29 AIR DIV DULUTH INTL APRT MINN

RUEDFI AF TO WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RUEDHQA/CSAF WASH DC

RUEDHQA/CSAF WASH DC

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AT 02.5Z BY MR. [REDACTED], LUCK, WISCONSIN,
CONCERNING UFO OCCURRING 28 FEB 0215Z AT CUSHING WIS. MR. [REDACTED]
WAS REFERRED TO HQ USAF, OFFIC OF INFORMATION PUBLIC INFORMATION DIVIS
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WOULD WITH HOLD ANY INFORMATION. PART II. REPORT IS SUBMITTED IN
FORMAT IN PARA 11, AFR 80-17. A(1) ONE(1) (5) N/A (6) NONE GIVEN.
77) TAIL, SIZE NOT GIVEN (8) NONE (9) EXTREMELY BRIGHT STEADY GLOW.
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B. (1) OBJECT FOLLOWED OBSERVER DOWN THE ROAD AS HE WAS DRIVING A
SNOWMOBILE (2) NOT GIVEN (3) NOT GIVEN (4) HOVERED ABOUT ONE (1)
MI HIGH. IT THEN APPEARED TO START DESCENDING ON OBSERVER. AN AUTO-
MOBILE APPROACHED. THE OBJECT MOVED STRAIGHT UP AT THAT TIME. WHEN AUTO
WAS OUT OF OBSERVER'S SIGHT, OBJECT THEN DESCENDED (5) FADED INTO
THE HORIZON IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION OVER CUSHING, WISCONSIN (6)
FIVE (5) MINUTES. C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL (2) NONE USED (3) 9228 W-453 ON
THREE AND ONE-HALF (3 1/2) MI WEST OF LUCK, WISCONSIN. F (1) MR [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] ADULT, [REDACTED] LUCK, WISCONSIN EMPLOYED BY BANK OF
DRESSER, DRESSER, WISCONSIN. PHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] LUCK, WISCONSIN.
(2) N/A G (1) CLEAR (2) CLEAR, 6,000-330/25, 10,000-320/30, 16,000-
330/45, 20,000-330/45, 20,000-330/60, 30,000-330/75, 50,000-310/60,
80,000-NOT AVAILABLE (3) NONE (4) UNLIMITED (5) NONE (6) NONE (7)
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35,000-50, 40,000-51, 45,000-56, 50,000-51. H. NONE I. NONE J. NONE
K. COMMUNICATIONS AND ELECTRONICS OFFICER. WATCH SUPERVISOR AT

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FARMINGTON MINNESOTA AIR ROUTE TRAFFIC CONTROL CENTER WAS CONTACTED.
HE STATED THERE WAS NO TRAFFIC IN THE CUSHING ARE TO HIS KNOWLEDGE.
NO UNUSUAL SIGHTINGS OBSERVED ON SEARCH, HEIGHT FINDER OR GAP
FILLER RADARS AT THIS UNIT.

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