

Date: 3/21/99

Time Started: 8:54 pm CST

Time Finished: 9:08 pm CST

Transparency: 4

Seeing: 4

Telescope: 12.5" Dob

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Filter: —

Magnification: 120x

OBJECT

Common Name: _____

M#: 78

NGC #: 2068

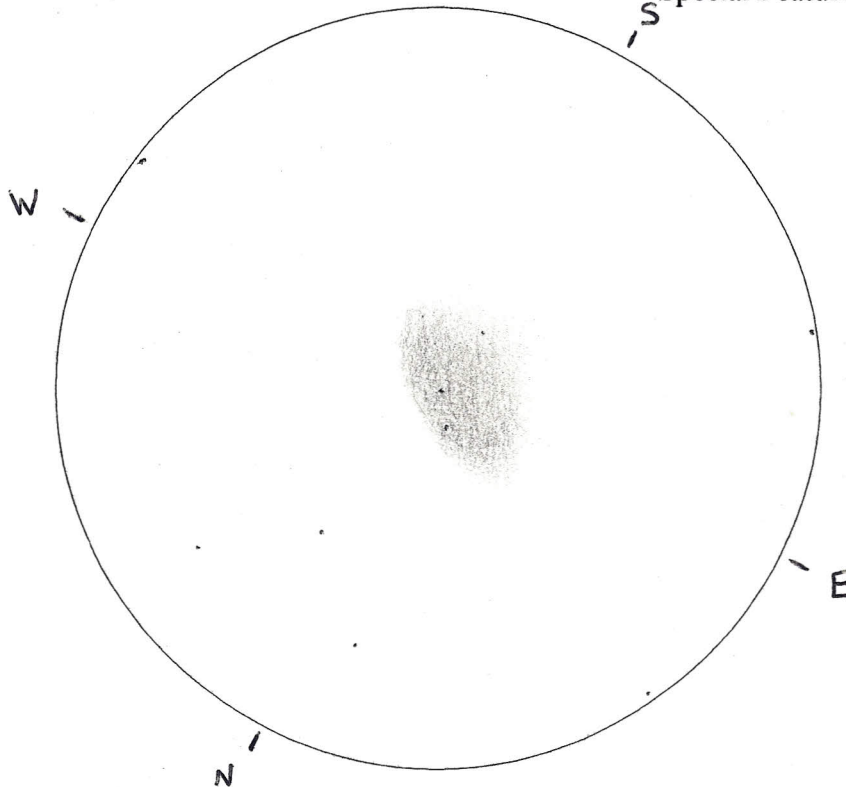
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Size: 8' x 6'

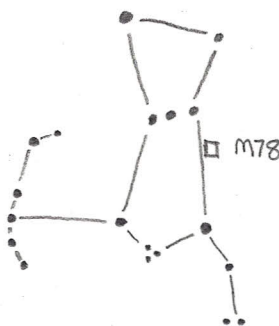
Coordinates: 5h 46.7m 0° 03'

Special Features: Two 10th mag. stars within nebula; another fainter to south.
Distance: 1600 H. yrs.
One of sky's easiest to observe reflection nebula.



Locating Sketch:

Orion



Description and Field Notes:

Very faint. No detail other than sharp fall-off to the NW and gradual fall-off to the SE. Two brighter stars and one dimmer one within the nebulosity