PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 22 Feb 61	2. LOCATION Silver Bay	& Gilbert, Minne	e 000 000 0	Was Aircraft Probably Aircraft Possibly Aircraft Possibly Aircraft Was Astronomical METEOR Probably Astronomical
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1648 GMT 222248Z 5. PHOTOS	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATIO Ground-Visual Air-Visual 6. SOURCE			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 5 sec	Civilian 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS	9. COURSE	000	OtherInsufficient Data for Evaluation Unknown
cone-shaped objt. Conflictive, from dime size to length. Vivid red, green fire and sparks. One obstike sonic boom Estremel at unknown elevation, 30 trees, 300°. One observe into 3 or 4 pieces and detrees.	4-6 inches at arms, and blue. Trailed erver hears sound y high speed. Appeare 0°. Disappeared below raid objt broke	objt was a rare such a size that altitude to be had as reported by of	day t it near	on indicates that ylight meteor of t reached a low enough rd when it exploded, observer.
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ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

HQA012 ZCZCALA007UE40 PP RJEDSQ DE RJEDDU 43C P 231830Z FM DUADS DULUTH MUNI APRT MINN TO RJEDAH/30 AIR DIV TRUAX FIELD WISC RJWFAL/ADC ENT AFB COLO RJEDSQ/WPAFB ZENACOFSUAF WASH D C ZEN/L G HANSCOM FID BEDFORD MASS V DUOOP 61-540-C ATTN: SAFS, AFCINAND AFCIN-181 AT HOUSAF. ATTN: PROJECT SPACE TRACK AT L. G. HANSEGM FID. ATTN: ATIC AND COSMATIC, AFCIN-4A AT WPAFB. (1) ROUND TAPERED, CONE SHAPE (2) CONFLICTING REPORTS, DIME SIZE TO 4 TO 6 INCHES AT ARMS LENGHT. (3) VIVID RED, GREEN AND BLUE, BRILLIANT (4) Classification Cancelled (5) N/A THE STATES INVINIAGE sparks; observed 5 seconds. Observed from Silver Bay and Gilbert, Minnesote. PAGE TWO RJEDDU A3C

- (7) TRAILING FIRE AND SPARKS
- (8) ONE OBSERVER STATED SOUND WAS HEARD LIKE SONIC BOCM, BUT CCULDN'T SAY WHETHER IT WAS BEFORE OR AFTER SIGHTING.

OTHER OBSERVERS NOTICED NO SOUND.

- (9) EXTREMELY HIGH SPEED. 6 OR 7 TIMES FASTER THAN F-106
- B (1) BRIGHT COLORED LIGHTS
 - (2) ELEY UNK BUT LOW, 300 DEGREES
 - (3) BELOW TREES, 300 DEGREES
 - (4) 300 DEGREES, NO DEVIATIONS. FLYING HMNEA

OG EARTH THER CEPHENIT MAR MATERIALD DEFE COLUMN TO FRINGE THE

- HILLS. POLICEMAN GULBRANSON AT GILBERT, MINN SAID OBJECT
 BROKE INTO 3 OR 4 PIECES AND DISAPPEARED BEHIND TREES.

 APPROX 20 TO 30 MILES DUE NORTH OF GILBERT, MINN. WAS VERY
 VAGUE ABOUT DISTANCE NORTH OF GILBERT AND COULD NOT ESTIMATE
 ELEVATION.
 - (6) -5 SECONDS
- C (1) VISUAL
 - (2) NONE
 - (3) N/A D. WERLEY, LELICA
- D (1) ALL OBSERVERS REPORTED SIGHTING AT APPROX 22/2248Z

