PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 1 October 1962	2. LOCATION Duluth, Minnesota	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 01/1930Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 hours	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE stationary

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Round object smaller than dime, silvery. Observed at 30 dgr elevation 180 dgr azimuth. Disappeared at same position 2 hrs later. Motion slow to West. Faded. Observation during day.

11. COMMENTS

Venus had a magnitude of -4.3 (exceptionally bright) & was at 30 dgrs elevation 160 dgr azimuth at the rptd time of the sighting. At the time of the report, Venus was 20 dgrs from the sun with a declination of -22 degrees.

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ACTION: CIN-17

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FM DUADS DULUTH MUNI APRT MINN

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UFO REFERENCE AFR 200-2. THE FOLLOWING REPORT IS SUBMITTED.

A (1) ROUND

(2) MUCH SMALLER THAN A DIME

(3) SILVERY

(4) ONE

(5)N/A

(6) NONE

(7) NONE

(8) NONE

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(3) UNLIMITED

(4) 15

(5) 8/10

(6) NONE

H NONE

I VN 05 SENT TO AREA, NO SIGHTING

J NONE

K MAJOR ROLAND D. NICHOLS, DUADS INTELLIGENCE OFFICER, NO COMMENT

(1) POSSIBLE SIGHTING OF BRIGHT PLANET, FOR EXAMPLE VENUS

L NONE

M NONE

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(9) NONE

B (1) JUST LOOKING OUT THE WINDOW

(2) 30 DEGREE ELEVATION AND 180 DEGREE AZIMUTH

(3) 30 DEGREE ELEVATION AND 180 DEGREE AZIMUTH

(4) VERY SLOWLY TO THE WEST

(5) FADED OUT

(6) TWO HOURS

C (1) VISUAL

(2) BINOCULARS

(3) N/A

D (1) 1 OCT 1930Z

(2) DAY

E (1) 4645N/9208W

(2) DULUTH, MINNESOTA

F (1) MRS [redacted] MIDDLE AGED, [redacted]
DULUTH, MINNESOTA, HOUSEWIFE, RELIABILITY UNKNOWN

(2) N/A

G (I) CLEAR FEW CLOUDS

(2) 090 AT 08 K

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