

## PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE <u>6 Jun 58</u>	2. LOCATION <u>Dayton, Ohio</u>	12. CONCLUSIONS	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local <u>11:57 P.M.</u>	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon	
GMT <u>07/0457Z</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft	
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE <u>Civilian</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>1½ mins</u>	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>one</u>	9. COURSE <u>West</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Rnd reddish obj, size of head of pin. Looked similar to a star.		11. COMMENTS The observer probably saw a jet a/c with afterburner in short operation.	

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

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RJEDSQ/COMDR AIR TECH INTEL CEN WPAFB

INFO RJEPNB/COMDR EADF SAFB

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Prsb A/C 7 June

Atc

1-3 4E4

3-4 Xaa

Atc 9:1

A. DESCRIPTIONS:

- (1) ROUND
- (2) HEAD OF A PIN
- (3) REDISH
- (4) ONE
- (5)
- (6) ~~TAIL?~~, TRAIL?, EXHAUST?
- (7)
- (8) - SOUND?

- (9) LOOKED SIMULAR TO A STAR

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE:

- (1) LOOKING UP
- (2) 090 DEGREE E  
25 DEGREE ELEVATION
- (3) N.N.W. 35 DEGREE ELEVATION
- (4) STRAIGHT - in what direction
- (5) N.N.W. 35 DEGREE ABOVE HORIZEN
- (6) 1 1/2 MIN.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

- (1) GROUND VISUAL

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

- (1) 07-0505Z 05-05-5 = 0005-

- (2) NIGHT

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER (S):

DAYTON OHIO

39 DEGREE 43'' N 84 DEGREE 11'' W

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER (S):

- (1) ED UTZ [REDACTED]
- (2)

G. WEATHER & WINDS-ALOFT CONDITION TIME & PLACE OF SIGHTING:

- (1) 130 DEGREE 6
- (2) SURFACE-350 DEG 10 KT  
NW

6,000-320 DEG 20 KT

10,000'-300 DEG 40 KT

16,000'-300 DEG 50 KT

20,000'-290 DEG 70 KT

30,000'-280 DEG 70 KT

50,000'-270E DEG 30E KT

80,000'- DEG KT

(3) UNLIMITED

(4) 12 NAUT MILES

(5) SCTD

(6) NONE

H. ?

I. ?

J. ?

K. ?

L. ?

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6 1 5 1 5 HISTORICAL ACK 6  
Witness off 0527 Oct 6

FEV U. S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U. S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes, and will be regarded as confidential material. Your name will not be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that, if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

6 6 1958  
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 11 57  
Hour Minutes

(Circle One): A.M. or P.M.

3. Time zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern  
b. Central  
c. Mountain  
d. Pacific  
e. Other \_\_\_\_\_

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving  
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[REDACTED]  
Nearest Postal Address

DAYTON

City or Town

Ohio

State or Country

Additional remarks: Home faces east

5. Estimate how long you saw the object.

1 1/2 Hours Minutes

Seconds

5.1 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 5.

a. Certain  
b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure  
d. Just a guess

6. What was the condition of the sky?

(Circle One): a. Bright daylight  
b. Dull daylight  
c. Bright twilight

d. Just a trace of daylight  
e. No trace of daylight  
f. Don't remember

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, TWILIGHT, or DAWN, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you  
b. In back of you  
c. To your right

d. To your left  
e. Overhead  
f. Don't remember

8. IF you saw the object, at NIGHT, TWILIGHT, or DAWN, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight — pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. Was the object brighter than the background of the sky?

(Circle One):

d. Yes

b. No

c. Don't remember

10. IF it was BRIGHTER THAN the sky background, was the brightness like that of an automobile headlight?:

(Circle One) a. A mile or more away (a distant car)?

bright as medium star

b. Several blocks away?

c. A block away?

d. Several yards away?

e. Other

11. Did the object:

- a. Appear to stand still at any time?
- b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?
- c. Break up into parts or explode?
- d. Give off smoke?
- e. Change brightness?
- f. Change shape?
- g. Flicker, throb, or pulsate?

(Circle One for each question)

Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Don't Know
Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Don't Know
Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Don't Know
Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Don't Know
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Don't Know
Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Don't Know
Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Don't Know

12. Did the object move behind something at anytime, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved behind:

13. Did the object move in front of something at anytime, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved in front of:

14. Did the object appear: (Circle One):

a. Solid?

b. Transparent?

c. Don't Know.

15. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- a. Eyeglasses
- b. Sun glasses
- c. Windshield
- d. Window glass

- Yes
- No
- Yes
- No
- Yes
- No
- Yes
- No

- e. Binoculars
- f. Telescope
- g. Theodolite
- h. Other

- Yes
- No
- Yes
- No
- Yes
- No

16. Tell in a few words the following things about the object.

a. Sound 'ONE - this is what was unusual'  
b. Color Reddish or More pink than star

17. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails. Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.

18. The edges of the object were:

(Circle One): a. Fuzzy or blurred  
b. Like a bright star  
c. Sharply outlined  
d. Don't remember

e. Other \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

19. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? One.

Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

20. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.

Path

21. IF POSSIBLE, try to guess or estimate what the real size of the object was in its longest dimension.  
feet.

22. How large did the object or objects appear as compared with one of the following objects held in the hand and at about arm's length?

(Circle One):

a. Head of a pin  
b. Pea  
c. Dime  
d. Nickel  
e. Quarter  
f. Half dollar

g. Silver dollar  
h. Baseball  
i. Grapefruit  
j. Basketball  
k. Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.1 (Circle One of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 22.

a. Certain  
b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure  
d. Uncertain

23. How did the object or objects disappear from view?

just disappeared -

40° from vertical

24. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, we would like for you to imagine that you could construct the object that you saw. Of what type material would you make it? How large would it be, and what shape would it have? Describe in your own words a common object or objects which when placed up in the sky would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

similar to star except for  
color - no sound

In other words - like  
a star only it was PINK.

Comment: Under a cloud,  
atmosphere, haze,  
or industrial smokes  
of various kinds -  
on top of clouds.

25. Where were you located when you saw the object? (Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. Outdoors
- d. In an airplane
- e. At sea
- f. Other \_\_\_\_\_

26. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- c. In open countryside?
- d. Flying near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other \_\_\_\_\_

27. What were you doing at the time you saw the object, and how did you happen to notice it?

Watching TV. Stepped out on porch and looked in sky

28. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

28.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

a. North	c. East	e. South	g. West
b. Northeast	d. Southeast	f. Southwest	h. Northwest

28.2 How fast were you moving? \_\_\_\_\_ miles per hour.

28.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

29. What direction were you looking when you first saw the object? (Circle One)

a. North	c. <u>East</u>	e. South	g. West
b. Northeast	d. Southeast	f. Southwest	h. Northwest

30. What direction were you looking when you last saw the object? (Circle One)

a. North	c. East	e. South	g. <u>West</u>
b. Northeast	d. Southeast	f. Southwest	h. Northwest

31. If you are familiar with bearing terms (angular direction), try to estimate the number of degrees the object was from true North and also the number of degrees it was upward from the horizon (elevation).