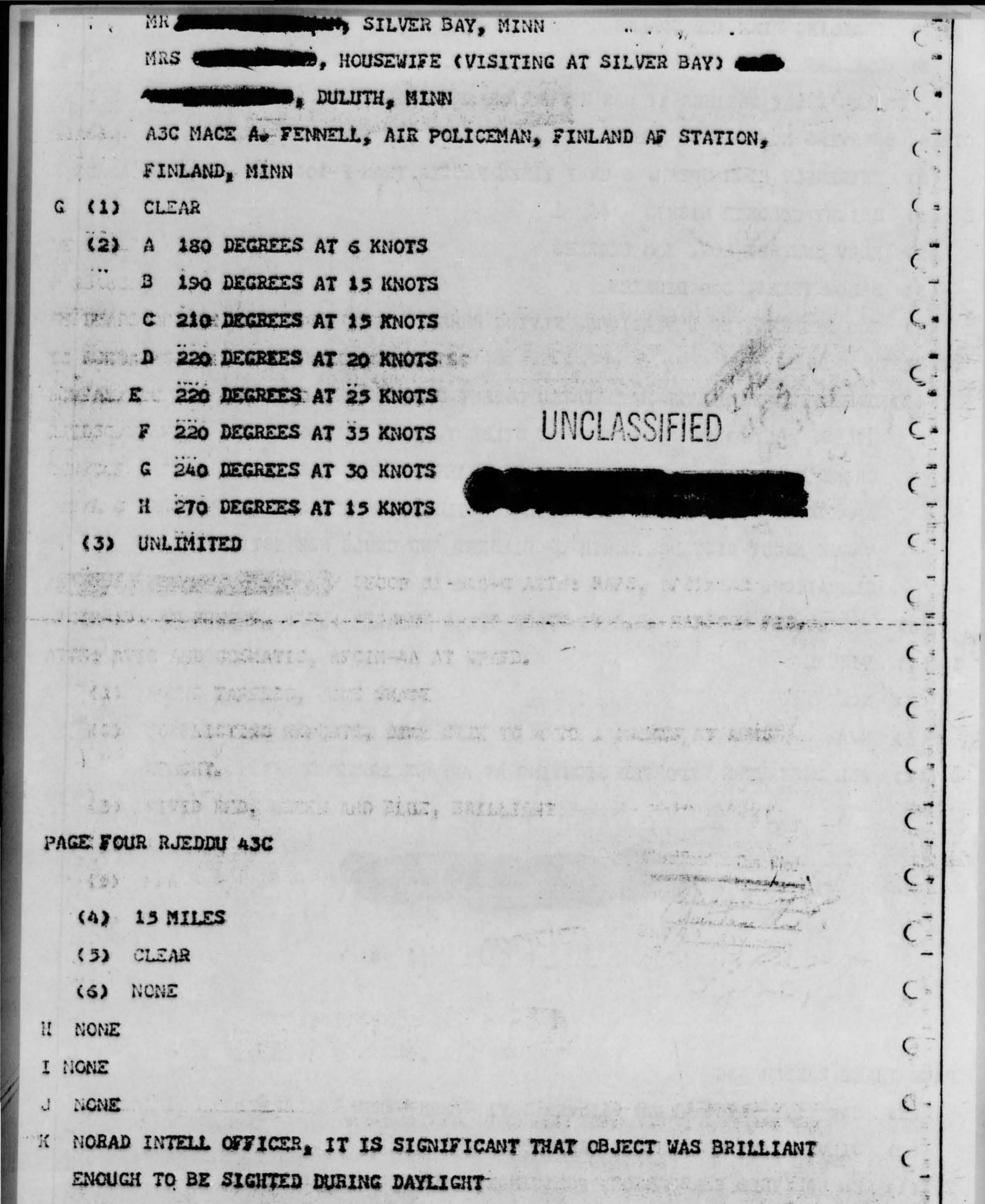


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- (2) DAY (1) 9110W-4720N (SILVER BAY) 4729N-9229W (GILBERT)
- (2) SILVER BAY AND GILBERT MINNESOTA
- F (1) MR GARFIELD GULBRANSON, POLICEMAN, GILBERT, MINN
 MR AND MRS RESERVE MINNING CO., SILVER BAY, MINN



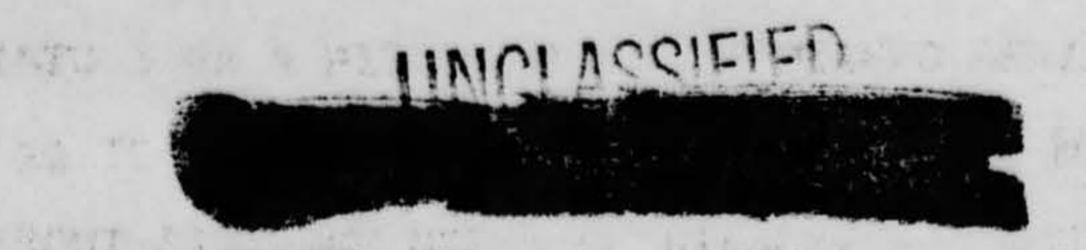
A. POSSIBLE MOON DUST

L (1) NONE

(2) NONE

M OBJECT WAS FIRST SIGHTED BY OBSERVERS AT SILVER BAY. OBJECT WAS OVER LAKE SUPERIOR HEADING NORTH WEST AT LOW ALTITUED AND EXTREMELY

HIGH SPEED. OBSERVERS AT SILVER BAY STATED IT DISAPPEARED
BEHING HILLS HEADING N. W. OBSERVER AT GILBERT SAW THE OBJECT
HEADING FROM EAST TO WEST AND ACCORDING TO HIS ESTIMATE 20 TO 30
MILES DUE NORTH OF GILBERT. HE WAS VAGUE ABOUT DISTANCE. HE
THEN SAID IT BROKE INTO 3 OR 4 PIECES AND DISAPPEARED BEHIND
TREES. FURTHER COMMENT JUST RECEIVED FIVE OBJECTS IN FORMATION
WERE SIGHTED AT 2245Z ON THE 22ND OVER LAC LA CROIX (4815N 9200W).



THE OBJECTS WERE SIGHTED BY VIRGINIA, PILOT,

ELY, MINN, A AND VIRGINIA, MINNESOTA. THESE THREE MEN HAD

JUST LANDED ON LAC LA CROIX FOR ICE FISHING. ALL MEN AGREE ON

THE FOLLOWING: THERE WERE FIVE OBJECTS IN FORMATION, HEADING

FROM SOUTH TO NORTH. THEY WERE ROUND AND DOME SHAPED WITH

GREENISH HUED TAILS. OBJECTS WERE TRAVELING AT A TREMENDOUS RATE

OF SPEED AS COMPARED TO REGULAR JET AIRCRAFT AT AN UNESTIMATED

ALTITUDE. OBJECTS DISAPPEARED IN THE NORTH.

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