

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 2 November 65 03/0030Z	2. LOCATION Rivergrove, Illinois
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION A/C (ADVISED BY BANNER)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	No data presented to indicate object could NOT have been an A/C.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 Minute	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object was flat and long. White. Object tilted and moved East to West and appeared to be a following aircraft. Children observed object for three days in the same location. It was observed in South, 45 deg angle. Stayed in same location. Object came from East becoming larger then going West going smaller going back to original position where started. Did not disappear. Watched for 3 nights. Conflicting data. Form 164 sent for clarification. Sounds like Venus in SW except for coming from East and following A/C.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE E to W	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FTD (TDEW)

Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433

6 January 1966

Mr. [REDACTED]

Rivergrove, Illinois

Dear Mr. [REDACTED],

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Sincerely,

Hector Quintanilla, Jr.
HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr., Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

Jan. 12 / 1966

Dear Sir:

Thank you for your interest shown in reference to a so called flying object my children and neighbors watched for three different days back in November. I am sorry but very glad that the object turned out to be a plane with an advertisement for Polk Brothers. It had circled different sections of the city for two weeks and a week later it circled our town and we were able to read the signs.

I am very thankful, proud, and grateful to know we have men like yourself and everyone connected with you that are keeping our country safe in the air.

Thank you again Sincerely Mrs. [REDACTED]

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COMBAT READINESS TRAINING OPERATIONS
928TH TROOP CARRIER GROUP, MEDIUM (RESERVE)
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
O'HARE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
Chicago, Illinois 60666

SUBJECT: U.F.O.

3 Nov. 1965

A. Description of the object:

1. Would you please describe object's shape Flat Long
2. Size as compared to a known object held in the hand at about arm's length. (Such as a pea, dime, nickel, baseball, etc.) Pls Plate
3. Color White
4. Number One
5. Formation, if more than one None
6. Any discernible features or details Tilts and moved East to West seemed to be following aircraft.
7. Was there a tail, trail or exhaust, including size of same compared to size of object None
8. Was there any sound? If so, please describe the sound None
9. Other pertinent or unusual features None

B. Description of course of object.

1. What first called the attention of observer to the object _____

Her children did notice object in sky for three (3) days and then she decided to look, then called this in to Air Force here at O'Hare Intl. Aprt.

2. Angle or elevation and azimuth of object when first observed _____
South 45degrees angle

3. Angle or elevation and azimuth of object upon disappearance _____
Did not move from 1st Position

4. Description of flight path and maneuvers of object _____
Coming from east becoming larger then going West gets smaller back to same position where started.

5. How did the object disappear (Fade away or instantaneously) _____
Did not disappear, remained in sky when party decided to call in about this.

6. How long was the object visible? (Be specific, 5 min, one hour) _____
30 minutes.

C. Manner of observation.

1. How was object sighted, ground-visual, air visual, ground electronic, air electronic. (If electronic, specify type of radar) _____
Ground visual.

2. Were any optical aids used. (Telescopes, binoculars) _____
None

3. Was this an airborne sighting? If so: **N/A**

- A. Type A/C _____
- B. Ident No _____
- C. Altitude _____
- D. Heading _____
- E. Speed _____
- F. Home Station _____
- G. Telephone No _____

D. Time and date of sighting

1. Time Zulu 0030

Date 3 Nov. 1965

2. Was it, night, day, dawn, dusk Night

E. Location of Observer. Where did you make this sighting from? Give exact location. (If necessary give location in reference to a known land mark)

2715 Budd St., Rivergrove, Ill. Near Thacker and Grand

87 degrees 49 min West 41 Degrees 58 min North

F. Identifying Information on Observer

1. Civilian Name M. [REDACTED]

2. Age Did not obtain.

3. Mailing Address [REDACTED] Ill.

4. Occupation Housewife

5. Reliability Good

6. Telephone [REDACTED]

Military: N/A

1. Name

2. Grade

3. Organization

4. Duty

5. Reliability

6. Telephone No.

G. Weather and Winds - Aloft conditions at time and place of sightings

1. Observer's account of weather conditions Clear

2. Winds (from Weather Bureau)

Surface		Degrees		Kts
Aloft 6,000	260	"	30	"
10,000	290	"	30	"
16,000	300	"	30	"
20,000	290	"	35	"
30,000	260	"	60	"
50,000	270	"	50	"
80,000	XXXX		XXXX	

3. Ceiling High Thin Overcast

4. Visibility 12 Miles

5. Amount of cloud layer 10-12

6. Thunderstorm in area and quadrant in which located None

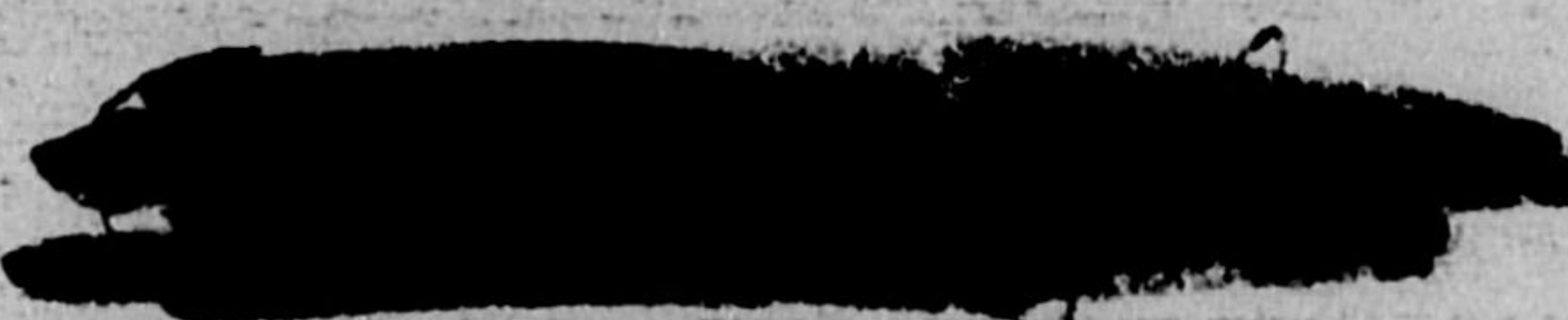
7. Vertical Temp Gradient Not Available

H. Did you notice any unusual activity or conditions, meteorological, astronomical, or otherwise, which might account for the sighting None (

L. Did you take any photographs None
Do you know of any existence of physical evidence of materials None

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I have no way of ascertaining just what this family was looking at. They do live in the general area of a great deal of air traffic Midway Airport and O'Hare International Airport, Chicago, Ill.


Aircraft Dispatcher