31.1 When it first appeared:

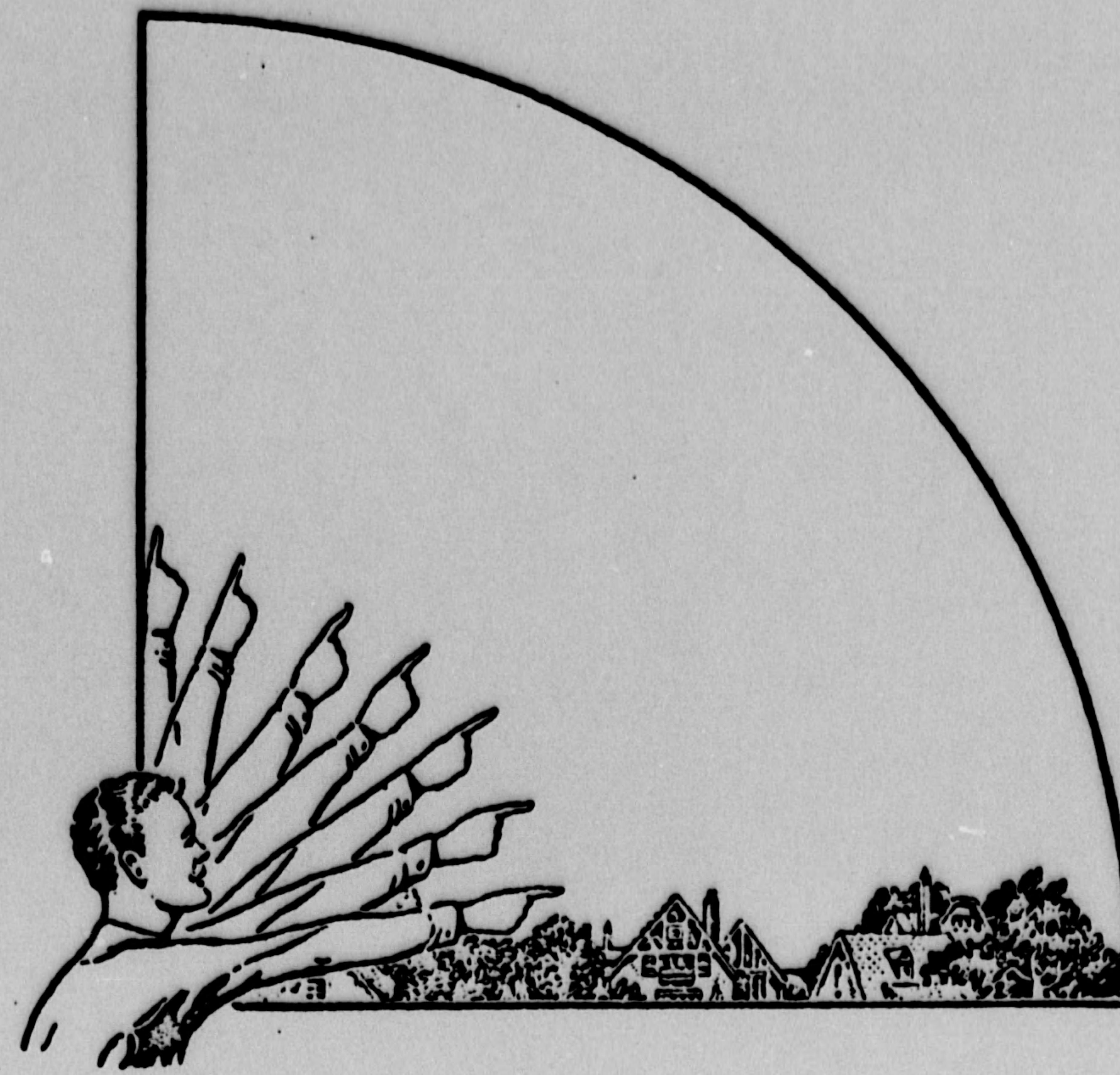
- a. From true North 90 degrees.
- b. From horizon 25 degrees.

