

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 27 October 1957		2. LOCATION N of Carlinville, Missouri		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 _____ GMT 27/2300Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar Binoculars ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 20 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE SSW	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Rectangular object, bright red-orange moving up & down, but remaining in same general direction.				11. COMMENTS The position, azimuth and elevation given are almost precisely the location of Venus. While we cannot account for the rectangular appearance, clouds & other weather conditions, particularly when seen through binoculars often give odd shapes. Everything points to planet Venus.	

RF061

1. Witness

WPA108 YDD044KFA063KFG059

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FM COMDR 23TH AIR DIV RICHARDS GEBUR AFB MO

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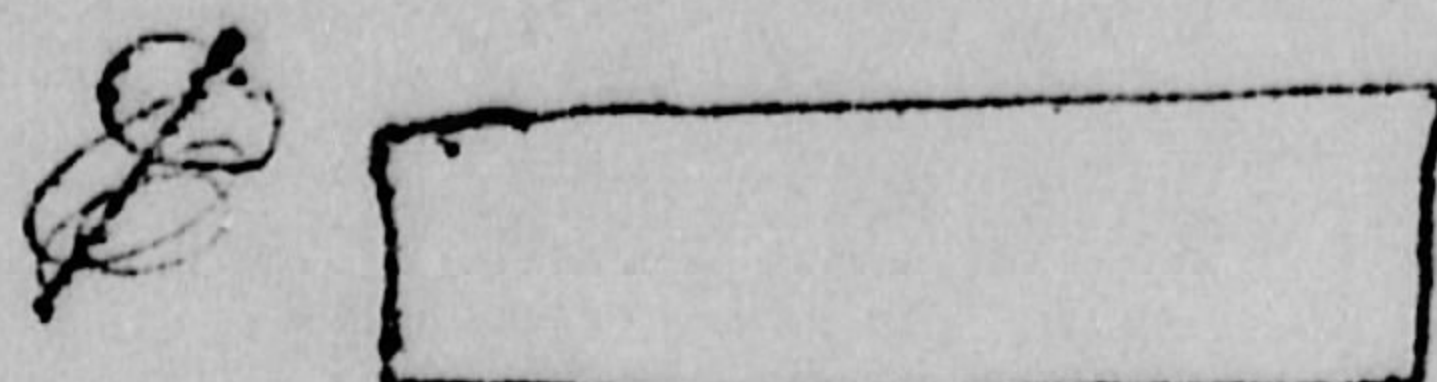
RJEDWP/COMDR AIR TECH INTELL CENTER WPAFB OHIO

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/UNCLASSIFIED/20ADCC. IN ACCORDANCE WITH JCADF INTERIM DHANGE

1 TO CONADM 55-1. THE FOLLOWING UFOB REPORT IS SUBMITTED:

A. 1. RECTANGULAR LINE ?



2. 1 TO 2" LONG 16" LONG

3. BRIGHT RED-ORANGE

characteristics of balloon at dusk - or color due to setting sun

4. ONE (1)

5. NONE

6. NONE

7. NONE

8. NONE

9. NONE

B. 1. DRIVING DOWN HIGHWAY

2. 30 DEGREES 200 DEGREES

-SSW

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STATIONARY

4. UP AND DOWN - *Flight Path*

5. UNKNOWN - *manner of disappearance*

6. 20 MIN

Almost exact location of Venn as check of ASTRO 7407 and EUPHERIS computer shows.

C. 1. NONE

2. 6 POWER BINOCULARS

3. NONE

D. 1. 27/2300Z 2300-6 = 1700 local

2. DUSK

E. GJAK 1020

F. CIVILIAN

1. [REDACTED] 47 AGE

CATHOLIC PREIST

NOT C - considered impossible

O ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

2. N/A

G. 1. CLEAR

2. 6000 300 DEGREES 25K

10000 320 DEGREES 20K

16000 330 DEGREES 20K

20000 320 DEGREES 20K

30000 350 DEGREES 20K

50000 300 DEGREES 35K

8000 UNK

WINDS FROM
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H. NONE

I. NONE

J. NONE

K. JAMES S. PROWELL

1ST LT USAF

DIRECTOR

NO COMMENT

HTIC conclusions:

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Anders, the position, azimuth and
elevation given are almost
precisely the location of
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account for the rectangular
appearance, clouds and other
weather conditions (particularly
the horizontal line) are not
accounted for.

L. NONE.

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Prob Venus