

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE September 1962		2. LOCATION Gary, Minnesota		12. CONCLUSIONS	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT - - -		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other <u>Slag</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes Physical ☒ No Specimen		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION - - -		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE found on ground	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Object found on ground & believed to be associated with satellite decay, submitted for analysis.				11. COMMENTS Object sent to ASD & assigned number 3-146. Found to be terrestrial in origin. Analysis revealed object to be slag.	

Fargo, North Dakota
January 2, 1963

Wright Patterson
Dayton, Ohio

To whom it may concern;

I receive a lot of rocks in the mail for identification and recently received this one from [REDACTED] of Gary, Minn. It apparently fell in his yard in September of '62. He says he has lived there for 8 years and the rock suddenly appeared in his yard. The chunk enclosed is about one-sixth the size of the chunk he found. He merely broke off a piece.

It was about the time the Russian Sputnik pieces were found in Wisconsin. I have had reports from people in our area who saw it break up so was wondering if some of it could have landed this far west. I would appreciate knowing the results of any test made on it.

Best wishes [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Fargo, North Dakota

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[REDACTED]
FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA
[REDACTED]

Regarding
identification of
a rock sample

Received in best condition of...



WRIGHT PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE
DAYTON,
OHIO

ANALYSIS TEST REPORT

SUBJECT		Identification of Samples	
TEST NR	3-146 - 147	TASK NR	
SUBMITTED BY	LT. COL. FRIEND	DATE RECEIVED	
PURPOSE			
To determine whether the samples are Terrestrial in Nature.			
FACTUAL DATA			
The samples submitted were assigned Control Number 3-146 and 3-147.			
Minor chemical and physical examinations confirm that these samples are Terrestrial in nature and common to regions of past glacial action.			
CONCLUSIONS			
To confirm verbal report transmitted 8 February 63.			
DATE REPORTED		SIGNATURE	
		Solomon F. Brokebourne	