traveled in straight line

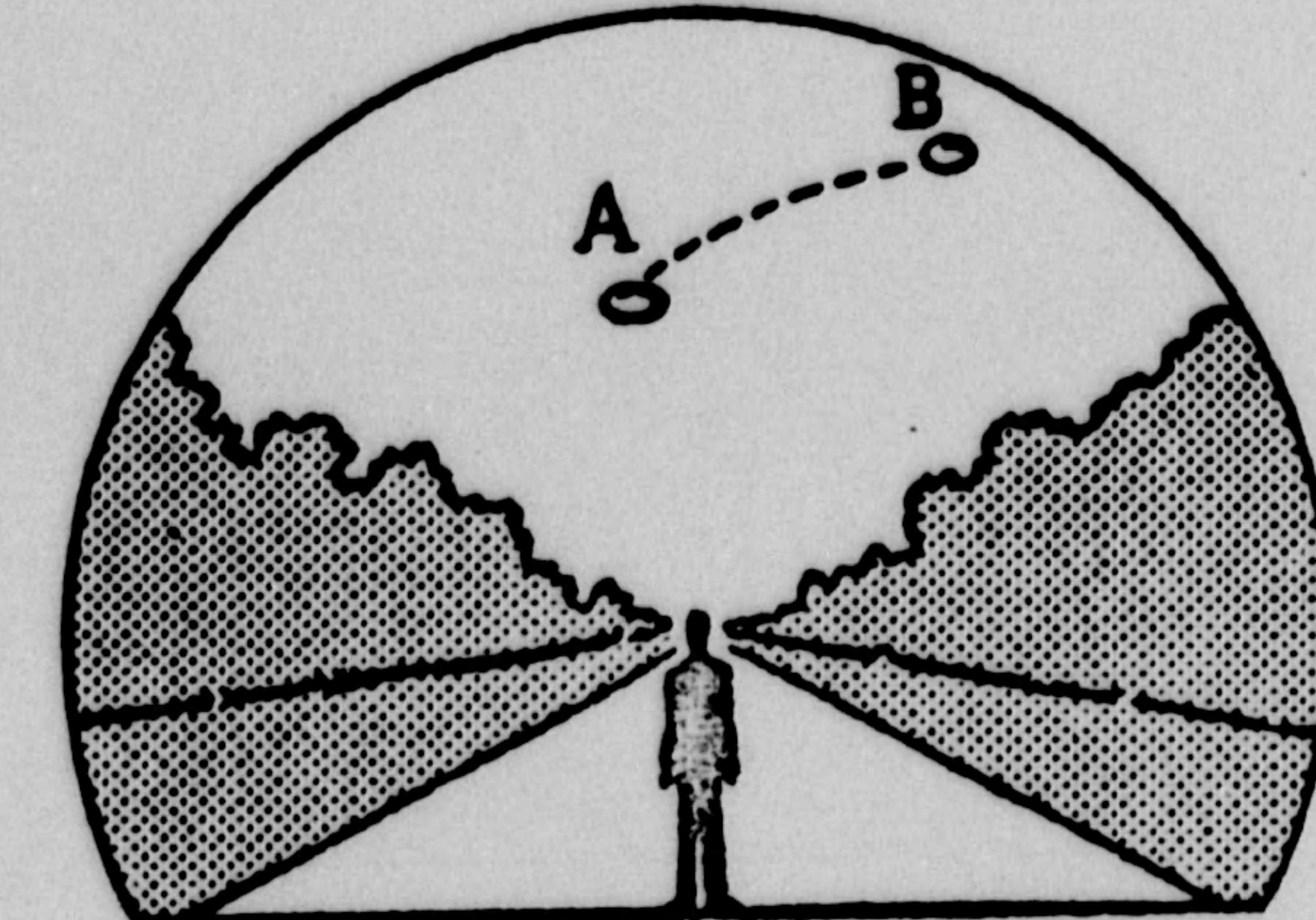
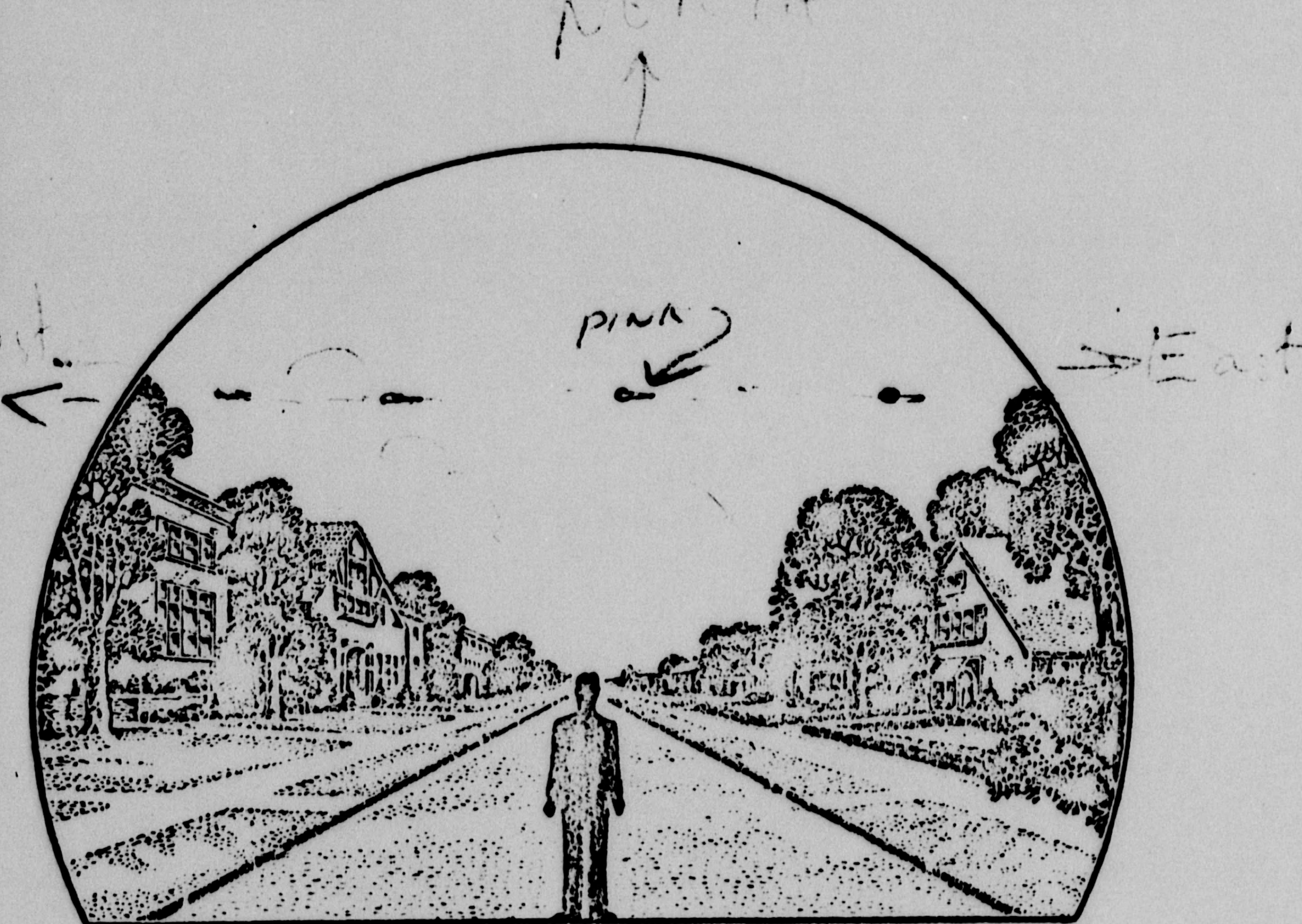
31.2 When it disappeared:

