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PROJECT SKYLAB—2nd PHOTOS OF KOHOUTEK

DECEMBER 29th, 1973 — 12:29 P.M. — For the 2nd time in 4 days Astronauts Carr and Pogue took a spacewalk to photograph Kohoutek, now 14 million miles from the sun and ending a 2 million year journey from the outer fringes of the solar system. Yesterday the astronauts had a radio conversation with Lubos Kohoutek, the discoverer of the comet. "It is a great pleasure to greet you as the first human beings studying a comet from outer space. Your mission is indeed very important for astronomy."