# PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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| **1. DATE**<br>11 November 1957 | **2. LOCATION**<br>St Charles, Missouri | **12. CONCLUSIONS**<br>☐ Was Balloon<br>☐ Probably Balloon<br>☐ Possibly Balloon<br>☐ Was Aircraft<br>☐ Probably Aircraft<br>☐ Possibly Aircraft<br>☒ Was Astronomical Venus<br>☐ Probably Astronomical<br>☐ Possibly Astronomical<br>☐ Other_____<br>☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation<br>☐ Unknown |
| **3. DATE-TIME GROUP**<br>Local _____<br>GMT 12/0010Z | **4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION**<br>☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar<br>☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar | |
| **5. PHOTOS**<br>☐ Yes<br>☒ No | **6. SOURCE**<br>Civilian | |
| **7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION**<br>1 hour | **8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS**<br>one | **9. COURSE**<br>South |

**10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING**

Round object with triangular portion at the top. Size of over-sized star. Round portion was white and the triangular part was red. Triangular top portion was revolving and looked like streamers similar to those on a maypole. No sound. Object was moving up and down and sideways.

**11. COMMENTS**

Venus sighting.

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1 Witness Moore

Prob balloon

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RR RJEDDN RJEDWP RJEPHQ

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R 120330Z

FM COMDR ITH ACWRON

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB

RJEDKXCOMDR 20TH AIR DIV

RJEDWP/COMDR ATIC

RJEPHQ/COMDR DIR OFINTEL HQ USAF

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/UNCLASSIFIED/OPSK-14 SUB3:5: UFOB REF: AFR 200-2. 1. A) SEEMED

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ATIC

34X2R

NO

NOV 12 6:05

ROUND IN SHAPE WITH A TRIANGULAR PORTION AT THE TOP (B) SEEN IN THE VERY FAR DISTANCE AS THE SIZE OF AN OVERSIZED STAR (C) ROUND PORTION WAS WHITE AND THE TRIANGULAR PORTION WAS RED () ONE (E) N/A (F) THE TRIANGULAR TOP PORTION LOOKED LIKE STREAMERS SIMILAR TO THOSE ON A MAY-POLE (G) NEG APPEARANCE OF TAIL, TRAIL OR EXHAUST H) NO SOUND I) TOP PORTION WAS REVOLVING. 2. A) OBSERVER WAS DRIVING HIS AUTOMOBILE AT THE TIME OFFIRST OBSERVATION. JUST HAPPENED TO SEE IT IN FRONT OF HIM. (B) OBJECT WAS SOUTH OF THE OBSERVER VERY HIGH (C) OBJECT WAS STILL SOUTH AND SEEMED TO GO OVER THE HORIZON (D) OBJECT WAS MOVING UP AND

characteristic maneuver of a balloon



DOWN AND SIDEWAYS SIMILAR TO A HELIOCOPTER (E) SAME AS C (F) ONE HOUR

0010 − 6 = 1810 local

3. (A) GOUND VISUAL (B) NONE (C) N/A 4. (A) 12/0010Z B) NIGHT 5. MAIN AND MACDONALD STREETS, ST. CHARLES, MO. 6. A) [redacted] PLACE ST. CHARLES, MO, [redacted] SALESMAN 7. (A) NONE B) NOT AVAILABLE (C) HIGH SCATTERED (D) NOT STATED (E) NOT STATED F) NONE 8. NONE 9. NO ACTION TAKN 1. NOT KNOWN 11. 2/LT JAMES R. TISON, USAFDUTY DIRECTOR, BELLEVILLE AIR FORCE STATION ILLINOIS M COMMENT OR PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS 12. NONE

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No azimuths or wind conditions given, ~~[illegible]~~ making it difficult to make an analysis of the sighting; however, a check shows a balloon was launched, ~~[illegible]~~ just prior to the sighting, from St. Louis, mo.

If the balloon was high enough at the reported time, the sun could reflect from a portion of it.

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| 1. DATE | 2. LOCATION | 12. CONCLUSIONS |
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| 11 November 1957 | Lexington, Kentucky | ☐ Was Balloon<br>☐ Probably Balloon<br>☐ Possibly Balloon |
| **3. DATE-TIME GROUP**<br>Local _____<br>GMT 12/0055Z | **4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION**<br>☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar<br>☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar | ☐ Was Aircraft<br>☒ Probably Aircraft<br>☐ Possibly Aircraft |
| **5. PHOTOS**<br>☐ Yes<br>X☐ No | **6. SOURCE**<br>Civilian | ☐ Was Astronomical<br>☐ Probably Astronomical<br>☐ Possibly Astronomical |
| **7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION**<br>three minutes | **8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS**<br>one<br>**9. COURSE**<br>NE | ☐ Other _____<br>☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation<br>☐ Unknown |

**10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING**

One round orange object the size of a pinhead. Object was seen heading northeast and was in sight for three minutes.

**11. COMMENTS**

Description, duration, flight path indicate that this sighting was probably caused by an aircraft.

No report in file.

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