- a. From true North 290 degrees.
- b. From horizon 35 degrees.

32. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you first saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you last saw it.



33. In the following larger sketch place an "A" at the position the object was when you first saw it, and a "B" at its position when you last saw it. Refer to smaller sketch as an example of how to complete the larger sketch.



34. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

34.1 CLOUDS (Circle One)

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds
- e. Don't remember

34.2 WIND (Circle One)

- a. No wind
- b. Slight breeze
- c. Strong wind
- d. Don't remember

34.3 WEATHER (Circle One)

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

34.4 TEMPERATURE (Circle One)

- a. Cold
- b. Cool
- c. Warm
- d. Hot
- e. Don't remember

35. When did you report to some official that you had seen the object?

13 7

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58

Day

Month

Year

approx 0005

36. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object?

(Circle One) Yes

No

36.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One) Yes

No

36.2 Please list their names and addresses:

37. Was this the first time that you had seen an object or objects like this?

(Circle One) Yes

No

37.1 IF you answered NO, then when, where, and under what circumstances did you see other ones?

1952 - Dayton - same except for

blue color and moved about instead of  
going

38. In your opinion what do you think the object was and what might have caused it?

No idea - although he thought it could be jet except no sound. He also thought he might have seen a satellite or weather balloon

39. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) Yes  No

very fast

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate?

m.p.h.

40. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) Yes No

very high

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was?

feet.

41. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

Dayton  
City

Zone \_\_\_\_\_  
State Ohio

TELEPHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

What is your present job? General insurance broker

Age 42 Sex M

Please indicate any special educational training that you have had.

a. Grade school X

e. e. Technical school \_\_\_\_\_

b. High school X

(Type) \_\_\_\_\_

c. College X

f. Other special training \_\_\_\_\_

d. Post graduate X

Art Institute, Insurance

42. Date you completed this questionnaire:

67 6 58  
Day Month Year

Called approximately 0015 to ATIC.

Original call to AMC within 3 or 4 minutes  
after the sighting

**U. S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET**  
**(SUMMARY DATA)**

In order that your information may be filed and coded as accurately as possible, please use the following space to write out a short description of the event that you observed. You may repeat information that you have already given in the questionnaire, and add any further comments, statements, or sketches that you believe are important. Try to present the details of the observation in the order in which they occurred. Additional pages of the same size paper may be attached if they are needed.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Please Print)

(Do Not Write in This Space)

CODE:

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

[*Sgt McDowell*  
*58<sup>th</sup> Combat Ops.*] ]

Sgt McDowell was also called\*. He is conducting the check of weather stations CAA etc. And will have results available for ATIC if needed. He is also making a report to ADC.

Col. Hickey AMC Duty officer was contacted first and referred the call to ATIC. Col Hickey also advised the 58<sup>th</sup> Air Division. 58<sup>th</sup> Air Division did not talk to observer.