

## MYSTERY OBJECT WAS VENUS

THE bright, fast-moving object seen in the western sky at Kalgoorlie on Wednesday night was not a flying saucer. It was the planet Venus.

Two reports, one from Government Astronomer H. S. Spigl and the other from Kalgoorlie, indicate that Venus, famous for the tricks she has played on mariners for centu-

ries, has been at it again.

Whenever she becomes an evening star, Venus makes it a practice occasionally to dance about near the horizon, change colour and move about with great speed.

In fact, her movements are all an illusion. This explanation was given today by Mr. Spigl.