PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 22 May 61	2. LOCATION Maxwell AFB, Alabama	12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical Venus ☒ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other Inversion ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 0330 GMT 22/0930Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Military	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 hr 38 minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	9. COURSE E
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Oval shaped object with tail, size of a dime, silver colored. Sighted SE of the sun prior to sunrise. Disappeared instantaneously to the East.	11. COMMENTS [illegible] visual sighting probably Venus, [illegible] several minutes before the sun with mag [illegible] Radar target was reported moving E at 15[illegible] kts. This radar was strictly a weather radar used in tracking weather fronts, and anything else would hardly show on scope. Also this Radar had limited track capabilities. Radar object probably return from inversion layer.	

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