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.

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/UNCLASSIFIED/20ADCC. IN ACCORBANCE 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 coloration due to setting sun

4. ONE (1)

5. NONEO

O 6. NONE

7. NONE

8. NONE

9. NONE

B. 1. DRIVING DOWN HIGHWAY

2. 30 DEGREES 200 DEGREES — SSW

3. 30 DEGREES 200 DEGREES STATIONARY } Almost exact location Venus — as check of ASTRO PLOT and EUPHEMS COMPUTER Show.

4. UP AND DOWN — Flight Path

5. UNKNOWN — manner of disappearance

6. 20 MIN

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 — NOTE - Consider hoax possibility

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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 N ~~W~~

H. NONE

I. NONE

J. NONE

K. JAMES S. PROWELL

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DIRECTOR

NO COMMENT

FTC conclusion:

With all due respect to Father Nolan, the position, azimuth and elevation given are least precise, the location of Venus. I do not cannot account for the meteorological appearance, clouds and other weather conditions (partially [illegible])

L. NONE.

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of the girl sold telegram.
Everything points to planted bomb,
Prob [illegible]